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### BRITAIN SEES RENEWED ARAB-ISRAEL WAR IF BRITISH TROOPS LEAVE JORDAN

LONDON, July 30. (JTA) -- The fear that a collapse in Jordan might bring about an attempt on the part of Israel to enter the section of Palestine now held by Jordan to strengthen its own border positions was expressed in British circles here today.

This feeling, it was indicated, was conveyed by the British Government to Secretary of State John Foster Dulles during his brief stay in London this week. It was presented as an argument against withdrawing U.S. troops from Lebanon while British troops remain in Jordan.

Reports in the press here today said that British Prime Minister Harold Macmillan told Secretary Dulles that American troops must remain in Lebanon as long as the British troops remain in Jordan, otherwise the possibility exists of a renewed Israel-Arab war.

The anti-Israel speech delivered yesterday in the House of Lords by Lord Attlee, former British Prime Minister in the Labor government, evoked considerable criticism today in Labor Party circles. Lord Attlee urged Britain to stand firm on its position with regard to Israel and said that from the point of view of purely British interests the creation of Israel was an erroneous policy. However, he added that since the Jewish State did exist, Britain could not allow Israel "to be swept away."

### Italy to Propose "Freezing" of Israel's Borders with Guarantees

LONDON, July 30. (JTA) -- A proposal for the "freezing" of Israel in its present territorial confines and an attempt to guarantee these borders, though without the extension of specific guarantees, will be put before British Premier Harold Macmillan and Foreign Secretary Selwyn Lloyd by Italian Premier Amintore Fanfani, Friday, diplomatic circles here reported today.

Premier Fanfani is currently in Washington conferring with Secretary of State John Foster Dulles on the Middle East. He has already met with French Foreign Minister Maurice Couve de Murville and is scheduled to confer next week with Bonn Chancellor Konrad Adenauer.

### Golda Meir Due in Paris Sunday; To Confer with French Premier

PARIS, July 30. (JTA) -- Mrs. Golda Meir, Israel's Foreign Minister, is scheduled to confer with Premier Charles de Gaulle and French Foreign Minister Maurice Couve de Murville August 5, it was announced here today. Mrs. Meir is expected in Paris Sunday.

The exchange of views on the Middle East and the forthcoming summit conference between the French and Israeli statesmen was originally scheduled to be held this week, but Mrs. Meir became ill and her trip here was delayed.

(In Sydney, I. Dover, Israel's Charge d'Affaires, conferred with Richard G. Casey, Australian Minister for External Affairs, on current Middle East developments. Mr. Dover would not comment on the scope of the talks.)

### Eban Returns to Washington from Consultations in Europe

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y., July 30. (JTA) -- Israel Ambassador Abba Eban head of the Israeli delegation to the United Nations, returned today from consultations with the Israeli ambassadors in London and in Paris. He proceeded immediately to Washington. It is not expected that he will resume his planned vacation in Israel while the present crisis in the Middle East is the center of world attention.

Mordecai R. Kidron, deputy chairman of the Israel delegation here, will leave New York tonight for Bangkok, Thailand, where he will be the new Israeli Ambassador. En route, Mr. Kidron will stop in Jerusalem for consultations with members of his government. Mr. Kidron will return here temporarily in September to serve on the Israel delegation to the General Assembly.

## JEWISH AGENCY TO DISCUSS DR. GOLDMANN'S ATTENDING CABINET MEETINGS

JERUSALEM, July 30. (JTA) -- A proposal that the president of the World Zionist Organization shall have the right to raise problems of mutual interest to Israel and the Zionist movement before the Cabinet of Israel, has been readied by a special drafting committee of the Zionist Actions Committee, it was learned here today. The Jewish Agency executive is scheduled to discuss the drafting committee's recommendations tonight.

Israel Premier David Ben Gurion is reported willing to accept the committee's proposal with several conditions: Cabinet approval in principle of a discussion of the matter to be raised by the WZO president, and that the president would be present at a Cabinet session only if he had been invited to attend.

