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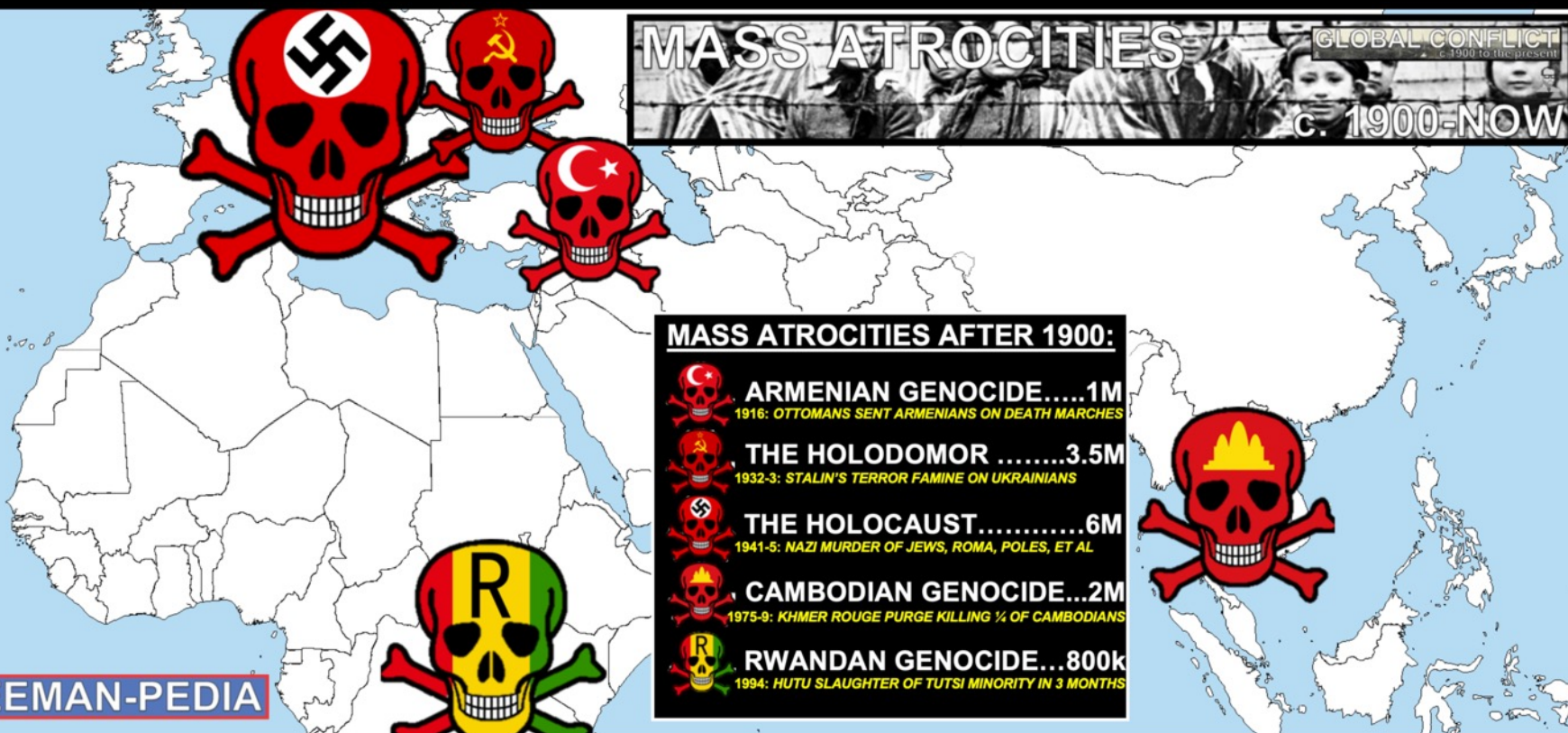
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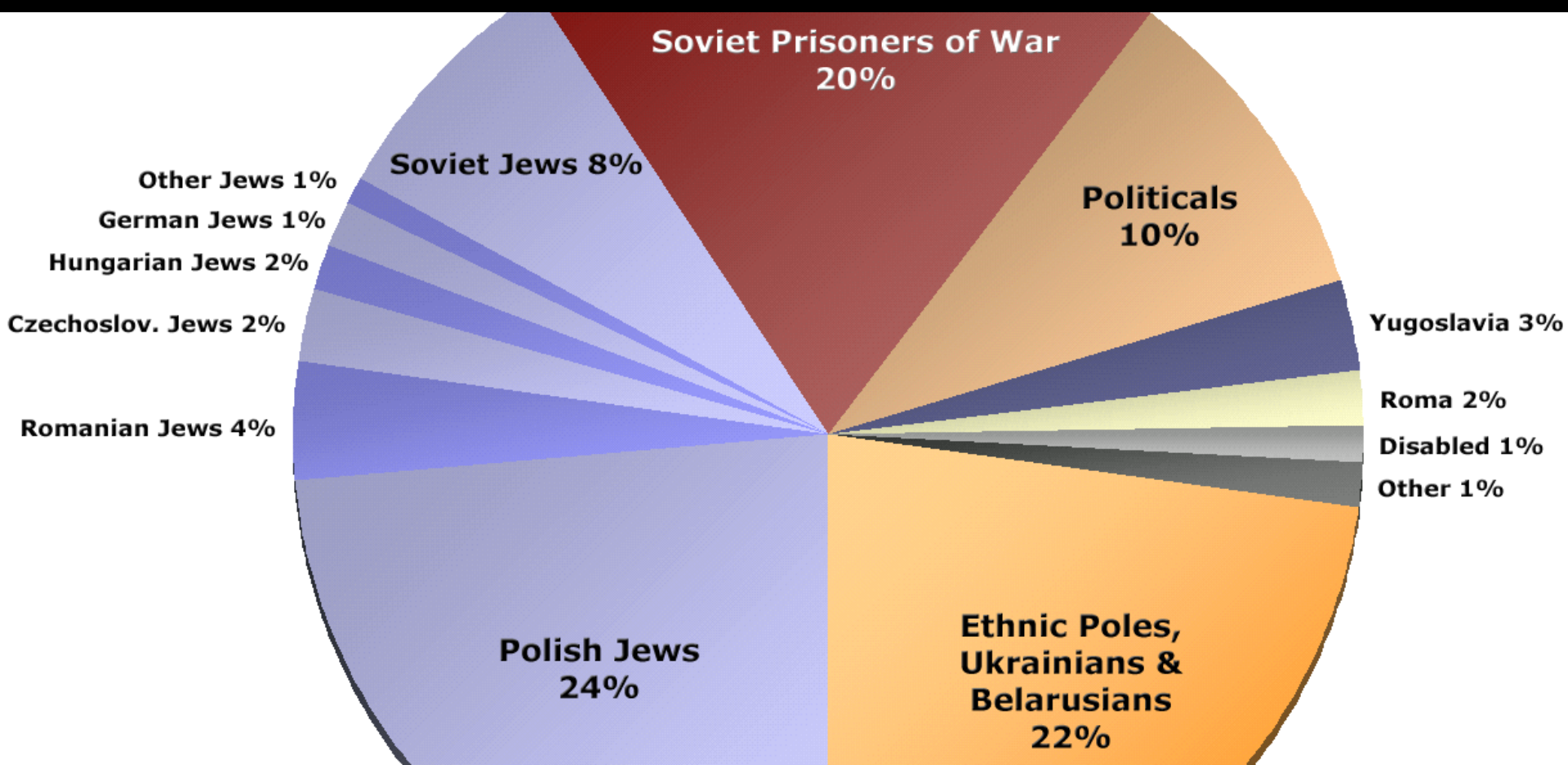


