Preliminary Inventory to the Michal Sokolnicki Papers, 1908-1968

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Scope and Contents note
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Subjects and Indexing Terms
Denmark--Foreign relations--Poland.
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Poland.
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Box: 1
- **Polish Legation in Kopenhagen: correspondence of Minister Michal Sokolnicki with Cardinal August Hlond, 1932-1935.**
- **Diplomatic correspondence and reports of Michal Sokolnicki as Ambassador in Turkey,** and followin folders:
  - Ambassador's dispatches to the Ministry of Foreign Affair in Warsaw, April 1938 - August 31, 1939.
  - Reports from Ambassador Roger Raczynski, Bucarest, September 15-30, 1939.
  - Correspondence with Ambassador Roger Raczynski, 1940-1941

Box: 2
- **Diplomatic correspondence and reports, January 1942 - December 1943.**
  - Correspondence relating to the Polish-Soviet agreement of July 1941.
  - Correspondence with General Anders, 1943 - 1944.
  - Correspondence with General Sikorski; Conference in Beyreuth, June 1943.
  - Katyn. The mass murder of Polish prisoners of war; Reports.
  - Hungary's political position, 1939 - 1943.
  - Polish-Soviet relations: documents, by Polish Ministry of Foreign Affairs, London. April 1943 - August 1946,

Box: 3
- **Diplomatic correspondence and reports, Folders: January 1944 - August 1945.**
  - Warsaw uprising, August 1944.
  - Lublin Committee, 1944.
  - Yalta Conference, February 1945.
  - Trials of Polish underground leaders, Moscow, June 1945.
  - Turkish-Soviet relations, 1944-1945.
  - Recognition of Polish Provisional Government by Turkey.
  - List of Polish diplomatic posts active in 1945.
  - Adampol, 1945.
  - Correspondence with Ambassador Alfred Poninski, 1942-44.

Box: 4
- **Correspondence, notes, Folders: January 1946 - December 1951.**
  - Correspondence with Minister of Foreign Affairs in London, May 1947-Nov. 1948.
  - Documents relating to the eve of the Second World War, New Ti April, 1948.
  - Correspondence with the Institute of the Near and Middle East Reduta, 1948-1950.
  - Correspondence with Patriarch Athenagoras, Istanbul, 1948-1949

Box: 5
- **Correspondence, notes, Folders: January 1952 - December 1960; 1961-1968.**
  - Correspondence with General Marian Kukiel, 1953-1963.
  - Correspondence with editors of *Kultura*, 1953-1954.
  - Correspondence with Pobog-Malinowski.
  - Correspondence with J.Fryling, 1951-1952.
  - Correspondence with Klaudiusz Hrabyk, 1954-1955.

Box: 6-8
- **Ambassador Sokolnicki's Diary, September 1, 1939 - August 1945.**
  - General Physical Description note: Manuscript.

Box: 9
- **Manuscript of Josef Beck's *Commentary of the diplomatic history of the war of 1939*.** Dictated in Bucarest in published in New York in as *Final report*. March 1943, 1957
  - Ambassador's Ankara Diary - first draft of the abridged version of his wartime diary.
  - *Introduction a l'histoire diplomatique* - Sokolnicki's lectures at the History Department of Ankara University, 1952.

Box: 10
- **Poland 1914-1945,** collective work, which was to be published in United States.
  - Manuscripts of the chapters written by Michal Sokolnicki.

Box: 11
- **Political history of the Second World War, 1939-1945,** manuscript and relating correspondence, 1956-58.
Unpublished articles, notes and research material.

Box: 12
Writings and research material. Folders:
Nienapisana ksika - Rebirth of the Polish Republic, 1919-1926.
Na prezeomie polityki legionowej. Epizody roku 1916.
Polish-Finnish question article and related correspondence.

Box: 13
Biuletyn Instytutu Bada Krajowych.
Biuletyn Ligi Niepodlegoci Polski.
Wiadomoci Krajowe.
Egzekutywa Zjednoczenia Narodowego.
Biuletyn P Iskiej Agencji Telegraficznej.
Biuletyn Polityczny.
Wschód Polski - and other publications of emigre organizations.

Box: 14
Research material - newspapers clippings relating to the Second World War,
Polish-Russian relations, Turkey and Balkan countries

Box: 15
Newspapers clippings relating to the Second World War, from Polish, Russian, French
and British newspapers.

Reels 1-10
Microfilm reels of Michal Sokolnicki papers held at the Pilsudski Institute of America