Dr Zaks hy"d

He came from one of the oldest Częstochowa families. He studied chemistry and became one of the first, large industrialists in this field. He was also one of the city's greatest philanthropists.

Before the outbreak of the Second World War, he was living in Warsaw, but often came to his chemicals factory in Częstochowa. When in Częstochowa, he worshipped in the New Synagogue and distinguished himself with his large pledges to welfare institutions.

(In 1939, he moved with his family to Lwów. In 1941, they returned to Częstochowa and, on the night after *Yom Kippur* 1942, they were transported to Treblinka, together with all those who were sent to their tragic deaths.)