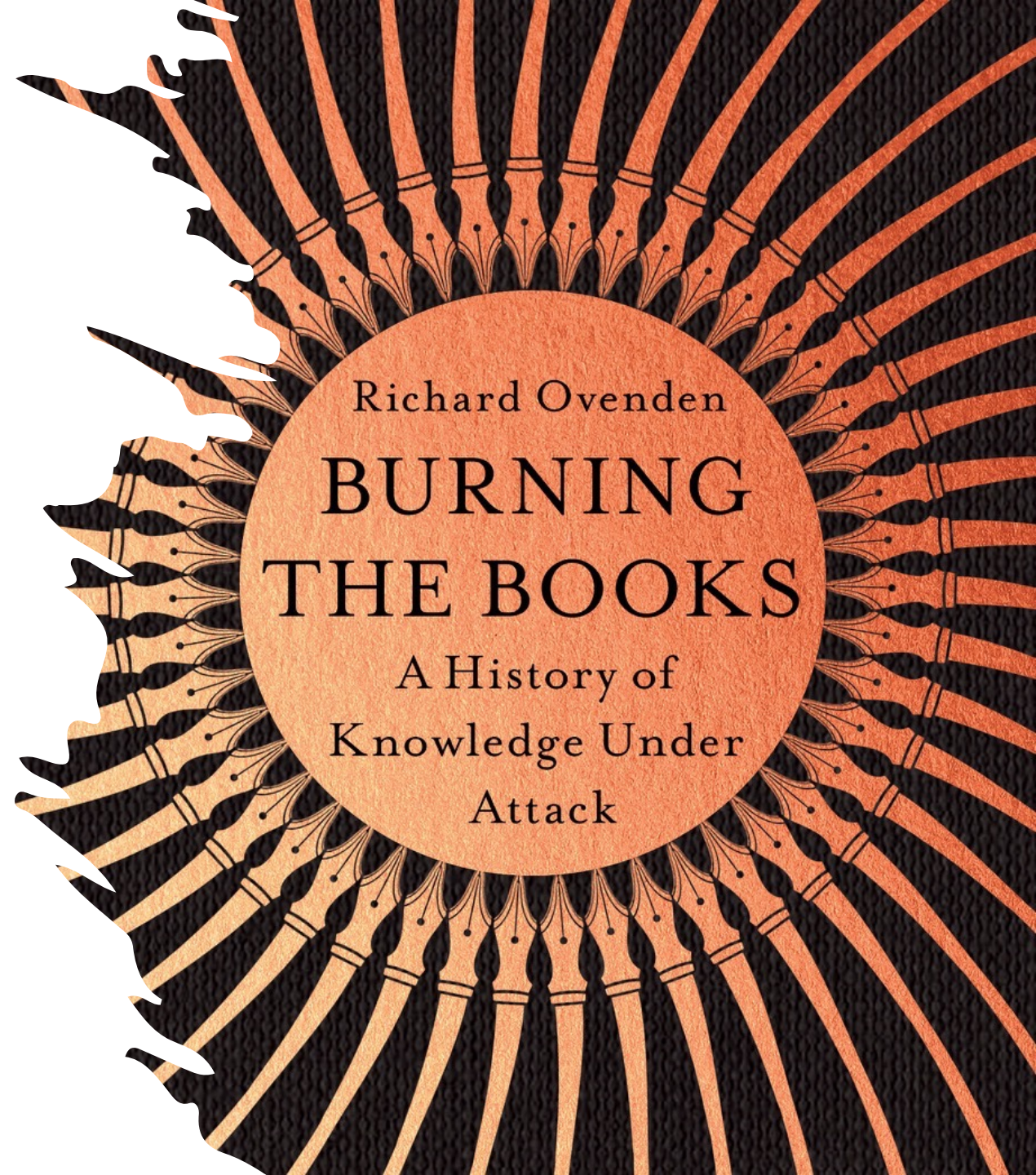


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Destroying records and cutting library funds are political acts with grave implications

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Merchant Shipping Act, 1906, and Aliens Restriction Acts, 1914 and 1919.

