GOLD Berek (Beruś) Szlama (1867-1928), trader. He was born on 13th June 1867 in Częstochowa, the son of Szaja and Laja née Rozenblat.

In 1917, he purchased the settlement of Kuźnica Marianowa I (at that time, within the Dźbów Gmina, today within the City of Częstochowa) from Antoni Witkowski. In 1926, he sold it to Michał Dawid. In 1920, he donated 3,000 marks to the Committee to Aid the Polish Soldier. He died on 6th March 1926 in Częstochowa.

He married twice, His first wife was Marianna Bina vel Rotner, with whome he had five children: sons Szmul Józef (1888-), Zysman (1892-)andi Jakub (1898), as well a daughter Dwojra (1898-). In his second marriage to Hudess née Wajnsztok (vel. Szwarcbard), he had two daughters: Sura (1904-) and Rywka (1907-).

"Goniec Częstochowski" 1920, No. 204, p. 3 (list of donors). – APCz, unit No. 1, ref. 8884, k. 512, ref. 8951 (index of names), unit No. 58, death record No. 33/1928; notary and mortgage records of Kuźnica Marianowa I – in the possession of Artura Jacewicz of Częstochowa (copies held by the ODDC).

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