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Friends of Poland - we welcome you to this half hour and hope that it will bring us closer together, by accquainting you with Poland - and the role Poland and her sons played in our fight for independence, - and the role Americans of Polish ancestry are still playing to make our Country the greatest on the face of God's earth. - July 4a

Friends of Poland - may I remind you that a week from to-morrow, we will commemorate the death of one who came to this country, of his own free will, to fight and die that our country might be free, that you and I might be free. The least we can do in grateful appreciation, is to know his name and the country to which we are indebted.

That country was the first to resist Nazi aggression and oppression. That country is now fighting for its freedom and its liberty. Now is the time for us Americans to recall our debt and to pay in kind if necessary.

Friends of Poland - a week from to-morrow, October the 11th, we will commemorate the heroic death of the Father of the American Cavalry, General Casimir Pulaski of Poland. He was wounded in the battle of Savannah October the 9th, 1779, and died on the ship "WASP" a significant name. General Pulaski died that you and I might live, that you and I might be free, that our country might be free.

General Pulaski, a POLE, organized the first American Cavalry, financing it this move with his personal funds to the extent of some 50,000 dollars.

In his memory, thousands of Americans of Polish ancestry, of Pulaski blood, will

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gratefully and proudly march up 5th Avenue New York City next Sunday in the Annual Pulaski Memorial Day Parade.

After the parade next Sunday, a cocktail-dinner-entertainment-dance will be tendered the Polish Ambassador to our country, His Excellency the Honorable Jan Ciechanowski. This will take place on the star-light roof of the Waldorf Astoria Hotel New York City.

Permit me now to say a few words in Polish.

Drodzy, witam was staropolskim "Niech bedzie pochwalony Jezus Chrystus" Drodzy, jesli bedziecie mieli sposobnosc, nie opusccie parady jaka sie odbedzie w New York City dzis za tydzien na czesc Generala Kazimierza Pulaskiego, Amerikanskiego bohatera, z ktorego wszyscy polacy powinni byc dumni. Pamietajcie sami i przypomnijcie obcym iz OJCEM KAWALERJI AMERIKANSKIEJ jest POLAK, General Kazimierz Pulaski, a wy i ja Amerikanie krwi Pulaskiego.

Na jego czesc teraz zagramy wam Polke

p.t Zosienka

And now in grateful memory to the Father of our American Cavalry, General Casimir ~~Lak~~ Pulaski, let us play for you a typical ~~Pol~~ Polish folk dance, entitled

Mrs. Daniel Styles, president of the Holy Rosary Society of Immaculate Conception Parish, requested that I announce that next Sunday at 3 p.m. there will take place the formal reception of new members into the Holy Rosary Society ----- and that after the reception, there will follow an informal party at the Parish School Hall for the members and their guests. The committee in charge - Mrs. Daniel Styles, Mrs. Joseph Tomczyk, Mrs. Walter Raczkowski and Mrs. Stanislaus Janeczek --- promise a good time.

Siostry Bractwa Rozanca swietego, Uwaga ---Dzis po poludniu za tydzien o 3ej, odbedzie sie uroczyste przyjecie nowych czlonkin. Zaraz po tem, w sali szkolnej odbedzie sie roczna zabawa. Wstep dla siostr Bractwa, wolny; dla gosci zas po 75¢.

A teraz na czesc czlonkin Bractwa Rozanca swietego zagramy wam -----

And now we will play for you

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Miss Frances Augustyn, president of the Children of Mary of the Immaculate Conception Parish, requested that I remind the members that every Thursday night after the Novena Service to Our Lady of Victory, there takes place a session of Letter Writing to our boys in the service --- which is followed by refreshments and dancing.

May I congratulate these young ladies for doing their share to bring cheer to our boys. Incidentally we have over 120 in the service.

Nasze panienki Stowarzyszenia Dzieci Marji nie tylko schodza sie co czwartek wieczorem pisac do naszych chlopcow przy wojsku, ale najprzod wstepuja do kosciola odprawic nowenne do Matki Boskiej Zwiciezkiej o opieke i szczesliwy powrot naszych chlopcow.

Godne sa nasladowania. Niechaj zyja nasze polki.

A teraz na czesc naszych polek, za gramy wam obevek p+ w Zielonem Ogrodzie

And now we will play for you an Oberek - In a green garden