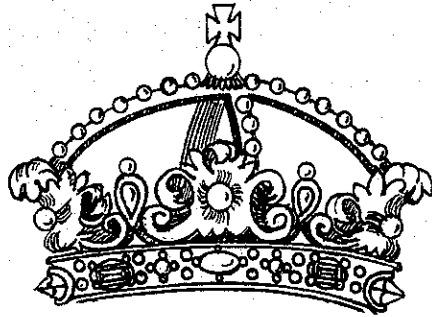
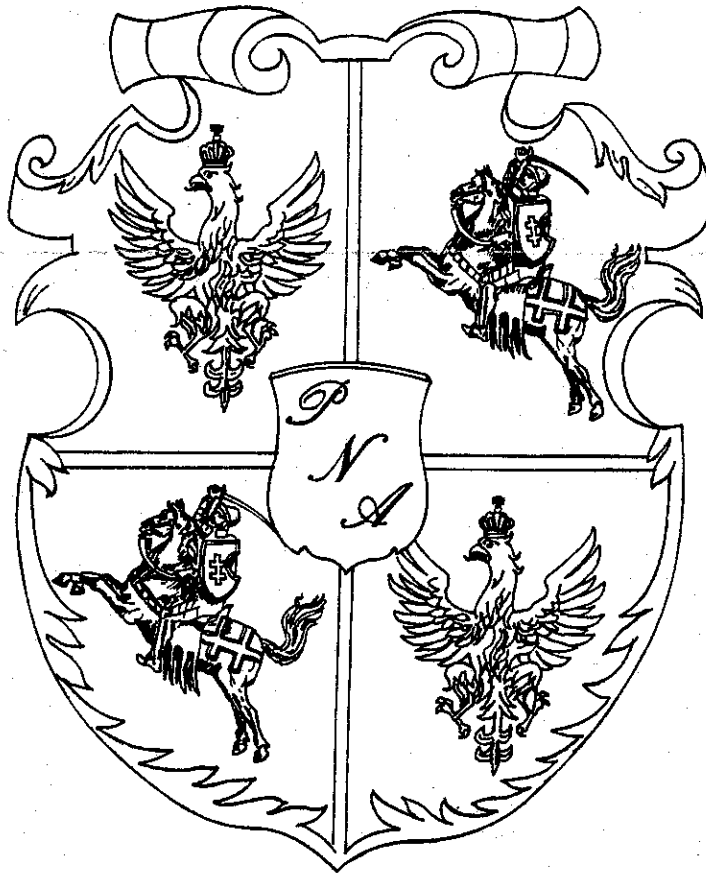


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POLISH NOBILITY ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER



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POLISH DELEGATION VISITS BALTIMORE

Members of the Polish Nobility Association may wish to know of the following recent activities of members.

On October 6, 1993 the president of the Association,

H.S.H. Prince Rogier

Chylinski-Polubinski, was co-host with the Governor of Maryland, the Honorable William Donald Shafer, at a reception of international significance. The guests of honor were a delegation from the Lodz Region, Poland. The delegation was headed by His Excellency Governor

Waldemar Bohdanowicz.

Other members of the delegation were: The Honorable Mr. Dariusz Rospendek, Director of Economic Development Lodz Regional Government; Mr. Marek Michalak, Director of Privatization, Lodz Regional Government; Prof. Michal Sewerynski, Rector, University of Lodz.

The reception was held at Government House in Baltimore, Maryland. This very large and magnificent nineteenth century brownstone residence is maintained as an accommodation for official guests of the City of Baltimore. Government House is staffed and operated as one of the many activities of the Baltimore International

Culinary College. Prince Rogier is the President of this College which has not only its large multi-structured main campus in Baltimore but also a 100-acre campus in Ireland.

OBITUARY

We note the passing of Count Edward Raczynski, age 101, the aristocratic Polish diplomat, who was ambassador to Great Britain at the outbreak of WWII and a member of the wartime Polish government-in-exile. He died at his home in London. He signed the treaty in which Britain guaranteed assistance to Poland against Nazi Germany. During the war, Count Raczynski simultaneously held the post of acting foreign affairs minister in the London based Polish government, and then minister of state in charge of foreign affairs. He was president of the anti-communist government-in-exile from 1979-1986, retiring at age 95. Count Raczynski was born to a landowning family which set up a lavish library in Poznan. He is survived by Aniela Mieczyslawska, his third wife whom he married in 1991, and three daughters from his second marriage.