IN-COMING PASSENGERS

Returns of Passengers brought to the United Kingdom in ships arriving from Places out of Europe, and not within the Mediterranean Sea.

Notes: (a)—All Passengers brought by such ships are to be included, whether arriving from Europe or from non-European ports. 1st Class, 2nd Class, Tourist Class, and 3rd Class Passengers are to be entered in separate groups.
(b)—In the case of those ships which are engaged in pleasure cruises starting and ending in the United Kingdom the full particulars required by this form should only be furnished in respect of those passengers who embark at a port abroad and disembark in the United Kingdom.

| Ship's Name | Official Number | Shipping Line | Registered Tonnage | Master's Name | Voyage |
|-------------------------|-----------------|--|--------------------|-----------------|--|
| M. T. "EMPIRE WINDRUSH" | 181561. | THE NEW ZEALAND SHIPPING CO. LTD., 136, LEADHILL STREET, LONDON, E.C. 3. | 14614.74. | JOHN G. ALMOND. | TRINIDAD, KINGSTON, From: TAMPICO, MEXICO, PANAMA, PANAMA, To: <i>Albany</i> |

Date of Arrival 21. 6. 1948.

NAMES AND DESCRIPTIONS OF BRITISH PASSENGERS

| (1) Port of Embarkation | (2) Port at which Passengers have been | (3) NAMES OF PASSENGERS | (4) CLASS | (5) AGES OF PASSENGERS Adults of 16 years and upwards Children under 16 years Infants | (6) Proposed Address in the United Kingdom | (7) Profession Occupation or Calling | (8) Country of last Permanent Residence | (9) Country of Intended Future Permanent Residence* |
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A Windrush passenger list. The destruction of such documents indicates at best a failure of management, and at worst a callous disregard for certain Britons © The National Archives/Crown Copyright



‘There was truth, and there was untruth, and
if you clung to the truth even against the
whole world you were not mad’

George Orwell, *Nineteen-eighty four* (1949)

Nineveh & Alexandria



Cuneiform letter with clay
'envelope' common of the
2nd millennium BCE.
Envelope has seal
impressions of writer and
witness and summary of the
letter contained within.

c. 2100 BCE
(Ashmolean Museum)



