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December 2, 2000

- A group of settlers from Efrat, protected by the Israeli army, seized 50 dunums of land planted with vine trees, owned by Palestinian villagers from Al-Khader village, in Bethlehem District. Quds
- According to Alhayat Al-Jadeeda Daily, Israeli bulldozers cut down 60 fully-grown olive trees from Huwwara village, in Nablus District. These trees belonged to the families of Damidi and Owdeh.
- Israeli bulldozers, accompanied by a group of Israeli soldiers, started bulldozing land on the hills opposite Givat Zeev settlement. They have begun to set up piles of stones, opening new by-pass roads, extending water, electricity and telephone connections. They have also started to sell the settlement housing units. This groundwork is being prepared on lands belonging to residents of Beituniya, Al-Jib and Al-Judeira villages. Jadeeda

December 3, 2000

- In Nablus District, Israeli occupation authorities have blocked all roads from Beit Burik, Beit Dajan, Burin and Deir Sharaf villages, which lead to Nablus City. The aim of these actions seems to be to re-enforce the blockade on the city and to disconnect it from nearby towns. At the same time, Israeli forces have re-closed the road from Kafr Sur, Kafr Jmmal, Kafr A'bbush and Kafr Zibad villages, south of Tulkarm. Jadeeda

December 4, 2000

- In Nablus District, Israeli occupation bulldozers uprooted around 180 olive trees belonging to Wajdi 'Alawneh from Salim village, close to Elon

Moreh settlement. Moreover, Jewish settlers accompanied by Israeli forces set fire to an olive grove owned by Palestinians from Burqa village. According to Palestinian sources, in 'Azmut village east of Nablus, a group of Jewish settlers bulldozed pieces of land located between 'Azmut and Deir Al Hatab villages and chopped down more than 1000 olive trees belonging to the 'Alawneh family. Quds

- Also in Nablus District, the settlers of Yizhar destroyed two plastic houses belonging to Rahma Isma'el from Burin village, and burned the cattle yard containing 70 sheep belonged to Ghaleb family. Isma'el claimed that the settlers killed the cattle by feeding them with poisonous substances. Yizhar settlers also stole the accessories and the bags of olive collected by farmers in Burin village. Quds
- A report was published by the Peace Now movement proposing a new plan to evacuate a number of Jewish settlements in the Palestinian Territories. The report urged for the evacuation of about 6,500 Jewish settlers in Gaza Strip and more than 100,000 settlers from settlements in the West Bank. The report divided settlements into eight categories and suggested that the first six should be evacuated. **These eight categories are:**
 - Category 1: settlements located in the heart of Gaza Strip such as Netzarim, Kfar Darom, Morag and Neveh Dekalim. These include about 6,500 settlers.
 - Category 2: settlements in the heart of the West Bank such as Hebron, Kfar Tapuah, Nahliel, Ofra, Beit El, Psagot, and Kiryat Arba. These include 18,500 settlers.
 - Category 3: settlements surrounded by Palestinian villages such as Elon Moreh, Kedumim, Yitzar and Eli. These include 16,000 settlers.
 - Category 4: settlements located deep in the West Bank such as Ariel and Adumim, with a total of 45,000 settlers.
 - Category 5: settlements in the Jordan Valley and by the Dead Sea totaling 5,000 settlers.
 - Category 6: settlements that dislocate Palestinian territorial contiguity, amounting to 20,000 settlers.
 - Category 7: settlements in Gush Etzion, comprising 12,000 settlers
 - Category 8: settlements close to the Armistice Line totaling 72,000 settlers. Haaretz

December 5, 2000

- In Nablus District, Israeli bulldozers, guarded by dozens of Israeli soldiers, uprooted 250 olive trees from Kafr Ad Dik village, near Salfit. According to the inhabitant Mohammad Mer'y it is now impossible to reach the village due to the Jewish settlers who have set up an outpost in the village near the Secondary School for Girls. In addition, 50 olive trees were cut down from As Sawiya and Beita villages. Settlers from Yizhar, which is constructed on Huwwara and Burin village land, cut down more than 500 olive trees owned by several Palestinian families from Huwwara. Wageeh Owdeh, the Mayor of the village said that this is the sixth time that settlers and Israeli army damaged and uprooted trees from Huwwara.
- In Ramallah District, Israeli authorities uprooted more than 15 olive trees (16 years old) from Al Lubban al Gahrbi village. The trees were then transported in Lorries in order to be re-planted at Beit Arye settlement, near the 1949 Armistice Line. Fieldworker & Quds & PIC & Jadeeda

