Palestine- British mandate
-    Palestinian Arabs 90% of Population
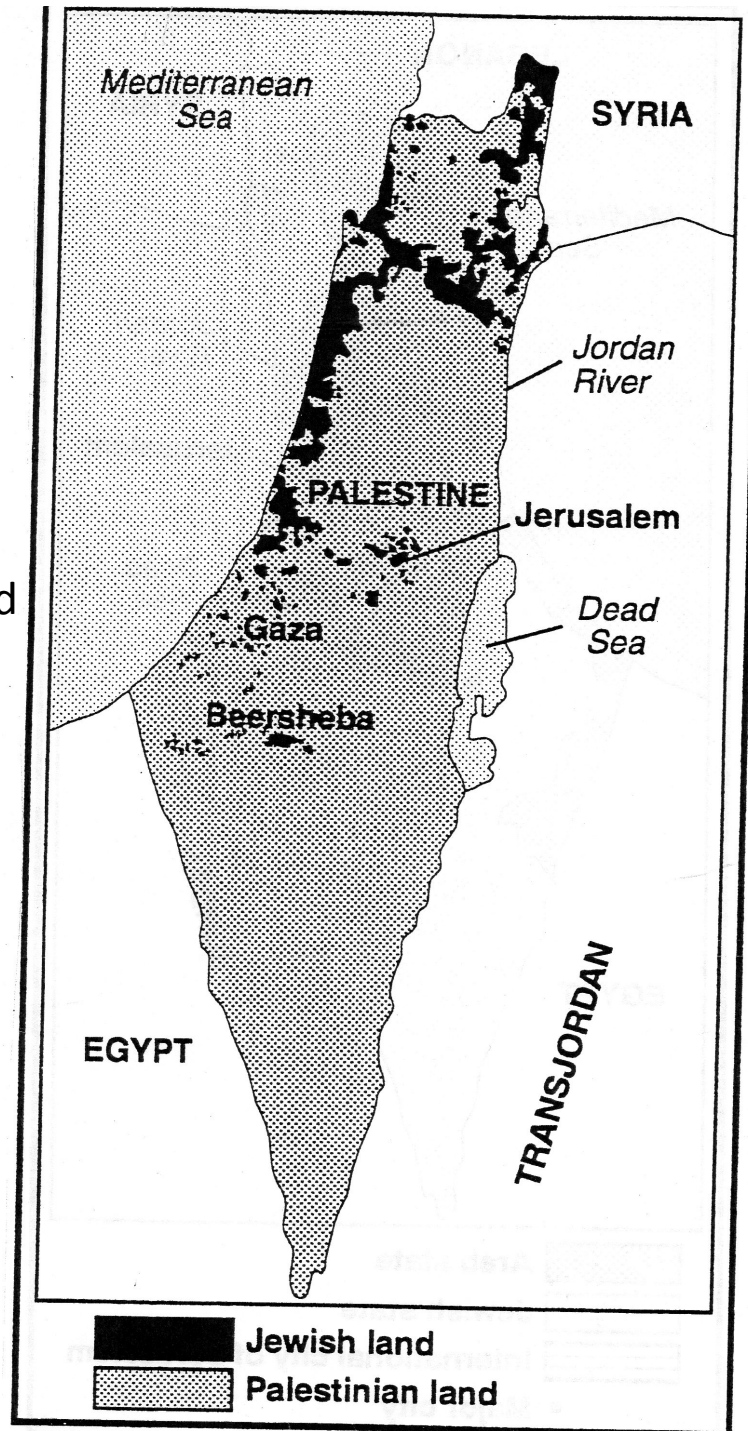
-    **Balfour Declaration:** encouraged
Jewish immigration
(supported by Zionists)

