

Sowinski's

1. Grand Polonaise brillante.
 2. Invitation à la Mazurka
 3. Les Champs de la Campagne (Polonaise Pastorale)
- Chopin's
4. Quatre Mazurkas
 5. Deux Polonaises.

36 Norfolk place, Bryanston Square

25th November 1837. Saturday

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My dear Mr. Turck

I am happy to be able now to send you the promised Polish Music. I must congratulate myself upon having got it at last; for, tho' it was sent under my name, it was its unfortunate lot to wander to different places and to miss its proper owner for two months nearly; and I was apprehensive of losing it entirely but for the cordial co-operation and exertions of my Bookseller with whom I deal.

There are in the enclosed three books of music by Sowinski and two by Chopin. - "Chopin" is a French name; but the composer tho' he was born of a French parent is a Pole being born and bred in Poland, and for having imbibed the true Polish spirit. Mr. Chopin's music therefore is eminently Polish national Music.

The ball at Guildhall was crowded but rather dull; they scarcely ~~at~~ ventured to attempt any thing but the first set of quadrilles.

My compliments to the whole family.

Yours truly
Edward Niedzwiecki

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of Clements Inn,
19th July 1838. Thursday

My dear Mrs. Fürck

Nothing could have afforded me greater pleasure than an excursion to the country with your charming party, and I regretted very much my inability of joining them - the letter even came too late for an answer. Unhappily I am no free disposer of my own movements or else you would have seen me among your merry party "in the van" or in the rear - no matter how and where provided to the country. I believe nothing could be more beneficial to my chest than the country air, but Business is a tyrant that puts a curb on every amusement in the week. Why should not Sunday be a real Holiday for the busy people

19th July 1838
Dear Sir

I am not free to give you a definite answer at this time, but I will try to do so as soon as possible. I am sorry to hear that you are not well, and I hope you will soon be able to return to your usual pursuits.

I am very glad to hear that you have been successful in your endeavours to secure the aid of the Government. It is a great satisfaction to me, and I trust it will be of great service to the cause.

I have not time to say more at present, but I will write again in a few days. I am, Sir, very truly yours,

Wm. Lloyd Garrison

of England? We are not
 but we are not in a hurry
 to see the day when we
 shall be able to say that
 we are no longer a nation
 of slaves. We are a nation
 of freemen. We are a nation
 of men. We are a nation
 of God's creatures. We are
 a nation of men and women
 who are free to think and
 to act as we please. We
 are a nation of men and
 women who are free to
 love and to hate as we
 please. We are a nation
 of men and women who
 are free to live and to
 die as we please. We are
 a nation of men and
 women who are free to
 be what we want to be.

of England? With us (and we are no worse Christians for that) Sunday is not only a day of rest but of all innocent amusement that gives motion to the body joy to the heart, and makes us on that day ~~the~~ look, in the presence of our Maker, all happy. a cheerful sight to God and Man. - In England, there is ~~no~~ Business on Sunday, but at the same time no Amusement, only a solemn mournfulness. Why should it ^{be} in the merry England? - I make these observations ~~if~~ because if your proposal had been for Sunday you would have seen me unfailingly

you will be glad to learn that we got again Mr. Fox to write for the monthly Chronicle -

The affair at Beulah Spa was splendid
 There was a galaxy of beauty and ~~an~~
~~innumerable~~ a formidable array of them.

The Italian Singers in the Gardens ~~went~~
~~to~~ warbled like nightingales in the woods—
 and all went off with éclat—

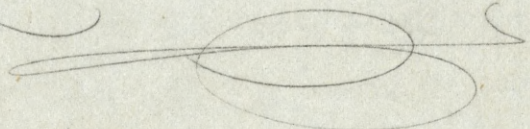
Pray remember me kindly to your
 merry party and tell how I regretted
 not being able to join them.

Once more my best thanks for your
 kind remembrance of me and

Believe me

ever sincerely yours.

Leonard Niedzwiecki



The affairs at present in the West Indies
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7 Clements Inn,
24th October 1838.

My dear Sir,

Pray do tell Mr Collmann, that this year
a regular Engineering Class is ~~formed~~^{opened} at the "King's
College" and as I learn well attended too. In
fact, as I told you, the engineering profession is rising
rapidly and promises to be profitable to many.

That class as a test is admirable. The
attendance of the student will tell at once whether
he is likely to succeed in the profession: his application
and study will be proportional to the liking or not
taking it. And sure well it is right to know it
beforehand. - On the other hand, he will get some
information at all events. In case of his engaging
in the profession, such information will be of
immense advantage to him. - I think I have
explained to you that the present system of
apprenticeship, without knowledge previously acquired,
is ~~is~~ vicious and so much wasted time. But
it will cease to be so the moment the student

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has planted in his mind the necessary seeds of science which require only time and place to be rightly developed.

