

MINUTES of the Meeting of the EXECUTIVE  
COMMITTEE held on Thursday,  
May 19th. 1921.

P R E S E N T.

Mr. J. Sheftel in the Chair.

Messrs: Vishnitzer, M. Wolf, W. Wolf, Efros,  
Persky, Wilenkine, Widrewitch,  
I. Zoondolevitch, and

Mrs. Mowshowitch.

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A G E N D A.

1. Information.
  - a. Work of the Delegation.
  - b. Meeting of the War Victims Committee.
  - c. Concert, May 31st. 1921.
  - d. Donations.
2. Conference of the ORT in Berlin.
3. Press.
4. Work of the ORT in the English Provinces.
5. The ORT Club.
6. Various Matters.

Information on the Work of the Delegation was  
given by Mrs. Mowshowitch.

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At the Meeting of the War Victims Committee on  
the 18th May, it was decided that Membership Fees  
belong to ~~the Committee of~~ the ORT and not to  
the ~~Treasurer of~~ the War Victims Committee. It  
was also decided that Mr. Charles Montefiore and  
Mr. E. Mainz will alternately represent the  
War Victims Committee on the ORT Committee.

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Only Mrs. Mowshowitch was present at the Meeting of the War Victims Committee as Mr. Halpern was away in Paris. Mr. Vishnitzer now raised the questions (which had already been raised once before) whether it would not be reasonable to elect some candidates who could be present at these Meetings in case either of the two standing representatives could not attend.

Mr. Sheftel proposed to discuss this question at the next meeting, and not to elect any candidates at present as the Committee was not ready for this question.

Information was also given on the Second Concert which is to be held at the Hampstead Town Hall, on Tuesday, May 31st 1921. Several members of the Committee proposed utilising the data on the work of the ORT collected by Mrs. Mowshowitch in the form of a new leaflet for the Concert. Mrs. Mowshowitch stated that at the last meeting it was decided to publish this data in the programme, and that this will soon be ready.

Discussion arose as to the question of a Speech at the Concert. Various opinions for and against this were given but no decision was arrived at, and it was decided that this question should be settled at the time of the actual Concert.

For the purpose of propaganda it was decided to send Complimentary tickets together with printed programmes to a number of English Dailies.

Mrs. Mowshowitch gave information on the Donations and Membership Fees which during the last few weeks amounted to £57. 10. 6.

The question of the ORT Conference in Berlin was postponed as there was plenty of time to discuss this before the actual Conference.

PRESS. Dr. Vishnitzer reported on the parleys he had with the Editors of the Jewish Guardian and the Jewish Chronicle, and they both promised him to publish regularly information on the work of the ORT. The Jewish Chronicle promised to publish in next week's issue of the literary supplement an article on the ORT.

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Dr. Vishnitzer refuses to take upon himself all the work in connection with the Press owing to lack of time.

General opinion was that information on the work of the ORT in the English Dailies was a matter of secondary importance, of most importance is the Anglo-Jewish Press and the Russian Press.

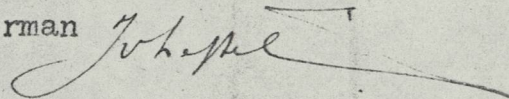
Mrs. Mowshowitch suggested to find some journalists connected with this Press who would take upon themselves the insertion of the information in their organs.

Mr. Wilenkin promised to speak with the correspondent of one Russian Newspaper, and Mr. Sheftel promised to speak with a representative of the Daily Telegraph, and also with the representative of a Russian Newspaper in Berlin, where he would be during the next fortnight.

It was decided to inform Messrs. Adler, Prag, Lucien Wolf and Dr. Gaster that the Committee of the ORT had decided to co-opt them on to the Committee.

Owing to the late hour the question of the work in the Provinces was postponed.

Chairman



Secretary R. Epstein.