MASS ATROCITIES AFTER 1900:

-  **ARMENIAN GENOCIDE.....1M**
1916: OTTOMANS SENT ARMENIANS ON DEATH MARCHES
-  **THE HOLODOMOR3.5M**
1932-3: STALIN'S TERROR FAMINE ON UKRAINIANS
-  **THE HOLOCAUST.....6M**
1941-5: NAZI MURDER OF JEWS, ROMA, POLES, ET AL
-  **CAMBODIAN GENOCIDE...2M**
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HOLOCAUST GENOCIDE

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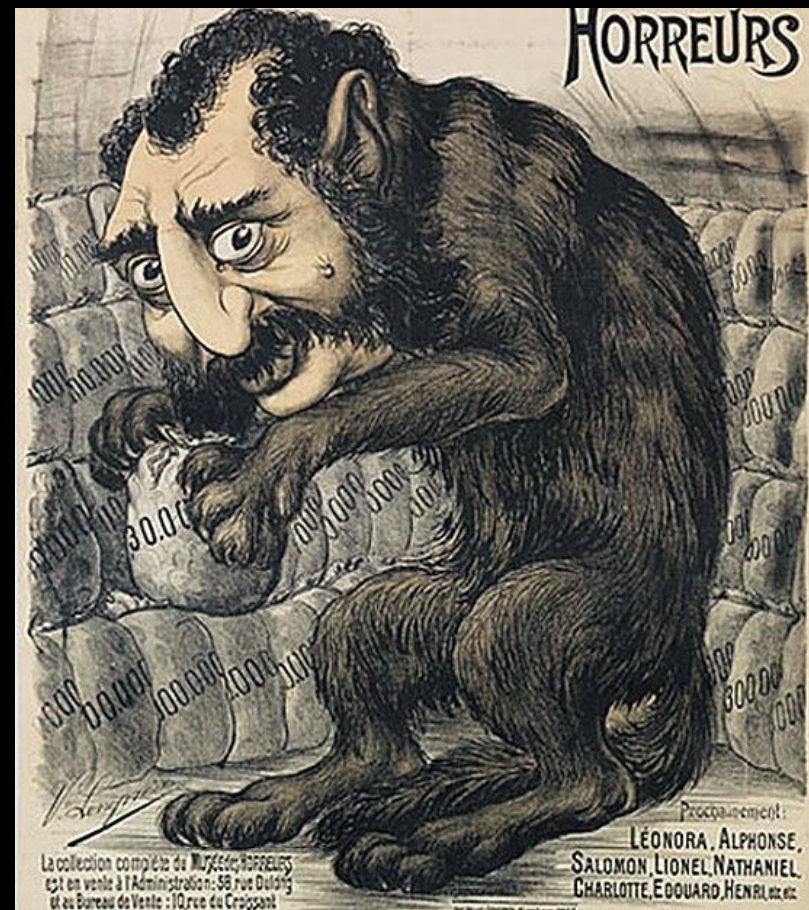
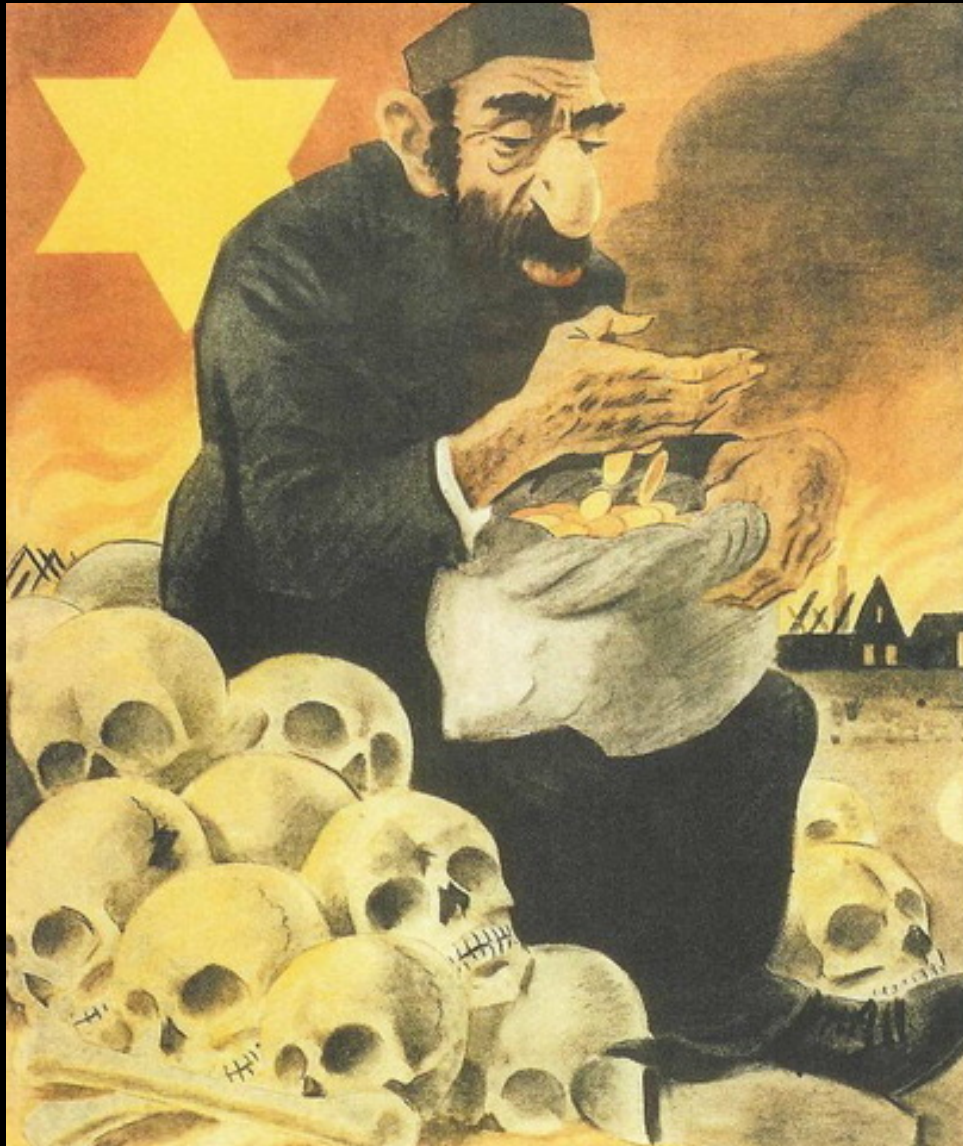
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THE ETERNAL JEW (1940)



