
Vladimir I. Zverev, Aleksandr A. Kulinich. *Family relations and daily life of rural clergy in the 18th century Russia (a family of priests and clergymen in Novotorzhsky Uyezd)*.

Summary: At the center of the study is a family of priests and clergymen from Zverevo village in Novotorzhsky Uyezd. On the basis of various sources, the mutual relations of clerics, their relations with local parishioners and the spiritual authorities, as well as the system of inheritance of parishes are described.

Keywords: Novotorzhsky Uyezd, the Diocese of Novgorod, the Diocese of Tver, clergy, parish registers.

Aleksandr N. Akin'shin. *The Voronezh branch of the Rachmaninov family*.

Summary: The article is dedicated to the history of the Voronezh branch of the Rachmaninov noble family, which owned estates in Kozlovka village of odnodvortsy in Bobrovsky Uyezd, Voronezh Province. The chronological framework of the article: the middle of the 18th century – the early 20th century. An attempt is made to connect the Voronezh representatives of the family with the Tambov and Ryazan branches of the Rachmaninov family.

Keywords: the Rachmaninovs, Tambov, Ryazan, Bobrovsky Uyezd of Voronezh Province, landowners.

The Boyar Book of 1674 (publication by Vadim A. Kadik).

Summary: Boyar books, along with boyar lists, are the main sources for the study of composition and structure of the 17th century Sovereign's Court. The book of 1674, surviving incomplete, is the next in chronology after the previously published book of 1667 and was in the record keeping of Razryadny Prikaz for 10 years after the compilation of the original text until the creation of a similar document in 1685. The extant second part of the book allows us to trace the changes that took place in the composition of the largest military group of the Sovereign's Court – the Moscow nobility – in the last years of Alexei Mikhailovich's reign, as well as under his son Fyodor, when Russia was facing new geopolitical challenges.

Keywords: the Sovereign's Court, Razryadny Prikaz (Order-in-charge), boyar books, land grants and monetary salaries, Moscow nobles, clerks, the 17th century.

The resignation petitions of «Moscow ranks», 1703–1704 (publication by Valerij D. Kochetkov, Viktoriya D. Kochetkova, Sergej V. Sirotkin).

Summary: The publication presents 253 petitions for resignation from regimental service, submitted to Razryadny Prikaz in 1703 by stolniki, solicitors and Moscow nobles, and 162 petitions of similar content submitted in 1704. They contain information about places and terms of service, injuries, wounds and illnesses, financial and marital status of the service people.

Keywords: petitions, stolniki, solicitors, Moscow nobles, Razryadny Prikaz (Order-in-charge), Aptekarsky Prikaz (Pharmaceutical Prikaz), illness, regimental service.