

Apter Synagogue, 1918-unknown



ADDRESS

216 Beverley Street

TIME PERIOD

1918-unknown

SCOPE NOTE

The Apter Synagogue was formed by a group of people who came to Toronto from the area of Opatow (Apt) in Poland around the turn of the century. They first established a small synagogue on Centre Avenue near Dundas Street in the Ward. In 1918, in anticipation of more Apter immigrants coming to Toronto after the First World War, the synagogue was sold and a larger one purchased on Beverley Street. Both the synagogue members and the Apter Friendly Society met there.

HISTORY

In later years, a bitter controversy between the synagogue and society erupted and the building was sold.

CATEGORY

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Religious
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