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EXAMPLES OF ANTISEMITISM: ANCIENT WORLD

JOSEPHUS (100CE) WROTE ABOUT TREATMENT OF THE JEWS IN ALEXANDER THE GREAT'S TIME AS:

JEWS "HAVE OFTEN BEEN TREATED INJURIOUSLY BY THE KINGS AND GOVERNORS OF PERSIA, YET CAN THEY NOT BE DISSUADED FROM ACTING WHAT THEY THINK BEST; BUT THAT WHEN THEY ARE STRIPPED ON THIS ACCOUNT, AND HAVE TORMENTS INFLICTED UPON THEM, AND THEY ARE BROUGHT TO THE MOST TERRIBLE KINDS OF DEATH, THEY MEET THEM AFTER AN EXTRAORDINARY MANNER, BEYOND ALL OTHER PEOPLE, AND WILL NOT RENOUNCE THE RELIGION OF THEIR FOREFATHERS."



ROMAN SACKING OF JERUSALEM DURING THE
FIRST JEWISH ROMAN WAR (66 CE)

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EXAMPLES OF ANTISEMITISM: MIDDLE AGES



TRAVELLING
PASSION PLAYS
RECOUNT THE
DEATH/
RESURRECTION
OF JESUS OFTEN
WITH JEWISH
VILLAINS



JEWS, BLAMED FOR THE PLAGUE, BEING
MASSACRED IN 1349 FLANDERS (BELGIUM)

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1493 ILLUSTRATION OF BLOOD LIBEL OF SIMON OF TRENT, A BOY WHO WENT MISSING IN TRENT



FRESCO IN ST. PAUL'S CHURCH IN POLAND

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EXAMPLES OF ANTISEMITISM: CRUSADES

"The trail of blood and smoldering ruins left behind in the Jewish communities from France to Palestine...for the first time brought home to the Jewish people, its foes and friends, the utter instability of the Jewish position in the western world...from the First Crusade on, anti-Jewish persecutions exercised a dangerously contagious appeal, which in periods of great emotional stress degenerated into mass psychosis transcending national boundaries."



**JEWS BEING MASSACRED
IN 1ST CRUSADE, 1096 CE**



**THE CRUSADERS EMBARKED ON THEIR JOURNEY
TO LIBERATE JERUSALEM BY ATTACKING AND
MURDERING THE ENEMY "AT HOME," THE JEWS.**

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EXAMPLES OF
ANTISEMITISM:

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GRIMM'S FAIRY TALES (FROM GERMANY) FEATURED THREE JEWISH FIGURES ALL IN NEGATIVE ROLES. NAZIS LATER PLAYED ON THESE FAIRY TALES AND CHANGED THEM... LITTLE RED RIDING HOOD=ARYAN, WOLF=JEWISH

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AMERICAN HERO CHARLES LINDBERGH, FIRST MAN TO FLY NON-STOP ACROSS THE ATLANTIC AND ARGUABLY THE BIGGEST CELEBRITY OF THE 1ST HALF OF THE 20TH CENTURY SAID IN 1939, *"WE CAN HAVE PEACE AND SECURITY ONLY SO LONG AS WE BAND TOGETHER TO PRESERVE THAT MOST PRICELESS POSSESSION, OUR INHERITANCE OF EUROPEAN BLOOD, ONLY SO LONG AS WE GUARD OURSELVES AGAINST ATTACK BY FOREIGN ARMIES AND DILUTION BY FOREIGN RACES."*

HE PLANNED TO MOVE TO WANNSEE GERMANY IN 1939, BUT FOUND OUT THE HOUSE HE WAS GOING TO LEASE WAS FORMERLY OWNED BY A JEW, SO HE CANCELLED HIS PLAN.

