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Biographical Note

The Delegacy of Government was created by the Polish Government in Exile in Apr. 1940. It constitutes the broad structure of the civil authorities of the underground in occupied Poland. The Delegate of Government, Deputy to the Prime Minister, and his deputies in various regions worked until 1945. They monitored the military "conspiracy" and conducted research and investigations on the policies of the German occupiers

Scope and Content of Collection

Contains information on the activities of the Department of Information and Press; monitoring of Nazi terrorism; monitoring of resistance movements; monitoring of radio broadcasts in Poland; surveys of underground press; and surveys of foreign press. Also contains information on Majdanek and other concentration camps, file # 202/III-12.

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Latvian newspapers--History--20th century.

French newspapers--History--20th century.

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1	Sygn. 202/III/1	Activities of the Department of Information and Press; instructions, 1942-1944.
	Sygn. 202/III/2	
		Part 1. Director of the Department, Stanislaw Kuzik-Dolega; correspondence and notes. Part 2. letters to the Director from Tokarski, Rawicki, and others; correspondence to the Director from the Warsaw Uprising, 1941-1945.
2	Sygn. 202/III/3	Newspaper distribution, correspondence, and organizational reports. Kazii correspondence before 1939. 1939, 1941-1945.
	Sygn. 202/III/4	
		Budget estimates, 1942-1944.
	Sygn. 202/III/5	

Bulletins to regional governor/delegates, Dec 1943 and May 1944; Survey of the political situation in the world and in Poland, 1943-Sygn. 202/III/6 1944. Sygn. 202/III/7 Nazi terrorism; resistance movements. Organizational communication #42, 1941. Current information on Nazi terrorism and resistance movements, 1941-1945. 1941, #s 10, 17-25 1942, #s 1-24, 26-34, 36-45, 47, and 48 1943, #s 1-3, 5-16, 21-34, and 37-51 1944, #s 1-3, 5-10, 15-16, 19, 20, 22, 23, 29, and 30 Sygn. 202/III/8 Supplement reports relating to Nazi terrorism and resistance movements, 1941-1944. 1941, #s 1-22 1942, #s 22-41 1943, #s 45-61 1944, 62 Sygn. 202/III/9 Internal political bulletin #21 containing information on Nazi terrorism and resistance movements, 1943. Sygn. 202/111/10 Nazi terrorism; resistance movements; attitude of political groups in Poland visa vis the Ukrainian case #86, 1943. Sygn. 202/111/11 Nazi terrorism; resistance movements; ethnic problems; Nazi politics relating to Lithuanians, White Russians (Byelorussians), and Ukrainians, 1943. Sygn. 202/11/12 Nazi terrorism; resistance movements; situational reports for May-Jun 1943; report on the situation in Majdanek and other camps in Germany, 1943. Sygn. 202/111/13 Nazi terrorism; resistance movements; and information on "civilian Syg. 202/III/14 struggles", Jul-Nov 1943. Syg. 202/III/15 Reports with general information on Nazi terrorism and resistance movements; weekly report of RIR (?), 1943-1944. Nazi terrorism and resistance movements; Public life communique