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SOVEREIGN ORDER OF ST. STANISLAS

The Prince Grand Master of the Sovereign Order of St. Stanislas, Count Julius Nowina-Sokolnicki has announced that applications are being accepted for membership into this Chivalric and Charitable Order. For more information anyone interested may write (in the U.S.) to: Order of St. Stanislas, 101 Timbergate Drive, Lexington, SC 29073-9009.

SURVEY ENCLOSED

Enclosed please find a survey developed by the *Klub Zachowawczo-Monarchistyczny*. They are requesting interested individuals to fill in the form and return to them ASAP.

GREETINGS

From the President and Trustees:

We continue this new endeavor with an invitation to the members of the Polish Nobility Association to send us your comments and contributions. All items may be sent directly to the editor, and at the sole discretion of the PNA, may be published:

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For genealogical, heraldic and historical purposes, titled members are recorded with their former/hereditary titles.

PNA BOOKLET TO BE PUBLISHED

The booklet, *Nobility of the Polish Commonwealth*, is in the final draft stage. Look for information on how to order your copy in the next *White Eagle*.

NEW MEMBERS

A Welcome to Our New Members:

Elfriede von Dassanowsky and Dr. Robert, Sherman Oaks, CA; Colorado Springs, CO

Michael von Dembowski, N. Palm Beach, FL

Prince Thomas Giedroyce, Yerba Linda, CA and brother

Richard, Sidney, OH

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Renwick, New Zealand

Countess Elinor Kepler-Wisniewo-Wisniewski, Spencer, IA

We also wish to acknowledge all the cards and letters of good wishes received this past year from our membership.

P O L I S H N O B I L I T Y A S S O C I A T I O N

Do you think it is possible to restore the monarchy in Poland by the year 2015? Yes No

The greatest advantage of the monarchist system is

The greatest disadvantage of the Republic is

The greatest advantage of the Republic is

The greatest disadvantage of a Monarchy is

Please name who you believe five leading Polish conservative/monarchists are (historically):

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

Please name who you believe five leading Polish conservative/monarchists are (contemporary):

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
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5. _____

This survey is being distributed by the Polish Nobility Association, Villa Anneslie, 529 Dunkirk Rd., Anneslie, Md., 21212-2014 USA on behalf of the Klub Zachowawczo-Monarchistyczny.

Following is a message for the Klub Zachowawczo-Monarchistyczny.

Ladies and Gentlemen: All activities require financial backing which is scarce to us. The money gathered by our Club until this time permitted continuation of our activity exclusively within the present scope. Nevertheless broad plans and being made which require financial support. Some of the most important follow.

1. Publishing four (4) volumes of *Pro Fide, Rege et Lege* in 1995.
2. Intensify and diversify educational symposiums and activities organized by the Klub.
3. Intensify correspondence and other contacts with European Royal families (reigning and non-reigning) as well as other potential candidates to the Polish Throne.
4. Design of a banner for Polish Monarchism.

Please send contributions. All donors will be invited to an Educational Symposium in November 1994 and their names will be published in the November issue of *Pro Fide, Reg et Lege*. Thank you.

SURVEY

*This survey conducted by:
The Polish Nobility Association, Villa Anneslie, 529 Dunkirk Rd., Anneslie, Md., 21212-2014 USA.*

Please send responses directly to:

Klub Zachowawczo-Monarchistyczny, ul. Etiudy Rewolucyjnej 46/16, 02-643 Warsaw, Poland

Survey: This is the fourth time the survey for *Faith, Law and King* is being conducted. We would like your input regarding the following questions. The results of the survey will be published in the right-wing press in October 1994 in Poland.

Your Age _____

Political Views (select one)

- a. Conservative (monarchist)
- b. Conservative-liberal (monarchist)
- c. Nationalist (monarchist)
- d. I do not consider myself a Monarchist
- e. I do not consider myself a right-wing (monarchist)
- f. Other _____

Realizing the idea of a King, monarchists above all should: (circle the letter of your response)

- a. propagate "Conservatism without compromise" while creating conservative elites aimed mainly toward self-education.
- b. liberalize conservative-monarchistic doctrine in order to popularize the idea among broader social groups.

