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At the opening session of the 1964 annual conference of the Economic History Association, Robert L. Reynolds read the following tribute to Gino Luzzatto, an honorary member of the Association, who died March 30, 1964.

GINO LUZZATTO dug out the facts and formed the thinking in our field so long ago and so effectively that his contributions have become common knowledge and assumption. Younger scholars, not knowing they came from Luzzatto's work, take them for granted.

He was a generous friend who promoted the studies of many of us.

He acquired in a hard school the additional name of *Il Padovano*, like the extra names of the great men of the Renaissance. That he won it honors him; that he could win it honors the Italian scholars and gentle people who made it possible.

We were fortunate in having him among us.

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