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EXAMPLES OF
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"The Protocols"

PREFACE AND EXPLANATORY NOTES

The possession of these documents
in Soviet Russia is punishable
by immediate death.

WHY?

EVERY PATRIOTIC AMERICAN
MUST READ THESE
PROTOCOLS

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TRUTH AT LAST.

The so-called "Protocols of the Elders of Zion" were published in London last year under the title of "The Jewish Peril."

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"Today I may tell you that our goal is now only a few steps off. There remains a small space to cross and the whole long path we have trodden is ready now to close its cycle of the Symbolic Snake, by which we symbolize our people. When this ring closes, all the States of Europe will be locked in its coil as in a powerful vice."

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EXAMPLES OF ANTISEMITISM:

MEIN KAMPF (1923)



“All the human culture, all the results of art, science, and technology that we see before us today, are almost exclusively the creative product of the Aryan....

“The mightiest counterpart to the Aryan is represented by the Jew. In hardly any people in the world is the instinct of self-preservation developed more strongly than in the so-called 'chosen.' The Jew is only united when a common danger forces him to be or a common booty entices him. If the Jews were alone in this world, they would stifle in filth and offal; they would try to get ahead of one another in hate-filled struggle and exterminate one another. The Jew's life as a parasite in the body of other nations and states.... Existence impels the Jew to lies and to lie perpetually, just as it compels the inhabitants of the northern countries to wear warm clothing....

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NAZI GERMANY

STAB IN THE BACK MYTH



NAZIS BLAMED THE JEWS FOR THE ARMISTICE AND END OF THE GREAT WAR

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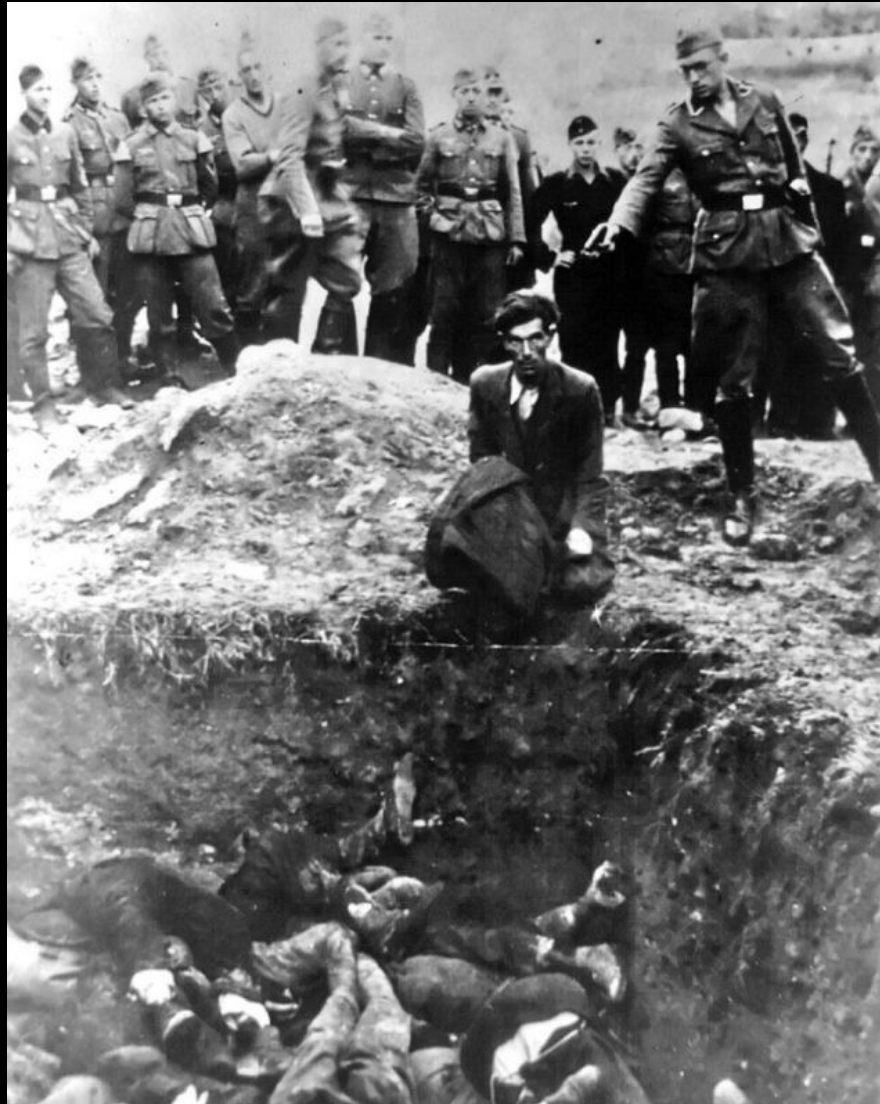


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AFTER A NAZI OFFICIAL GOT DRUNK, FELL ASLEEP IN HIS RUNNING CAR IN HIS GARAGE AND DIED, SS OFFICIALS DECIDED TO USE THIS METHOD TO KILL MORE JEWS ET AL.