In political actions monarchists should:

- a. participate in republican political life in order to avoid creation of a monarchist (political) organization. For example: To be a monarchist but not run as one for public office.
- b. a monarchist party should be formed and should actively participate in the political life of the Republic.

The Conservative-Monarchist Club should work toward:

- a. preservation and broadening of dispersed confederation of clubs and related nobility and conservative monarchist organizations.
- b. create a strong federation of conservative monarchist organizations acting as Polish Monarchist League.
- c. concentration of all right wing (conservative) monarchists under a Monarchist League.

The best path to realization of reinstituting the Polish Monarchy is:

- a. Parliament should vote on Constitutional changes to allow for the reestablishment of the Polish Monarchy.
- b. National Referendum
- c. Authoritarian (enforcement of the monarchy without parliament and without the referendum of the people).
- d. Restructure the principal authority of the Presidents Office to be assumed by that of the King.
- e. The King should be symbolic only and not participate in daily politics directly, more similar to United Kingdom, Sweden, etc.

How would you recommend the vacant throne be filled?

- a. select a member of a reigning European Family?
- b. select a member of a non-reigning European Family?
- c. select a member of a Polish Princely family?
- d. If non-Polish selected should they be required to marry into a Polish family?
- e. Whom would you propose _____
- f. Should the Polish family be of noble _____ or non-noble descent _____.

State as a Goal

- a. parliamentary monarchy (King reigns but does not rule).
- b. constitutional monarchy (real authority of the King determined by the Constitution.)
- c. absolute monarchy (King's authority only limited by the laws of God).

EVERY MAN A KING

Reprinted from the *Daily News*, January 7, 1991

Now what are these Stateless Royals up to? They're *unionizing*? You know these stateless royals. Pitched out of their estates during some revolution or another years ago, fleeing in the night with an heirloom bauble or two, living out the rest of their lives in broken-down old villas outside Palm Beach or Paris or someplace, going around to party after party grandly introducing themselves as the rightful dauphin or whatever. A lot of them have it printed up on their business cards, "Pretender To Throne!" Beyond that, what does an heir to the throne really have to do with his time? Well, say hello to the recently formed **Union of Descendants of Russian Nobility**. "We believe we should do our best to restore material values that have been lost!" says credo-stating Mr. Vadim Lopukhin, one of the group's honchos. This apparently means mostly that the royals are willing to settle at this point for some of their tapestries; Mr. Lopukhin says the group will not actively seek to restore the Russian monarchy. So in the event you are a Russian Royal, or imagine that you are, contact the exiled Mr. Vladimir Romanov in France. He's the guy doing the paperwork, and Prince Vladimir--you don't mind if we address you as Prince, do you, Prince?--is the one who will personally decide whether you are really a Russian Royal or not. We certainly hope you family got along with his back in the old days.

Submitted by: Leonard J. Suligowski

LET'S LINK THE FUTURE OF POLAND AND THE PNA

by Prince Richard F. Gledroyc

I ask us as an organization--where do we fit into the plans of a 21st-century Poland? Do we fit into the plans of a 21st-century Poland? Are we just another special interest group merely interfering with a new sovereign state? We represent the past, but not the future. For us to face Poland's future as loyal supporters of our ancestral homeland, we must find a niche where we can be useful

I challenge the PNA to define a mission for our organization, a mission which will make us proud to have descended from the blue bloods that previously managed our one great nation, a mission which will make those people now living in Poland respect and seek us--a mission which will help Poland to again become an important keystone in our modern world.

THE POLISH ORDER OF THE VIRTUTI MILITARI AND ITS CAVALIERS

An International Bicentennial Observance

The 200th anniversary of the establishment of the Polish Order of the Virtuti Militari by King Stanislaw August Poniatowski took place in 1992. To commemorate this occasion, Prof. Dr. Zdzislaw P. Wesolowski, the author of *Polish Orders, Medals, Badges and Insignia*, the only book of its kind in the world which contains all Polish civilian and military decorations, has announced the completion of a book about the Polish Order of the Virtuti Militari and its Cavaliers. It will be the first book in Polish History which will list all the recipients of the Order from 1792. Their sacrifice and contribution to democracy in Poland and the world must never be forgotten.

