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Soviet Spy
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Sentenced
To 22 Years

NEW YORK, Oct. 31 (AP)—A Manhattan jeweler who pleaded guilty to spying for the Soviet Union was sentenced in Brooklyn federal court today to 22 years in prison.

Sarkis O. Paskalian, 36, a resident Lebanese alien, remained silent as the sentence was handed down by Judge Mark A. Constantine, but his mother and sister became hysterical. His wife kept her composure.

Paskalian, who had been held in lieu of \$100,000 bond since his arrest June 27, was charged with obtaining and transmitting top defense documents, including one dealing with the North American Treaty Organization.

Arrested with Paskalian, but still not tried, was a distant relative, Sahag K. Dedeyan, 41, of Rockville, Md., once an associate mathematician at the Johns Hopkins Applied Physics Laboratory, who prepared the NATO study and allegedly passed it on to Paskalian for transmission to Moscow.