## U. S. UNDERSTANDING OF ISRAEL'S PROBLEMS GROWING, MRS. HALPRIN REPORTS

TEL AVIV, July 30. (JTA) -- There is a much better understanding in Washington these days of Israel's problems, including the Jewish State's needs in the current Middle East crisis, Mrs. Rose Halprin, acting chairman of the Jewish Agency executive in New York, declared here today upon her arrival from the U.S.

Mrs. Halprin, who came to attend a Jewish Agency plenary session in Jerusalem, expressed the opinion that the executive ought to proceed with consideration of the scheduled agenda and not spend its time and energies on a discussion of the latest Middle East developments. Replying to a question from newsmen, she said that world Jewry was always on the alert and united around Israel whatever happens.

## SEN. FLANDERS "WARNS" JEWS IN VIOLENT ANTI-ISRAEL SPEECH IN SENATE

WASHINGTON, July 30. (JTA) -- Sen. Ralph E. Flanders, Vermont Republican, today made a violent new attack on Israel and said that unless Jews make concessions to the Arabs "such a wave of anti-Semitism as the Jewish race has never faced will sweep, not only this country, but the world."

Sen. Flanders told the Senate that assassination of pro-Western Arab leaders will continue "so long as the Western nations appear as the champions of Zionism." He alleged that Israel is becoming a "loaded time bomb" which under a Zionist world program is bent on "ingathering of the Jews from all over the earth" into a territory of only 7,984 square miles.

The Senator claimed he is personally not anti-Semitic but is "pro-Semitic." He said that since the West refused to recognize Arab views on Israel, any pro-Western Arab leader is a target for assassination. He called attention to the murder of King Feisal of Iraq and Premier Nuri es-Said of that country. He also blamed Israel in connection with yesterday's attempt on the life of Premier Sami el-Solh of Lebanon.

"This situation will continue so long as the Western nations appear as the champions of Zionism," he declared. "Any foreign policy which subjects our friends to assassination needs revision. Why don't we revise?" His views today brought to a climax his series of anti-Israel speeches which have increased in intensity since the Iraqi coup d'etat on July 14.

## NASSERISM WILL LEAD TO ARAB-ISRAEL WAR, AMERICAN EXPERT WARNS

WASHINGTON, July 30. (JTA) -- Nasserism must be stopped because it will lead to a war between the Arabs and Israel which under the present circumstances "would probably expand into a world war," according to Dr. Robert Strausz-Hupe, director of the Foreign Policy Research Institute of the University of Pennsylvania.

Writing in the current issue of "U.S. News and World Report," Dr. Strausz-Hupe warns that an Arab-Israel war could not be isolated. The real root of the trouble in the Middle East, this foreign policy authority declared, is in Cairo. "Nasser is the revolutionary factor in the Middle East and I cannot see any other solution except through his elimination."

All of Col. Nasser's gains to date, he continued, "must be credited to the concrete help and diplomatic leverage of his Soviet connection." He warned against being misled by suggestions that Nasser is seeking to free himself from Moscow, and described the Nasser-Tite meeting as "largely a blind."

Col. Nasser, "like Hitler and Mussolini, thrives on dynamism--he must keep on winning. As soon as you stop him energetically, to a large extent you diminish his domestic support. Nasser is domestically very weak." As preventive action to stop the United Arab Republic President, Dr. Strausz-Hupe suggested the re-establishment of the "independence of Lebanon and Iraq."

The suggestion that the United States should give additional security guarantees to Israel in the light of present developments in the Middle East was made in the New York Times today by C. L. Sulzberger, the paper's political correspondent. He also suggested that the United States should acknowledge Russia's right to a voice in Middle Eastern affairs.

# CABINET MEMBERS MAY URGE EISENHOWER TO VETO SLAUGHTER BILL

WASHINGTON, July 30. (JTA) -- President Eisenhower will veto a controversial humane slaughter bill passed last night by the Senate, it was predicted today by Chairman Allen Ellender of the Senate Agriculture Committee.

White House sources, however, said the President would not make a final decision until the bill in its final form arrives on his desk. It was noted, however, that at least two members of the Cabinet may urge a veto. They are the Secretaries of Agriculture and Defense who have reservations on the desirability of the legislation.

