

CITIZENSHIP PETITIONS GRANTED

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula Co. Jefferson, O.

Upon consideration of the petitions for citizenship listed below on lines 1 to \_\_\_\_\_, inclusive, the affidavits in support thereof, and testimony taken in open Court, and the Court having found that each of the petitioners so listed herein intends to reside permanently in the United States, had in all respects complied with the naturalization laws of the United States in each such case applicable, and was entitled to be admitted a citizen, and each of such petitioners having taken the oath of allegiance required by the naturalization laws and regulations, it is hereby ordered that each of such petitioners be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

LINE NO.	PETITION NO.	NAME OF PETITIONER	CHANGE OF NAME TO
1	1159	Jessie Townsend Gleason,	
2	1213	Elizabeth Kate Wood,	
3	1217	Roman Schumer,	
4	1228	Joseph Godzsak,	
5	1246	Hedwig Paula Gessler,	
6	1248	Matvey Lachey,	
7	1252	Constantino Zappitelli,	
8	1253	Beter Giannettino	Peter Samuel Gentene
9	1254	Austin Ralph Hedlund	Austin Ralph Headland,
10	1258	Nils Ivar Anderson,	
11	1260	Joseph Kotnik	( Lambros
12	1262	Demetrios Peterson Lampracopoulos,	Demetrios Peterson
13	1276	Emilio Zappitelle,	
14	1296	Carmine Rozzi,	
15	1204	William Rolland,	
16	1250	Josephine Piccolo	
17	1261	Raffaele Penna,	
18	1263	Arnt Oskar Magnusen,	
19	1264	Mrs. Marie Kaspara, Magnusen,	
20	1265	Cosmos Laurello,	
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Prayer granted for change of name in petition No 1253, 1254, 1262

By the Court, this 1st day of October, 19 29

*Chas. S. Hargrett*  
Judge.

CITIZENSHIP PETITIONS GRANTED

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
 } ss:  
Ashtabula County, } of Ashtabula Co. Jefferson O.

Upon consideration of the petitions for citizenship listed below on lines 1 to \_\_\_\_\_, inclusive, the affidavits in support thereof, and testimony taken in open Court, and the Court having found that each of the petitioners so listed herein intends to reside permanently in the United States, had in all respects complied with the naturalization laws of the United States in each such case applicable, and was entitled to be admitted a citizen, and each of such petitioners having taken the oath of allegiance required by the naturalization laws and regulations, it is hereby ordered that each of such petitioners be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

LINE NO.	PETITION NO.	NAME OF PETITIONER	CHANGE OF NAME TO
1	1266	Martha Hakola,	
2	1269	Mary Sandstrom,	
3	1270	Edith Mazzola,	
4	1271	Carmella De Mickel	
5	1272	Thomas Sebasek,	
6	1274	Joe Sedmak,	
7	1275	Stanley Jozefczyk,	
8	1277	Edith May Norman,	
9	1278	Ivan Kovacevic,	John Kovacevic,
10	1282	Matyas Gall	Matty Gall,
11	1283	Agnes Cecilia Writer,	
12	1284	Gustav Schmelzer,	
13	1285	Miklos Kovacs,	
14	1286	Selma Makela	
15	1287	Alma Louisa Myllymaki,	
16	1288	Matt Toukonen,	
17	1289	Ethel May Stoops,	
18	1291	Percy Cave Grand,	
19	1292	Luigi Guastaferrro,	
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Prayer granted for change of name in petition No 1278, 1282

By the Court, this 2nd day of October, 1929

*Edward J. Turgent*  
 Judge.