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NAZI GERMANY

WANNSEE CONFERENCE
(1942)



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NAZI GERMANY FINAL SOLUTION



CAMPS WERE BUILT ALL OVER GERMANY WITH SPECIAL DEATH CAMPS BEING BUILT ALONG MAJOR RAIL LINES POLAND (LARGEST=AUSCHWITZ)

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NAZI GERMANY AUSCHWITZ

**AUSCHWITZ-
BIRKENAU
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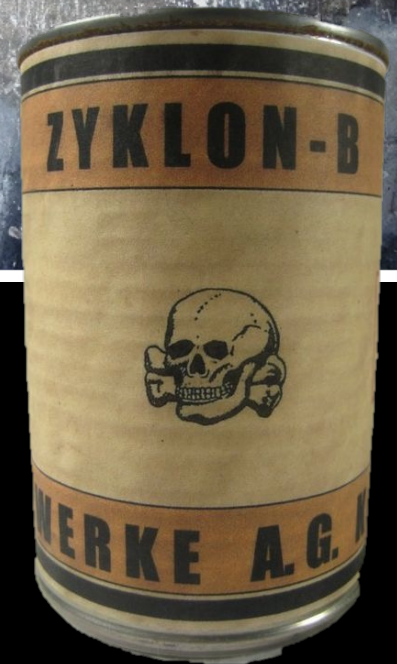
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THESE ARE THE ONLY PICTURES OF JEWS (HUNGARIAN) ARRIVING AT AUSCHWITZ IN 1944 (PHOTOGRAPHER RISKED THEIR LIFE FOR THESE IMAGES) 70% OF ALL ARRIVALS AT AUSCHWITZ DIED THE DAY THEY ARRIVED.

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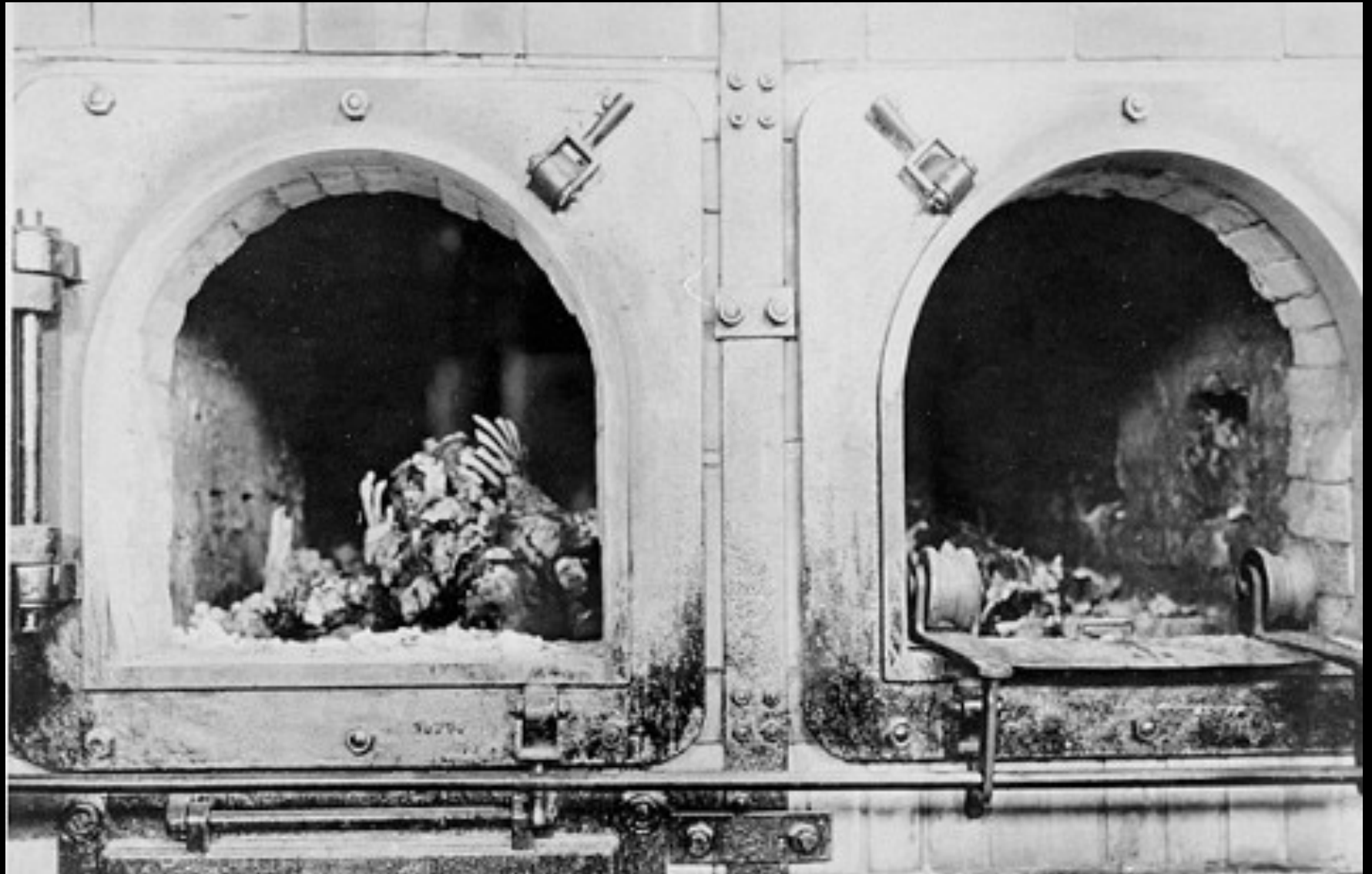
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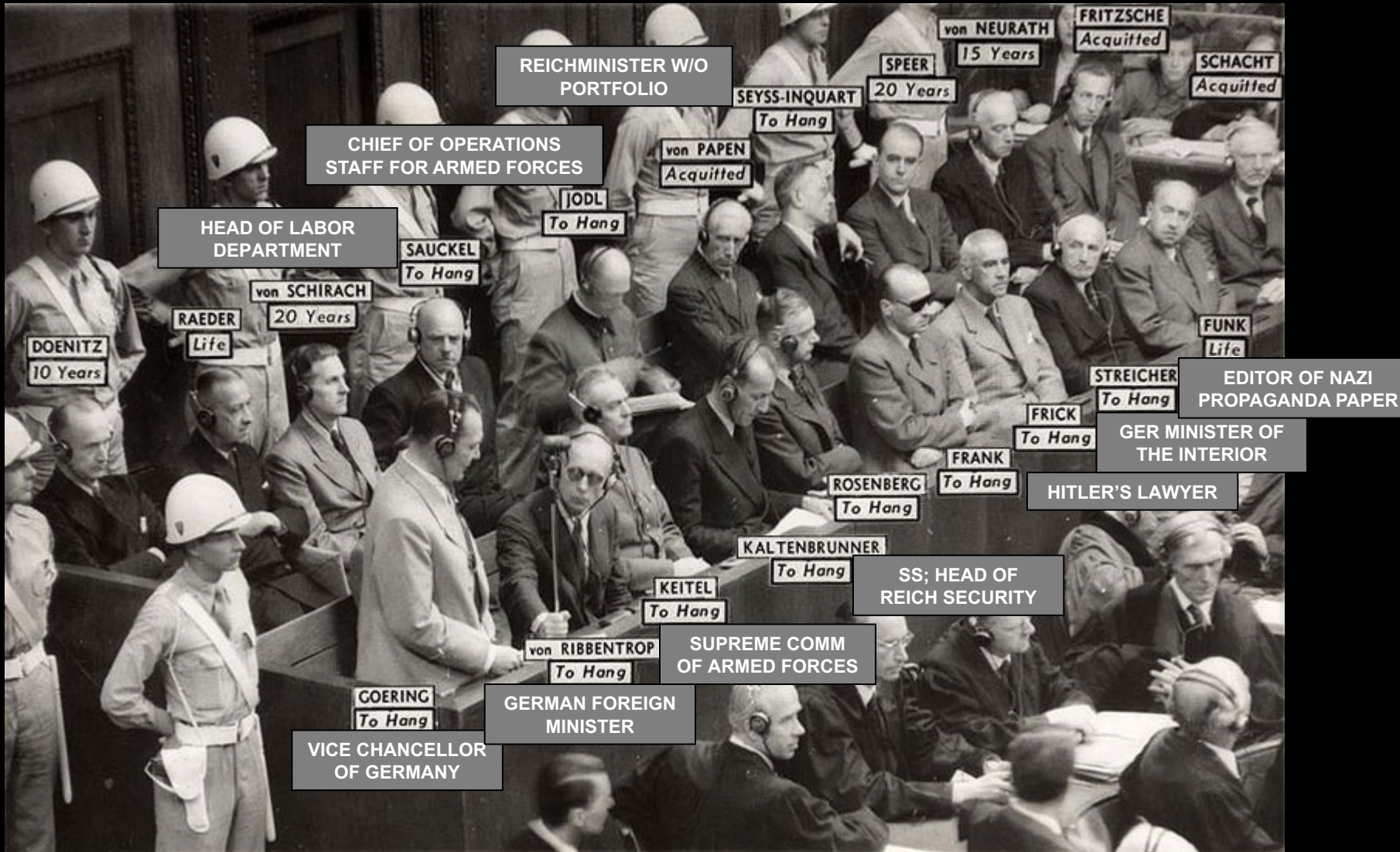


