

There would be *various* (מגוונות) piles of coins.

"For the *landlord* (בעל הבית)," Mama would say, counting the big silver coins.

"For the *grocer* (מוכר במכולת)." Another group of coins.

"To repair Katrin's shoes." And Mama counted out the little coins.

"Teacher says this week I need a notebook," would say Christine or Nels or me – Katrin.

**4. Does the family own the house on Castro Street?**

ANSWER: \_\_\_\_\_, *because...*

Mama would *solemnly* (בכובד ריש) take a *5 cents coin* or a *10 cents coin* and *set it aside* (תשים אותו בצד).

At last Papa would ask, "Is all?"

And when Mama nodded, we could relax a little and open our schoolbooks and homework. Mama would look up and smile.

"Is good," she'd say quietly. "We do not have to go to the Bank."

**5. COMPLETE THE SENTENCE.**

Mama **didn't** count out money for the (-).

- (a) groceries (מצרכים)      (b) rent (שכר דירה)      (c) trips

**6. PUT A ✓ BY THE THREE CORRECT ANSWERS.**

- ..... i) Mama counted out the money Papa had brought.  
..... ii) Mama helped her children with their homework.  
..... iii) Mama made a pile of coins for each thing they had to pay for.  
..... iv) Mama repaired Katrin's shoes.  
..... v) Mama paid the landlord and the grocer.

**7. "... we could relax a little...".**

**Why could the family relax?**

**COMPLETE THE SENTENCE.**

They could relax because they didn't ... \_\_\_\_\_.