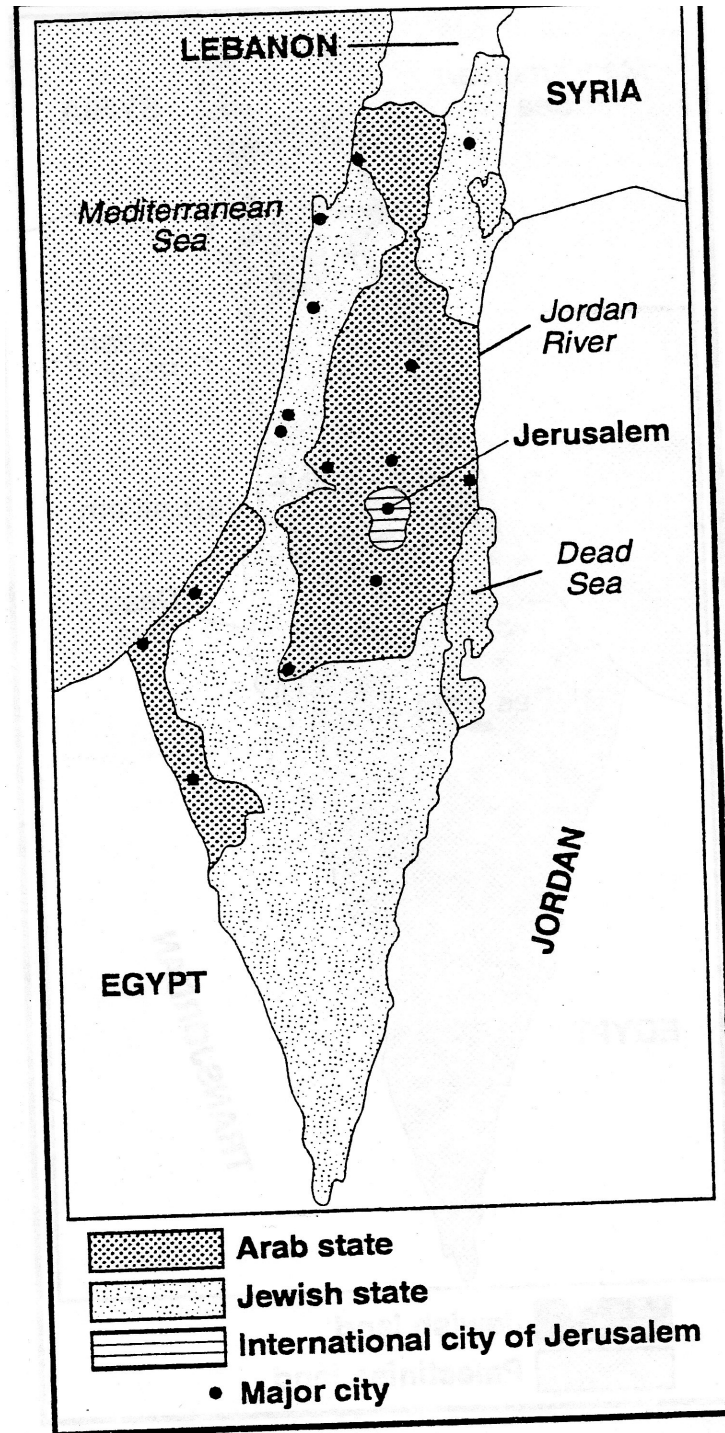-   By 1947 fighting escalated and British turn mandate over to the United Nations