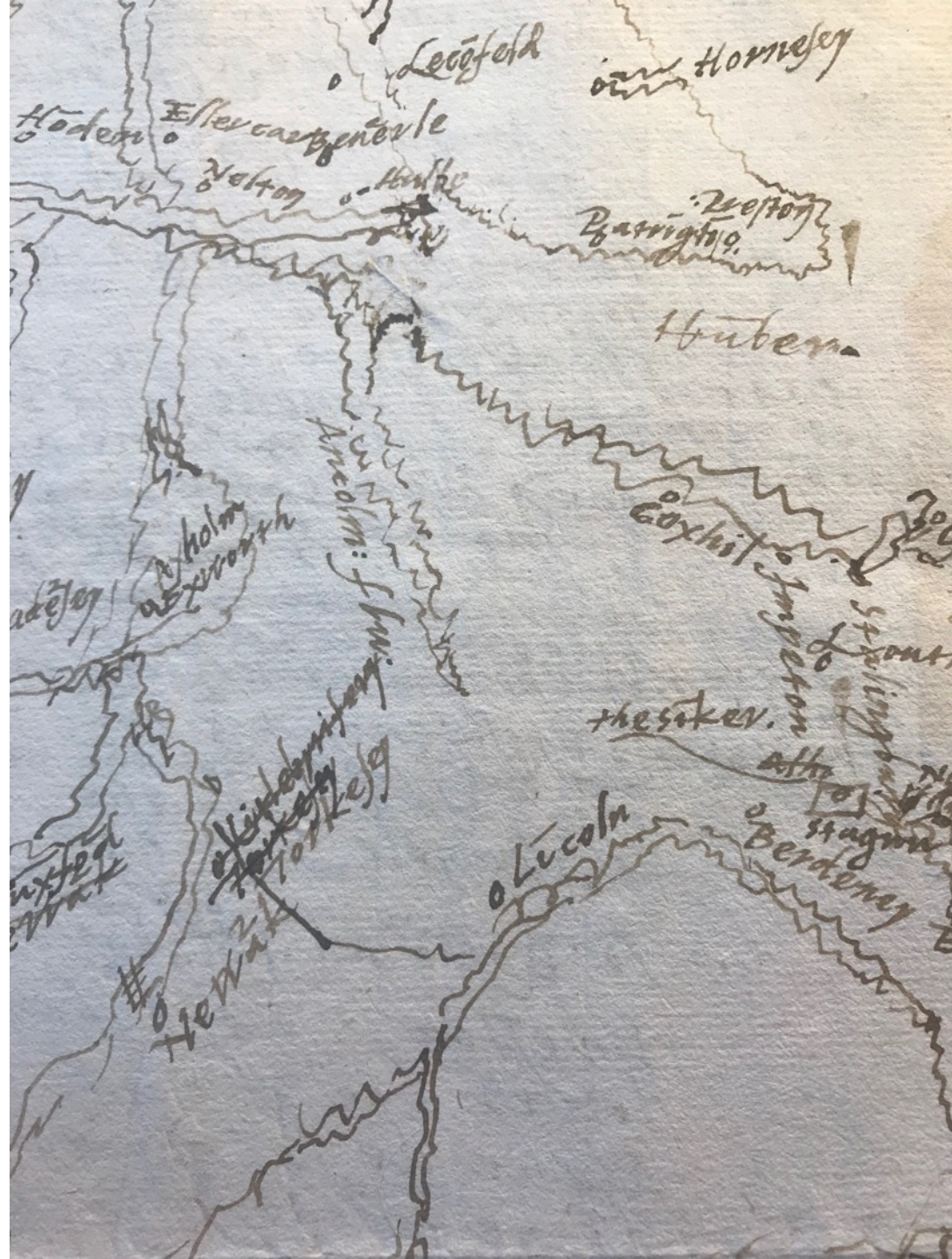














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sācto ueteris ecclesie Glascomiesis

speculū Gualdi Cabrensis

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+ nlo nouella hīstorie id ē tēporū Matildis īperatricis
ab ipso Malmesb. scriptos.

Expositiones super enāgelia autore Clemēte Lātonge
exerpta ex patribus doctoribusq^{ue}

Cassianus contra Nestorin

Apologeticus Gregorij Nazanzemi īterprete Rufino

De unitate monachoru

Altercatio īter ecclesiā et synagogā

Liber eplaru Fulberti

Epistola Lanfranci

Grammatica Euticis, liber oli. s. dūstam

Pictura et scriptura huius pagine subtrahis
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Ms. Alley



Dunstanum memet ele-
mens rogo xpe tuere.
Cenarias me non sinas
forbuisse procellas.

C. 14









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The Library of Congress 1814

John James Halls, *Rear Admiral
Sir George Cockburn at the
burning of Washington*
engraved by C. Turner.
Mezzotint Library of Congress





George Munger (1781–1825).
[U.S. Capitol after Burning by
the British], 1814. Ink and
watercolor. Prints and
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PRESIDENT OF THE U. STATES

