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R. Israel, however, held steadfast to his belief in the purity of his intentions, and he continued his activities completely undeterred.

Upon the death of R. Isaac Avigdor, R. Joshua Leib Diskin succeeded to the Kovno rabbinate. His views coincided with those of R. Israel, and the two were joined together in sincere and abiding friendship.

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