

~NOBAH 2 (25)
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- **A city East of the Jordan, captured by Nobah.**
- **And the sons of Machir the son of Manasseh proceeded to march to Gilead and to capture it and to drive away the Amorites who were in it. (Numbers 32:39)**
- **And Nobah marched and went capturing Kenath and its dependent towns, and he began to call it Nobah by his own name. (Numbers 32:42)**
- **Evidently the name Nobah did not stick, because later it is called by its original name, Kenath.**
- **Later Geshur and Syria took Havvoth-jair from them, with Kenath and its dependent towns, sixty cities. All these were the sons of Machir the father of Gilead. (1 Chronicles 2:23)**
- **The ruins at Kanaouat, about 90 kilometers (60 miles) Southeast of Damascus are commonly identified with the ancient site.**