December 6, 2000

- In Hebron District, Jewish settlers damaged the telecommunication network that serves more than 1,100 people including hospitals, in downtown Hebron. Eyewitnesses said that a group of settlers destroyed the main telephone connection by cutting the cables. This kind of damage takes at least ten days to be fixed. Quds

December 7, 2000

- According to the Palestinian Information Center, Israeli occupation authorities are continuing their policy of destroying the Palestinian environment by uprooting more trees. Today, Israeli bulldozers damaged more than ten dunums of vines belonging to the Al Masharqa family, near the Fawwar refugee camp, Hebron District. The Israeli army also closed the main entrance to Fawwar camp with stones and rocks.

December 8, 2000

- Israeli occupation authorities demolished a 150m long and 8m high wall of Al-Khader Secondary School for Boys, which is located in area C, close to the by-pass road no. 60, in Bethlehem District. They also cut down about 20 olive trees from the same area. Quds
- A report appeared in Al-Quds Daily stating that Palestinian olive trees are the preferred targets for Jewish settlers and Israeli occupation forces. The report stated that a new policy has been adopted of expelling Palestinians

from their lands in order to aid land confiscation. The effects of this policy have been far reaching. Hisham 'Alan from Nablus decided not to pick his 120-olive trees rather than risk his life. Likewise, Palestinian farmers of Beit Furik, Nablus can't pick their 1500-olive trees, which are close to Itamar settlement. Their olive crops remain unharvested. The report also recorded that settlers in Nablus District have stolen 1,126 sacks of olives weighing 73,190 kilograms. Quds

- Israeli bulldozers started to construct a new two kilometer long by-pass road, between Bizzariya village and Hallamish settlement, in Nablus District. The road, which has led the uprooting of 800 olive trees, will run through Burqa village and also threatens hundreds more olive trees. Quds

December 9, 2000

- A group of Qiryat Arba settlers shot Mansour Jabber, a 13 year old Palestinian child, causing him severe injuries, while he was in his house behind the window. The settlers also continued their usual attacks against the citizens of Hebron by seizing a number of houses near the settlement and closing all by-pass roads leading to Hebron Jewish settlements. In addition, they destroyed tens of dunums of agricultural land located near by-pass roads. Quds
- Israeli occupation bulldozers chopped down more than 200 olive trees from Deir Istiya village, in Nablus District, and prevented the villagers from reaching the groves to re-cultivate them. Also, Israeli bulldozers uprooted 120 olive trees from the same village that belonged to the citizen Abdel 'Aziz Abu Zeid. These trees were the main source of the family's income. Quds
- Jewish settlers captured 'Ata Jaber's house in Al Baq'a village, east of Hebron where they raised the Israeli flag on its roof. However, Israeli authorities eventually forcibly evacuated the settlers who then tried to burn and demolish the house. Fieldworker

December 10, 2000

- Israeli occupation authorities delivered a military order to the 'Ata Jaber family (see December 9), to confiscate the house until March 2001 under the pretext of it being needed for military purposes. The house was then declared a closed military zone and no one is allowed to enter it. Quds

December 11, 2000

- Palestinian villagers of Sinjil, north of Ramallah said that Israeli bulldozers had bulldozed wide areas of their agricultural land. Also in Sinjil, Hasan Zaghoul's house and his farm gate were demolished. The Israeli army chopped down 90 olive trees owned by 'Awashreh and Abu Hamzeh families from the same village. While in Jericho District, Israeli bulldozers demolished several Palestinian houses and stockyards belonging to villagers from Al-'Auja. Jadeeda
- Jewish settlers uprooted 400 olive and almond trees and 50 citrus trees in addition to bulldozing 250 dunums of land cultivated with fully-grown trees in 'Izbat Salman village, in Qalqiliya District and owned by the Palestinian families of Salman and Quzmar. According to locals, Israeli surveyors under the protection of the Israeli army were surveying the land, and carrying maps for the area. They seemed to be aiming to confiscate the land either in order to establish a new Jewish settlement or to be used to expand Oranit settlement. The land to be seized is located along side of the road leading to Alfei Mensahe settlement, southeast of Qalqiliya. Quds & Jadeeda
- In Hebron District, Suseya settlers uprooted 70, 8 year old, olive trees owned by the Palestinian Moussa Mohammad Issa from Yatta village. Israeli bulldozers also devastated about 5 dunums of land belonging to the same man in Khillet Al Humus close to Suseya settlement. Fieldworker

