

Palestine Issue Points Up Long History Of War Between Arab-Jew Legions

WASHINGTON—Stories about Arabs and Jews can't write a final peace for Palestine after months of truce and negotiations have an ancient ring. Those two nations, next-door neighbors and cousins, members of one of the oldest families on earth, have lived in a kind of armed truce with each other all through the ages—except when they were actually fighting.

It all began in the time of Abraham, about 4000 years ago. The lore of both nations relates that Abraham was the father of both Arabs and Jews. One of Abraham's sons was Jacob, whom the angel named

Israel, and the Jews claim descent from him. He settled down in his father's country, which is roughly the interior of the present state of Israel.

Abraham's eldest son was Ishmael, and he is reputed to be the ancestor of the Arabians. He left his father's land to raise his family in the desert country east of the Jordan river. Israel's sons settled down in towns and cities and took pride in scholarship and the building of permanent structures such as the Temple of Jerusalem. Ishmael's sons just wandered, camped by the oases, led their flocks hither and yon to follow the grass where it was green.

In the Old Testament you read repeatedly of bloody contacts between the Israelites and the nomads to the east. It is quite clear that by the time of the prophet Nehemiah (5th Century B.C.) the Israelites regarded their cousins across the Jordan as barbarous and untutored yokels and robbers.

Despite having the same blood and a language with the same-Semitic-root, they have gone their separate ways all through the ages. The same enemies threatened and overpowered them, time after time, but they never tamed up for common defense. The only time you read about an Arab and Jew fighting on the same side is when an Arab army helps out one Jewish faction which is busy beating the life out of another set of Jews.

Assyrians, Babylonians and Persians picked off the Israelites and Arabs, one at a time. Greeks and Romans took over all of Israel and solved control of the caravan routes of the Arabs. In one of Israel's final, desperate battles against Rome, the attack by Titus in 70 A. D., an Arabian leader looted Titus' 1000 horses and 5000 foot soldiers.

With the Mohammedan sweep across most of the Mediterranean world in the seventh and eighth centuries Arabians became the masters of Palestine and of Jewish colonies in the lands they conquered. Under Islam the Jews didn't fare too badly. Although the prophet's policy was to slay all persons who did not embrace the faith, he made an exception, of which many Jews took advantage. They could retain their own faith and still live if they paid a generous poll tax and were "reduced low"—accepting a kind of second-class citizenship. Actually,

Scientists Study Ancient Flora, Fauna

LOS ANGELES (AP)—On Cape San Lucas, the southernmost extremity of Lower California, exists one of the last strongholds of the flora and fauna which perhaps characterized Southern California several millenniums ago. Slowly retreating from aridity and other factors, this semi-tropical area contains plant and animal life that furnish an important link with the past.

Two UCLA biologists, Charles Lowe, Jr., and Kenneth Norris, are on an expedition to gather plant and animal specimens in the area. The expedition is being sponsored jointly by the university and the Point Springs desert museum.

The zoologists report that distribution of the animals alone may tell a rather complete story about the climatic changes that have taken place in southern California over a period of many years. The fact that the same species exist in isolated areas in various latitudes along the coast indicates that the arid regions in between have only been formed.

Foot Trouble Big Menace In Cattle Raising

Farmers can help prevent the loss of cattle production which results from foot troubles by helping to remove some of the causes such as:

- Animals stepping on each other's feet during shipment, setting up irritation which develops into infection.
- Bruising between the toes when cows step on rocks buried under mud.
- Animals standing in poorly-drained, uncleaned barn lots.
- Wire cuts, or foreign bodies which lodge in the hoof.
- Irritation and puncture wounds when cattle are pastured on recently mowed, coarse forage crops.
- Screw worm damage.
- Intravenous injections of certain medicines now help to correct foul foot infection in most cases, according to research by a group of southern veterinarians which was quoted this week by the Foundation. However, removal of conditions which cause the trouble is the best solution of the problem, authorities said.

Indians Raid Village In Brazil

RIO DE JANEIRO, July 7 (AP)—Naked savage Indians have terrorized two settlements in a little explored northern region of Brazil, it was reported here Wednesday.

Armando Correa, secretary of state of Para province, reported by telephone that a man and woman were killed by Indians who attacked Tucuruí on the Tocantins railroad line.

