Szulim Baum

Szulim Baum, the son of Majer and Itta Baum, was born in Częstochowa, in December 1883. In 1907, Szulim arrives in America, in the city of Chicago. He joins the *Arbeiter Ring* and helps found the *Czenstochover Educational Society*, of which he becomes President. Szulim Baum also holds the office of Secretary of the Relief Committee of the Sal Baum Poverty Fund.

To this very day [at the age of seventy-five], Szulim Baum stands ready to help every *Częstochower landsmann* requesting aid. He is the first to show an interest in aiding surviving *landsleit* after the Destruction.

Szulim Baum has a large share in the work of erecting the monument in the cemetery of the Czenstochover Educational Society for the Częstochower Martyrs - the annihilated brothers and sisters. His wife Hannah Baum, *née* Handwerker, who aids her husband Szulim in the sacred welfare work, also needs to be mentioned.