### CITIZENSHIP PETITIONS GRANTED

The State of Ohio, }  
 Ashtabula County } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
 of Jefferson, Ashtabula Co. Ohio

Upon consideration of the petitions for citizenship listed below on lines 1 to \_\_\_\_\_, inclusive, the affidavits in support thereof, and testimony taken in open Court, and the Court having found that each of the petitioners so listed herein intends to reside permanently in the United States, had in all respects complied with the naturalization laws of the United States in each such case applicable, and was entitled to be admitted a citizen, and each of such petitioners having taken the oath of allegiance required by the naturalization laws and regulations, it is hereby ordered that each of such petitioners be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

LINE NO.	PETITION NO.	NAME OF PETITIONER	CHANGE OF NAME TO
1	1245	Guiseppa Nastasi,	Joseph Nastasi,
2	1247	Sam Reda,	
3	1249	Ralph Eurez,	
4	1257	Dominic Marano,	
5	1259	Guiseppe Castiglia,	Joseph Castiglia,
6	1281	Adam Helinski,	
7	1293	Elizabeth Ruck,	
8	1294	Raffaele Succi,	Ralph Succi,
9	1295	Giovanni Mazzatenta,	
10	1297	Anton Timshan,	
11	1298	Louise Timshan,	
12	1299	Anna Hügyecz	
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Prayer granted for change of name in petitions No 1245, 1259, 1294

By the Court, this 15th day of April, A. D., 19 30

*Thomas J. Sargent*  
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 Judge.

CITIZENSHIP PETITIONS GRANTED

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County. } ss: of Ashtabula County.

Upon consideration of the petitions for citizenship listed below on lines 1 to \_\_\_\_\_, inclusive, the affidavits in support thereof, and testimony taken in open Court, and the Court having found that each of the petitioners so listed herein intends to reside permanently in the United States, had in all respects complied with the naturalization laws of the United States in each such case applicable, and was entitled to be admitted a citizen, and each of such petitioners having taken the oath of allegiance required by the naturalization laws and regulations, it is hereby ordered that each of such petitioners be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

LINE NO.	PETITION NO.	NAME OF PETITIONER	CHANGE OF NAME TO
✓ 1	2220	Pietro Guerriero	
✓ 2	1251	Constantine Michael Vagiakakos,	Gus Vian
✓ 3	1303.	Douglas McLeod Westover	
✓ 4	1304	Martti Willberg,	
✓ 5	1306	John Waldron,	
✓ 6	1307	John Alfred Svedberg	
✓ 7	1308	Mike Salick	
✓ 8	1310	Julian Perkowski	
✓ 9	1311	John Milakovich	
✓ 10	1312	John Kauno Wirkkala,	
✓ 11	1313	Harry Bright Sheppard,	
✓ 12	1314	Svenning Nilsen,	Sven Nilsen
✓ 13	1315	Alfred Emil Hanhilaami,	
✓ 14	1316	Otto Weber,	
✓ 15	1317	Thomas Beswick,	
✓ 16	1318	John Ritchey	
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Prayer granted for change of name in petition No 1251 and 1314

By the Court, this 30 day of Sept., 19 30  
*Arthur J. Tange*  
 Judge.

CITIZENSHIP PETITIONS DENIED

The State of Ohio }  
Ashtabula County } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

Upon consideration of the Three ( 3 ) petitions  
for citizenship listed below and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_

L. E. Fox, Examiner for the United States  
in open court made, that each of such petitions be denied, and the Court having found for the cause  
stated opposite each petitioner named herein that the petition should not be granted, it is hereby  
ordered that each of the said petitions be, and hereby is, denied.

PETITION NO.	NAME OF PETITIONER	CAUSE FOR DENIAL
1080	Walenty Pokorski	Ignorance
1186	Steve Rozman	Failure to Prosecute
1267	Aristodemo Brunacci	Moral Character not established

By the Court, this 1st day of October 1929

*Wm. S. Targent*

Judge.

CITIZENSHIP PETITIONS DENIED

The State of Ohio }  
Ashtabula County } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

Upon consideration of the One ( 1 ) petitions  
for citizenship listed below and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_

L. E. Fox, Examiner for the United States  
in open court made, that each of such petitions be denied, and the Court having found for the cause  
stated opposite each petitioner named herein that the petition should not be granted, it is hereby  
ordered that each of the said petitions be, and hereby is, denied.

PETITION NO.	NAME OF PETITIONER	CAUSE FOR DENIAL
1280	Mrs. Giovannina DiMatteo Gioello,	Moral Character Not Established

By the Court, this 2nd day of October, 19 29

*[Signature]*

Judge.

