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PALESTINES FLEET ST GUTTED

Jerusalems night sky is ablase of light as the cities most modern building goes up in flames. A lorry load of explosives, alleged to have been planted by terrioists, sets fire to the offices of the Palestine Post. Next morning Palestines Fleet Street looks like a battle area, damage is estimated at £50,000, casualties I killed and 20 injured. Yet this is but a small incident in troubled Palestine. Reports come in daily of more killing, British, Arab and Jewish lives are lost. May 15th is the date set for the end of the mandate.