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	Sygn. 202/III/18	Nazi terrorism and resistance movements; information on civic resistance. 1943, report #2 1944, report #1, #4
	Sygn. 202/III/19	Nazi terrorism and resistance movements; weekly information, #s 9, 10, 17; and information on executions, 1944.
	Syng. 202/III/20	Nazi terrorism and resistance movements; organizational bulletin #2/20, 1944.
	Sygn. 202/III/21	Nazi terrorism and resistance movements; reports #1, 3, 5-7, 9-14, 16, 18. 1944.
	Sygn. 202/III/22	Nazi terrorism and resistance movements; periodic reports from the Central Information Office, #1 and #4, 1944.
		Nazi terrorism and resistance movements, weekly reports from the Central Information Office, 1944.
4	Sygn. 202/III/23	Nazi terrorism and resistance movements; social and public situation; Nazi occupational policies, 1944.
	Sygn. 202/III/24	Nazi terrorism and resistance movements; weekly monitoring of events in Poland, reports #16-20., no dates.
	Sygn. 202/III/25	Nazi terrorism and resistance movements; reports #20-24; information on from the whole country about Nazi activities, May-Jun. 1944.
	Sygn. 202/III/26	Nazi terrorism and resistance movements; information on the situation of the population in the General Gouvernement; Nazi politics; mood and attitude of the population, 1944-1945.
	Syg. 202/III/27	Nazi terrorism and resistance movements; special press service; German efforts to establish contacts with Wincenty Witos (Polish Peasant Party), Jul. 1945.
	Sygn. 202/III/28	Nazi terrorism and resistance movements; reports and information concerning the situation in Poland, 1940-1945.
	Sygn. 202/III/29	Reports by Gustav and Teodor from their inspection trip, 1944.
5	Sygn.	Excerpts from the so-called "White Book" Biała Księga; review of foreign

	202/111/30	policy; most important dates in Polish history, 966 through 1938; Ukrainian emigration to the United States; German and Byzantine civilization; notes on the Lithuanian problem; Swiss press remarks (1943); and a list of "conspirational" press titles and others, 1941-1944.
	Sygn. 202/III/31	Circulares, instructions and declarations concerning causes of growing communist sentiment in Poland; Polish-Russian relations; correspondence from London; and the situation in Poland, 1941-1945.
6	Sygn. 202/III/32	"Civil War" (monograph); materials concerning Polish-Russian agreement; review of Polish emigrant press; "Ton" (monograph); "Poland One Year After the War" (translated from English, 1941-1942.
	Syg. 202/III/33	Report on flogging (Rural Guard); political problems; situation in the General Gouvernement; and various articles, 1942-1944.
7	Sygn. 202/III/34	Regulations on travel expenses; instruction of the Legal Department, 1942-1945.
	Sygn. 202/III/35	Information concerning East Poland; Wilno and priests arrested by the Nazis; report on evacuation of civilian population of Warsaw and their property (Oct-Nov 1944); appraisal of economic situation in Poland; correspondence with London discussing "Polish problems," 1943.
8	Syg. 202/III/36	Information Department correspondence and reports concerning the situation in Poland; situation in Pomerania (1945); report on situation in western territories (1945); economic situation; dispatches from wester territories, 1941-1944.
	Sygn. 202/III/37	Situation in Poland; school reforms; situation in the East; remarks on Central European situation, 1944-1945.
	Sygn. 202/III/38 Sygn.	Activities of "conspirational" organizations; report on publication of programs and brochures for the 164 political groups, 1943.
	202/III/39	Activities of "conspirational" organizations; weekly reports. 1943, #6, 14 1944, #1, 8, 12, 14, 15
	Sygn. 202/III/40	Activities of "conspirational" organizations, monthly REM report, 1943-1944.
	Sygn. 202/III/41	Activities of "conspirational" organizations, weekly reports of RAR: 1943, #s 5-11; 1944, #s 1, 2, 5, 16, 17-24, 26, and 32
	Sygn. 202/III/42	Activities of secret organizations; interpretive note about the Declaration of National Unity of March 1944, 1944.
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	202/111/43	Activities of secret organizations; Groups outside the "Big Four," 1944.
	Sygn. 202/III/44	Activities of secret organizations; information about the mood of the population and under ground organizations; confidential bulletin #2; situational dispatch #7, Jul - Dec 1944.
	Syg. 202/III/45	Information about the activities of KRN (Krajowa Rada Narodowa = The Country National Council); PKWN (Polski Komitet Wyzwolenia Narodowego = Polish Committee for National Liberation), 1944-1945.
9	Sygn. 202/III/46	Information about the activities of KRN (Krajowe Rada Narodowa = The Country National Council); PKWN (Polski Komitet Wyzwolenia Narodowego = Polish Committee for National Liberation), 1944-1945.
	Sygn. 202/III/47	Information about the activities of KRN (Krajowe Rada Narodowa = The Country National Council); PKWN (Polski Komitet Wyzwolenia Narodowego = Polish Committee for National Liberation), 1944-1945.
	Sygn. 202/III/48	Activities of KRN and PKNW and the Provisional Government Polish Telegram Agency, #11 bulletin concerning the Polish Uprising in Warsaw, 1945.
		Activities of KRN, PKWN and the Provisional Government, report #8, Jan 1945.
	Sygn. 202/III/49	Activities of KRN, PKWN and the Provisional Government, press bulletin #2, Jul 1945.
	Sygn.	,
	202/111/50	German occupiers administrative policy and situation of the administration in the General Gouvernement, 1943-1944.
	Sygn. 202/III/53	German occupiers administrative policy, #1-3, 6, 1943-44.
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	202/III/51	German occupiers administrative policy, #1, #2 (transcripts of open and confidential orders), 1941-1944.
	Sygn. 202/III/52	German occupiers economic policy, 1941-1943.
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	202/III/54	German occupiers economic policy; economic problems (field reports for Sep - Dec 1943); economic situation; and weekly economic information
	Sygn. 202/III/55	#45, 31 Jul 1943.
	Sygn.	German occupiers economic policy information; reports #34-38, 40, 42-44, and 46, 1944.
	202/III/56	German occupiers economic policy; report on the situation in the