December 12, 2000

- In Qalqiliya near Alfei Menashe, Israeli bulldozers destroyed more than 15 dunums of land cultivated with fully-grown olive and citrus trees belonging to Palestinian farmers. Jadeeda
- Israeli bulldozers continued to work on a new by-pass road in Nablus District. The new road which has damaged 200 olive and 100 almond trees belonging to villagers from Deir Sahraf. The construction of this road also threatens hundreds of trees with uprooting in order for the road to connect with the settlement. The planned route starts from Deir Sharaf village, passes by Sabastiya, Rameen and Burqa villages and ends at Homesh and Enav settlements to the north and northwest of Nablus City. Quds
- In Nablus District, Israeli occupation authorities started bulldozing an area of land estimated at 24 dunums, owned by Yacoub Salman from Deir Haris village in order to open a new by-pass road linking 'Immanual, Yaqqir, Barqan and Revava settlements. According to Salman, Israeli bulldozers have so far uprooted about 60 olive and 20 almond trees from his land. He suggested that Israel might be intending to form a new

settlement block comprising of the four settlements mentioned. Jadeeda + Quds

December 13, 2000

- In Hebron District, a group of settlers from Beit Iyen, west of the Etzion block, started to destroy Palestinian land from the villages of Surif and Al Jaba', belonging to Hasan and Ibrahim Shiboun in order to expand the settlement. According to the fieldworker, the Israeli bulldozers have begun to level about 200 dunums of land and have opened a new 2-3 km road. Fieldworker

December 14, 2000

- According to Al-Quds Newspaper, Israeli bulldozers started digging on the main road that connects Ramallah with the villages west and north of Jerusalem, crossing Beituniya. They have erected huge mounds of earth near Ofra Military Camp, which is constructed on the land of Beituniya and Rafat villages. In Jenin District, Israeli occupation authorities chopped down more than 100 olive trees from Ya'bad village. Quds
- In Hebron district, Israeli occupation authorities bulldozed tens of dunums cultivated with olive trees in Baq'a village, close to Beit 'Awwa hamlet. Fieldworker

December 15, 2000

- Israeli occupation authorities began to close the entrances of more than 100 Palestinian villages and hamlets with concrete blocks, focusing particularly on those located along the 1949 Armistice Line. These actions force the villagers to use bumpy and dangerous roads to enter the villages. This move is seen as a first step towards isolating the West Bank from Israel and annexing a number of Jewish settlements. PIC
- A group of settlers from Tapuah opened fire on the 30 years old Palestinian farmer 'Awad Naif, from the village of Yasuf while he was working in his field, close to the Jewish settlement. He was shot and injured in his neck. Jadeeda
- Israeli occupation authorities uprooted about 190, more than 50 years old, olive trees belonging to Palestinian villagers from Al Bayiad hamlet, located on the way to A'aboud and Deir Nidham villages, Ramallah. The number of uprooted trees owned by different villagers is tabled below.

Villager	Number of trees lost
Ibrahim Ihmied	40
Othman Al Majeed	14
Mahmoud Yacoub	13
Abdallah Bashariya	36
Jamal 'Awad	32
'Atiya Yacoub	37
Rashed Ahmad	3
Sa'd Bashariya	15

- Also in Ramallah District, Israeli bulldozers destroyed a 500 dunum plot owned by Palestinians. The bulldozed land is located between Um Safa village and 'Ateret settlement, which is constructed on the villages of Um Safa and 'Atara villages. Fieldworker

December 16, 2000

- The settlers of Kedumim, which is constructed at the expense of Kafr Qaddum village, in Qalqiliya District attacked the Palestinian villagers and damaged their agricultural land. The villager Abdel Qader Rayyan said that the settlers destroyed the village's land by uprooting hundreds of their olive trees (more than 12 years old). He also added that this is not the first time that the settlers have damaged the village. Quds
- According to the Alhayat-Al Jadeeda newspaper, dozens of olive trees were uprooted in Kefl Haris village by the Israeli occupation forces after they damaged wide areas of Palestinian agricultural land near the Trans-Samarian highway, Nablus. Sami Abu Yacoub who owned the land received a demolition order to his house that will come into effect if there continues to be stone throwing near his house.
- The Palestinian Ministry of Agriculture announced that the total value of losses in the agricultural sector due to the Israeli closure and curfew imposed on all districts of Palestine from the beginning of Al-Aqsa Intifada until 6th December 2000 exceeded US\$ 99 million. Quds
- In Tulkarm District, Israeli soldiers positioned near the At Taibeh roadblock chased Palestinian workers who were trying to reach their work inside the Green Line. The soldiers followed the workers across fields and hill, assaulted them, confiscated their ID cards and prevented them from passing. The Israeli army accompanied by Jewish bulldozers closed all dirt tracks that connect the district's villages with the city, and placed large