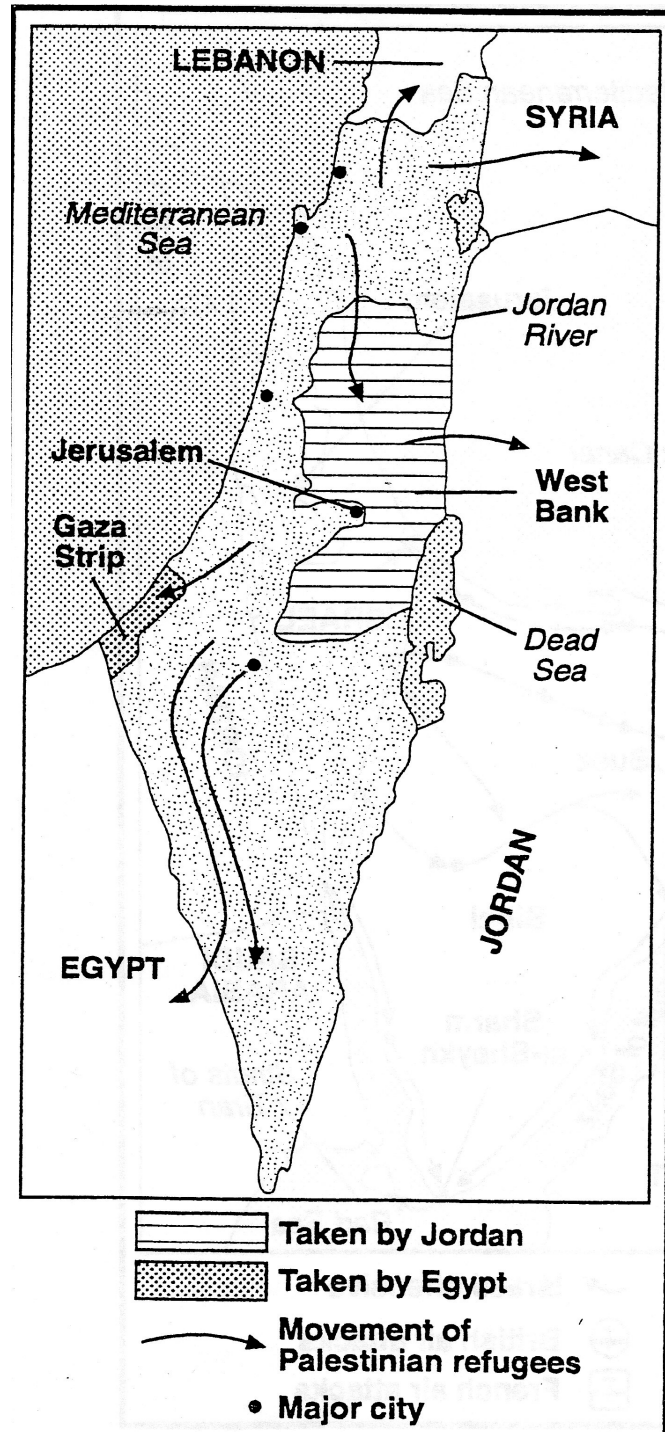**United Nations Partition Plan –**

Was it fair? Justify your answer.

Write a quick response below:

