

HAFTKA (HAFTKE) Paweł Pinkus (1901 - after 1947), lawyer, social activist. He was born 9th June 1901 in Wieluń, the son of Markus Mordka (-1928), an activist for the “Dobroczytność” Charitable Society for Jews, and Rela née Hamburger, brother of Luna, an activist for the Society for the Protection of the Health of the Jewish (TOZ), and Estera (1882-1943) prev. Hamburger, later married to → Julian Lipiński.

In 1920, Haftka graduated from the H. Sienkiewicz No.1 State Gimnazjum in Częstochowa and then went on to study law. On 5th November 1925, he was accepted as a trainee in the district of the Court of Appeal in Warsaw. In 1928, he was accepted as a lawyer. From at least 1932, he ran a legal practice in Częstochowa (at ul. Kościuszki 37 and, soon after, at al. Wolności 33). In 1937, he reported to the Law Council in Warsaw that his office had moved to al. Wolności 13. Haftka was active in TOZ.

He survived the German occupation. From 1945, he was a lawyer in Częstochowa. In October 1947, he moved to Warsaw, where he ran a legal practice at ul. Wileńska 19, apt. 8).

In his marriage to Laja née Kongrecki (1910-), he had daughters Irena (1939-) and Stania (1937?-).

Adwokaci regionu częstochowskiego (J. Sętowski), p. 90; *Sienkiewiczacy*, p. 230. – *Przewodnik gospodarczy województw kieleckiego, krakowskiego i śląskiego 1938; Dodatek do spisu abonentów telefonicznych 1933*, p. 13; *Spis abonentów telefonicznych 1935; Spis abonentów telefonicznych 1939*, p. 48; *Sprawozdanie Towarzystwa Dobroczytności dla Żydów 1913* (re: father). – “*Dziennik Urzędowy Ministerstwa Sprawiedliwości*” 1926, No. 1 (1st January), p. 9, 10, 1928, No. 5 (1st March), p. 97, 1933, No. 16, p. 354; “*Express Częstochowski*” 1928, No. 171, p. 3, No. 172, p. 5 (re: father and sisters); “*Palestra*” 1937, p. 97; “*Państwo i Prawo*” 1948, p. 162; – USC Częstochowa, marriage record No. 236/1933 and birth record No. 100/1939.

Juliusz Sętowski