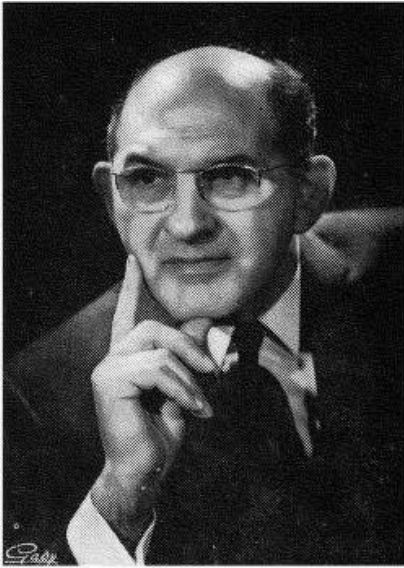


## Nathan Gelber



Nathan Gelber is one of the first main organisers and founders of the Czenstochover and Vicinity Aid Society of Montreal.

He was born in Cześćochowa, the son of Kasriel and Sura. He was brought up in a religious and nationalistic [viz. Zionist] environment, which has influenced his nationalist thoughts and ideas.

Nathan Gelber was the first of the Gelber family to come to Montreal, and he soon made efforts to bring over his whole family over.

Nathan Gelber is one of the long-established *landsleit* in *Montreal* and has assisted in the development of an entire array of religious, national and cultural institutions for the benefit of the community.

Nathan Gelber was one the first founders of the Society. He held the position of Vice-President and is, to this day, among those who set the tone of the activities. There is practically no national Jewish institution to which he does not contribute and help constructively, in this, holding very important offices.

In the Czenstochover Landsmanshaft, he is among the *Seniors* and helps in all the activities, contributing generously, which makes it possible to conduct wide ranging activity.

On the occasion of his fortieth wedding anniversary, Nathan Gelber gave a gift to the Society in the sum of a thousand dollars and he has thereby been very instrumental in the publication of this book.