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NUREMBERG TRIALS



GENOCIDE 

THE HOLOCAUST IS NOT THE ONLY EXAMPLE OF GENOCIDE
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**WHO, AFTER ALL,
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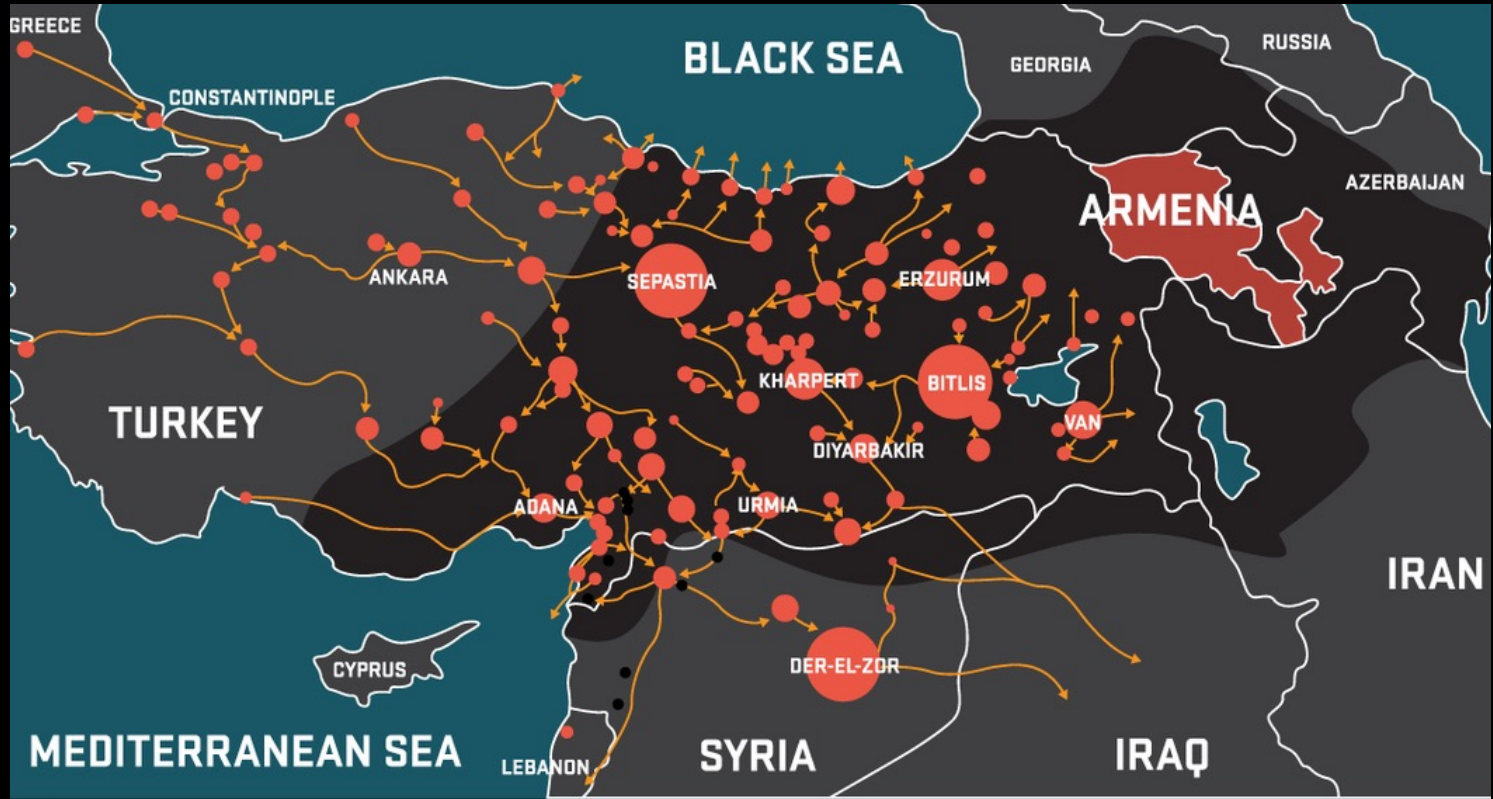
-ADOLF HITLER, AUGUST 1939

