[3] Order ye the mogen and tzinnah (large shield), and draw near to milchamah. 4 Harness the susim; and get up, ye parashim (horsemen), and stand forth with your helmets; polish the spears, and put on the armor. [5] What do I see? They are filled with terror and retreat! And their gibborim are beaten down, and are fled speedily, and look not back; for fear was all around, saith Hashem. [6] Let not the swift flee away, nor the gibbor escape; they shall stumble, and fall toward the north by the river Euphrates.

[7] Who is this that riseth like the Nile, whose mayim surge like the rivers? [8] Mitzravim riseth up like the Nile, and his mayim surge like the rivers; and he saith, I will go up, and will cover eretz (earth); I will destroy cities and the inhabitants thereof. [9] Come up, ye susim; and rage, ye chariots; and let the Gibborim come forth; Kush and Put, that handle the mogen; and the Ludim, that handle and bend the keshet.

[10] For this is the Yom Adonoi Hashem Tzva'os, a day of vengeance, that He may avenge Him on His adversaries; and the cherev shall devour, and it shall be satiate and made drunk with their dahm; for Adonoi Hashem Tzva'os hath a zevach in eretz tzafon by the river Euphrates.

|11| Go up into Gil`ad, and take balm, O Betulat Bat
Mitzrayim; in vain shalt thou use many refu'ot (healing remedies, medicines); for thou shalt not be healed.
|12| The Goyim have heard of thy shame, and thy cry hath filled ha'aretz; for the gibbor hath stumbled against the

gibbor, and they are fallen both together.

[13] The Davar that Hashem spoke to Yirmeyah HaNavi, how Nevuchadretzar Melech Bayel would come and strike Eretz Mitzravim. |14| Declare ve in Mitzravim, and publish in Migdol, and publish in Noph and in Tahpanhes; say ye, Stand fast, prepare thee; for the cherev shall devour all around thee. [15] Why was it swept away? They stood not, because Hashem did drive them. 16 He made many to stumble, indeed, one fell upon another; and they said, Arise, and let us go back to ammenu (our own people), and to eretz moladteinu (land of our birth), from the oppressing cherev.

|17| They did cry there,
Pharaoh Melech Mitzrayim is
but a noise; he hath passed
the mo'ed (time appointed).
|18| As I live, saith
HaMelech, Hashem Tzva'os
Shmo, Surely as Tavor is
among the harim, and as
Carmel by the yam, so shall he
[Nebuchadnezzar] come.
|19| O thou Bat dwelling in
Mitzrayim, prepare thyself to
go into Golus; for Noph shall
be waste and desolate without
an inhabitant.

|20| Mitzrayim is like a very fair eglah, but a gadfly comes; it comes out of the tzafon.
|21| Also her mercenaries are in the midst of her like young calves of the stall; for they also are turned back, and are fled away together; they did not stand, because the day of their calamity was come upon them, and the time of their pekuddat.

|22| The noise thereof [the sound of Egypt fleeing] shall go like a nachash; for they [her enemies] shall march in force, and come against her with axes, as choppers of wood.

[23] They shall cut down her forest, saith Hashem, though it cannot be searched out; because they are more in number than the arbeh (locust), innumerable. |24| The Bat Mitzravim shall be ashamed; she shall be delivered into the yad of the Am Tzafon (People of the North). [25] Hashem Tzva'os Elohei Yisroel, saith; Hineni, I will punish Amon of No, and Pharaoh, and Mitzrayim, with their elohim, and their melachim; even Pharaoh, and all the botechim (ones trusting) in him; 26 And I will deliver them into the yad of those that seek their nefesh, and into the yad of Nevuchadretzar Melech Bavel, and into the yad of his avadim; and afterward it shall be inhabited, as in the vemei kedem (days of old), saith Hashem. [27] But fear not thou, O Avdi Ya'akov, and be not dismayed, O Yisroel; for, hineni, I will save thee from afar off, and

save thee from afar off, and thy zera from the land of their captivity; and Ya'akov shall return, and be in rest and securely at ease, and none shall make him afraid. [28] Fear thou not, O Ya'akov Avdi, saith Hashem; for I am with thee; for I will make a full end of kol HaGoyim where I have scattered thee; but I will not make a full end of thee, but correct thee with mishpat (justice); yet will I not leave thee wholly unpunished.

47^{The Devar Hashem} that came to Yirmeyah HaNavi against the Pelishtim (Philistines), before Pharaoh smote Azah (Gaza). |2| Thus saith Hashem: Hinei, waters rise up out of the north, and shall be an overflowing