

# EXILED EL MUFTI PLOTS HOLY LAND REIGN OF TERROR

### Controls Arab Brigands Who Roam Palestine Hills — Builds Up Well-Financed Gang Following Hide-Out

JERUSALEM—(AP)—Haj Amin Esfendi Al Hussein, Palestine's exiled El Mufti, sits in a big house in Al-Zok, near Beirut, and stirs the Arab world with a long-handled spoon.

Reliable reports from Beirut say he has built up as well-financed an organization as he had before he stole away from Palestine last October, after hiding from the British authorities in the holy Mosque of Omar.

The Beirut stories tell of a flow of money to the house of Al-Zok, as the Mufti holds his court and carries on — by remote control — the continuing terrorist activities in Palestine, where a royal commission is trying to shape a new partition plan.

They Couldn't Agree The first scheme for dividing Palestine into Arab, Jewish and British-mandated states pleased nobody.

For almost two months the commission, headed by Sir John Woodhead, has been interviewing government officials, private individuals and official representatives of the Jewish Agency, all in secret session. Arabs have refused to appear.

Meanwhile British troops are trying to keep the Mufti's terrorists on the run. Late in May thousands of soldiers moved secretly into the Galilee and Samaria districts, cutting a swath right down the center of Palestine, to keep the terrorists out of the villages and force them further north in order to eject them completely.

Construction of an electrified wire fence along the Lebanon, Syria and Palestine borders is proceeding rapidly to keep terrorists out.

Anti-British Plotting Not only does Haj Amin control the Arab brigands who roam the Palestine hills, but he has begun to take an active part in Syrian, Iraqi and even Egyptian affairs.

One report tells of a meeting at Haj Amin's house at which it was decided to allocate \$25,000 for the purpose of fomenting anti-British and anti-Jewish propaganda in the Arab press in Arab countries; to establish new propaganda centers in Baghdad, Moscow and Bazaar; and to bring pressure to bear on the government of Iraq and Saudi Arabia to take a more active interest in Palestine.

From his house in Al-Zok messengers go out over the Arab world to buy arms and ammunition, to recruit brigands, and to stir up trouble against the British.

Frontiers Kept Open There are stories which purport to give evidence that the funds at the Mufti's command are ample to keep the Syrian and Turkish frontiers open to get money, arms and ammunition into the Palestine hills, as well as to give himself a certain immunity.

Modern arms, such as light machine guns, automatic revolvers, and Belgian and Czechoslovakian rifles, usually are brought in by the sea route from European countries to Syrian or Lebanese shores. Some are smuggled into Palestine in small fishing smacks.

Rumor says the Mufti gets most of his money from India and Germany. The Italian funds he is believed to have received seem to have been cut off by the Anglo-Italian agreement.

Leaders Are Few Lack of men who really can lead has handicapped the brigands, but of late, the full force of the Mufti's terror has been turned upon the vacillating Arab in Palestine, for Haj Amin does not want the partition commission to think a single Arab might be in favor of the scheme to divide the Holy Land.

Thus the Mufti, in exile, has built up for himself the most coveted position in the Arab world today. The French will not arrest him, declining to provoke an Arab uprising in North Africa; the local Syrian and Lebanese authorities will not touch him, because he has wormed his way into the higher circles.

He will be the man of the hour if Arab independence should become a reality in part or all of Palestine or if there should be a federation of Arab states.

# "Guess Who" Contest Ends Today



NO. 25

Last of the photographs in the Mail Tribune's "Guess Who" contest is published today.

Inquiries received by the Mail Tribune and talk heard about town show that the contest has attracted wide interest and provided a great deal of fun.

It was apparently easy to guess the identity of most of the persons pictured in the series of 25 photographs but there were a few sticklers.

Saturday, July 30 is the last day for receiving solutions to the contest. The solutions must be brought to the Mail Tribune office before midnight on Saturday, July 30 or mailed in time to be post-marked not later than Saturday, July 30. Solutions received or post-marked after July 30 will not count.

A coupon to be used in giving the solution of the contest is printed today for the convenience of contestants. A separate sheet of paper may be used if preferred. Names of the persons pictured in the contest series should be numbered in correspondence to the numbers on each of the photographs. The names and addresses of the contestants should be written plainly, preferably typed or printed.

Announcement of the winners will be made as soon as possible. Prizes are \$8, \$5 and \$2. In case of duplications, drawings will be held to determine the winners.

## "Guess Who" Contest Answers

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Contestant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_

### Pool of Rum Wins

CLEVELAND (UP)—A swimming pool filled with rum, \$10,000 in cash, and an invitation to hold their 1939 convention in San Juan, Porto Rico, were offered to the Reserve Officers' association of the United States, convening here, by the island delegation. It was accepted.

South Dakota was admitted to the union in 1889.

Eight out of 100 men are color blind, and five out of 100 women.

# PLEASURE SPOTS OF FOREST KEPT OPEN FOR PUBLIC

The following recreational bulletin was issued today by Rogue River national forest headquarters:

"All roads and campgrounds in the Rogue River national forest are open. There are no fires in this forest which will in any way interfere with public use. There has been considerable misunderstanding about this because of the prevalence of smoke, which is coming from other fires.

"Because of the smoke, which interferes with lookouts' ability to detect fires, we especially request forest users to be particularly careful with fire and otherwise. There should be no hesitancy about going to any part of the forest. Many cool camp sites are available for your use.

"The use of the Rogue River national forest by recreationists is dependent upon the cooperation of the public in preventing forest fires. No closure is contemplated as long as man-caused fires do not occur or when public safety is not endangered.

"Fishing conditions remain fair in most streams, including the middle fork of the Applegate, Elliott creek, Carberry creek and the Big Applegate. The few catches from these streams have been taken with grasshoppers, worms and various flies. Fair catches are reported from the Seven Lakes country, with some very large eastern brook trout taken from Grass Lake with flies. The trail into Seven Lakes is almost free from snow at this time, but there are still drifts in the basin.

"Fishing continued fair in the middle fork and south fork of the Rogue river. Good catches have been taken from Blue Canyon lakes by those who are familiar with the conditions of that area. Fourmile lake is giving good fishing with mostly rainbow and silverhead being taken. Fish lake is poor right now and Lake o' Woods is only fair with mostly perch being caught. The Sky lakes are good, but the mosquitoes are bad. Lake Harriette is reported as having poor fishing and numerous mosquitoes.

"This week-end a Chevrolet picnic is being held at McKee campground in the Applegate. A new group of 75-80 club members are going to Lake o' Woods for a week of camping. The White Pine picnic area at Lake o' Woods is available to groups and organizations for picnics if advance arrangements or reservations are made with the ranger station there.

## 31 3-4 CENTS IS TOP IN OGDEN WOOL SALE

OGDEN, Utah, July 22—(AP)—The opening trading at the Merrion and Wilkins three-day wool sale yesterday brought a top price of 31 3/4 cents per pound.

Thirty-five out of 83 offered lots were sold. A total of 308,400 pounds of wool passed under the gavel at an average price of 21.33 cents. Prices ranged from 18 1/2 to 31 3/4 cents a pound.

The top price compared with 28 cents a pound at the Merrion and Wilkins sale in Denver. The largest purchaser was Winterbottom and Brown, Boston topmakers, who took 134,000 pounds.

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