The book will be in the English and Polish language and entitled *The Golden Book of the Cavaliers of the Polish Order of the Virtuti Militari (Zlota Ksiega Kawalerow Polskiego Orderu Virtuti Militari)*. It will make a significant contribution to Polish military history for the future generations. The book contains the history of the Order, photographs of the various styles and types of crosses and a listing of every person and unit, both Polish and foreign, which was awarded the Order by name, rank, cross serial number, unit of assignment at the time of the award and date. The listing is sequential both, alphabetical and by cross number. It will contain the names of over 26,000 persons and military organizations. The completed research for the book was made possible because of the cooperation the author received from the office of the National Decorations Bureau in Warsaw and the Military Records Center in Rembertow, Poland; the President of the Polish Government in Exile and the Sikorski Institute and Museum, both in London.

The book will have over 800 pages. The cost is \$100 for the deluxe subscribers/publishers/collectors special limited edition. Anyone ordering the book in this category will have their name listed if they wish as sponsors of the book and receive a miniature commemorative Virtuti Militari cross. The regular issue will cost \$50.

Send inquiries to: **Prof. Dr. Z.P. Wesolowski**
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 P.O. Box 640813
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GENEALOGY INFORMATION & PUBLICATIONS

We have received correspondence from the Institut für Historische Familienforschung in Vienna of their competence and availability to do certain ancestry research. Their address is:

**A-1190 Wien (Osterreich), Doblinger
Hauptstrasse 56/4Vienna, Austria A-1190**

A letter from the General Manager, Dr. Felix Gundacker, notes they are particularly professional ancestry researchers in Austria, Poland, Hungary, Czechoslovakia, Jugoslavia and Germany. Notable is their service in the Period before 1921.

Along these same lines, we wish to inform the members that the Library of Congress has released a new publication, *Genealogies Cataloged by the Library of Congress since 1986*. A limited number of copies are available. If you are interested or have any questions, their mailing address is Library of Congress, Cataloging Distribution Service, Customer Services Section/Marketing Unit, Washington, D.C. 20541-5017 (see column at right).

The PNA recently came into possession of a noteworthy publication which would prove a most invaluable research tool for the beginner genealogists. The book is titled *Korzenie Polskie (Polish Roots)* by Rosemary A Chorzempa, published by the Genealogical Pub. Co., 1001 N. Calvert Street, Baltimore-Maryland, 21202 at \$17.95.

(The Association does not normally provide endorsements, we merely report these items and let the membership judge for itself for any future action.)

Library of Congress Releases New Genealogies Publication
With this new publication, the Library continues the long tradition of publishing its bibliographic records for family histories in its collections. This new publication picks up where the discontinued series edited by Marian Kaminkow left off in 1985.

There are several new features which provide additional assistance to researchers and librarian. In Section I, there are more than 700 pages of detailed listings by family surname, alphabetically arranged. The 11,769 entries give complete and accurate access to the genealogies cataloged between 1986 and 1991.

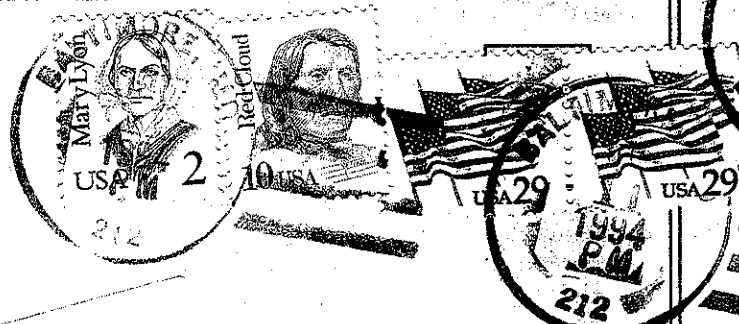
The nearly 400 pages of Section II contain 10,170 established family names and 22,614 cross references from variant forms of these names. This unique list has never been available before. It lists the authorized family surnames as used for access in catalogs in libraries throughout the United States and abroad.

The third section is a handy list of 3,564 family histories converted to microform and available for the first time. Since the original volumes are now brittle, they are available in very few libraries today. *Genealogies Cataloged by the Library of Congress Since 1986* is available April 8, 1992. The price is 470. (North America) and \$75 (International).

For more information about the publication, contact Eugene Ferguson (202) 707-1310.

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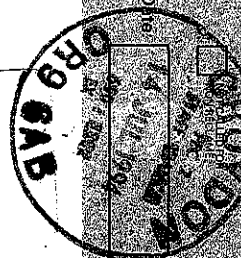
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