Re
Or { The Count de Nolet
Henri Déségaulx
Count Henri Desegaulx Antonolia

Translation of Original Documents
produced to me

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Copy Letter of French Consul 7th November 1897

Consulate de France
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Irlande

53 Pembroke Road
Dublin
Le 7 Novembre 1897

We, French Consul in Dublin certify that Count Déségaulx de Nolet, Alexandre, François, Joseph, Henri, born at Bordeaux in France on the 20th day of December 1875 is the son of the late Count Henri Déségaulx de Nolet and of Hélène, Marie Thérèse L'aussiér his wife (since married to M Joseph Kochler-Aubian merchant and shipbroker Bordeaux); that his name was enrolled at the French Consulate in Dublin on the 12th day of July 1897; that he has complied with the requirements of the military laws of his country; that in accordance with the international arrangements between Great Britain and France all the documents necessary to render his marriage valid in France have been "discovered" and submitted to the said French Consulate, that a Certificate has been issued forth of the said Consulate empowering any Priest or Registrar of a

registry

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registry of Marriages to unite him in legal wedlock to Miss Catherine Nevins spinster, and that on these terms such marriage will be lawful and valid in France

In witness whereof we herewith affix our seal (L. S.)

Dublin the 7th day of December 1897

The French Consul

(signed) L. Brault.

Original handed to Mr Green

8/11/97

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Copy Letter from the Lord Mayor of Bordeaux

I The Lord Mayor of Bordeaux sign and certify that the Count Déségaulx de Nolet manufacturer residing at 192 rue de St Genes Bordeaux has always been reputed for irreproachable conduct in every way.

That he belongs to the most honourable family of Bordeaux and that the business house belonging to his mother and carried on under the name of Desegaulx Fils possesses and excellent and ancient reputation.

Madame Desegaulx mère married secondly with Mr Kochler-Abian shipowner of the most important house in Bordeaux. His name is highly known both personally & commercially and is justly and very much considered

Signed The Lord Mayor of Bordeaux

at Hotel de Ville 15th Nov 97

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Copy Letter from Count Décégaula de Nolet's Parish Priest St Nicholas to Fr Donegan Lucan

The young Henri Décégaula de Nolet who intends to marry one of your parishioners, belongs to one of the most honourable families of my parish from whom he received the most christianlike education. In his childhood he fought for his faith against irreligious schoolfellows. The young Count belongs to the Society of St Vincent de Paul and his late venerated father, his mother, stepfather and himself are all very assiduous practitioners of their holy religion - and he seems to me to deserve to be united by marriage to one of the most glorious and martyr-crowned race of O'Connell with whom he has the same feeling of faith all the dependants and workers follow the example of their respected employer in religious matters. Excuse me for going into such details but I know it will interest your pastoral tenderness for the young lady who is to become very soon I hope the edification of my flock as she has been the joy and honour of yours. Kindly believe me yours in J. C and in Mary Immaculate and in St Patrick

Yours devoted servitor and brother

P. S. Reydon P. P.

and honorary canons of Bordeaux and d'Agen

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Copy Letter from the Head Office of Patents of Nobility Paris

The patent of nobility and the coat-of-arms of Henri Décégaula de Nolet family is the most undisputable ancient.

It is a fact one of the De Nolet has been Captain of Toulouse in the year 1500

Several

Several of the Déségaula have been in the most important functions in the parliament of Toulouse and in the army which at that early time were occupied only by the nobility

The coat of arms is the following

Ecartelé au 1 et 4 de gueulles au lion d'argent (qui est Déségaula) aux 2 et 3 d'azur à deux palmes d'argent passées en sautoir accompagnées en chef de deux étoiles du meme (que de Nolet) couronne de comte

Best wishes for the count Desegaula de Nolet Happiness and prosperity from General de Grey who now stands next to the Minister of War and who was his commander and chief during the three years he served in the army

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La famille Déségaulx de Nolet est, croyons-nous originaire ~~des Flandres~~ Landes, du reste, nous croyons aussi qu'ils sont les seuls de ce nom en France. Aucun des membres de cette famille n'a le titre de comte.

Les représentants actuels de cette famille sont celui qui fait l'objet de ce renseignement s'intitulant aussi comte d'Antonolia fils de l'aîné décédé et Alexandre Desegaulx de Nolet cadet qui n'est que chevalier.

Dans les registres de l'État-civil comme nom patronymique, il ne sont inscrit que sous le nom de: Déségaulx de Nolet.

Quant au titre de comte d'Antonolia, il ne paraît être qu'un titre de faveur ou acheté en Italie.

Pour plus ample informée, nous

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devons dire que son oncle, M^r. Alexandre Déségaulx de Nolet a épousé une D^elle de Vrécé dont le père était comte —

Son beau-père & sa belle-mère sont décédés sans laisser d'héritiers mâles, de sorte que le gendre pourrait au besoin s'arroger les titres & armes de son beau-père.

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