

CONGO CRISIS

4 parts, altogether : 315 meters - 1040 ft 35 mm. developed positive.

Part 1. 108 m.- 315 ft * In Brassaville, former French Congo and now a Republic, President of the Republic, a Priest FULBERT YOULOU greets belgium refugees arriving across the River Congo from terror torn Leopoldville. On this side of the river, both French and Congolese flags are side by side. shots of President Fulbert Youlou at embankment, then visiting Refugees center, kissing children and comforting shocked white people who have fled their homes in ex-Belgian Congo.

Meanwhile in BRAZZAVILLE, the airport sees french aircrafts taking refugees away from the scene of their sorrows, and flying them back to Brussels.

On the other side of the Congo, the scene is quite different, burning cars, and hundreds of other cars awaiting loading of any possibility of crossing the river to the other Congo... Belgian paratroopers are patrolling the empty streets...

Part 2. 71 meters- 235 ft* In LEOPOLDVILLE, empty streets while true congoleese troops patrol. Belgian paratroopers and their fellow congoleese troops patrolling and around statue of King Albert I. of Belgium Paratroopers investing D'JELLE airport Keeping guard over railroads and roads in town, while congoleese mass around one black man who has just been killed -so they say - by a portugese... discussing the case, and soon troops arrive, and GENERAL ALEXANDER, investigator sent from Ghana by the United Nations.

Part 3. 67 meters - 222 ft* Shots of the harbor of Leopoldville, deserted streets and burning cars. belgian troops patrolling streets. Congoleese Defense Minister discussing with congoleese, and leaving under protection of belgian Paratroopers. Youth' Minister requesting a Belgian paratrooper' jeep to escort his own to fetch President at airport. UN delegation headed by General ALEXANDER coming out of official building,, investigating the case of the black man found killed by a portugese. Belgian paratroopers guarding D&Jelle airport, roads, and streets.

Part 4. 33 meters - 110 ft * First ^{Ghana} UN troops arrive from ~~London~~ at D'JELLE airport Ghana troops arriving Other UN troops are Tunisian, they immediately take up position in town, and discuss things with congoleese.

Part 5. 34 meters - 115 ft * arrival of Tunisian United Nations troops in Congo.

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GHANA ARMY FOR CONGO

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SCENE 1

LEOPOLDVILLE

- MLS : Of the officers alighting from the plane at Leopoldville Airport.
- MLS : Of the soldiers alighting from the plane at Leopoldville.
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- CU : Shots of soldiers.
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- MLS : Of soldiers marching.

SCENE 2

LEOPOLDVILLE

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- LS : Of a helicopter landing at Leopoldville Airport.
- MLS : Major General Alexander, Chief of Defence Staff of Ghana, talking to Congolese Officers at Leopoldville Airport before boarding the U.S. jet plane to Stanleyville.
- CU : Various shots of the crew on the U.S. Air Force jet plane.

STANLEYVILLE

- LS : High angle of a portion of Stanleyville.
- MLS : General Alexander alighting from the plane at Stanleyville Airport.
- MLS : Ghanaian troops alighting from plane at Stanleyville.
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- MCU : Officers of the Ghana Army holding talks with officials at Stanleyville.

SCENE 3

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STANLEYVILLE

- LS : Mr. Kasavubu and Mr. Lummumba's party arriving by ferry at Stanleyville after visiting the 5th Battalion of the Congolese army.
- MLS : Various shots as they get into car and drive off. On the right is the Prime Minister Mr. Lummumba and on the left is the President, Mr. Kasavubu.
- MCU : Mr. Lummumba and Mr. Kasavubu having discussions with other officials before addressing the crowd.
- CU : Of Mr. Lummumba (Prime Minister)
- CU : Of Mr. Kasavubu (President)
- CU : Of the Djin (Ghana's Ambassador to the Congo Republic)
- MLS : Two shots of crowd cheering and shouting "Uhuru" meaning Freedom.
- MLS : Various shots as the Prime Minister, Mr. Lummumba addresses the crowd. Governor's
- MLS : As they drive away to the ~~Governor's~~ House to receive Major-General Alexander, Ghana's Chief of Defence Staff and officer who took the troop to Stanleyville.

Notes for Scenes 2 & 3

Upon the request of the Congolese government, Ghanaian troops were sent to Stanleyville from Leopoldville, a distance of about 1,000 miles. The President and the Prime Minister of the Republic, Mr. Kasavubu and Mr. Lummumba were then on

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a visit to the 5th Battalion of the Congolese army at Stanleyville. They went by ferry to the camp and on their way back, Mr. Lummumba addressed the natives (of Stanleyville) before receiving Major-General Alexander at the Governor's House at Stanleyville. Mr. Djin, Ghana's Ambassador to the Congo accompanied the President and the Prime Minister on their visit.

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President
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