A close-up, textured view of the Turkish flag, showing the red field with a white crescent and star.

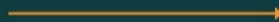
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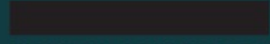
DEATH MARCH ROUTES:
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CONCENTRATION CAMPS

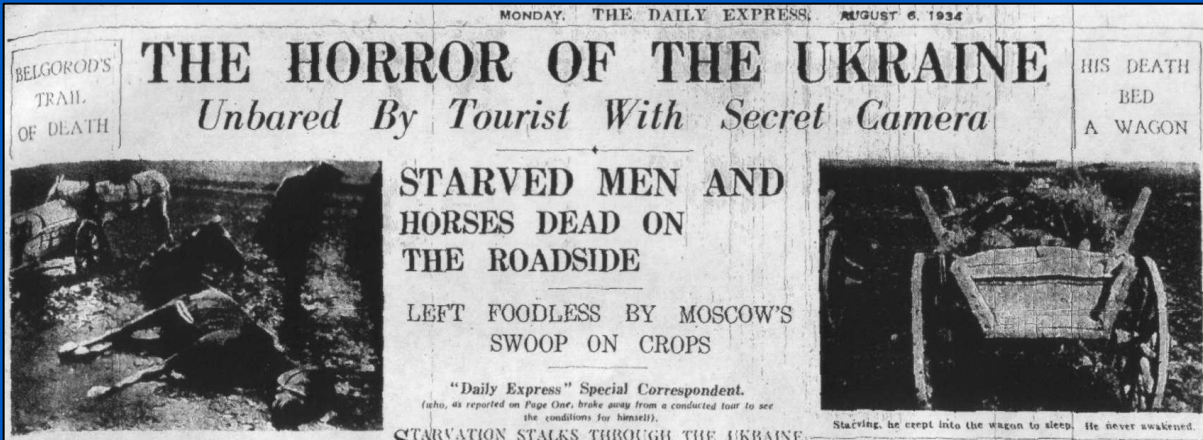


**PRESENT DAY REGIONAL
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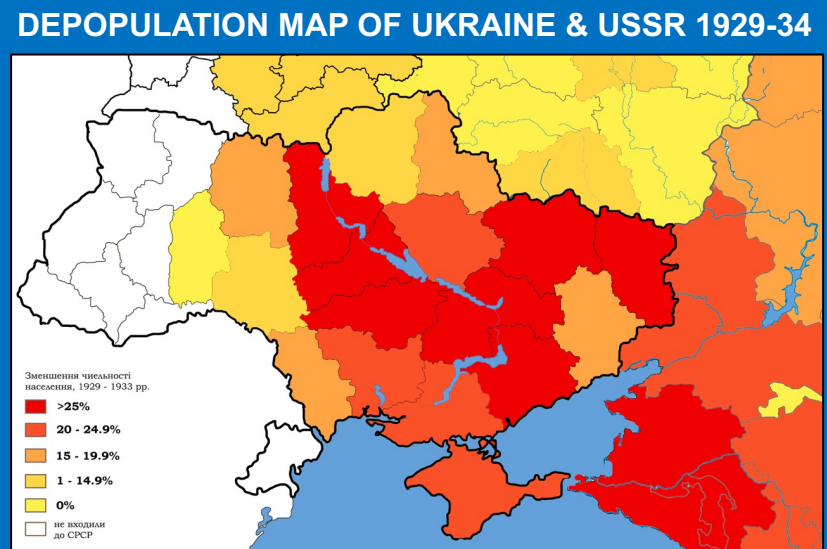
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GREAT PURGE

Lenin's General Staff of 1924

STALIN, THE EXECUTIONER, ALONE REMAINS



RYKOV
Shot



BUKHARIN
Shot



SVERDLOV
Dead



STALIN
Survivor



ZINOVIEV
Shot



KAMENEV
Shot



TROTSKY
In



KOLLONTAI
Missing?



