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Assassination

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1. Haji Amin al-HUSAYNI arrived in Damascus a few days ago. He appeared to be very much concerned about his personal safety. The Mufti does not stay in the house rented for him by the Syrian Government (formerly the house of Sheikh Tajj-al-Din). He sometimes sleeps in the house of Hida KARDAM Bey and sometimes at the Saudi Arabian Legation.

2. Ishaq KARWISI, the Mufti's nephew and private secretary, says that the Mufti feels that the threat of assassination is greater from the supporters of King ABDALLAH than from the Zionists.

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