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GATEWAY FOR OIL:

An oil tanker waits to discharge her load into the new 32-million-gallon Teesport Installation - a vital addition to the resources of industrial Teesside. More than half a million tons of oil a year will pass through this storage plant; industrial fuel oil, aviation fuel, kerosene, gas oil, derv, and marine diesel fuel. Great boiler rooms will keep the heavy oils at a fluid temperature, and there are up-to-date facilities for testing every type of oil the plant will receive.

Tanker berries are ready for the moment when the Lord Lieutenant of the North Riding starts the big plant working. The iron and chemical industries of Teesside are depending more and more on oil - and at Teesport, they now have one of the finest storage plants in Britain.