URITSKY
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KRESTINSKY
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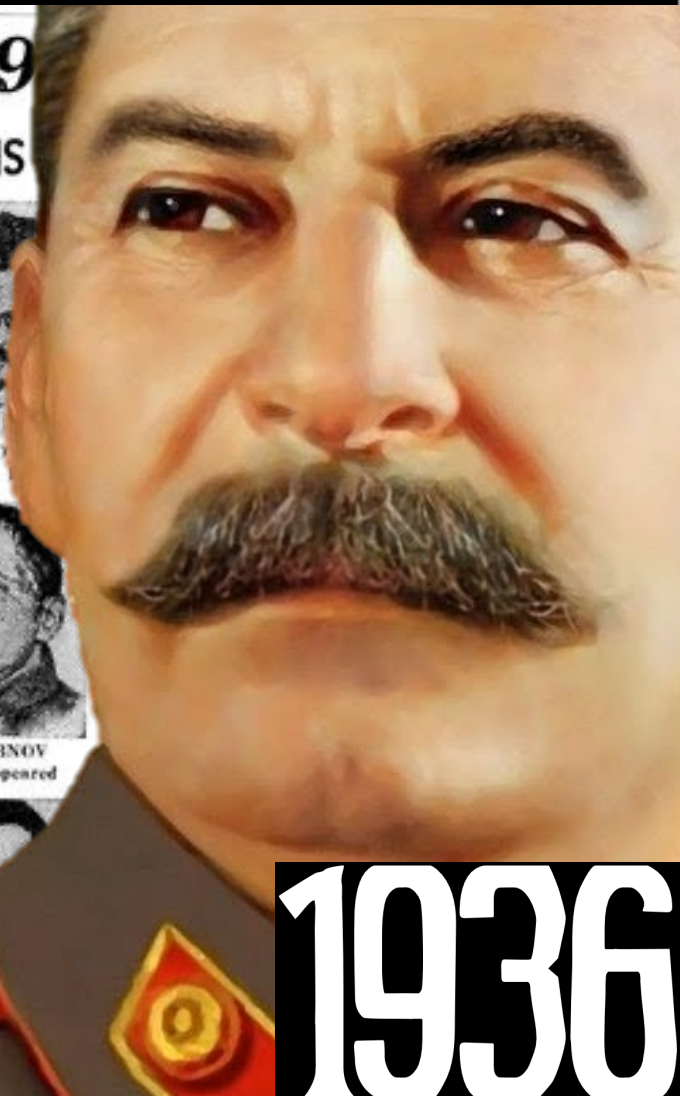
BERZIN
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1936



Ivan, The Terrible



Exile Report of Secret Police

Stalin, The Terrible



Death
Sentence...



Exile

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**WHO IS GOING TO REMEMBER THIS
RIFF-
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NO ONE.

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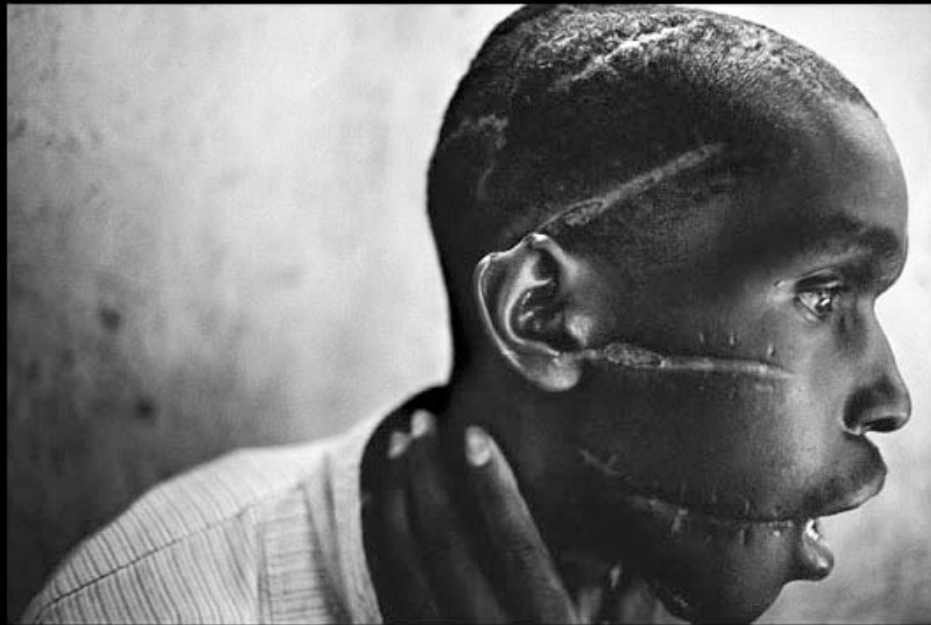
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 - GOV'T OFFICIALS, PROFESSIONALS, INTELLECTUALS, VIETNAMESE, CHINESE, MUSLIMS
 - (ANYONE W/ EDUCATION, OR WHO UNDERSTOOD A FOREIGN LANGUAGE, EVEN PEOPLE WHO WORE GLASSES)
- KILLED 2.5 MILLION PEOPLE (ONLY 8 MILLION IN CAMBODIA)
- KHMER ROUGE TOPPLED IN 1979 BY VIETNAMESE-CAMB WAR

1975

RWANDA

- RWANDA WAS GIVEN TO GERMANY DURING THE BERLIN CONF. (1884)
- BELGIUM TOOK RW. AFTER WWI
- THE MINORITY TUTSI RULED OVER THE MAJORITY HUTU
- 1962-INDEPENDENCE
- HUTUS TOOK POWER
- CIVIL WAR BROKE OUT IN 1990 BETWEEN THE HUTU & TUTSI
- 1994-AIRPLANE CARRYING THE HUTU PRESIDENT WAS SHOT DOWN
- GENOCIDAL KILLINGS BEGAN THE NEXT DAY...
- (80% OF THE REMEMBERED FOR THE USE OF MACHETTES)
- HIV/AIDS SPIKED AT THIS TIME DUE TO THE # OF RAPES

1994

HOLODOMOR

THE HORROR OF THE UKRAINE

STARVED MEN AND WOMEN BLEED ON THE ROADSIDE

STILL MILLION PERISH IN SOVIET FAMINE

"to kill by starvation"

- "HOLODOMOR": HUNGER, "WITCH" #PLAGUE
- 1932-33 CROP YIELDS DROPPED
- 1932-37: 1 MILLION TONS
- 1934-43: 3 MILLION TONS
- COLLECTIVIZATION WAS MOST POPULAR IN UKRAINE
- FORCED TO FARM BEETS & COTTON (INSTEAD OF THE USUAL GRAIN)
- URBAN FACTORY WORKERS GIVEN RATIONS OF FOOD
- RURAL FARMERS STARVED, TURNED TO CANNIBALISM
- DEATH TOLL: ~4 MILLION