Moryc (Moritz) Mosiek (1827-1886), merchant, industrialist. He was born on 7th March 1827 in Częstochowa, the son of Józef, the owner of a canvas factory in Częstochowa, and Judessa née Hajman, the brother of Wolf.

He began his career as a merchant in the company of his father-in-law Samuel Zalcman. The company traded in yarn, silk and cloth goods. In 1858, he established his own company, which he built in the milling settlement of Mania, which he leased from the city. (In later years, Ludwik Meyer’s wool weaving factory operated here.)

In 1861, he was a signatory on the application (rejected by the Warsaw Governor-General) to establish a Jewish merchants’ Resursa in Łódź.

He died on 20th June 1886 in Łódź and was buried in the local Jewish cemetery on ul. Wesoła (it no longer exists).

His (second?) wife was Rozalia née Zajdeman/Seideman (-1893 Łódź), who was buried in the cemetery on ul. Bracka (the grave has not survived).


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