

REPORT

on the

ORT ACTIVITIES

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C Z E C H O S L O V A K I A

Training has come to an end in the majority of training workshops and vocational courses during the month of July.

Final examinations have been held in the following towns:

Litoměřice	for 6 upholsterers and 13 dressmakers
Podmokly	for 10 motorcar mechanics
Liberec	" 14 shirtmakers
Prague	" 13 leatherworkers and 9 dressmakers

Total: 65 graduates.

The training workshops in Usty, Karlovy-Vary and Teplice had to be closed down owing to the departure of the pupils.

At present, there exist in Prague 3 training workshops, notably for shirtmaking with 11 trainees, for leather work with 12 trainees and for dressmaking with 15 trainees. In Bratislava (Slovakia) there exists one dressmaking workshop with 28 pupils.

Preparations for the inauguration of ORT work in Slovakia on a large scale take much more time than foreseen. Despite the vigorous support of CRT's aims by the Zionist organization and all other Jewish bodies, the difficulties are slow in being overcome.

In accordance with the Zionist organization, who are interested in the vocational training of candidates for Israel and have called on their members to attend ORT training, ORT's working program for Czechoslovakia provides for the installation of training workshops in locksmithy, joinery, agricultural machinery and electrical installations for men, and infant and hospital nursing for women.

The budget for 1949 has been elaborated in accordance with the requirements of this working program.

TRAINING UNITS AND PUPILS OF THE C Z E C H O S L O V A K I A N O R T
1.VII.1948 - 31.X.1948

T O W N	Number of training units		Number of Pupils 1.VII.48	New admissions after 1.VII.48	Graduates	Departures before graduation	Status 31.X.48	Frequentation 1.7.48-31.X.48
	1.7.48	31.X.48						
PRAG	3	3	54	23	22	17	38	77
LIBEREC	1	---	14	---	14	---	---	14
LITOMERICE	2	---	20	---	19	1	---	20
PODMOKLY	1	---	10	---	10	---	---	10
TEPLICE	1	---	8	---	---	8	---	8
USTI	1	---	13	---	---	13	---	13
KARLOVY VARY	1	---	12	---	---	12	---	12
BRATISLAVA	---	1	---	28	---	---	28	28
TOTAL	10	4	131	51	65	51	66	182