Taken in President's room in the
Capitol, at the destruction of that
building by the British, on the
capture of Washington 24th August 1814
by Admiral Cockburn. & by him presented to
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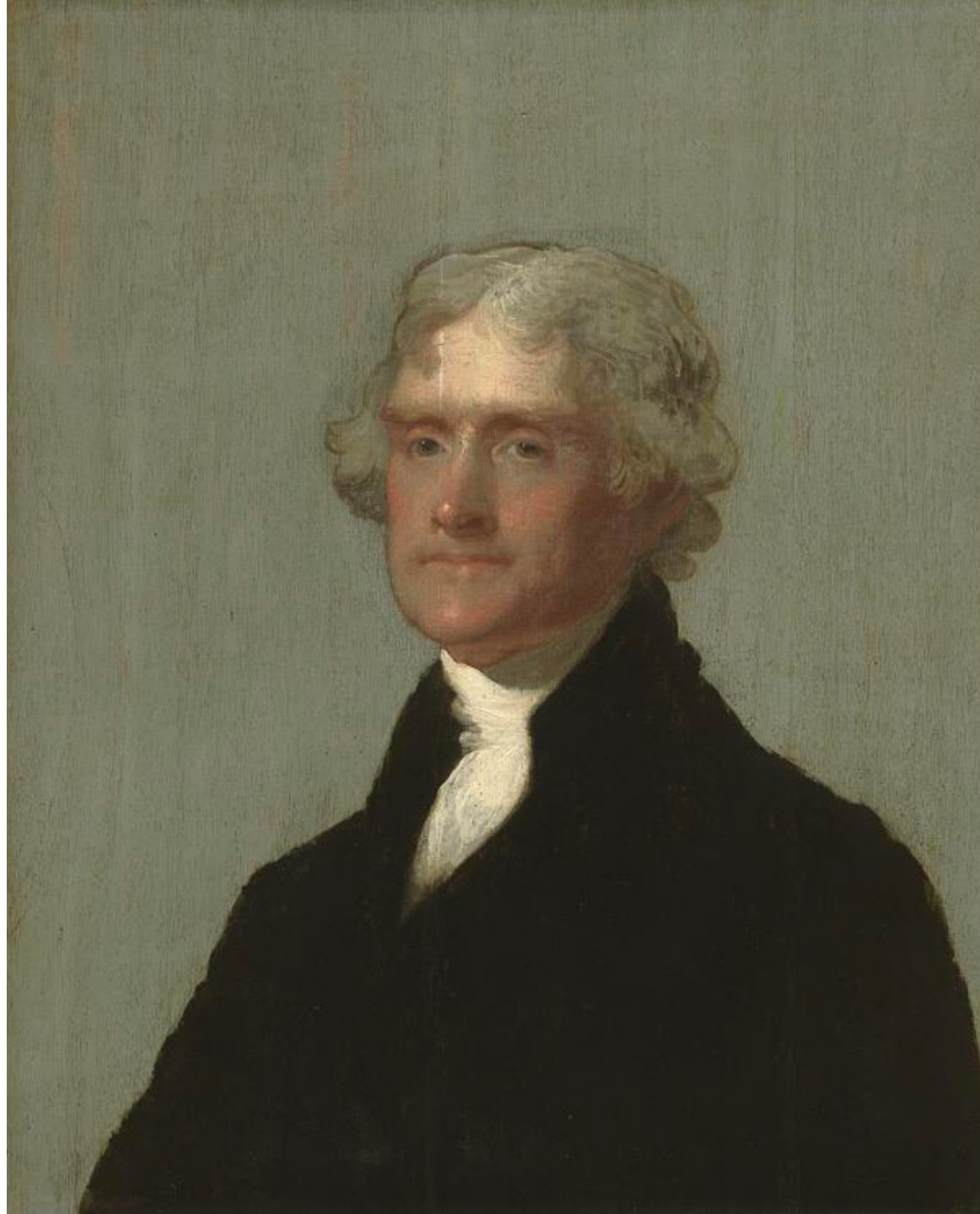
And now, this 26th day of January 1960,
after 126 years, restored to the
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by
A. S. H. Hosenbach

Gilbert Stuart (1755-1828)

Thomas Jefferson (1743-1826) 'The
Edgehill Portrait'

Oil on mahogany panel 1805/1821

Smithsonian Institution, National
Portrait Gallery NPG.82.97







THE BURNING OF LOUVAIN.

The Senate of the National University of Ireland yesterday passed the following resolution:—

“The Senate of the National University of Ireland desires to offer to the illustrious University of Louvain its deep sympathy on the calamity which has befallen it—a calamity without parallel in history since the destruction of the Library of Alexandria. If this example prevail in warfare, then we may expect to find the records and achievements of civilization extinguished by ignorance in arms. Therefore we appeal to the universities of all nations to unite in a protest against an act so disastrous to the progress of mankind.”

