JANOW SOKOLSKI: Podlaski
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<p>Alternate names: Janś [Pol], Yanov and ????? ???????? [Yid], Yanuv and ??? [Rus], Janś Sokolski, Yanov Sokolski, Yanova. &lt;strong&gt;&lt;a href="http://data.jewishgen.org/wconnect/wc.dll?jg%7Ejgsys%7Egazetteer%7E-505021%7EZZ%7EMILES%7E%7E%7E%7EFEATURE%7EY" title="JewishGen Gazetteer">53°28' N, 23°14' E</a&gt;,&lt;/strong&gt; 23 miles N of Białyystok, 12 miles ESE of Sokółka. There are 36 localities named 'Janś' in Poland. 1900 Jewish population: 1,797.</p>  
<li>&lt;i&gt;&lt;em&gt;Encyclopedia of Jewish Life&lt;/em&gt; (2001), p. 563: "Janow Sokolski".&lt;/i&gt;</li>  
<li>&lt;i&gt;&lt;em&gt;Shtetl Finder&lt;/em&gt; (1980), p. 119: "Yanov, Yanova, Yanov Sokolski". &lt;/i&gt;  
&lt;i&gt;&lt;a href="http://www.jewishgen.org/bialygen/"&gt;BialyGEN&lt;/a&gt;&lt;/i&gt;  
&lt;i&gt;&lt;a href="http://www.jewishgen.org/jri-pl/"&gt;Jewish Records Indexing - Poland&lt;/a&gt;&lt;/i&gt;  
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&lt;p&gt;CEMETERY: 2007 &lt;a href="http://www.shtetlinks.jewishgen.org/bialygen/PIP_Janow.htm"&gt;description, directions, and photos&lt;/a&gt;: "The cemetery is completely surrounded by agricultural fields, though a small forest area remains at the southern edge. The cemetery covers approximately 2 acres, mostly open and grassy, and visible from the road (Images 1-3). The sign that once warned against grazing on this area (see Bagnowka gallery) is no longer present, but a tall concrete beam that once held the cemetery gate still stands (Image 4). 157 &lt;em&gt;matzevoth&lt;/em&gt;, most &lt;em&gt;in situ&lt;/em&gt;, were counted, most boulder-style (Images 5-6), though support beams are present. Additionally, numerous mounds that may cover &lt;em&gt;matzevoth&lt;/em&gt;or supports are also present. Many &lt;em&gt;matzevoth&lt;/em&gt;are covered with moss or lichen (Image 7). The greatest threats are from possible encroaching agricultural fields and erosion of inscriptions due to weather." [April 2009]&lt;/p&gt;  
&lt;p&gt;US Commission No. POCE000110&lt;/p&gt;  
&lt;p&gt;Alternate name: Janowa (Yiddish). Janow Sokolski is located in region Bialystok at 53°28 23°14. The cemetery is located in N part of town, road to Kuplisk. 1991 population: 5,000-25,000 with no Jews.&lt;/p&gt;  
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