The final passage came on a roll-call vote of 72 to 9. Earlier the Senate turned down by a roll-call vote of 43 to 40, the Agriculture's Committee version, which called for a two-year study of the matter. The study bill was backed by the Administration. The measure now goes to the House, which passed a similar measure, for consideration of Senate amendments. The bills forbid Federal agencies from buying meat products from any livestock processors who fail to comply with specified standards of humane slaughter.

Sen. Hubert H. Humphrey, Minnesota Democrat who led the fight for the humane slaughter measure, said he saw little danger of a Presidential veto. He thought President Eisenhower would sign the bill "because the President is a very humane man." Before it reaches the White House, action must be taken by the House of Representatives. That body must either accept Senate amendments or send the bill to a Senate-House conference committee.

## Meat Industry Charged with Introducing a Jewish Religious Issue

Senate sources said today that the meat industry sought to inject a Jewish religious issue to block the bill which requires meat packers selling to the government to use specified humane methods.

Arguments against the bill were aired yesterday on the Senate floor citing Orthodox Jewish views. The Orthodox group felt the measure might interfere with Shechita and undermine traditional religious freedom. But testimony of other Jewish groups was introduced holding that recognition by the original bill of Shechita as a humane method was satisfactory.

Sen. Jacob K. Javits, New York Republican, offered an amendment exempting not only ritual slaughter, which is accepted as humane, from the bill but also the "handling" of animals in preparation for slaughter. He said Orthodox Jews felt strongly on safeguarding Shechita because of "the effort made under the Nazis to suppress Jewish life and practice through the suppression of ritualistic slaughter."

However, Sen. Wayne Morse, Oregon Democrat, said the Javits exemption would give the impression that the Senate is asking some sort of exemption to humane slaughter. "We could perform no greater disservice to Orthodox Jewry than to let the legislation go through in that fashion," he said, adding that "basic in Jewish faith is humaneness to the dumb beast."

But the Javits amendment was approved, as was one by Sen. Clifford Case, New Jersey Republican, which said that nothing in the bill shall be construed as interfering with religious freedom.

## Reform and Conservative Jewish Groups See No Danger to Shechita

In support of the bill, Sen. Humphrey introduced before the Senate a letter from former Senator Herbert H. Lehman of New York. Mr. Lehman said the bill with "adequate protection for Jewish ritual slaughter" and certain modification "not only represents no real threat to the sensibilities of my faith, but is, indeed, consistent with the objectives of humaneness which are honored in the Jewish faith and tradition as well as in others."

During the Senate debate, Sen. Humphrey quoted a statement by Rutherford T. Phillips, executive director of the American Humane Association. Mr. Phillips expressed surprise at Orthodox Jewish opposition and said "their fears are completely groundless."

Also introduced by Sen. Humphrey was a communication by Jewish groups to Rep. W. R. Poage, Texas Democrat, sponsor of the bill passed by the House and Senate. The communication, from Reform and Conservative groups, supported the bill in that it specifically recognized the Jewish ritual method slaughter as humane and lawful.

Sen. Frank J. Lausche, Ohio Democrat, told the Senate: "We would be treading upon dangerous ground if in any way we were to imply that compliance by the Jewish people with their ritual was tantamount to cruelty to animals, or to anyone else. We must begin with the premise that what they have done is in conformity with goodness, and with gentle treatment of living things, and that their religion has been founded on that basis."

He said he would oppose any measure that considered Jewish ritual inhumane "having in mind the historic background of their ritual, which contemplates men of god character, of cleanliness, of decency, and men with a sense of protection toward the things which they destroy for food."

As approved, the Senate measure would become effective June 30, 1960. The House version calls for the legislation to take effect December 31, 1959.

## BAVARIAN PROSECUTOR WILL NOT FACE TRIAL FOR PERMITTING NAZI TO ESCAPE

LONDON, July 30. (JTA) -- Legal proceedings against Bavarian prosecutor W. von Decker for dereliction of duty in allowing a Nazi war criminal to slip through his hands were quashed today when it was decided by his superiors that it was "highly improbable" that he had been bribed to allow Dr. Hans Eisele to escape.