Correa said police detachments have arrived at Tucuruí and Timbóral, also under attack earlier, and that the situation is under control.

The department of Indian affairs said the Indians resent the intrusion of the rail line.

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many Jews became prominent statesmen, bankers and scholars under the Islamic rule.

One reason the Jews and Arabs never joined in a common front probably was that they were never in the ascendancy at the same time. When Israel was relatively strong, in the times of David and Solomon, and later of the Hasmonians, the Arabs were a nebulous people, capable of no sustained military campaign.

After the Romans razed Jerusalem in A.D. 135, the land was actual-

ly plowed under, and only a few thousand Jews remained alive in Israel.

Only the Mohammedans—the Arabs—were strong when the Crusaders invaded Palestine. It was the Mohammedans who finally drove the Crusaders out. The Jews were still inconsiderable in the later major invasions—by the Mamluks of Egypt, the Mongols, the Ottoman Turks and, finally, the allied forces in World War I. Israel and Arabs are now more nearly equal in strength than ever before.

Seasonal Employment Gains In Many Industries Shown

Seasonal employment gains in construction, food processing and lumbering continued for the fourth payments to those without work to \$1,113,838 but still 38.6 per cent higher than a year ago, the state unemployment compensation commission reported today.

Payments to those usually employed in the seasonal industries dropped to less than a sixth of the peak February totals, while others declined only 50 per cent. During the first half of 1949 nearly 60 per cent of Oregon checks went to those in food processing, construction and lumbering—more than was received by these same groups in 1948 and 1947 combined.

Exhaustions of benefit rights for the 1948-9 year also helped to reduce June payments by \$358,414 or 23.4 per cent below May. Of 1060,878

Grasshoppers Invade Garden

Some of the homeowners living in the Hot Springs district and others living on the fringes of Klamath Falls have been reporting damage to gardens by infestations of small grasshoppers. These hoppers probably hatch out on adjacent hills and vacant lots.

Several materials are available for control of these grasshoppers. Two insecticides in widespread use are toxaphene and chlordane. They can be used in either a spray or dust form. The old reliable, DDT can also be used, although it may not give the results that can be expected when using either of the other two insecticides.

Control measures may be taken when the hoppers are causing apparent damage. The pests are most easily killed when very young. Control is more difficult after they are grown and have wings.

Precautions need to be taken to keep the insecticides off of edible vegetables and fruits.

who filed state claims in the past year, 19,755 drew the entire amount to which they were entitled, while more than 27,000 failed to receive one check.

New claims for the 1949-50 benefit year—which starts with the first week of July—have reached 12,189, nearly 40 per cent more than a year ago. About 45 per cent of the new claimants are from the seasonal groups.

During the period just ended, the state paid \$12,905,908 to covered workers—an increase of 66.4 per cent over the previous year's total of \$7,753,773. In the past 12 months \$7,543,301 in readjustment allowances went to unemployed veterans—also higher than for any similar period except for the first year after the war.

The number of unemployed receiving checks the last week of June was 12,308, a decrease of 2,111 or 14.6 per cent from the last week of May. Of 4,321 veterans getting readjustment allowances, about 40 per cent were expected to be without wage credits for 1948, which means that they will be unable to qualify for state payments when and if the G-I program is allowed to expire by Congress.

Inland Empire Harvest Starts

SPOKANE, July 7 (AP)—Wheat harvest has started in scattered areas of the inland empire, county agents in the region said Wednesday.

Harvest is under way in the Ruff region of Grant county, the Odessa area of Lincoln county and the western part of Adams county.

Some wheat and a few green peas also have been harvested in Whitman county.

Most districts report average yields.

One farmer plowed under frost-damaged peas in Lathah county, Idaho, the county agent's office in Moscow said. The Lathah wheat harvest will not start for another two weeks.

SHE HOPES
SAN PEDRO, Calif., July 7 (AP)—There's a silver fox languishing in the city pound today, and unless someone claims him, Miss Regina Johnson is going to have a fur neck-piece.

Miss Johnson, a dentist's assistant, came to work yesterday and found the fox sitting in her chair. Maybe he needed some work done on his teeth, Miss Johnson didn't bother to look.

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