

meeting
JEWISH COMMUNITY CEMETERY ASSOCIATION

Sunday, January 4, 1953

MINUTES

A ~~regular~~ meeting of the Jewish Community Cemetery Association was held on Sunday, January 4, at 10:00 A. M. at 100 East Seventh St. Mr. I. B. Finkels tein Chairman presided and the following members were present: Messrs. Louis Budin, J. A. Chester, Herbert L. Cobin, Samuel Keil, A. Roke Lieberman, Louis Platensky, Abe Schulman, Henry Schultz. *&* Mr. Abe Schulman of 201 First Avenue, Lyndalia, Newport, Del. attend ^{at} ~~the~~ ^{later} meeting and advised the Association that he has been appointed ~~rep~~ in place of Mr. Louis Feldman as a representative to the JCCa from the Chesed Shel Emeth Congregation.) *fall out*

The minutes of July 9, 1952 were approved as read.

The Chariman called on the various committees to ~~represent~~ ^{Samuel} the present their reports. ~~The first report was given by Mr. Keil, Chairman of the Committee on Development of New Ground, He reported that a plan was submitted to all the organi-~~ ^{the last meeting a ~~had~~ ~~been~~} ~~zations represented but that no definite decision was made by any of these organizations. ^{had been} ~~as the plans were never presented to their Boards or membership.~~ ^{except for a report to the Adash Rodish Congregation, the directors of the Cemetery Association had not reported} ~~the matter with this Congregation.~~ ^{decided}~~

^A ~~Mr. Keil also reported that his Committee met on September 8, 1952 and recommended~~ ^{had been made that the Association issue stock to each of the members but} ~~that a complete stock formation be set up with a division of stock ownership as well~~ ^{no conclusion had been reached on this.} ~~as proportionate ownership of the graves and this to be done in accordance with the~~ ^{rules and regulations of the Cemetery association. The above to be apply to the}

^{Cobin report on visit to Adash Rodish. Keil said still some misunderstanding.} ~~developed as well as the undeveloped ground. Mr. Cobin suggested that an architect be called in and an official plan be presented. However, Mr. Keil disagreed as he~~ ^{Budin had nothing specific to report to Board.} ~~felt that the present plan submitted should be considered with the necessary adjustments.~~

None of the other Committees were able to report any progress.

Considerable discussion ensued regarding the ^{next} ~~necessary~~ steps to be taken. The Chairman summed up the discussion by stating that the situation resolves itself to one or two ~~propositions~~: 1. Should we divide the land and give each organization its proportionate ^{share} ~~share~~, or 2. Should we continue to work cooperatively.

^{Budin urged Federation to undertake to bring in a plan.} From all indications it appears as though the various organizations would like to work on a cooperative basis. In view of this, Mr. Chester stated that unless the present

~~that the~~ express the position of the Moses Montefiore Society is known with regard to their participation it would be difficult to proceed. He therefore made a motion, which was seconded and approved, that the Moses Montefiore Society be notified that they either participate and show their good faith by paying the balance of \$2,000 due by the 25th of January, or withdraw.

part in full sum & abided by action of Jan 10,

Mr. Schultz felt that the Federation was capable of drawing up a plan of operation for the Cemetery Association.

The Chairman felt that the difficulty at present is the fact that there is lack of confidence in each other and this must be dispelled before we can accomplish our objectives.

lack of confidence of organizations in their representatives

Mr. Budin suggested that every attempt should be made to come to some conclusion and make some final ~~decision~~ decision at the meeting to be held on January 25. It was felt that the representatives of the various organizations should be prepared at that time, the proper recommendations to the Cemetery Association.

Mr. Cobin volunteered before and to explain matter Budin asks he go to Bd.

Mr. Cobin presented a draft of tentative rules and regulations which he suggested should be taken back to each organization's Board and submitted for approval or amendment. Each representative should be prepared to make their recommendations by the meeting of January 25.

and considered by the Directors. Some parts particularly those pertaining to the type of monuments would have to be thoroughly considered with monument manufacturers.

A motion was made, seconded and approved that a refund of \$16.50 be made to Herbert Cobin for the expenses incurred in the drawing up of the rules and regulations for the J. C. C. A.

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Their being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 11:30 P. M.