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Shalom laYehudim, Shalom laBnai Noach, Shalom laGoyim. It is the evening of the 2nd, *kaf-alef beSivan*, Parashas Korach, *tav-shin-ayin-vav*, the evening of the 1st day, Sunday, 26 June 2016, webcasting from the hills of Yehuda, fourth son of Jacob-Israel, whose seed lived here thousands of years before there was a London or a Paris or a Brussels.

So this Jew in Judea, yours truly, awoke on Friday to the early news that the Brits had voted to leave the EU. Made my day.

And as Evelyn Gordon on the Commentary Magazine website wrote, there is significance in the coincidence between that rejection of the EU last Thursday in the UK balloting, as simultaneously in the EU Parliament it played host to Mahmoud Abbas, a Holocaust Denier as starkers as David Irving, a Jew-hater right out of the Middle Ages alleging Jews were poisoning wells and engaging in massacres the likes of which the world had never seen. Voting to the leave the EU means, among other things, no longer being a party to the chronic antiJewitis that the Continentals can't seem to shake.

Voting to leave EU was overwhelmingly less a UK vote than an English one. Scotland and Northern Ireland now want out of the UK. They all voted to remain; it was England that wants out in order to preserve England whose language and culture is so different from that of the Islam that has taken up residence in that country big time and aspires to swallow up England and turn it into a Muslim country.

If the vote had gone the other way, the English would have been voting to allow some of the millions of Muslims who have invaded Germany in the last year to take up residence in England and, as per EU statute, the English would have to provide

them with welfare support, education and medical care, for as long as they might need it.

The EU in practice, if not theory, has become a government powerful enough to control people's lives, with the people having no control over these unelected bureaucrats. The EU for the English had become an alien dictator imposing on them an alien culture.

The English have also done it to themselves, by the way, by respecting sharia legislation.

But now, one hopes, the English have put their collective, patriotic foot down and will tell Islam this far and no further. Indeed, the time has come to roll back what gains England allowed the Muslims to have by respecting sharia in certain aspects of their lives.

There is an abyss between Judeo-Christian culture in the West and in Islam, starting with its fostering of polygamy, which social norm generates a raft of social pathologies.

Islam produces men like Mahmoud Abbas who was applauded in the EU during his speech in which he accused rabbis of ordering the poisoning of wells and massacres committed by settlers and soldiers against poor, poor "Palestinians."

Then again, this is Europe, and the English must always not identify with Europe, one of whose deficits is its chronic bouts of antiJew obsession. Take that gathering in Paris at the beginning of the month entitled by its French organizers *Initiative pour la paix au proche orient*, the Initiative for Peace in the Near East. Makor Rishon ran a picture of the group picture of attendees, 24 men and 4 women, representing 28 countries summoned by the French to discuss an international peace conference in order to settle the Israel-Palestinian Conflict by the end of the year.

It was a picture of the usual in such gatherings: ten people standing on the floor facing the camera and two more lines of them on risers in back, like a choir. There in the front row was John Kerry standing next to Federica Mogherini of the EU; in the middle was Francois Hollande, next to him Ban Ki Noon.

You look at this picture and can imagine what a workday is for these people. Chatting with one another, staying in five-star hotels and eating at the best restaurants in Paris, and all because all 28 of these nations sent their foreign ministers to agree that the Israeli-Palestinian conflict must be solved and the Two-State Solution is the way to go.

And as irritatingly reprehensible as these gentiles who gather like this in agreement that a half-million Jews must be driven from their homes, one can be thankful for the progress and evolution in world history when it comes to us Jews and these Europeans. I mean, in centuries past, there would be courts of Catholic priests, bishops and cardinals in their red robes condemning Jews to torture and being burnt at the stake and having all their worldly possessions confiscated by the Church, sometimes leaving behind a homeless widow and children.

Today, though, they gather to think about, to dream about, but not actually carry out, the expulsion of a half-million Jews from homes they have every right to live in.

