The Book Committee

Synagogues, Study-Halls and Chassidic “Shtieblech”
(alphabetically [in Heb.])

As is known, there was a great number of “houses” designated to Torah and prayer in our city. To our great sorrow, details have not been preserved on all of them.

Thanks to Mr Mojshe Chaim Tiberg’s great toil, who took the trouble and wearied himself to collect details on the prayer-houses, the “shtieblech” and minyanim that were and are no more, we are able to add to the articles and lists published in our book, this other list – albeit incomplete – (in order to immortalise, in this manner, their memory and the memory of the innocent and upright ones who worshiped there, who were burned at the stake in the days of horror), and they were these:

- **Rebbe** Reb Awigdor’l Szapiro’s study-hall and his minyan of followers
- “**Agudas Yisroel**” prayer-house at ul. Katedralna 13
- “**Ahavas Achim**” [Brotherly Love] Society’s minyan
- “**Ohavei Torah**” [Torah Lovers] minyan at ul. Ogrodowa 9
- “**Ohel Jankev**” [Tent of Jacob] Synagogue, Aleja 4
- “**Ohel Nuchem**” study-hall
- “**Achdus Yisroel**” [Unity of Israel] Synagogue, ul. Warszawska 3 (the gabay – Reb Chaim Leib Jungster)
- the Otwock **Chassidim shtiebel**, on the corner of ul. Krakowska St. and the street of the butcher-shops [ul. Rzeźnicka] (the **gaboim** – Reb Aba’le Kaufman and Reb Ziskind)
- **shtieblech** of the Aleksander **Chassidim**, a.) on Rzeźnicka St., at the Szwiderski house (the gabay – Reb Mojsze Józef Szancer), b.) at the Stary Rynek 13, at the house of Reb Kalman Kromolowski (the gabay – Reb Mendel Biniumin Gelbord)
- **shtiebel** of Amshinov [Mszczonów] **Chassidim** on ul. Ogrodowa
- **shtieblech** of Ger [Góra Kalwaria] **Chassidim**, a.) on ul. Nadrzeczna St. (Reb Chaskel Fiszel’s shtiebel), b.) the “married men’s” shtiebel at Nowy Rynek 2, c.) the shtiebel on ul. Senatorska, at the house of Reb Major Biczner, d.) the shtiebel at Aleja 6, at the house of Reb Chaim Weksler (in memory of his father Reb Awrum Szulim Weksler);
- “**Ha’Mizrachi**” prayer-house at ul. Ogrodowa 14;
- **shtiebel** of Zawiercze **Chassidim** at ul. Warszawska 17, at the house of Reb Duwid Major Granek;
- study-halls of the **Rebbe** of Żarki, a.) on ul. Nadrzeczna, at the house of Reb Chaskel Fiszel, b.) on ul. Pilsudskiego. (corner of ul. Dojazdowa);
- the “**Maggid’s**” [itinerant preacher] synagogue at ul. Katedralna 10;
- “**Machzikei Hadas**” study-hall (the gaboim – Reb Jankew Hersz Fajerman, Reb Major Biczner, Reb Icchok Majer Krel and Reb Szmul Zelwer)
- the “**Malbish Arumim**” [see above, p.199] minyan, at the Crafts School on ul. Garncarska, corner of Nadrzeczna

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1 [TN: Lit. “little houses” in Yid.; small, often one-room, prayer, study and meeting lodges for followers of a specific Chassidic Rebbe.]
2 [TN: Collector in Heb.; the term “gabay” is more or less synonymous with “shames”, i.e., a synagogue functionary.]
• shtiebel of the Stryków Chassidim on ul. Garncarska, at the house of Reb Jankew Dawidowicz and, after the First World War, at ul. Mostowa 9 (the gaboim – Reb Berisz Tiber and Reb Menachem Mendel Kromołowski)
• shtiebel of Skierniewice Chassidim at ul. Ogrodowa 4
• Pruszycki’s synagogue at Aleja 1
• shtiebel of Czortków Chassidim in the Stary Rynek, at the house of the Gold family
• shtiebel of the Kraków Chassidim, at ul. Senatorska 18 (the gaboim - Reb Kalman Rozenwert, Reb Awrum Wirsztel and Reb Duwid Ruben Zajdman)
• the Chassidic lodge at ul. Warszawska 44 (the gabay – Reb Menachem Mendel Diamant)
• shtiebel of Kromołów Chassidim at ul Warszawska 22 (previously called “Kruk’s Minyan”)
• shtieblech of Radomsko Chassidim at ul Warszawska 18 (was called “Cossacks’ Shtiebel”, the gaboim – Reb Srul Częstochowski, Reb Ruben Aba Soifer, Reb Szmul Zelwer and Reb Awrum Szaja Gendelman), b.) shtiebel at ul. Rzeźnicka 9, c.) shtiebel founded by Reb Szlojme Gold
• shtiebel of Radoszyce Chassidim (the gaboim – Reb Hendel Lenczner and Reb Szmul Altman)
• shtiebel of Rozprza Chassidim at ul. Warszawska #17, at the house of Reb D.M. Granek (the gabay – Reb Szaja Windman)
• the Chassidic lodges founded by Reb Kalman Rajcher: a.) at Aleja 30, at his house (the gaboim – Reb Awrum Hamburger and Reb Fiszel Wajdenfeld), b.) a second minyan at Aleja 36
• shtiebel of Szydlów Chassidim, at Stary Rynek 17, at the house of Reb Nuta Turner
• shtieblech of the Rebbe Reb Szulim Rothenberg: a.) at his lodgings, b.) his followers' shtiebel at ul. Ogrodowa 14.