Casimir Gorzycki and Helen Kosięta

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Casimir Gorzycki and Helen Kosięta lived in Plowki within the Broniewo Catholic parish. The village appears to have also been within the Chelmce parish in earlier years.

The best estimate for their birth is about 1749 and their marriage around the early 1770s. The place of their births and marriage is unknown.

Helen's maiden name of Kosięta is not verified (nor the precise spelling), but is the best candidate at present time. It appears that her father was Adalbert Kosieta. Other possible spelling variations could include Kosicka, Kosecki, Koszytkowski, and Kosiatkowski.

Casimir Gorzycki's father appears to have been John Gorzycki.

There are four known children of Casimir Gorzycki and Helen Kosieta:

Child	Birth	Location /Parish	Notes
Michael Gorzycki	1779	Plowki (Chelmce)	Baptism is derived from a 3rd party index
Marianna Gorzycki	1782	Plowki (Chelmce)	Baptism is derived from a 3rd party index
Catherine Gorzycki	1787	Plowki (Broniewo)	
Jacob Gorzycki	1795	Plowki (Broniewo)	Died in 1798 (Plowki)

Their daughter Catherine Gorzycki married Ignatius Lasocki in 1808 at the Broniewo church. They are Michael E. Byczek's 5x-great-grandparents.

Helen Gorzycki passed away in 1828 while the family still lived in Plowki within the Broniewo parish. Casimir Gorzycki passed away the following year, also in Plowki. On balance of probabilities, these are the correct death records versus another family in the same village with the same names. Helen's maiden name does not appear in these documents.

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1828 Death of Helen Gorzycki Plowki (Broniewo Parish) From the Kleparski War, the Commander of the Broncow Family It took place in the village of Broniewo on February twenty-second, eighteen hundred twenty-eight, at eight o'clock in the morning. Franceszek Gornycki, a fifty-one-year-old farmer, and Andrzej Stanny, a thirty-year-old farmer, residing in Płowki, appeared and declared that on the twentieth day of the current month, at seven o'clock in the morning, Helena Gornyska, an eighty-two-year-old worker, who lived in Płowki, died, leaving behind her widowed husband, Kaznirz Grzyski, who lived in Płowki. After being convinced by my own eyes of Grzyska's death, this act was read to the presenters and signed by me personally, since the presenters cannot write. X Wojciech Kliparski, Commander of the Kroniewo Family

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1829 Death of Casimir Gorzycki Plowki (Broniewo Parish)

This happened in the village of Broniewo on the eleventh day of September, 1829, at eight o'clock in the morning. Franciszek Gorzyski, a landlord residing in Płock, fifty years old, and Alugustyn Gorzydki, a landlord residing in Płock, fifty-two years old, appeared and declared that on the tenth day of this month at midnight, Kazimierz Gorzyski, a landlord residing in Płock, eighty years old, had died. Wowiecc, his father's and little one's names are unknown to anyone. N Waycidli Kajzerska

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Children of Casimir Gorzycki and Helen Kosieta

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1787 Baptism of Catherine Gorzycki Plowki (Broniewo Parish)

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1798 Death of Jacob Gorzycki Plowki (Broniewo)

Additional Information

Casimir Gorzycki and Helen Kosięta are Michael E. Byczek's 6x-great-grandparents. Their daughter Catherine Gorzycki (5x-great-grandmother) married Ignatius Lasocki in 1808 in Broniewo. Their daughter Elizabeth Lasocki (4x-great-grandmother) married Valentine Kocinski in 1828 in Piotrkow Kujawski. Their daughter Catherine Kocinski (3x-great-grandmother) married John Nowakowski in 1857 in Radziejow. Their daughter Victoria Nowakowski (2x-great-grandmother) married Joseph Piotrowski in 1876, also in Radziejow. Their daughter Margaret Piotrowski (great-grandmother) married Joseph Bykowski in 1907 in Witowo prior to settling in Chicago, IL. Their son Roman Bykowski (grandfather) arrived in the United States when he was three years old. The family lived in the Bucktown neighborhood of Chicago. Roman married Antoinette Murzynowicz/Marynowski in 1936 at St. Stanislaus Kostka in the Pulaski Park neighborhood. Their daughter Betty A. Bykowski (mother) married Michael M. Byczek in 1974 at St. Helen's on Augusta and Oakley. They have two children, Michael E. Byczek (the eldest) and Katherine S. Byczek, both born in the Bridgeport neighborhood of Chicago.

Google Maps

Kuyavian-Pomeranian Voivodeship in central Poland:

- Broniewo is a village in the administrative district of Gmina Radziejów, within Radziejów County
- Stare Płowki is a village in the administrative district of Gmina Radziejów, within Radziejów County [It is presumed that Stare Płowki and Płowki are the same village]
- Chełmce is located opposite to Płowki about the same distance as the village is from Broniewo.

Michael E. Byczek has been compiling actual records for the Gorzycki family through Catholic church records in Poland for over the past ten or more years with direct messages to diocese archives and access to digitized microfilm. He has gathered an extensive collection of documents. This compiled documentary is an accurate source of genealogy for Casimir Gorzycki and Helen Kosieta.

Feel free to send a message for more information or genealogy collaboration.

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