

REPORT ON TALNOE, OUMAN UYESD, KIEV GUBERNIA

In former days Talnoe was one of the most prosperous little towns in the Ukraine. It is situated in a district where the corn trade was at its height and having as its resident the famous "Talnoe Rabbi", Jews from the entire district used to flock here and brought with them welfare and prosperity into the town.

That used to be. Times have changed now. Talnoe, as well as the rest of the town in this district has suffered from a number of pogroms. Prosperity has gone long ago, so has the famous Rabbi and so have also all those that could afford to leave the town and find refuge in larger centres, more or less safe from pogroms and under better economic conditions. Only the very poor had to stay behind trying to make the best of it.

The general population consists of 14,000 among which are 8,000 Jews, including 300 refugee families.

The only institutions now in Talnoe are:

- I. Ukrainian Children Home, and
- I. Home for Aged with 35 inmates.

A few versts out from Talnoe there is also an hospital with 50 beds. This hospital belongs to the sugar factory out there.

The Jewish children home burned down recently, the children of which have been quartered in private homes. The J. D. C. has allocated \$110. (5000 roubles) for repairs of the children home.

OUTSTANDING NEEDS OF TALNOE

1. It is necessary to open a Home for 100 children.
2. \$100. is needed for repairs of the public school premises.
3. It is important to open a dispensary which should also be provided with medicines. Dr. Belinkis who is a skilful doctor and prominent social worker, a resident for 40 years in Talnoe, would be of great use in organizing this dispensary.
4. Bed-linen, clothing, footwear and food is needed for the Home for Aged.
5. The Bath-House must be repaired for which \$200 is needed.

Some individual relief must be distributed among the neediest of the population.

RELIEF RENDERED BY J. D. C.

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\$200 sent by the New York Landsmanschaft on Feb. 23, 1923, was distributed on April 9th, 1923, by our inspector in accordance with the wishes of the Landsmanschaft.

This is how the money was distributed:

For the repair of the children home, recently destroyed by fire.....	Rs.2500
(\$56). (For this the JDC added out of its own funds Rs. 5,000).	
For repairs of the premises of the Jewish Public school.....	2000
(about \$45)	
For the Home for Aged.....	1500
(about \$33).	

The balance - the sum of Rs.3000, (about \$66) was distributed among the neediest of the Jewish population.

At that time arrangements were also made for the distribution of 25 Food Remittance Packages sent by the New York Landsmanschaft, and 7 Food Remittance Packages sent by the Argentine Landsmanschaft.

The J. D. C. has added 25 Food Remittance Packages for distribution out of its own Bulk Sale. Thus the miserable condition of those in dire need has somewhat been relieved; also the institutions have received some relief. But that is yet quite insufficient.

BUDGET FOR FURTHER RELIEF TO TALNOE

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	<u>One time</u> <u>Subvention</u>	<u>Monthly</u> <u>Subvention</u>
I. To Jewish Home for 41 children:		
(a) additional beds, furniture and school appliances.....	\$75.	
(b) additional equipment with underwear, bed-linen and shoes as per attached list.....	\$250.	
(c) Monthly subvention for feeding		\$ 82.
2. Jewish Public School for 225 children.		
(a) House repair.....	\$200.	
(b) Additional equipment of furniture and school appliances.....	\$100.	

3. Home for Aged (35 inmates)		
(a) House repairs.....	₹100.	
(b) Equipment of underwear & clothing	₹500.	
(c) For food monthly		₹70.
4. Bath-House repair	₹200.	
5. To organize Day Nursery for 150 children.		
(a) Repair and equipment	₹750.	
(b) Monthly maintenance		₹300.
6. Dispensary.		
(a) House repair	₹ 75.	
(b) Equipment	₹ 75.	
(c) Monthly maintenance		₹100.
7. Organization of Loan Kassa	₹1000.	
8. Repair of 25 Jewish houses destroyed during pogroms	₹500.	
9. For individual relief.....	₹200	

TOTAL: ₹4,025. ₹552-

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