

## **August 5, 1949**

### **Untitled report on land purchases for the Jews**

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#### **Summary:**

Short document on Jewish businessmen purchasing real estate shares in the Douma-Damascus area.

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بيهم، ون ت لاً عيده للمسا

المالية اليهودية لشركا الكبرية

مهمهم اءى فى التي شياى الى

روما - رمة، وذلك باء تقاض

مع الممولة اءى كيبى باب

اعتد اعترام الحكومة السود

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I learned from Nouredin Beik Bayhom that Jewish financial institutions are trying to buy the largest number of real-estate shares due to be sold in Douma-Damascus in agreement with American financiers. The Syrian Government plans to build a new city in Douma along the lines of Heliopolis in Cairo.

Nouredin Beik Bayhom says that this activity on the part of the Jews, even if secret, is supported by a number of major American financiers and their Syrian supporters.