

Paderewski Alive at 150 Years!

We invite you to come and listen to a recital originally recorded by Polish statesman, pianist and composer, **IGNACY JAN PADEREWSKI** (1860–1941), on a **REPRODUCING PIANO**. The purpose of the reproducing piano was to be able to document the complete performance of the pianists who recorded on them. These recorded rolls made it possible to reproduce details including **RUBATO, DYNAMICS AND PEDALLING**. Nearly all major pianists of the early 20th Century made rolls for the reproducing piano which enables us to hear them as they originally played.

The recital which will be dedicated to all of those who recently perished in the tragic plane accident in Smolensk, Russia will be performed on a rare 1925 Steinway Concert Grand Piano with narration by

DENIS HALL AND REX LAWSON
of the PIANOLA INSTITUTE
of London, England

on May 16th, 2010 from 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. at the

POLISH MUSEUM OF AMERICA
984 N. Milwaukee Avenue
Chicago, Illinois, USA 60642



\$15 for General Seating, \$25 for VIP Seating

Reservations for General Seating are recommended. Reservations for VIP Seating are required. Ticket sales benefit the Polish Museum of America. For more information, contact the museum at (773) 384-3352 or go to www.PolishMuseumofAmerica.org.