CITIZENSHIP PETITIONS DENIED

State of Ohio }  
Ashtabula County } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio,

Upon consideration of the Four ( 4 ) petitions  
for citizenship listed below and the motion of L. E. Fox Examiner

for the United States  
in open court made, that each of such petitions be denied, and the Court having found for the cause  
stated opposite each petitioner named herein that the petition should not be granted, it is hereby  
ordered that each of the said petitions be, and hereby is, denied.

PETITION NO.	NAME OF PETITIONER	CAUSE FOR DENIAL
1177	Ismaeli Salviano	For want of Pros.
1196	Michele Pignotti	" " " "
1219	Petar Vucina,	" " " "
1231	Julius Badar,	" " " "

By the Court, this 15th day of April, A. D., 19 30

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Judge.

CITIZENSHIP PETITIONS DENIED

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

Upon consideration of the ~~xxx~~ Chas. R. Sargent, ( 4 ) petitions  
for citizenship listed below and the motion of Mr. Ventura

Examiner for the United States  
in open court made, that each of such petitions be denied, and the Court having found for the cause  
stated opposite each petitioner named herein that the petition should not be granted, it is hereby  
ordered that each of the said petitions be, and hereby is, denied.

PETITION NO.	NAME OF PETITIONER	CAUSE FOR DENIAL
1207	Domenick Palmieri	conflict in Statement and Proof,
1273	Laura Viounio,	Want of Prosecution
1290	Filomenia Di Donato	" " "
1301	Andrzej Glogoski	" " "

By the Court, this 30 day of September 1930

Chas. R. Sargent,  
Judge.



CITIZENSHIP PETITIONS GRANTED

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Jefferson, Ohio,

Upon consideration of the petitions for citizenship listed below on lines 1 to \_\_\_\_\_, inclusive, the affidavits in support thereof, and testimony taken in open Court, and the Court having found that each of the petitioners so listed herein intends to reside permanently in the United States, had in all respects complied with the naturalization laws of the United States in each such case applicable, and was entitled to be admitted a citizen, and each of such petitioners having taken the oath of allegiance required by the naturalization laws and regulations, it is hereby ordered that each of such petitioners be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

LINE NO.	PETITION NO.	NAME OF PETITIONER	CHANGE OF NAME TO
1	1302	Julia Torma	
2	1305	Emil Schwartz,	
3	1309	Aristodemo Brunacci,	Ernest Brunacci
4	1321	Anna Neemelo, Anderson	
5	1323	Joseph Frank Grippi,	
6	1324	Maryan Cichowicz,	
7	1325	Silvio Zoratti,	
8	1330	Felice Rozzo,	
9	1331	Renee Saad Najjar Shiya,	
10	1332	Gabor Kovacs,	
11	1333	Eeli Juntunen,	
12	1334	Marino Domizi,	
13	1336	Evelyn Mary Hughes,	
14	1337	Frank Soltes,	
15	1338	Karl Walfrid Hakundi	
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Prayer granted for change of name in petition No 1309

By the Court, this 14 day of April, A. D., 19 31

*[Signature]*  
Judge.

### CITIZENSHIP PETITIONS GRANTED

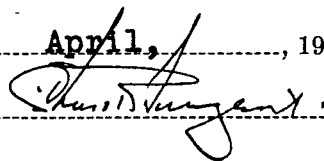
<u>The State of Ohio,</u> <u>Ashtabula County,</u>	} ss:	<u>In the Common Pleas</u> Court <u>of Jefferson, Ohio,</u>
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Upon consideration of the petitions for citizenship listed below on lines 1 to 2, inclusive, the affidavits in support thereof, and testimony taken in open Court, and the Court having found that each of the petitioners so listed herein intends to reside permanently in the United States, had in all respects complied with the naturalization laws of the United States in each such case applicable, and was entitled to be admitted a citizen, and each of such petitioners having taken the oath of allegiance required by the naturalization laws and regulations, it is hereby ordered that each of such petitioners be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

LINE NO.	PETITION NO.	NAME OF PETITIONER	CHANGE OF NAME TO
1		Carl John Lekander,	
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Prayer granted for change of name in petition No 1342 and 1343

By the Court, this 17 day of April, 1931

  
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 Judge.