That is the meaning of the Two-State Solution according to the Arabs. I myself remember watching Hanan Ashrawi in 1993 commenting on the signing on the White House Lawn of the alleged peace treaty who said there will be no peace so long as even one Israeli and one Israeli settlement remains in the “occupied territories.”

Here were these foreign ministers from 28 countries gathered to pursue a course of action for the world’s only Jewish state, when these same countries never gather like this to pressure other countries to do this or do that. These same 28 never gathered in Paris to, say, help end the Russia-Crimea conflict or and the Russia-Ukraine conflict. No conference is held to dictate to the Chinese to get out of Tibet.

Why is this so? In commentary about the visits to the EU parliament by Abbas and Israeli President Rivlin last week, the Europeans were reported to be mostly concerned about the continuation of construction in the settlements – which is legal, by the way, according to the Oslo text - and the Knesset law clamping down on the NGOs inside of Israel manned by antiJew Israelis and funded by antiJews abroad. The Europeans say this is an offense against democracy, this attempt to monitor and control Israeli NGOs, which is a nonsensical accusation. It is the exercise of democracy, the power of the demos/people who defend itself from antiJew Jews within and antiJew goyim overseas, governments and NGOs that funnel money into the country to these traitors.

In other words, these Europeans remain addicted to their hostility to Jews. Thank G-d it is not acted out as it was during, say, the Inquisition, but it is still there in such civilized venues as this conference in Paris of these genteel, gentile diplomats socializing and complaining about the greedy Jews who won’t hand over land they stole from the “Palestinians.”

A millennium in the past, Jews were accused of murdering European gentiles to suck out their blood; today they allegedly persecute the poor, poor victims of their racist, fascist, nationalist revival.

Indeed, at the podium in the de facto parliament of the Continent of Europe, the assembly was addressed by a Muslim terrorist and Holocaust denier who called Israel a fascist country and cited for support “Bogie” Yaalon, Ehud Barak and Yair Golan.

So it is fitting that on the very day England voted to pull out of Europe, one good reason was the behavior of the Europeans in constantly siding with the Muslim barbarians who slaughter us all the time.

In 1980 in Venice, Italy, the EC, the precursor to the EU, recognized the PLO and paid their respects to Yasir Arafat and the PLO as legitimate fighters for a legitimate cause: the righting of the injustice done to the Ancient Palestinians by the birth of Israel.

And here we are almost a Biblical generation of forty years later and the Europeans are still at it: kowtowing to the Arabs, Muslims for whom massacring Jews in coffee shops

is the epitome of religious devotion. That the EU allows this Muslim terrorist Abbas the podium to spew his medieval delusional accusations against Jews is evidence that the EU does not deserve to exist, leastwise to play host to such satanic thinking; that Jews are demons like vampires who suck out blood and poison the water supply to kill non-Jews in great numbers.

You got that? More projection. The fear that the Jews want to kill gentiles in great numbers has always been a reflection of their own bloodthirsty urge to murder Jews in great numbers which they did again and again and again in every century.

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Yeah, one woke up with a smile on Friday at the surprise victory for the survival of England. That is what this vote was all about; the survival of the English people and their amazing culture.

How like the Jews the English have been. An island people, small, off the beaten the path, that goes out and creates the greatest empire in history. The sun never set on the Union Jack. And it is no arbitrary, historical fluke that today the global lingua franca is their language. When, for example, a Japanese airliner approaches an airport in Brazil, tower and pilot talk in English. When a Russian airliner lands in Egypt, same thing.

The English united with their language the Indian subcontinent. Their language and their culture created Canada, the United States, Australia, New Zealand. I am well aware of their tradition of antiJewism. I personally have been a victim of it. But I also am aware of their special, positive relationship to the Jews unique in the West. Historian Barbara Tuchman's first book was that subject I think. It is also no accident of history that the Balfour Declaration came out of England, and no other country. Then England became the custodian of Eretz Yisrael after the Turks were driven out, tasked by the League of Nations with bringing into existence "a Jewish homeland."

