

RIEBENI IN 1935

Riebiņu village is located in the Rezekne Region, Silajāņu rural territory.

General overview: Riebiņu village was organized approximately 150 years ago. Gradually the number of inhabitants and construction of houses increased.

Communications (distance): Riebiņu village is located 10.5 km away from the houses of Silajāņu rural territory/parish. The closest railway station is Krace, 22 km away.

Population for the year 1935:

464 inhabitants, of which 229 (49.35%) are men and 235 (50.65%) women. By nationality, the inhabitants divide as follows:

96 (20.69%) Latvians

317 (68.32%) Jews

35 (7.54%) Great Russians

15 (3.23%) Poles

1 (0.22%) Germans

There is a total of 101 separate families in the village.

State, local government and community institutions:

In the village there are a senior Police Officer (Phone 12), post office (Phone 1), school (Phone 7), Catholic and Orthodox churches, 2 synagogues, a storehouse/facility for receiving flax, a Jewish elementary school and a physician.

Number of residences, composition and facilities:

There are 88 houses in the village, of which 11 (12.50%) belong to ethnic Latvians. Of these houses, 17 (19.32%) are one-roomed, 30 (34.09%) have two rooms, 18 (20.45%) have three rooms, 14 (15.91%) four rooms, 5 (5.68%) have five rooms and 4 (4.55%) have six rooms or more.

79 (89.77%) of the houses receive their drinking water from wells, 7 (7.96%) from natural water basins and 2 (3.37%) have water supplied by other means. All houses have kerosene lamp lighting.

Homeowners:

1. Riebinu mill owner, Janis Reiznieks
2. Riebinu Jewish Society (3 houses)

3. Mendelis-Izraels Kagans
4. Hlavna Cofnass
5. Ruvins un Judelis Sklars
6. Juris Dzenevs
7. Johanna Kancans
8. Rachila Rubins
9. Girss-Bers Antokols
10. Abrams Orleans
11. Berks Teselis
12. Have-Etele Rubins
13. Gel Fainsteins
14. Chaims Sklars
15. Faiviss Rubins
16. Juda Lavrenovs
17. Feodors Lavrenovs
18. Johanna Kancans
19. Movsa Svecs
20. Berks Leiba Sklars
21. Donats Dredzels
22. Jazeps Zuzans un Rachils Rauchmanis
23. Benedikts Smuksts
24. Skola-ip. Silajanu pag. pasvald.
25. Morduchs Fels
26. Peisachs Moreins
27. Izraels-Jankelis Rauchmanis
28. Nachums Orlijans
29. Abrams Juchnikovs
30. Nachums Moins
31. Post office and telegraph office
32. Veneranda Spelis
33. Vikentijis Svarcs
34. Konstantins Sabanskis
35. Michels Zangvils
36. Haims Zangvils
37. Judelis Grinmanis
38. Ivans Petrovs
39. Joselis Juchnikovs
40. Michla Pelecs
41. Judelis Rubins
42. Rachmils Fainsteins
43. Base Fainsteins
44. Rubin Zangvils
45. Abram Vainers
46. Konstantins Cimans

47. Kirils Filatovs
48. Abo Gilensons un Jankelis Blats
49. Judelis Rabinovics
50. Hackles Zangvils
51. Joselis Leiba Zangvils
52. Manasa Fainsteins
53. Girss Zangvils
54. Gena Gecs
55. Bencijans Rubins
56. Arons Rubins
57. Hackels Rubins
58. Izraels Rubins
59. Abrams Movsa Kagans
60. Berka, Lazars un Movsa Kagani
61. Ruvins Gutkins
62. Abrams Pinchus Antokols
63. Leja Burins
64. Ruviels Antokols
65. Ruvins Orleans
66. Sora Zlatokrilov
67. Johans Orleans
68. Joselis Zlatokrilov
69. Chaja Zlatokrilov
70. Faiviss Dimants
71. Judelis Zlatokrilov
72. Bencijans un Davids Rubini
73. Pauline Lisovskis
74. Chaims Blats
75. Foma Dzjatokovs
76. Ruvins Ulmanis
77. Marlvine Landsbergs un Ruvins Zangvils
78. Nocums Grinmanis
79. Vladislavs Leonciks
80. Movsa Antokols
81. Mana Curilovs
82. Meijers-Bencijans Moins
83. Leizers Moins
84. Abrams, Iciks un Morduchs Vaineri
85. Abrams Moins
86. Zusmanis Solovjevs
87. Riebinu Roman Catholic parish/congregation
88. Leiba Rabinovics
89. Griss Grinmanis
90. Zalamans Zlatokrilov

91. Soloms Blats
92. Meiers un Saja Grinmanis
93. Hona Zlatokrilov

Merchant (trade) and manufacturing establishments

Store owners selling either groceries or imported goods:

Miklas Pelecis
Hanas Zangvils
Boses Lachovskos
Beila Sklara
Abrama Maina
Benievjana Maina
Borucha Lachovska
Stanislava Paplovska
Zundela Rainovica
Zamuēla Rubena
Hackēla Zangvila
Bēla Skutēlska
Rubēna Zangvila
Fridas Rauchmanis

Meat and sausage shops:

Mēdēla Kagana
Jankēla Gilensona

Wine and spirits shop: owner Rachmils Fainsteins

Mill with wool processing company: owner Vincent Juska, Phone 14.

Pharmacy: owner Daniels Michelsons.

Additional information:

The Feimanu River is located near the village. It does not have a tourist camp.

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