

Dominick Sidor and Christina Pawlan

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4x-great-grandson

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Michael E. Byczek's 3x-great-grandfather was Lawrence Sidor, who was born about 1793. His parents are listed as Dominick Sidor and Christina Pawlan on his 1820 marriage record, which states that a baptism extract from the Sejny Catholic Parish was used to verify this information. His death record in 1836 lists his parents as Dominick and Catherine Sidor. Lawrence was living in Klejwy in 1820 when he married Marianna Winikaytys. He also died while living in Klejwy.

Analysis of records for the entire Sejny Parish appears to show only one Dominick Sidor during this time period, whose wife was Christina Polon. The two maiden names are very close. One balance of probabilities, this is the same family. However, unverified translations of Lawrence's 1820 marriage state that both of his parents were living in Klejwy. There is only one plausible death record for Dominick Sidor, which took place in 1815. This contradicts translated information the 1820 marriage. The 1815 death record specifically identified his wife as Christina Polamow.

The surname Sidor has also been spelled as Syderowicz. It is reasonable to conclude that Pawlan and Polon/Powlow are the same name. Pawlan is the most accurate as that was the spelling listed in the baptism extract for Lawrence from 1793.

One unknown baptism for Adam Sidor that took place in 1804 listed the parents as Dominick and Apolonia Sidor. This could be a mistake. However, it also raises a possibility that there were multiple Dominick Sidor families in Klejwy at the same time.

The 1815 death record for Dominick Sidor refers to his two sons who served as witnesses. Lawrence was 23 years old and Simon was 50 years old (based upon the translation). The age for Lawrence is correct. If Simon was 50 years old, this raises a strong probability that Dominick Sidor may have had an earlier marriage.

Records suggest that Dominick Sidor and Christina Pawlan had at least six children:

Child	Birth	Notes
Simon Sidor	1765	Mother is not verified
Lawrence Sidor	1793	Dominick Sidor and Christina Pawlan (death record listed mother as Catherine)
Vincent Sidor	1799	Dominick Sidor and Christina Poloncowna
Anna Sidor	1801	Dominick Sidor and Christina Poloniowna
Adam Sidor	1804	Not verified, as the parents were Dominick and Apolonia Sidor
Ignacy Sidor	1806	Dominick Sidor and Christina Powlowska
Domincka Sidor		m. 1821 (Dominick Sidor and Christina Polon ...)
Stanislaw Sidor		m. 1825 (Dominick and Christina Sidor)

Dominick Sidor passed away in 1815. He was 80 years old and lived in Klejwy. This death record is verified, as his wife was Christina Polania. If his age was correct, he would have been born about 1735.

A death record for a widow named Christina Sidor took place in 1829. She was listed as 64 years old and lived in Klejwy. If the age was correct, she was born about 1765. This would suggest that she was not Simon's mother. Analysis suggests that there was only one widow named Christina Sidor at the time.

If Dominick was a widower when he married Christina, it's reasonable to conclude that the wedding took place around 1785. Lawrence was born in 1793, and it's unknown if he was the oldest. Digitized access to records for Sejny prior to 1797 are not available online.

Rok tysiącznego osiemsetnego piętnastego dnia
 dziewiątego miesiąca stycznia, o godzinie
 trzeciej po południu: przed nami Parokanym
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 siąt, przebywający przy swych wyżej wyrażonych dzieciach
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 Dnia dwudzieste

1815 Death for Dominick Sidor
 Klejwy (Sejny Parish)

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It happened on the 9th day of January 1815 at 3 p.m. In front of Us, Sejny parish vicar, civil Registrar for Sejny community, Łomża Department, Sejny County and City appeared: Wawrzyniec Sidor, 23 years old and Szymon Sidor, 50 years old, both from the village Klejwy, living on the farm, deceased's sons and they informed that on the 8th day of the current month and year at 8 p.m. died in Klejwy in the house number 3 Dominik Sidor, peasant, 80 years old, living with his mentioned above children. He left his wife Krystyna nee Polania. We read aloud this act and signed it. Declarants are illiterate.
priest Hipolit Charmałowicz, Civil Registrar.

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Klejwy

It happened in the city Sejny on the 23rd day of July 1829 at 2 p.m. Appeared Jan Kwiatkowski, farmer, 60 years old and Franciszek Matulewicz, farmer, 61 years old, both neighbours living in Klejwy and they informed that yesterday at 7 p.m. died Krystyna Sidor, widow, laborer, living in Klejwy, 64 years old.

After eye belief about Her death this act was read aloud to the declarants and signed only by us because declarants are illiterate.