LEBANON

SYRIA

Mediterranean Sea

Jordan River

Jerusalem

Dead Sea

JORDAN

EGYPT

Arab state

Jewish state

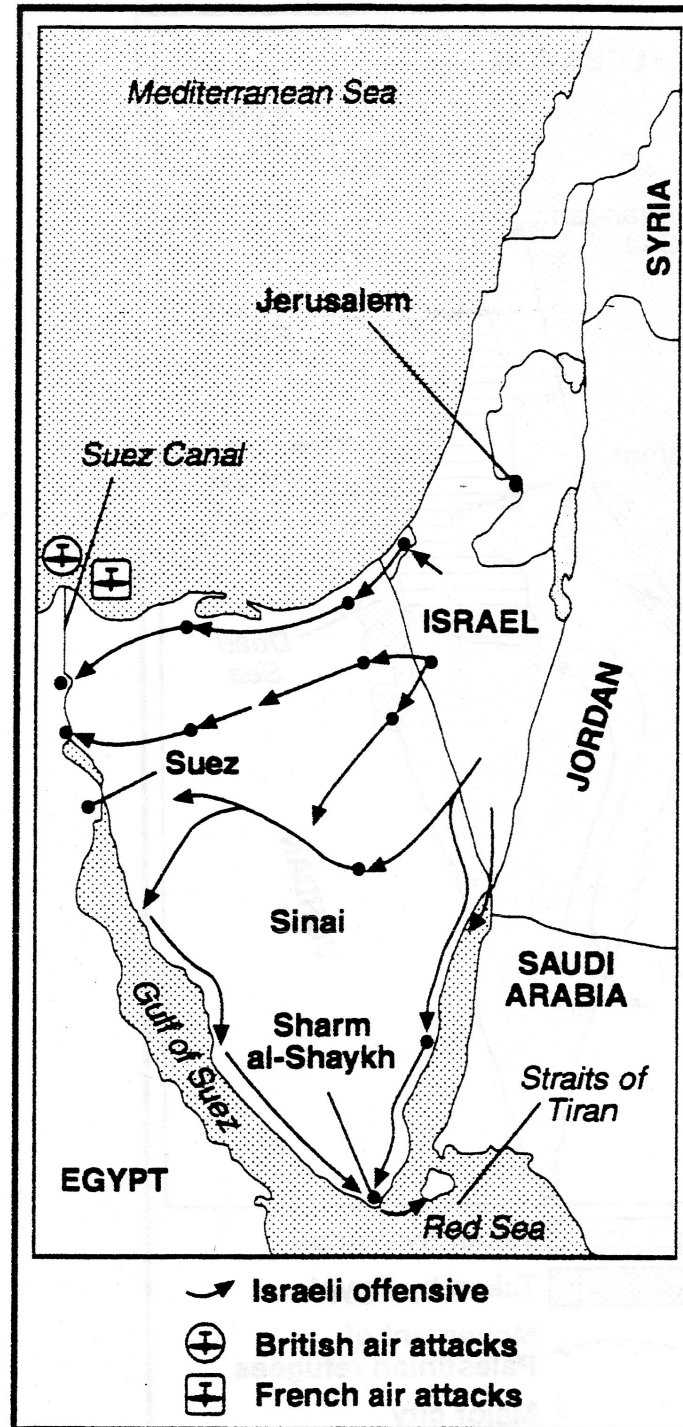International city of Jerusalem

• Major city

The 1948 War

-   Independence of the State of Israel declared

-   The NEXT DAY Arab troops from Jordan, Iraq, Syria, Lebanon, Egypt And Saudi Arabia invaded Palestine