For sure, the British were less than perfect in their administration thanks in part to their antiJewism but also the constraints upon them. Israeli Zionist history contains a special black mark over the English for the White Paper of 1939 that denied Eretz Yisrael as a haven for Jews desperate to flee Europe. Who knows how many hundreds of thousands who were gassed might have been saved without that White Paper?

And then even after the war, the Brits denied homeless survivors the right to come here, arresting them and putting them in prison camps.

What is missing, though, in the standard Israeli version is the pressure on the English from many sides in those days, starting with the Muslims in the lands of England's possession. England ruled over Egypt, that is, over the Suez Canal; over Iraq where England's greatest investment was the oil fields of British Petroleum; England ruled in

India which was also pressing for independence under Mahatma Gandhi where a huge Muslim minority also lived.

But it is also no coincidence that one guiding spirit of the IDF in 1948 -- the first Jewish army here since before the advent of Christianity -- was Captain Orde Charles Wingate, a zealous Christian Zionist whose life story would make a splendid "Raiders of the Lost Ark"-type movie. Wingate arrived in Mandatory Palestine in September 1936 as an intelligence officer tasked with suppressing the real first intifada, only then it was called The Arab Revolt. The Israeli army is famous for an officer corps whose slogan is "After me!" meaning, an officer does not order his troops into battle from the rear -- he does not lead from behind -- he leads them into battle and that is a legacy of Order Wingate.

He was a crusader for the return of the Jewish people to the Land of Israel and was not alone among the English. Foreign Secretary Arthur Balfour himself and Prime Minister David Lloyd George were both, as was Winston Churchill, Christian Zionists in the fullest sense. And it is no accident no other country in the world has had such a record of support for the Jews.

When the Pilgrim Fathers, the Puritans from England, came ashore on Massachusetts Bay in 1620, they carried with them the charter for their community that they composed when aboard ship and called it Mayflower Compact, one of whose first drafts had been written on the back side of a vocabulary list, two columns of words, in Hebrew and their English translations, for these Puritans during their weeks at sea occupied themselves by studying Hebrew for their love affair with the first two-thirds of their Bible, the Tanakh.

And then after 16 years in their new settlement, when the first generation of babies had matured to the edge of adulthood, the community created a seminary to train the next generation of leaders, who were their ministers. It was called Harvard College and offered a B.A. degree and ordination after four years, during which, every year, these budding men of the Christian cloth studied Hebrew. And at the graduation ceremony, the best student, the valedictorian, gave the commencement address at Harvard in Biblical Hebrew.

This tradition lasted at Harvard for 150 years until after the American Revolution in the Age of Reason, turmoil and rejection of religion, when student protests ended the requirement for Hebrew study at Harvard and at other Ivy League schools that all began as seminaries.

So the English have a schizophrenic relationship to the Jewish people. One the one hand, London's has a major like Ken Livingston and on the other a mayor like Boris Johnson. The former is a lunatic antisemite, the later a philosemite.

I think the vote last Thursday was heavily the result of the recent TV coverage of armies of Muslims literally tramping into Europe, into Greece and the Balkans, from Turkey; hundreds of thousands of largely young men, who we now know have a tendency to gather in crowds to molest women.

Once inside the EU and given all the welfare benefits the EU says they are entitled to, then in no time they would be invading England, and the English finally said, "Enough."

The EU was created to mimic the American republic stretching from sea to sea without one tariff or customs duty imposed. But what Jean Monnet, the diplomat-economist who dreamed up the union in the 1950s did not foresee was the very great differences in culture and society between northern and southern Europe, the language barriers and the tendency of bureaucracies to swell and accrue more and more authority and power.

