



# Museum of Polish Children

Victims of Totalitarianism

Nazi German Concentration  
Camp for Polish Children in  
Łódź (1942-1945)

Łódź, October 21, 2022.

## Heinrich Hans Fuge

Born on August 19, 1904, in Egestof am Deister (Lower Saxony). He began his police service on August 1, 1924, in the Greater Berlin district of Brandenburg, then worked in Düsseldorf, Mönchengladbach, Aachen and Cologne. From May 1, 1937, a member of the NSDAP (German: Nationalsozialistische Deutsche Arbeiterpartei). He was transferred from Cologne to Łódź in February 1940, where he was employed by the criminal police. From September 1942, Fuge served in the rank of Kriminalsekretar (criminal secretary). He was the camp head from December 1, 1942, to March 1943. From March 1943 to January 1945, he was the head of a branch camp in Dzierżązna. After escaping from Dzierżązna, from January to April 1945, he was employed in a camp for minors in Moringen (Lower Saxony). Arrested by U.S. troops on April 20, 1945, he was held in the Allied camps of Altenbrake, Göttingen, Hersfeld and Schwarzenborn (Camp 96), from which he was released.

On June 20, 1945, he was hired by the Northeim (Lower Saxony) police where he worked until June 1, 1946. From June 3 to July 30, 1946, he was in the custody of the Field Security Sections on charges of belonging to the SD and Gestapo in Łódź. In August 1946, he passed the vetting of the American denazification commission after which he took a job with the police in Hildesheim (Lower Saxony) where he worked until December 1, 1947. From the 1950s, he resided in Hamburg, and for fifteen years worked for the Hamburger-Mannheimer insurance company as a customer advisor. Subject to pretrial investigation by the State Prosecutor's Office in Hamburg, he was interrogated on January 26, 1971. The trial did not take place, the proceedings were terminated on June 4, 1982. To this day, the date of Heinrich Hans Fuge's death is unknown.



*Heinrich Fuge in the office in Dzierżazna, J. Witkowski, Hitlerowski obóz dla małoletnich w Łodzi [Nazi camp for minors in Łódź], ed. Ossolineum, Wrocław 1975, photograph 254*



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