-   By end of 1948 Israel captured most of the land

-   Creation of over 700,000 Palestinian refugees

LEBANON

SYRIA

Mediterranean Sea

Jordan River

Jerusalem

West Bank

Gaza Strip

Dead Sea

EGYPT

JORDAN

Taken by Jordan

Taken by Egypt

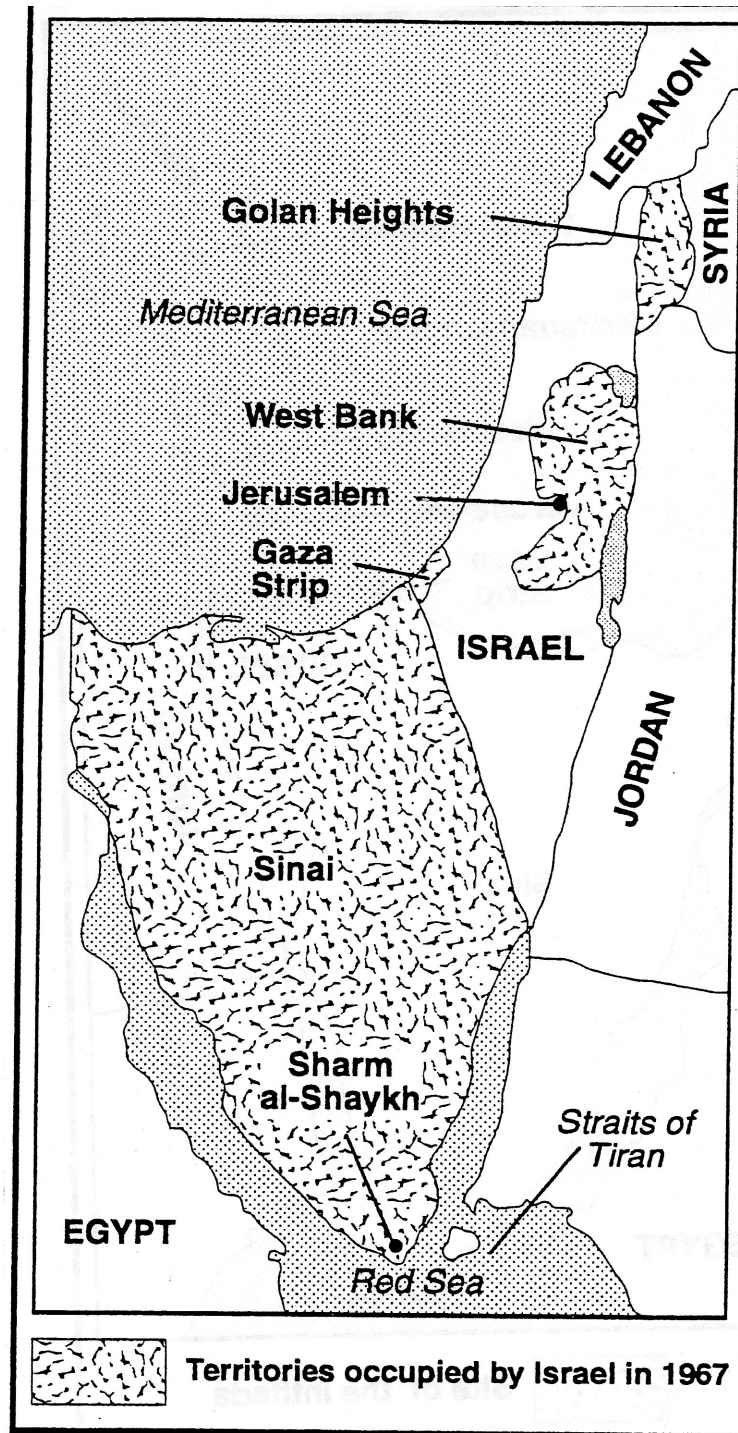Movement of Palestinian refugees

Major city

The Suez Canal Crisis

-    1956 Egyptian leader Gamal Abdel Nasser tried to take control of Suez Canal

-    Britain and France were mad and Israel decided to join them to force Nasser to give it back.

Mediterranean Sea

SYRIA

Jerusalem

Suez Canal

ISRAEL

JORDAN

Suez

Sinai

SAUDI ARABIA

Sharm al-Shaykh

Straits of Tiran

Gulf of Suez

EGYPT

Red Sea

⤳ Israeli offensive

⊕ British air attacks

⊞ French air attacks

The 1967 War

-   Nasser continued to cause trouble

-   Israel had also suffered increasing terrorist attacks by Palestinian groups in Syrian and Jordanian territories

-   Israel felt itself surrounded by hostile forces

-   1967 launched surprise attack and capturing Gaza, Sinai, Golan Heights and West Bank

Golan Heights

LEBANON

SYRIA

Mediterranean Sea

West Bank

Jerusalem

Gaza Strip

ISRAEL

JORDAN

Sinai

Sharm al-Shaykh

Straits of Tiran

EGYPT

Red Sea

Territories occupied by Israel in 1967

Intifada
- Means "shaking off" in Arabic

Golan Heights

Mediterranean Sea

West Bank

Jerusalem

Gaza Strip

LEBANON

SYRIA

ISRAEL

JORDAN

Sinai

EGYPT

Red Sea

Site of the Intifada