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COMMUNISTS GET MATZOS MONOPOLY IN RUSSIA.

MOSCOW, March 20. (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) The Soviet authorities of Semferpol have granted the Jewish Communist organization "Idgeskom" the monopoly of the Passover Matzos business. The "Idgeskom" will have the exclusive concession of the manufacturing, while the local Jewish Sections of the Communist party will be in charge of the distribution.

Those Jews in Semferpol not willing to patronize the Idgeskom will have to go without the Passover bread, says the announcement. The proceeds from the sale of Matzos will be used by the Idgeskom for supplying the poor.

"JOINT" PERMITTED TO GIVE MONEY FOR MATZOS.

MOSCOW, March 20. (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) The JUC has been granted permission to distribute money to Jews for the purchase of Matzos. It is understood that Soviet at first refused to permit Dr. Bogen, the "Joint" representative, to distribute such funds, and that following repeated protests by Jews, the authorities had a change of heart.

IMMIGRANT LABOR EXPLOITED IN ARGENTINE, IS CHARGE.

PARIS, March 20. (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) Reports from Argentine to the Jewish World Relief Conference here indicate that the South American country does not offer just now very enticing conditions for the would-be immigrants. Jews planning to come to Argentine are warned to strip themselves of all illusions that they will find there pleasant conditions awaiting them.

"The results of a recent economic depression are still felt in Argentine", says the report. "There is a large number of unemployed, and business in general is not good. The immigrant too, on his arrival is usually exploited. The immigrant intending to come here should free himself of roseate illusions", the report declares.

AMERICAN JEWS WEND RELIGIOUS REVIVAL, LOUIS MARSHALL DECLARES.

Says Jewish Youth Acquainted With Freud, But Ignorant of Bible.

NEW YORK, March 20, (Jewish Correspondence Bureau) American Jewry needs a religious revival, Louis Marshall told an audience at the Institutional Synagogue Sunday night.

"How many of our young men and women, born and educated in this country have studied the word of God?" Mr. Marshall queried. "I am afraid that there are comparatively few. I have no doubt that they have read all the latest novels, or at least those that the newspapers advise, which they shouldn't; that they have read many things that are supposed to be scientific, particularly the psychology of Freud and can discuss the economic vagaries of political writers and can tell you of a great many things that are not so, and yet they have had at their command the greatest literature that the world has yet produced, the Bible.

"I believe that a religious revival is necessary. There are in New York City, 300,000 Jewish children of whom not more than one quarter are getting a Jewish training."

LITHUANIAN JEWS PREPARE FOR NEW ELECTIONS.

KOVNO, March 20, (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) The Sejm having been dissolved, because of an unworkable majority, preparations are going forward in Jewish circles for the forthcoming elections to be held in the near future.

The Jewish constituency is hopeful of obtaining better representation in the Sejm as a result of the elections.

JEWS SOLDIERS FURLOUGHED FOR PASSOVER.

WARSAW, March 20, (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) The Jewish soldiers as well as the Jewish members of the reserve corps have been furloughed for the Passover holidays. On the eve of their holiday vacation, they will be paid off in gold, says an announcement.

PANKEN ELECTED PRESIDENT OF AMERICAN "ORT".

NEW YORK, March 20, (Jewish Correspondence Bureau) Several hundred delegates representing seventeen national, fraternal and labor organizations and more than two hundred locals of Workmen's Circles and Landsmanschaft organizations were present at the first national conference of the American Society "Ort", and completed its organization. Judge Jacob Panken was elected President; Max Pine, Judge Aaron J. Levy, Meyer Brown, Asher Jacobson, L. Feinberg, J. Baskin, L. B. Boudin, Dr. A. D. Dubovsky were chosen vice presidents.

The principal address was made by Judge Panken who reviewed the work of the "Ort" in Europe, and told of the aims of the American organization.

JEWISH THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY BUYS FAMOUS ADLER LIBRARY.

Addition Gives Seminary Largest Jewish Library In the World.

NEW YORK, March 20, (Jewish Correspondence Bureau) The famous Elkan N. Adler collection of Jewish books consisting of 30,000 printed books and 4,000 Hebrew manuscripts has been acquired by the Jewish Theological Seminary. With this addition to its existing collection of 70,000 volumes, the library of the Seminary will become the largest Jewish library in the world.

Announcement that a contract for the purchase of the Adler collection had been consummated through Dr. A.S.W. Rosenbach, the bookseller now in London was made by Dr. Cyrus Adler, acting President of the Seminary.

The Adler collection was gathered by Adler during thirty years of travel in all parts of the world. A catalogue of the collection was published by the Cambridge Press, England, several years ago. One of its features is an unusual number of manuscripts dealing with the Spanish inquisition.

Mortimer L. Schiff donated \$50,000 to start the fund for the purchase of the library. Others who contributed were Felix M. Warburg, Louis Marshall and Nathan Miller.

BURIAL FEES ARE RAISED.

WARSAW, March 20, (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) The high cost of living is not the only matter bothering the Jewish community of Warsaw. The high cost of dying has also become a serious concern. The fees of burial service at the Jewish cemetery have been increased to 300,000 marks, and those at the Praga cemetery to 50,000 marks.

MANY UKRAINE REFUGEES RETURN TO UKRAINE.

MOSCOW, March 20, (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) The Ukraine frontier is astir with a lively movement of Jewish wanderers coming in and going out of the land.

Many of the Ukraine refugees who thought they would find in Roumania an asylum from their troubles can be seen trudging back to their Ukrainian homes, disillusioned, telling stories of great Jewish oppressions in Roumania.

The incoming movement of the returned refugees is accompanied by a continuous exodus of other Jews seeking new homes outside of the Ukraine.

J.W.H.C. HELPED IN FEEDING 350,000 CHILDREN.

PARIS, March 20, (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) A total of 350,000 Russian and Ukrainian children were fed by the International Union for Child Relief, of which the Jewish World Help Conference is one of the principal factors.