blocks at all entrances in order to prevent the citizens from entering Tulkarm. Quds

December 17, 2000

- Kafr Ad Dik village, south west of Nablus is threatened by the expansion of the nearby settlements. More than 50 olive trees were cut down and tens of dunums were destroyed in order to construct a new settlement by-pass road linking Alei Zahav and Peduel settlements. Najeh Harb told Alhayat Al-Jadeeda that the uprooted trees were only planted a week ago, and the previous ones were chopped down for the same purpose.

December 19, 2000

- Israeli occupation authorities accompanied by Israeli bulldozers continue to bulldoze hundreds of dunums of land from Haris village, in Nablus District aiming to open a by-pass road connecting Revava, Yaqqir and Barqan settlements with the Trans Samaritan highway. Jadeeda
- Jewish settlers of from the Talmon settlement group in Ramallah District uprooted more than 3000 cauliflower seedlings and destroyed the plastic irrigated pipes that belonged to Ahamd Yousef from 'Ein Um Sraj hamlet. Fieldworker

December 20, 2000

- Israeli occupation forces kidnapped the second year student Samer Al Hindawi, from Hebron University, while he was coming back to his house, which is located in an area under Palestinian security control.
- In Nablus District, the settlers of Yizhar, which is constructed on the land of the Palestinian village of Huwwara, uprooted about 100 olive trees owned by Yousef Damidi and Dr. Mohammad Damidi. On the same day, Israeli bulldozers cut down 456 olive trees from the village of Yatma and arrested three of its residents. Furthermore, Israeli occupation bulldozers continued to bulldoze wide areas of Jerzeem Mountain in an attempt to establish new military fortifications. Quds

December 21, 2000

- According to the Israeli Newspaper Ma'ariv, the Israeli Ministry of Housing published new tenders for constructing 708 housing units in two Jewish settlements. 496 housing units are going to be constructed in

Ma'ale Adumim settlement while the remaining 212 units will be constructed in Alfei Menashe settlement. However, on December 22, 2000 the Ministry issued another report stating that the bids issued on December 21, 2000 were the result of a technical mistake. The Peace Now movement stated that they believed that the Ministry intended to publish these tenders but withdrew them because of the bad timing of the publication. Furthermore, the Israeli Minister of Housing and Construction, Ben Yamin Ben Eli'azar, showed data about the construction in the West Bank settlements since the beginning of year 2000 till the middle of November 2000. The data shows a total of 1,400 housing units constructed in this period. The locations of these units are as follows:

settlement	Housing Units Constructed between 01/01/00 and 15/11/00
Betar Illit:	651
Ma'ale Adumim	267
Ariel	182
Givat Benjamin	148
Alfei Menashe	89
Givat Zeev	32
Karne Shomron	32
Efrat	20

- This construction in the West Bank represents 13% of governmental building in the whole of Israel. Quds

December 22, 2000

- Israeli occupation authorities exploited the current situation in the Palestinian territories by closing the only dumping site in Al Bireh, Ramallah District, under the pretext of being unhygienic and polluting Beit El settlers. This dumping site normally serves more than 30,000 Palestinians. According to Palestinian sources, this closure is really a preparation for the opening of a new by-pass road linking Beit El with Psagot settlements at the expense of Palestinian land. A consultant for the Ministry of Environmental Affaris noted that settlers from Beit El and other settlements are still using the dumping site, which they claimed was harmful to them. Quds

- The Israeli Deputy Defense Minister Ephraim Sneh announced that Israel is to invest NIS 1,000 million to erect a 74-km long security fence of cement walls, iron rails, ramparts and cement blocks along the Green Line (1949 Armistice Line). This fence will prevent Palestinian cars from entering Israel. He also added that the fence would run from Tulkarm, both northward to Moshav Mei Ami in the Wadi Ara region between Hadera and Afula and southward to Latrun. Quds & Jerusalem Post
- Ehud Olmert, the Mayor of Jerusalem, declared that Israel had agreed to give the Palestinians full sovereignty over the Jewish cemetery on the Mount of Olives and also to control over the Temple Mount as part of a final peace agreement. While PM's office dismissed Olmert's claim as "erroneous speculation". Jerusalem Post
- According to a fieldworker, Israeli forces bulldozed 20 dunums planted with vine trees belonging to Halhoul village, in Hebron District.

