Izrael Leib Gancwajch* z’”l - Australia

He was the eldest son of Hirsz Gancwajch and was also known as I. Ivon Gans.

Arriving in Australia in 1924, he at once dedicated himself to Zionist and general Jewish communal activity - in which he remained active for decades.

From 1956 and to his last days, he served as President of the Częstochower Centre in Australia, which was founded in Melbourne in 1946.

* [Editor’s note (2019): He was named after Izrael Lejb Gancwajch, the Tsaddik of Kromolów.]