So on the whole, if Mr. Collmann's son has ^{not} abandoned the idea of engineering, let him ^{attend} the King's College for one year; and then it will be easy to tell whether he will be an Engineer or not

The professor of Chemistry at the King's College is Mr. Daniell a clever man

ever sincerely yours
Leonard Niedzwiecki.

Please to tell Mrs. Turck that I attended last Sunday the chapel to hear Mr. Fox: He spoke prettily on the subject of 'Quelling'. I have great mind to go every Sunday to hear him - but if I understand him the chapel will be closed for two Sundays in which he cannot attend

C. Turck Esq
14 Liverpool Street
Broad Street

Tonsley Hall, Wandsworth

12th November 1838. Monday.

My dear Mr. Fürch

I am sorry to say that I am not able to attend your dancing party on Thursday - it being a day when I am fully occupied. I am not in town as you may see from the address - still not far from it. The only day in which ~~at~~ I am at liberty is Wednesday - each week but only in the afternoon. I am at present surrounded by a group of boys to whom I impart instruction and who fully occupy my time the whole of the week. - I am therefore, properly speaking, in the country, though in a place which is in immediate neighbourhood of London. - The state of my health required that I should be in the country - but my pain in the chest gets only lulled by it - not cured.

I wish I could see ^{you} to ~~speakers~~ talk over my occupation at present and all circumstances connected with ^{it} which are rather amusing - and I hope to be able to give you a call on some Wednesday.

Believe me ever sincerely yours

Leonard Niedzwiecki

Mrs Fürch

2 Upper Terrace

Belington

My best compliments

to Mr. Fürch & his family

Dear Mr. [Name] [Address]

12th November 1838. [Location]

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Yours faithfully, [Signature]

7 Clements Inn
 13th December 1838
 Thursday Morn.

My dear Sir,

You requested me, when I last saw you, to obtain for you some particulars respecting Mr. St. Cyr. I applied for that purpose to the Secretary of the "Association of the Friends of Poland" at 10 Duke Street, St. James's, and I shall state briefly now what I have learned there.

Mr. St. Cyr, in the estimation of the Society, belongs to a class of persons whose conduct is said to be positively bad and disgraceful. Among numerous charges which can be preferred against him, not the least conspicuous is his habit of drunkenness, which would be not so great an offence were it not combined in Mr. St. Cyr with the practice of begging - of constant and impudent begging, than which nothing can be deemed more odious to the Poles who in all their miseries endeavour to preserve their cause free as much as possible from all moral and individual impurities. More

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 in the only papers of the day.
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 in relation to the fact, of an amount in
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 for having the country and being done
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 in every line to make him to have this
 country, to pay his property, and have for
 the things done for the other persons &c. but
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than that Mr St Cyr when wandering from place to place in his customary way, was given in charge to the police, and sent to prison for theft committed in some of the club houses; the report of which may be found in the Daily papers of the time.

As to his being struck off the list - the case is this. - It was an invariable practice with the above mentioned Society to facilitate to the Poles, by all means in their power, the endeavours of such Poles for leaving this country and going abroad, where living is not dear and opportunities of employment much easier and accessible than here. For this purpose the Society used to advance to the applicant some money necessary just to enable him to leave this country; to pay his passage, and some few shillings besides for his other expenses &c. - but under condition (rendered indispensable under such circumstances) "to leave the country and to have no further claims upon the Society."

Mr St Cyr was one of those who applied so, and whose application was accepted & attended to. But Mr St Cyr took the money for leaving

the country - and never left it

He of course made an application to be re-admitted to the list. The association, however, considering that Mr. St Cyr had lost all his claims upon them 1.st by not fulfilling the condition under which he obtained a certain amount of money from them at one time; and secondly, on account of his several delinquencies and general bad character; thought proper to refuse his application, or rather to enforce the rule which ^{they} have prescribed to ^{in such case.} themselves. I ought however to observe that the Society is known to have always given a favourable interpretation to that rule where the conduct of the applicant was not a bar to his re-admission.

It is very unpleasant, I assure you, to prefer charges against any one of our fellow beings; but at the same time it would be unpardonable in me as a Pole to see the well disposed persons estranged from the cause of Poland by the conduct of one whom ^{we} they disavow and not to caution them against him.

The more you will confer on my affairs, the more
 I shall be obliged to you. I am, Sir, your
 Obedient Servant, J. G.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of
 your letter of the 14th inst. in relation to
 the business of the Bank of the City of New
 York. I am sorry to hear that you are
 dissatisfied with the manner in which the
 same has been conducted. I am, however,
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14 Broadway Street
 New York

You will confer an obligation upon the Society, by referring every gentleman taking the least interest in our cause, for information to that Society, which has done much good and been instrumental in detecting several self-called Poles ~~and~~ and is acquainted with all our affairs thoroughly. You can have no better source of information.