December 24, 2000

- Israeli occupation authorities detained Palestinian villagers Isma'el 'Awad and Nu'man Abu 'Aram and fined each one NIS 500, under the pretext that they were forbidden to cultivate their land east of Yatta village. Fieldworker

December 25, 2000

- Israeli occupation authorities tightened the blockade imposed on Beit Furik village, in Nablus District and prevented the citizens from entering or leaving the village. The villagers were also chased by soldiers when they tried to take bumpy dirt tracks out of the village. The Israeli authorities continued to impose a complete siege on the northern valleys of the West Bank especially in Tubas District in order to isolate Bardala, 'Ein el Beida, Kardala and Al Malih villages from each other.
- Jewish settlers of Ariel and Tapuah protected by Israeli soldiers cut down 400 olive trees from Jamma'in and Marda villages, in Nablus District, close to the Trans-Samaritan highway. At the same time, Israeli forces uprooted a number of olive trees from Salim village, on land close to Elon Moreh settlement and belonging to Sharbada family. Quds & Jadeeda
- According to Israeli sources, extremist Jewish settlers are planning to seize a number of houses in the Old City of Jerusalem in the coming few days. The Israeli Newspaper Ma'ariv mentioned that these settlers are also planning to fill new housing units, located in the Muslim quarter, with Jewish settlers.

December 28, 2000

- In Nablus District, a 65 year old Palestinian with American nationality, Saleem Ahmad, from Kafr Al Deik, died at an Israeli checkpoint south of Nablus after being detained for several hours. Ahmad was going to visit his daughter in Al-Luban village, where the Israeli army apprehended him, leaving him standing for five hours (from 11 a.m. till 4 p.m.) at the checkpoint. It is believe that he died as a result of suffering in this way at the checkpoint. Quds
- A report issued by a settlement council in the West Bank stated that Palestinians are going to gain control over Al-Aqsa Mosque, the Mount of Olive, the city of Da'oud and Rachel's Tomb in Jerusalem and that the settlement will result in the eviction of more than 100 Jewish settlements . The document also claimed that Palestinians are going to be awarded compensation in return for handing over 3% of the West Bank to Israel. Quds

December 29, 2000

- Israeli occupation bulldozers accompanied by Israeli border police started bulldozing wide areas of land close to Kokhav Yaacov settlement, which is built up on the land of Kafr 'Aqab village, in Ramallah District. According to the villagers, the confiscation of the land came without previous warning, after the failure of two settlers' attempts to expropriate the land. It is estimated that some hundreds of dunums cultivated with olive and fig trees have been confiscated to aid the expansion of the nearby settlement. Quds
- A report published by the Palestinian Center for Human Rights stated that the total area of land bulldozed in Gaza Strip by the Israeli occupation forces since the outbreak of the Al-Aqsa Intifada until December 18, 2000, was 4,456 dunums. More than 3,520 dunums (79%) was agricultural land and the other 920 dunums (21%) was forestry and sandy land. Quds
- In Hebron District, Jewish settlers protected by Israeli soldiers set fire to Al Nabi Yaqin Mosque in Bani Na'im village, burning the carpet and all its copies of the Koran. Fieldworker & Quds
- The Jerusalem Municipality endorsed two separated plans involving the confiscation of a total of 178 dunums of Palestinian land. The first plan is for the development of the train line and the second is the Eastern Ring Road. According to the first plan, 52 dunums of land will be seized from near the Jerusalem-Ramallah road, in order to construct the new train line. The towns from which land will be confiscated are located between Maale

Adumim crossroads and Yekutiel-Adam road. The second plan involves the confiscation of 126 dunums from around the Jerusalem Eastern Ring Road. The area to be confiscated is to the east of Jabal al Mukabbir, to the west of the Municipality Boundary and Talpiyot and to the north of Sur Bahir village. Quds