A Reuter telegram from The Hague states that a dozen prominent Dutch artists and men of letters yesterday forwarded a telegram to the German Emperor protesting against the destruction of the town of Louvain. The

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DESIGN FOR THE LIBRARY
AT LOUVAIN

DESTROYED BY THE GERMANS · 1914
RESTORED BY AMERICA · 1922

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Vilna and Warsaw,
1941-45





Interior of the Strashun Library and Chaikl Lunski (1881-1943) Librarian of the Strashun



Max Weinrich with
attendees at a YIVO
seminar on
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מרופ דזשניאר היי סקול אוידיסאריום

זונמאג 22 מען נאוו. ^{אראנזשירט פון דעם} פייאניר פרויען קלאב ^{בענעשיט פאר די חלוצות אין ארץ ישראל}

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Actress and Singer

Luba WESOLY

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M. VODYANOV, C. VESTOFF and Co. in

Concert & Chauve Souris Eve.



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די באריהמטע אוידיש-רוסישע
זינגערין, שוישפילערין פון ניויאק

**ליובא
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Lebensgefühl des Tages sonnenfroh, leicht
Und auch die sanfte Schwermut des Nachts...

Lebensgefühl.

Viktor Charbaliq.

Le conte Korta. — Eine Heldenerzählung. Die Handlung beginnt
und abenteuerlich. Charaktere kräftig gezeichnet, wenn auch ein
Jahne in der großen Manier des Sensationsbelletristen (le
conte Korta, de l'ancien Maitre). Dafür wieder reizend,
künstlerisch skizzierte Nebenpersonen (le père Mère,
le roi Jean). Die Entwicklung der guten Mächte (Mère, Jean)
neue — mit dem Entwicklungsvollen Reiz des Götterglaubens
Pflanzenmetamorphosen — aus dem lebendigsten, geistreichen
Kraut. Psychologisch vortrefflich, viel geistreichere, als die
bei Mère. Mit Sorgfalt und Folgerichtigkeit wird die wunder-
hafte und doch naturgemäße Metamorphose des Bienenbienen
juchels (Haupt des Bienen) zur besonderen Liebe dargestellt;
wie sie sich aus dem warm hergeleiteten Bienenbienen (der
Nähe und Mitternacht) unter dem lebendigen Strahl
der Sonne (der Freundschaft, die eigentlich Liebe ist) zu einem
neuen Leben erhält. Der, tollkühn, der dies bewirkt,
gibt sich Saville, ein spiritistischer Philolog und Botaniker, hat
keiner nur die konservativen Abergläubigkeiten und den
althergebrachten Heldensinn, der sich mit gefährlichen
Dingen rührt, um den Geist eines levinenhaften Krautes
zu 16 Jahren zu erlangen (denn damals hält er die Stiefmutter
nach für einen Krieger), der abenteuerliche Abenteuer
macht, bei denen er fortwährend seinen Hals riskiert.
Im hebräen eine positive Figur; es handelt nicht nur
vortrefflich, sondern spricht auch vortrefflich. Im Allgemeinen
nimmt der Stil der Bücher ein glänzendes, reines; ein
falsches Gleichgewicht, keine störende Überwiegungslosigkeit, aber
auch nie eine Platitude. Der Stil überwiegt das Beste.
Charakteristisch, aber nicht aufdringlich; einfach, aber nicht ohne
Feinheit; illustriert die Naturgenüsse genau mit treffenden Beispielen.

As 29.1.1951 Diagnos *L. dyptas*

Nazwisko, Imię, *Kośc*

Zawód *Pracownik*

Miejscowość *Rab*

Kaw.; zom.; *dzieci*

Anamnez. *Halce watałszy serca.*

Skargi

Stat. praes. Budowa Waga *51.1 = 82.3*

Powłoki *atle wronie*

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Narz. oddech. *Bruch na dęty. Wątroba*

Narz. krwioob. *pręż. Krew. C. K. 200*

Nerki *16.1.31. Wzrost 1.75. 2.4.31*

Narz. nerw. *ny watałszy - nudności*

Uwaga *C. K. 1.75. Wzrost 1.75. 2.4.31*

Verte *Wzrost 1.75. 2.4.31*

Kuracja *7.11.32. Diabaz; Kapsle z j. Tronera*

Przyrost 1.75. 2.4.31. C. K. 8, 4 to





The Gate of the Vilna Ghetto, with German and Lithuanian guards 1942 / The ruins of the Vilna Ghetto, 1946 Yad Vashem

YIVO from an album that documents the
confiscation of cultural property by the
Einsatzstab Reichsleiter Rosenberg.

