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"A House Of Hamas-Affiliated Family Confiscated By Assad Regime In Husseinieh Camp"



- A Palestinian refugee has been killed by a sniper in Yarmook camp.
- The second victim from PLA within 48 hours.
- Palestinians of Syria on the discussing table inside the House of Commons.
- Ahmad Abu Touq in enforced disappearance for 2 and half years.
- Palestinians of Syria participate in protests against UNRWA cuts.

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VICTIMS

The second victim from PLA was announced dead within the last 48 hours. The lieutenant, Samer Hasan, has killed in Shiekh-Meskeen in Dara'a during the violent fighting between Assad forces and the Syrian opposition's groups. Yesterday, Ebraheem Jumaa announced the first death of PLA in the area. AGPS had revealed few days earlier that units from PLA moved to a very hotspot of Shiekh-Meskeen upon orders from Assad regime.

In the meanwhile, a sniper in Yarmook camp shot a Palestinian refugee as he was standing in front of his house. Mohamed Hieyl Hamada announced dead at the scene, bringing the number of victims in Yarmook camp to (1060) and (284) were killed by snipers.

UPDATES

The forces of Assad regime have confiscated a house of Palestinian family in Husseinieh camp. Al-Masri family has been expelled out of its house under the pretext of affiliation to Hamas movement. AGPS said that two members of the family had been detained by the Syrian forces since 2 years.

The Syrian security and military forces continue to prevent Palestinian families to return to the camp. About 40% of population of the camp are still banned, activists said. The forces of Assad had warned all residents that their possessions, inside the camp, are at the disposal of the checkpoint on the camp entrance. Among the warned residents is Abu

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Hisham Kiplawi, Fateh-affiliated and one of the prominent personalities in the camp.



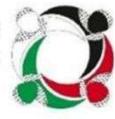
In the same context, many houses were bombed by the regime forces. Those houses were targeted due to the activities of its owners, such as, activists and journalists. It is noteworthy that the house of Hamas leader in the camp, Mahmoud Zahgmout, had been razed to the ground in 26 August 2015 by the Syrian forces.

THE UNITED KINGDOM

Researchers and experts have discussed the situation of Palestinians in Lebanon. The session, organised by Palestinian Return Centre PRC, addressed the poverty in the Palestinian camps in Lebanon in the light of the exacerbated crisis of Palestinians from Syria.

The session, titled "Poverty in Palestinian Refugee Camps: Challenges and Prospects", was hosted by MP Ben Bradshaw inside the House of Commons in the British capital of London. PRC presented a new report

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about the topic focussing on the influx of Palestinians from Syria as the main factor of the current problem of Palestinians in Lebanon. The report indicated to UNRWA and the implications of the recent cuts. The speakers in the event focused on the plight of Palestinians from Syria through some case-studies.

In the meanwhile, Palestinian Return Centre and AGPS announced a new report to be published next week. The bilingual report, Arabic and English, provides the detailed situation of Palestinians of Syria from July-December 2015, the organisations said.



ARRETING

Ahmad Abu Touq, Palestinian refugee from Alramel camp in Latakia, is still in enforced disappearance for 2 and half years. Abu Touq was arrested by Assad forces in 6 September 2013 in a crackdown in the camp. His family, unofficially, had been told that Ahmad in the 235 security post, but with no confirmation about his fate.

Many letters and calls were received by AGPS about Palestinian detainees in Syria. Practical difficulties are experienced in the process of

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documenting the entire statistics of Palestinians in prison due to the extreme secrecy imposed by the regime, AGPS said. AGPS has listed (1044) Palestinian detainee are still in prisons, (78) of them from Alramel camp, while (431) have been tortured to death.

LEBANON

Hundreds of Palestinian refugees continue protesting against UNRWA cuts. In its turn, the NGOs in Lebanon held several meetings to arrange events to that end. Palestinians of Syria Committee contributed in the meetings in Sidon south Lebanon in 25th this month, while hundreds of Palestinians from Syria in Lebanon had participated in the wave of protests. The committee demanded UNRWA to back down from its recent decisions, warning from serious repercussions on the displaced Palestinians who fled Syria to Lebanon with no hope. The participants agreed to escalate the protest in the few coming days. It is worth mentioning that (42.5) thousands of Palestinians of Syria have been registered by UNRWA, while other unofficial statistics indicated to just (33) thousands.



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Palestinians of Syria in numbers and statisticsb Until 26 January 2016

- 15,500 Palestinian Syrian refugees in Jordan, 42,500 Palestinian Syrian refugees in Lebanon, and 6,000 refugees in Egypt, according to the UNRWA's statistics till July 2015.
- More than 71,200 Palestinian Syrian refugees have arrived Europe until the end of December 2015.
- The Yarmouk Camp: still under siege imposed by the Syrian Regime's Army and PFLP-GC (Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine General Command), continued for 927 days respectively. In addition, power cuts continued for more than 1016 days, water cut for 505 days. The number of victims due to the siege has reached to 188 victims.
- Al Sbeina Camp: Syrian Regime's Army still preventing the residents from returning back to their houses for 811 days respectively.
- Handarat Camp: All of its residents have left the camp for 1004 days after the Syrian Opposition Groups controlled it.
- Dara'a Camp: Running water cut continues for 665 days, and 70% of its buildings were distroyed.
- Jarmana, AL-SaiedaZainab, Al-Raml, Al-Aedein Homs and AedeinHama: A relatively quiet situations in light of the economic crises.
- Khan Al Sheih Camp: Roads linking the camp to the city center are still closed except for Zakia-Khan EShieh road.