

Karl Wargon

“United Czenstochover¹ Relief Committee” and “Ladies Auxiliary” in New York

All the *landsleit* rally around the “Czenstochover Relief” in New York, regardless of their political inclination. There are over forty active members and it is led by an executive body of nine people.

Monthly meetings are held and an annual general meeting is held, at which a report of the activities is delivered. The “Ladies Auxiliary” is actively involved and the “Relief” also carries out its work in full cooperation with the “Czenstochover Young Men’s [Society]”, which is a politically, unaffiliated, friendly circle.



First row, from left to right: Harry Bratt, Jack Sztal, Karl Wargon, Miriam Zemski, Zysza Gelber, Julius Sztal, Leon Gliksman, Mr and Mrs Frajmauer.

Second row: Mr and Mrs Gliksman, Mrs Szoham, Mrs Bratt, Mrs Sztal, Mrs Wargon, Mrs Czarny, Morris Zemski, J. Rajman, Mrs J. Gelber, Louis Zandsztajn, Mrs J. Sztal, Mrs J. Zylber, and Mrs Grauman.

Third row: Harry Szoham, Mr and Mrs Zygas, Mrs S. Brauer, Mr and Mrs Zilbersztajn, Aba Bomba, Kuba Goldberg, Mr and Mrs Jakobi.

One of the greatest tasks the “Relief” has set itself is the immortalisation of the Częstochowa martyrs, who were murdered by the Nazi beasts.

Besides the two “Yizkor Books” about Częstochowa, which were published in Yiddish, we have also erected a “Children’s Home” in Kfar Saba, Israel.

¹ [TN: Original spelling used by this association.]



The Executive Board of the "Relief" in New York consists of the following persons:

Karl Wargon - Chairman
 Julius Sztal - Vice-Chairman
 A.L. Bomba - Secretary
 J. Gelber - Minutes-Secretary
 Louis Gliksman = Treasurer
 Chairman [of the Treasury?] - Mojsze Zemski
 Finances Audit - Jack Sztal; Kuba Goldberg; Joel Bratt
 "Ladies Auxiliary"
 Chairwoman - Mania Zemski
 Secretary - Golda Sztal
 Treasurer - Szajdla [?] Gelber
 Audit Mina Sztal.