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Mgr. Jakovos has replaced Mgr. Meliton as Grand Vicar of the Oecumenical Patriarchate (cf first para of despatch under reference). Mgr. Meliton has been raised to the rank of Metropolitan and appointed head of the diocese of Imros.

[Signature]
Charles W. Lewis, Jr.,
American Consul General.

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