The Society Chesed Shel Emeth held its first annual meeting last Sunday, January 6, in the vestry rooms of the Washington Street Synagogue. The object of this society is to pay the funeral expenses of the poor. The report for the year was presented by the secretary and showed that 33 cases had been taken charge of by the society.

The receipts were \$607.59 and the disbursements were \$506.68, showing a balance on hand of \$100.91. The average cost per case was \$13.76. This society is obviously doing a muchneeded work, and deserves the support of the community. The president elected for the ensuing year was Mr. L. I. Sablodowsky; secretary, Meyer Rosenthal, and treasurer, I. Raffel.

The advisory committee consists of Morris Rosenthal, H. L. Frank, Joseph Sanes, D. Segal, S. Hausman, M. Rose, A. Mandelstam. Press committee, Rabbi Ashinsky, I. Raffel and M. Rosenthal. The dues of the society are \$2 per year. Those desiring to join are requested to communicate with Meyer Rosenthal, secretary, 605 Wylie avenue.