Of course you will regard this letter as a private one. If you want to have an official statement on the subject, you have but to address a letter to Lord Dudley Stuart, the Vice President of the Society - who is always happy to give his ^{best} attention to any subject relating to Poland and the Poles; and than whom Poland, ~~the~~ Poles and the Polish cause have no one more devoted, more ^{enlightened} ~~dedicated~~, nobler ~~and~~ ^{or} stauncher friend and advocate in this country.

Believe me, my dear Sir,

ever sincerely yours

Leonard Niedzwiecki

C. Türck, Esq.

14 Liverpool Street,

Broad Street.

7 Clements Inn

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9th January 1839

Wednesday

My dear Mrs. Furch

I think I have mentioned ^{it} to you that I have a friend, a Pole recently arrived, who plays beautifully on the Piano and of course the Polish music in particular. As you expressed a wish to see him, I have prevailed upon him to accompany me to-morrow evening to your house when I shall take the liberty of introducing him to you. His name is Mr. Miller

I hope you have no objection to this arrangement.

Believe me

ever sincerely Yours

W. Leonard Niedzwiecki

Mrs Furch

2 Upper Terrace

Islington

1003
of General Grant
of the Army 1837
Washington

My dear Mr. Grant

I think I have mentioned to you that
I have a friend of mine who has recently arrived from
Italy beautifully in the Prime and of course the
Kabat House in particular. As you expressed a
wish to see him, I have prevailed upon
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Believe me

ever sincerely yours

Wm. L. Garrison

Mr. Grant
of Westchester
Springtown

7 Clements Inn,
7th November 1839.

My dear Mrs Turck

I met to-day by chance Mr. Wronski, and am happy to give you his address, which is 14 Stangate Street, Lambeth. You know he is engaged by Mr. Bunn, at the St James's Theatre but in the play-bills his name stands contracted for Wronski (which divided into two syllables, would give wrong ski, which is true because his name ends in ski and not in ski.) He will be very happy to attend your commands.

Mr. Wronski tells me that Kozanecki intends coming to town; that he has enlisted ~~himself~~ among the tee-totallers, that is he belongs now to Temperance Society, and what is more important than all this, is that he contrived now to keep his money together and to place sixty pounds sterling in the Bank.

Do you think you could induce any lady to go to the Guilshall-Ball with me. I should like to dance much and to dance ^{well} and I assure you that the inconvenience which I experienced on the last occasion for want of a lady to dance with, was such that, ^{it} makes me desire doubly to have a lady now. Do you think you could induce ^{me} it would be a great obligation.

ever sincerely yours

Mrs Turck
2 Upper Terrace, Brighton

Leonard Niedzwiecki

1837
I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst. in relation to the purchase of the land for the purpose of building a school house for the benefit of the colored people of this city.

I am sorry to hear that you have not yet received the money which was promised you by the Board of Education. I have written to the Board and they have promised to pay you as soon as the money is received. I have also written to the Treasurer and he has promised to pay you as soon as the money is received. I am sure that you will be satisfied with the result. I have the honor to be, Sir, your obedient servant.

Wm. Pinckney
Secretary of the Board of Education

283 Strand, 26th August 1840 1580
Wednesday

Dear Mrs Church

I beg to enclose the prospectus of
Mad. F. Hoffman which you expressed a
wish to see. I do not think that it will ^{exactly} suit
you. The terms are high - still I am satisfied
that Mad. Hoffman could not make them less.
Parents anxious to provide their children with
the best sort of education will not think
them too high when they consider that they
can by these means secure the services
of a lady who is, ^{on all hands,} reputed for talents and
experience. Several works in foreign
languages - English, French and German -
contain biographical notices on Mad.
Fanska-Hoffman beginning as early as
1821.

I beg to direct your attention to the
Plan of Education drawn up by Mad.
Hoffman, which I enclose herewith.
It is the result of her meditation and
of long experience and recommends itself
to every parent as giving full echo to
the most sanguine wishes of every mother
and father.

Pray remember me kindly to Mr Church
and Believe me
ever truly yours
Mrs Church
2 Upper Terrace, Islington.
Edward Medford.

1882

Dear Mr. [Name] I have the pleasure to inform you that your order of [Amount] has been received and is being forwarded to you by [Method].

I am very glad to hear that you are well and hope that all your business is prospering. I have not much news to write at present.

I remain, Sir, your obedient servant,

[Signature]