Yad Vashem: 368



Wilna
YIVO

Emanuel Ringelblum, founder of
the "Oyneg Shabes" archive

Yad Vashem: 1592/64





Boxes and Jars in which the Ringelblum
Archives were concealed

Yad Vashem: 1605/17







ALEXANDER ARCHER
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National Library of Bosnia & Herzegovina
1992





Elif Shafak  @Elif_Safak · May 28



Remember her name, never forget.... **Aida Buturovic**, the young librarian who was shot while trying to save some of the rare books from the flames. History matters. Memory matters. Culture matters.

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11 Milosevic trial.

12 Secondly, yes, some special collections that were in the basement
13 of the library were saved largely because of a lack of oxygen. The
14 intensity of the fire was such that it drew all the oxygen upward, and
15 the items in the basement, to which some of the more valuable items in
16 the collection had been moved, survived. But the volume of material that
17 was saved is relatively small. I was shown six or seven large trunks
18 that contained some of the most precious items in the collection.
19 However, a very large part, a majority of -- for example, the Bosnian
20 periodicals collection was lost. This is material that no library, other
21 than the National Library, collected to such an extent.
22 A large percentage of the deposit publications, a fairly complete
23 collection of everything that had been printed in Bosnia from the
24 mid-19th century until the war, a large percentage of that vanished.
25 What remained has been estimated at roughly 100.000 items. What was lost

1 included not only books, but special collections, maps, photographs, and
2 other items. So the 1.500.000 is a very firm estimate of the number of
3 library items that was lost, this according to Bosnian colleagues who had
4 published extensive material about it.

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Second Protocol to the Hague Convention of 1954 for the Protection of Cultural Property in the Event of Armed Conflict 1999

The Hague, 26 march 1999

Convention, The Hague 14 May 1954

First Protocol, The Hague, 14 May 1954

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The Parties,

Conscious of the need to improve the protection of cultural property in the event of armed conflict and to establish an enhanced system of protection for specifically designated cultural property;

Reaffirming the importance of the provisions of the Convention for the Protection of Cultural Property in the Event of Armed Conflict, done at the Hague on 14 May 1954, and emphasizing the necessity to supplement these provisions through measures to reinforce their implementation;

Desiring to provide the High Contracting Parties to the Convention with a means of being more closely involved in the protection of cultural property in the event of armed conflict by establishing appropriate procedures therefor;

Considering that the rules governing the protection of cultural property in the event of armed conflict should reflect developments in international law;

Affirming that the rules of customary international law will continue to govern questions not regulated by the provisions of this Protocol;

Have agreed as follows:

Chapter 1 Introduction

Article 1 Definitions

For the purposes of this Protocol:

"Party" means a State Party to this Protocol;

"cultural property" means cultural property as defined in Article 1 of the Convention;

"Convention" means the Convention for the Protection of Cultural Property in the Event of Armed Conflict, done at The Hague on 14 May 1954;

"High Contracting Party" means a State Party to the Convention;

"enhanced protection" means the system of enhanced protection established by Articles 10 and 11;

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.@SNSDDodik is moving towards re-establishment of the Bosnian Serb Army, the institution found by International Court of Justice in 2007 to be responsible for genocide. This is now a security crisis of the first order. Peace in Bosnia is at stake. Time for talk is over.



Istraga.ba @IstragaB · Oct 28

Glavni odbor SNSD-a večeras bi na Palama trebao usvojiti zaključke o pokretanju procedure za osnivanje vojske Republike Srpske

