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CAIRO, March 30 — Egypt charged today that Israeli forces had provoked a two-hour exchange of mortar and machine-gun fire across the armistice demarcation line in the Gaza area in which one Egyptian soldier was wounded.

Egyptian authorities filed the complaint with the Egyptian-Israeli Mixed Armistice Commission and asked that it be considered at an emergency meeting. They were informed by the commission that Israel had filed a virtually identical complaint on the same incident and also had requested emergency action.

According to a spokesman of the Palestine Department of the Egyptian Army, a routine Egyptian patrol moving along the Egyptian side of the demarcation line ten miles south of Gaza was fired on.

Zionists Deplore U. N. Action

The American Zionist Council deplored yesterday the joint resolution of the United Nations Security Council in condemning Israel for the Gaza attack. Rabbi Irving Miller, chairman of the Council, which embraces eight Zionist groups with a combined membership of 750,000, asserted that the Security Council's condemnation of Israel "will only serve to encourage the Egyptian Government and other Arab states allied with it in their intransigence toward Israel and in continuing their armed incursions into Israel territory."

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