But most of all, here in Israel, nothing bad can come from the weakening of the EU, for it has proven itself to be a vehicle of age-old collective hostility to Jews that the Europeans have yet to outgrow completely.

That French gathering three weeks ago of those 28 countries -- who almost atavistically are driven to tell Jews where they can and cannot live, to expel from their homes -- for them the Two-State Solution has a pedigree thousands of years old, albeit well camouflaged in our generation that they are unaware of.

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So it was an illuminating coincidence last Thursday, this vote in the UK to leave the EU, as in the EU parliament that very day a lunatic Jew-hater, Abbas, was the invited speaker who was applauded during his speech, in which he accused Israel of poisoning Arab wells.

And then of course two days later, Saturday, he retracted the accusation and all accusations made against him and the Balestinian people, he said, of offending the Jewish religion.

This is reminiscent of Watergate days when every day a White House spokesman would issue a claim in the morning proven bogus before day's end, and so the next morning the White House would inform the press corps that yesterday's announcement was "No longer operative."

You lie on Monday and on Tuesday tell people, "Pay no attention to what I said yesterday."

It was like Obama after Orlando pleading for his Muslim faith and how Americans must not attack Islam because that is what made America "exceptional."

He runs for office sneering at American exceptionalism and then thinks nothing of using the same term when it suits him. In this, Obama is very much in the Muslim mold.

He is a Muslim for constantly lying. Lying is a legitimate weapon in one's arsenal when fighting the good fight. You know, like the legendary British diversionary efforts before D-Day to mislead the Germans into thinking the invasion would come at Calais instead of Normandy. In war, one likes to deceive the enemy, so Obama believes he has

had the right to deceive the American people about his health care scheme, and to lie about what happened at Benghazi and lie about the Iran deal, all in the name of victory and success for his vision of justice. Obama licenses himself as does Hillary to lie all the time, for their goals are just.

And likewise Abbas and all the Arabs. Like Nasser and King Hussein of Jordan in 1967 who conspired to blame the US for their humiliating defeat at the hands of the evil Jews.

Yesterday on YNETnews.com, Ben Dror Yemini, a columnist of long standing, once opinion editor for Maariv, took on the Breaking the Silence group for lying. One of their leaders joined the Arabs in their accusations that Israel cut off the water to Balestinian homes. Never happened. Yemini, for those who don't know, used to be fashionable Leftie in the Israeli press but the horror of the Oslo violence turned him around, if not completely. Today he still sees himself a two-state solution man but has no time for the lies of the Left and their "demonization," he wrote, of Israelis.

Which is always the hallmark of the antiJew in all generations. It is a hatred that clouds one's vision and projects onto the screen in one's mind's eye scenes of Jews committing all kinds of cruelty and corruption that have no basis in truth.

Unfortunately, the ruling class here of non-religious Israelis who grew up in functionally complete isolation -- among Jews only -- has trouble identifying the hostility to Israel among our immediate neighbors and their supporters overseas. They don't see those 28 diplomats in Paris three weeks ago and in Brussels last week applauding Abbas as antisemites. It does not occur to them. For Israelis like these, antisemites are goose-stepping Nazis, running concentration camps and ovens. Lacking all these things, there is no antisemitism here in their thinking.

But maybe last Thursday's performance in Brussels will work to change their minds a bit. Abbas was so clearly on Cloud 9 with his accusations so characteristic of Jew-haters in history, some Israelis may begin to wake up.

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Last item: on Friday afternoon just outside Kiryat Arba, next to Hevron, an Israeli-driven car had just pulled over to the side to pick up hitchhikers, which is the way many people get around in Yosh, when a car driven by an Arabian she-devil deliberately rammed into the car and injured the two Israeli 50-something men inside-- thank G-d not too seriously -- though soldiers at the scene did the right thing by killing the Muslim she-devil.

Well, I am glad to see the ongoing trial against Elor Azaria did not stop them from doing what had to be done.

Leila tov, miEretz Yisrael.

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