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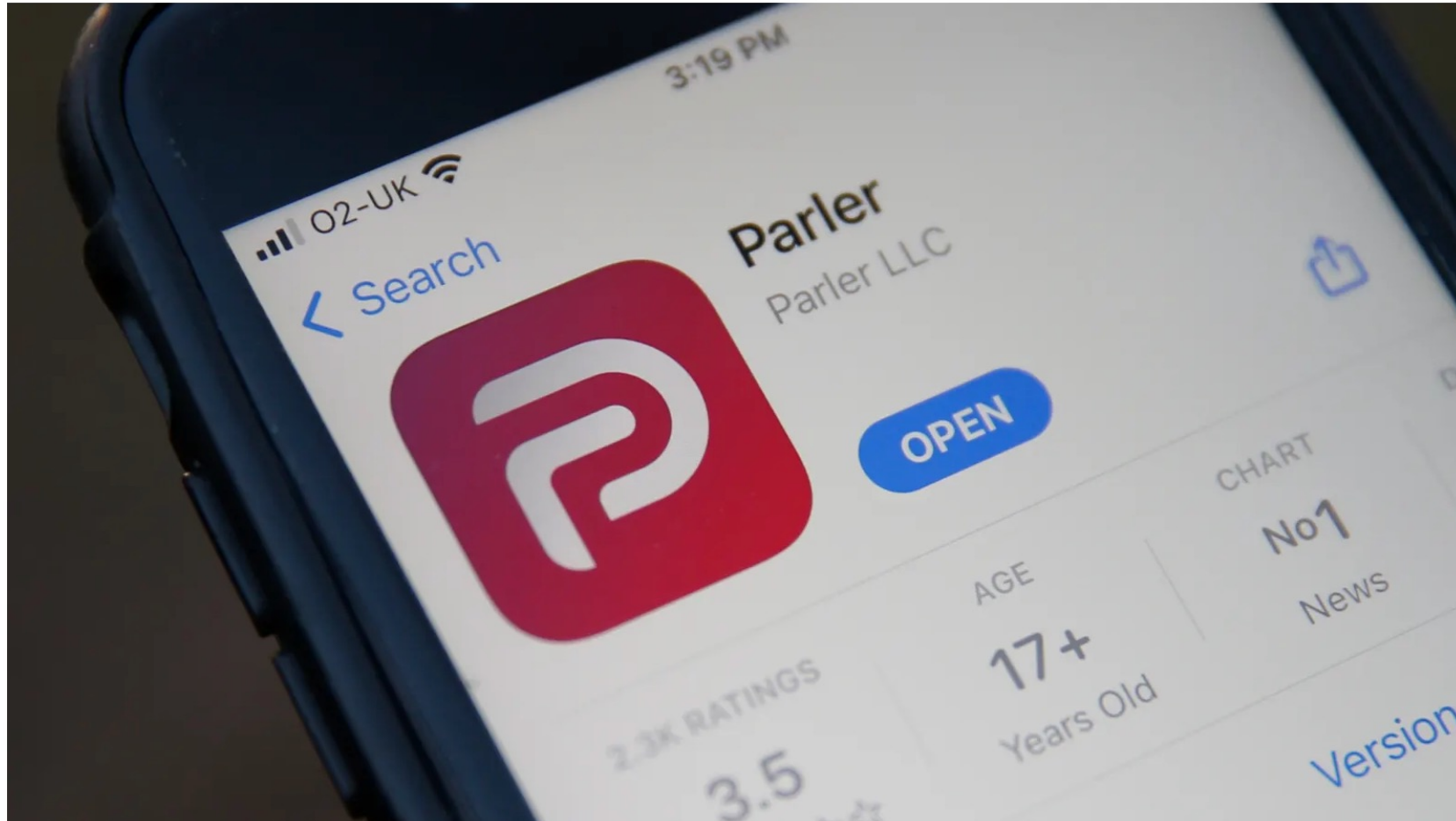
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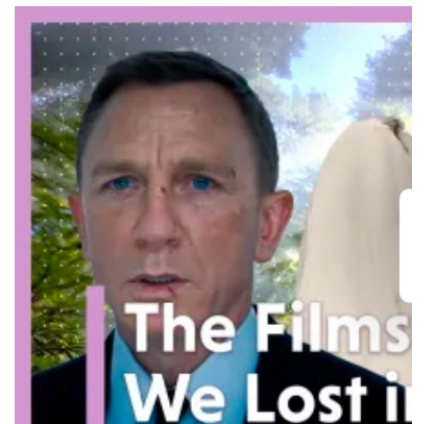
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