## **Berl Ickowicz**



He was born in Częstochowa to Jakow and Gitla *née* Kirszenbaum and lived at ul. Garncarska 56.

He was in the "Big Ghetto", the "Small Ghetto" and, later, was barracked in HASAG-Pelcery. He was deported to Germany, where he was in various camps. He was liberated 15<sup>th</sup> April 1945 at Bergen-Belsen.

He arrived in Montreal in 1950, along with his wife Sala and their two little daughters - Gitte'le and Pere'le.

Berl Ickowicz became active directly following his arrival and has held an entire array of offices; since 1958, he has been the Society's Chairman.

## Sala Ickowicz née Nudelman

She is the wife of the Society's Chairman, Berl Ickowicz. She was born in Lelów and lived in Częstochowa at ul. Krakowska 14. She was in Big Ghetto", the "Small Ghetto" and, later, was barracked in HASAG-Pelcery, where she worked in the Recalibration Department, and was shot [there] by a *Werkschutz* in 1943. She was liberated in Częstochowa on 16<sup>th</sup> January 1945.

She arrived in Canada in 1950 and immediately became active in the Ladies Auxiliary. She maintains the Society's "Book of Merit", which is a record of the material aid sent to *landsleit* in Israel and other countries.



Sala Ickowicz actively participates in all the Society's activities.