Dr. Eisele, a concentration camp director who killed an crippled many camp inmates under the guise of medical "experiments," escaped to Cairo where he has asked the United Arab Republic to grant him asylum from "political persecution."

After Dr. Eisele's flight on the eve of his arrest, it became known that Herr von Decker had known some of the details of the doctor's crimes since 1955 but had taken no action against him.

## MOSCOW PUBLICATION CARRIES ISRAELI LETTER OF "GRATITUDE" TO SOVIET GOVT

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y., July 30. (JTA) -- Two Israelis, whose names are given as Dr. Klinger and Ruth Lubich, express their "gratitude to the Supreme Soviet" of the U. S. S. R. for "the historic unilateral decision to put an end to nuclear weapons tests in the Soviet Union," according to a letter in a leading Soviet magazine distributed here today by the Russian delegation to the United Nations. The two signers are identified as president and secretary, respectively, of an Israeli organization whose title is not given in the letter.

The letter appeared in "Soviet Woman," a monthly magazine published in Moscow in Russian, English and seven other languages. The Supreme Soviet is congratulated, in the letter, "on behalf of thousands of Israeli women and children." According to the letter, "our organization takes an active part in the struggle against the testing and use of nuclear weapons." The organization is reported by the writers to have "collected nearly 20,000 signatures to a petition to the Israeli parliament, urging it to support the demand of the peace-loving forces that nuclear weapon tests be stopped at once."

## AMERICAN INDUSTRIALISTS ESTABLISH THREE NEW PLANTS IN ISRAEL

NEW YORK, July 30. (JTA) -- The American-Israel Chamber of Commerce today announced that arrangements for the establishment in Israel of a \$1,000,000 plant for glass products by an American manufacturer were completed earlier this month. The American industrialist, whose name was not given, was assisted and guided by the American-Israel Chamber of Commerce throughout the various phases of discussion and negotiation that led to the signing of the final agreements, the announcement said. The plans received the full support of Israel's Investments Center, and the Center's representative in the U. S. accompanied the industrialist on his trip to Israel to facilitate the comprehensive arrangements.

Another American plant in Israel, whose construction has been completed, started production. It is the Middle East's only plant for instant coffee which will be marketed in Israel as well as exported under the Elite trade mark. The plant is a joint venture of Elite Ltd., Israel's leading manufacturer of chocolates and candies, and the Sol Cafe Manufacturing Corporation of New York.

Construction was also started at Ashdod of a plant which will manufacture the full line of the cosmetic products of the Revlon Products Corporation of New York. At the initial stage, \$500,000 are being invested in the plant, but when fully completed the investment will total \$2,500,000, a major part of which will be provided by the Israel Government from the country's development budget. The cosmetic products, whose Israel trade name will be 'Marlon,' will be exported under exclusive arrangements with Revlon to some 19 countries.

## FIRST SETTLEMENT IN RECLAIMED HULEH SWAMP OPENED BY YOUTH GROUP

TEL AVIV, July 30. (JTA) -- The first settlement on newly reclaimed land of the former Huleh swamp was inaugurated yesterday at Tel Zammul in the northeastern corner of the development region. A United Nations observation post on the Israel-Syrian border was formerly located on the settlement site.

The settlers are members of Nahal, a paramilitary youth organization whose members are trained to farm and to defend themselves. Named Notera--"watchman"--the settlement has vast fertile lands linked by road with nearby settlements. A waterline brings sufficient water for personal use and the planting of vegetables.

## FIRST REVISIONIST SPORT FESTIVAL STARTS IN ISRAEL; U. S. GROUP PRESENT

TEL AVIV, July 30. (JTA) -- The first Betariada, sports festival sponsored by the Revisionist youth movement Betar, opened here today with some 700 young people in attendance.

Among the delegates were small groups from the United States, South Africa, Turkey, Australia, Belgium, Brazil, Argentina and Mexico. The six-day meet was opened with the ceremonial presentation of a torch which had been lit at the grave of the late Vladimir Jabotinsky, Revisionist leader who was buried in New York.