	Sygn. 202/III/57	General Government; situation in Germany; Germans about their own economy; and the socio-economic situations of Germany, 1942-1944.
		German occupiers cultural policy; cultural field matters; field review; weekly reports of RUD, #4, 16 Dec 1943.
	Sygn. 202/III/58	German occupiers cultural policy; cultural and educational information, reports # 8, 11-14, and 17, 1944.
	Sygn. 202/III/59	
10	Sygn. 202/III/60	World situation; weekly reports and reviews, 1941-1943.
	Sygn. 202/III/61	Information report on the world situation, 1941-1945.
	Sygn. 202/III/62	World situation reports, review of the international situation, reports #31, 43, 59, 61, and 91, 1944.
	Sygn. 202/III/63	World situation information; reviews #50-66, from World War II battle fronts, 1944.
	Sygn. 202/III/64	World situation, Polish journal, #47, 78, Jun 1945.
	Sygn. 202/III/65	World economic situation; economy, currency, and coal problems, 1943-1944.
	Sygn. 202/III/66	Polish radio goals and organization; organization and activities of Polish Radio; report on PR activities; program of radio broadcast codes; archives of Polish Radio, 1943-1945.
	Syg. 202/III/67	Radio monitoring; Radio Moscow broadcasts, 1943-1945.
11	Sygn. 202/III/68	Radio monitoring; "Świt" (Dawn) radio station broadcasts, 1943-1944.
		Radio monitoring; fragments of Radio London broadcasts, 1940-1946.
	Sygn. 202/III/68ab	Radio monitoring; Radio "Kościuszko" broadcasts, 1942-1944.
	Sygn. 202/III/69	Radio monitoring; materials for radios, #13, 1944.
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	Sygn. 202/III/74	Radio monitoring; radio service for radio stations, Aug. – Sep. 1944.
	Sygn. 202/III/75	Radio monitoring; radio service: #3, 18, 22, 30-32, 34, 35, 44, 61, 62, 64, 66, and 67, 1944.
	Sygn. 202/III/76	Radio monitoring; Polish problems in the world, weekly radio review, Jul. 1945.
	Sygn.	Review of underground press; Warsaw press, Jul. – Dec. 1941.
	202/III/77 Sygn. 202/III/78	The Voice of Polish Press; judgments, declarations concerning the Polish-Russian agreement of 30 Jul 1941; survey of underground press, 1941.
		Survey of underground press; survey of Polish press, 1941.
	Sygn. 202/III/79	
13	Sygn. 202/III/80	Survey of underground press; weekly press reports; 1942, #57; 1943, #s 1-30, 39; 1944, #s 5-10, 14-17, 20, 22, 29, and 30
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	Sygn. 202/III/82	Survey of press; weekly surveys, 1941-1944.
	Sygn. 202/III/83	Survey of press; political press bulletins, #6, 8, 9 and political press survey, 1943.
14	Syg. 202/III/84	Survey of underground press; Political parties in their own words in the first quarter of 1943.
	Syg. 202/III/85	Survey of underground press; Attitude and relation to the government,
	8 Syg. 202/III/6	the Delegate for Poland, and the Army, 1943.
		Survey of underground press; "We About Ourselves" #7, 8 - 21, 1943-

