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S.B. Helman

S.B. Helman was the son of an old, local resident, Hillel Helman. He was known as a very energetic and capable man, who acted extensively in the philanthropic and communal arenas. He was the founder of the local "*Bank Spółdzielczy*" [Cooperative Bank] and its long-standing *Prezes*. During a series of years, he held the position of *Dozór* [Supervisor] in the local *Kehilla* and was a member in the administrative board of "*Dobroczynność*". S.B. Helman distinguished himself with his large contributions to various causes, such as donating the roof for the new study-hall when it was being built.

He left three sons - Dr Bolesław, the engineer Jerzy, and Adolf Helman, who all continued running his factories and the "*Michalina*" brickyard, as well as his philanthropic good deeds.