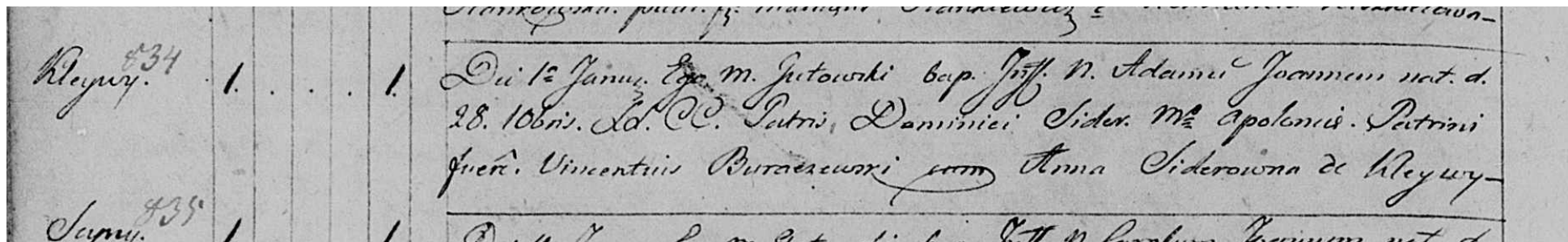
priest Fr. Dmochowski signature.

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 Klejwy 1
 Virgine.
 Junius 1799
 il 2 Ego P^r Rochus Lukaszewicz baptiza-
 vi infantem M^{re} Uniceptum Sidorum
 & p^r quod ille Patris Dominici Sider
 Cristine de Domo Poloniowna Agnicola
 ad LCC Patrim fuere Uniceptum Sidor
 homis & Anna Siderowna

1799 Baptism for Vincent Sidor
 Klejwy (Sejny Parish)
 Godmother is Anna Sidor

Klejwy.	1.	<p> D. 2. Aug. Ego Fr. M. baptisavi Infantem nominibz Annam Dominicam natam G. 1. m. Leg. Cor. Patris Dominici Si- dor matris Kristina de Domo Poloniowna. Patrini fuere Jacob Buraczewski cum Anna Siderowna de Klejwy. </p>
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1801 Baptism for Anna Sidor
Klejwy (Sejny Parish)
Godmother is Anna Sidor



1804 Baptism for Adam Sidor
 Klejwy (Sejny Parish)
 Godmother is Anna Sidor

It is unknown whether this baptism is correct, since the mother's name was Apolonia
 (there appears to only be one Dominick Sidor, especially in Klejwy)

1220

Die 17. Ego Casimirus Officiorum Bap. Inf. Mre Ignacium
Filium Patris Domnii Sider mris Christina Potowoska
L. C. Patrimi fuere Jacobus Boragewoski cum Const.
tia Wasilewska.

22. *Ex. Primus Alperski. Bass: Infantem Nae*

1806 Baptism for Ignacy Sidor Klejwy (Sejny Parish)

nasze przyrzeczenie, Maksimowa miedzy
Antonim Malinowskim, Kawalerem ma-
iowym, lat dwadziecia w asyateny i Bo-
driow swoich Marina i Jury Malinowskich
we Wei Birzynach Gminie Synenichiej na
go spodarstwie ziemskich przy nich, ro-
staigym dzieci a Dominika, Sidorowny
Panna rok dwudziesty pierwszy miedzy
w asyateny takze podziw Dominika Si-
dora i Krystyny Polaniowny Matronkow
we Wei Klegwach na gospodarstwie ziem-
skich, przy nich, staigim, drugi cy Stru-
my

Excerpt from 1821 Marriage record for Anthony Malinowski and Dominicka Sidor
Sejny Parish

Parents are listed as Dominick Sidor and Christina Polan ... (maiden name begins with either "Polan" or "Polon")

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 xkaidzych, Stawita się takie Agata Lesniewska Panna

Excerpt of 1825 Marriage for Stanley Sidor and Agatha Lesniewski
 Sejny Parish

Stanley was the son of Dominick and Christina Sidor

Additional Information

Dominick Sidor and Christina Pawlan are Michael E. Byczek's 4x-great-grandparents. Their son Lawrence Sidor (3x-great-grandfather) married Marianna Winikaytys in Sejny in 1820. Their son Frank Sidor (2x-great-grandfather) married Agnes Gryszkiewicz in Sejny in 1857. Their daughter Rose Sidor (great-grandmother) married Frank Murzyn in Sejny in 1897. Their daughter Antoinette Murzynowicz (grandmother) was born in Chicago, IL. The Murzyn family permanently settled in Chicago, IL in 1908 after traveling back and forth between Poland. They interchanged the surnames Murzyn, Murzynowicz, and Marynowski until the entire family adopted Marynowski by the 1940s. Antoinette married Roman Bykowski 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 in Chicago. They have two children, Michael E. Byczek (the eldest) and Katherine S. Byczek, both born in the Bridgeport neighborhood.

Sejny County, Podlaskie Voivodeship, in north-eastern Poland:

- Klejwy is a village in the administrative district of Gmina Sejny
- Sejny is a town in north-eastern Poland and the capital of Sejny County

Michael E. Byczek has been compiling actual records for the Sejny Catholic parishes over the past ten or more years through 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 Dominick Sidor and Christina Pawlan.

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