8 Syg. 1944. 202/111/7 Survey of underground press; survey of Polish clandestine press and Syg. 202/III/88 Polish underground press, 1943-1944. Syg. 202/III/89 Survey of underground press; international affairs, Apr - May 1943, Jul 1944. Syg. 202/III/90 Survey of underground press; survey and review of provincial underground press #1, 6 Jul 1944. Syg. 202/III/91 Survey of underground press; survey of youth press #1, "The Polish Syg. 202/III/92 Republic," 1944. Syg. 202/III/93 Survey of underground press; weekly press review #s 4-8, 13, 20, 23, Syg. 202/III/94 May - Jun 1944. Syg. 202/III/95 Survey of underground press; Press service #1-12, 18, 20-21; passwords of the day, Aug - Sep 1944. List of underground publications, 1941-1944. Syg. 202/III/96 Syg. 202/III/97 Survey of Polish press in foreign countries, 1942. Syg. 202/III/98

Survey of emigration press; voices of emigration press among them "The Problem of Russia", "England's and America's Attitude Towards Communism", "Poland and Russia." 1943.

Survey of Polish emigration press; Eastern problems; press review concerning problems of Eastern Europe and Asia, 1943-1944.

Survey of emigration press; problems in western Europe, Africa, and America, 1943-1944.

Survey of emigration press; review of local and foreign press, Oct 1944.

15 Syg. 202/III/99 Survey of emigration press; reprints of articles"

<u>Dziennik Polski</u> (Polish Daily) <u>Nasza Droga</u> (Our Road)

Myśl Polska (?Our Idea)

<u>Juro Polski</u> (Poland of Tomorrow) Dziennik Żołnierzca (Soldier's Daily)

Nowa Polska (New Poland)

<u>Polska Walcząca</u> (Fighting Poland)

Robotnik Polski (Polish Worker)

Robotnik Polski W Wie Ckiej Brytanii (Polish Worker in Great

		Britain) Sprawa (Problem, clipping fragments)
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	202/III/100	Survey of German press, 1941-1944
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	Syg. 202/III/103	Survey of Nazi press; <u>Warschauer Zeitung</u> , nr. 185, 186, 188, 204, 205, and 207, Jul 1944.
	Syg. 202/III/104	Survey of Nazi press; <u>Das Reich; Dziennik Radomski; Głus Lubelski; Goniec Krakowski</u> (Cracow Courier); <u>Kurier Częstochowski; NKW</u> (clippings, fragments); <u>Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung</u> , 1941-1944.
	Syg. 202/III/105	Survey of Foreign press; "Polish problems in Great Britain", 1941.
	Syg. 202/III/106	Survey of British press; survey of American press; voices of English press, 1942-1944.
17	Syg. 202/III/107	Survey of Byelorussian press, Jun 1944.
	Syg. 202/III/108	Survey of French press, Feb, Mar, and Dec 1943.
	Syg. 202/III/109	Survey of secret Lithuanian press, 1944.
	Syg. 202/III/110	Survey of Latvian press, #1, 2, 3, 1943.
	Syg. 202/III/111	Survey of Russian press, Jan 1944.
	Syg. 202/III/112	Survey of daily Ukrainian press, nr. 1, 2, 4, 10-20, 23; political aspects of Ukrainian press in South America; report about Ukrainian press in America and Canada; reports about the Ukrainian underground press, 1942-1944.
18	Syg.	List of archival materials collected by the Dept. of Press and Information,

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