- A report published in Al-Quds showed a proposed plan from Prime Minister Barak's office for the eviction of a number of Jewish settlements in the West Bank and Gaza Strip. According to an Israeli-Palestinian future settlement, the plan suggested that Palestinians would retain 95% of the West Bank (5,220 km²) and the total area of Gaza Strip, whereas Israelis would retain the remaining 270 km² of the West Bank. The settlements proposed to be evicted in the West Bank and Gaza Strip are listed according to district:
 - In Gaza Strip: Rafih-Yam, `Azmona, Bedolah, Gan Or, Neve Dekalim, Kefar Yam, Gannei Tal, Katif, Netzar Hazzani, Kfar Darom, Netzarim, Peat Sadeh, Morag, Dugit, Ele Sinai and Nisanit (17 settlements).
 - In Jenin District: Kaddim, Gannim, Shaked, Hinnanit, Tal Menshe, Rehan, Sa Nur, Hermesh and Homesh (9 settlements).
 - In the Jordan Valley: Mehola, Shadmot, Massua, 'Aghiti, Maale Efrayim, Yafit, Betse'el, Gilgal, Netiv Hagedud, Niran, Yitav, Noomi, Tum, Mizpe Yeriho, Vered Yeriho, Beit Ha'arava, North Dead Sea and Almog (18 settlements)
 - In Nablus District: Elon Moreh, Itamar, Bracha, Yizhar, Migdalim, Kfar Tapuah, Eli, Shilo, Shvut Rahel, Rachelim, Shomron and Kedumim (12 settlements).
 - In Tulkarm District: Aveni Hefetz, Enav, and Salit (3 settlements).
 - In Qalqilyah District: Padu'el, Elei Zahav, Beit Arye, and Ofarim (4 settlements).
 - In Ramallah District: Hallamish, 'Ateret, Maale Levona, Ofra, Beit El, Pesagot, Kokhav Ya'acov, Kokhav ha Shahar, Rimmonim, Nili, Talmon, Dolev, Maale Mikhmas, Kfar Adumim, Elon, Antot, and Adam (18 settlements).
 - In Bethlehem District: Nokdim, Tekoa, Mitzad, Maale Amos, and Kedar (5 settlements).
 - In Hebron District: Hebron, Qiryat 'Arba (Israeli proposes to eventually hand it over to the Palestinians, but to rent it initially for 30 years), Karmeil Zur, Bani Hever, Maale Havar, Karmel, Ma'on, Susiya, Beit Haggai, Otniel, Shima, Tene, Eshkolot, Negohot, Telem, and Adora (15 settlements).

- The plan suggests that 75% of the settlers will remain in settlements under Israeli rule. Quds

December 30, 2000

- An article appeared in Al-Quds Newspaper stating that Ma'on and Susiya settlers under the protection of Israeli army chased a number of Palestinian villagers from Yatta, in Hebron District, and prevented them from reaching their land, under the pretext of it being state-owned. In addition the settlers confiscated the villager's agricultural machines and arrested them for several hours. Israeli soldiers positioned at Tarqumiya crossing point, hindered Palestinian farmers from reaching their land, which are owned by Beit Kahel villagers and are estimated at around a thousand of dunums on the grounds of their not having special permission to get there. Quds
- In Nablus District, Israeli occupation forces damaged ten dunums of agricultural land and cut down dozens of olive trees from Deir Ballut village, ostensibly on the grounds of stone throwing from the village at Jewish settlers. Furthermore, the settlers of Karne Shomron settlement, which is built up on the land of Deir Istiya and Wadi Qana villages chopped down 100, one year old, lemon saplings belonging to Yousef Moustafa and another 20, 3 year old, saplings, owned by Nassar Moustafa. The citizens told Wafa that this is the fourth time that Jewish settlers have destroyed the land and uprooted their trees. Jadeeda

District	Land Confiscated	Land Threatened	Uprooted/Confiscated /razed/ burnt Trees	Houses Demolished	Threatened House
Bethlehem	50	0	2520	0	0
Hebron	225	0	170	0	0
Nablus	24	0	3866	0	1
Ramallah	500	0	295	0	0
Qalqilyia	15	0	1000	0	0
Jenin	0	0	100	0	0
Jerusalem	0	178	0	0	0
Total	814	178	7951	0	1

The Monthly overview report gives a list of the Israeli Violations in the Occupied Palestinian Territory which are based on reports provided by field workers and/or by one or more of the following news sources: Al-Ayyam daily newspaper, Al-Quds daily newspaper, Palestinian National Information

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