### CITIZENSHIP PETITIONS DENIED

The State of Ohio, } *In the Common Pleas* Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: *of Ashtabula County, Ohio,*

Upon consideration of the One (1) petitions  
for citizenship listed below and the motion of L. E. Fox, Examiner

for the United States  
in open court made, that each of such petitions be denied, and the Court having found for the cause  
stated opposite each petitioner named herein that the petition should not be granted, it is hereby  
ordered that each of the said petitions be, and hereby is, denied.

PETITION NO.	NAME OF PETITIONER	CAUSE FOR DENIAL
1256	Michael Lalli,	Fails to Prosecute

By the Court, this 14 day of April, 1931  
*S. H. Sturgent*  
Judge.

CITIZENSHIP PETITIONS GRANTED

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio,  
Jefferson, Ohio,

Upon consideration of the petitions for citizenship listed below on lines 1 to 15, inclusive, the affidavits in support thereof, and testimony taken in open Court, and the Court having found that each of the petitioners so listed herein intends to reside permanently in the United States, had in all respects complied with the naturalization laws of the United States in each such case applicable, and was entitled to be admitted a citizen, and each of such petitioners having taken the oath of allegiance required by the naturalization laws and regulations, it is hereby ordered that each of such petitioners be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

LINE NO.	PETITION NO.	NAME OF PETITIONER	CHANGE OF NAME TO
1	1335	Lucie Hughes	
2	1340	Matt Rantala,	
3	1341	Sarah Beswick	
4	1345	Heikki Partanen,	
5	1346	Malvine Beer,	
6	1347	Axel Rudolph Saarinen,	
7	1348	George Hunter Porter	
8	1351	John Marhefka,	
9	1354	Anna Susanna Kivelle,	
10	1356	Frans Mainio Wintturi,	
11	1357	George Assad,	
12	1358	Kalle Nikolai Jylha,	
13	1359	Helmi Maria Jylha,	
14	1361	Albert Westbrook,	
15	1362	Frances Ida Westrook	
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Prayer granted for change of name in petition No \_\_\_\_\_

By the Court, this 29 day of Sept., 1931

*[Signature]*  
Judge.

CITIZENSHIP PETITIONS DENIED

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Jefferson, Ohio.

Upon consideration of the Three petitions ( 3 ) petitions  
for citizenship listed below and the motion of L. E. Fox Examiner

for the United States  
in open court made, that each of such petitions be denied, and the Court having found for the cause  
stated opposite each petitioner named herein that the petition should not be granted, it is hereby  
ordered that each of the said petitions be, and hereby is, denied.

PETITION NO.	NAME OF PETITIONER	CAUSE FOR DENIAL
1329	Katharina Walz,	1 Wit. Incompetent
<del>1359</del> 1360	Salvatore Di Piero	1 Wit. Incompetent
1363	Salvatore Greco,	Can not speak English

By the Court, this 29 day of Sept. 1931

*[Handwritten Signature]*

Judge.

CITIZENSHIP PETITIONS GRANTED

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula Co. Jefferson, O.

Upon consideration of the petitions for citizenship listed below on lines 1 to 13, inclusive, the affidavits in support thereof, and testimony taken in open Court, and the Court having found that each of the petitioners so listed herein intends to reside permanently in the United States, had in all respects complied with the naturalization laws of the United States in each such case applicable, and was entitled to be admitted a citizen, and each of such petitioners having taken the oath of allegiance required by the naturalization laws and regulations, it is hereby ordered that each of such petitioners be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

LINE NO.	PETITION NO.	NAME OF PETITIONER	CHANGE OF NAME TO
1	1365	John Franklin Decherty,	
2	1374	Mabel Bradsher Decherty,	
3	1326	Nicola Iarecci,	
4	1327	Michele Caccese,	
5	1350	Edward Gincalves Morais,	
6	1352	Wilho Kallio,	William Hill,
7	1353	Szezepan Sulkowski,	
8	1349	Irma Tellervo Seppelin,	
9	1364	Louis Cropek,	
10	1366	Carl John Johnson,	
11	1367	Julius Medeiros,	
12	1375	Fanni Maria Miettinen,	
13	1268	Adolf Neidzielski,	
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Prayer granted for change of name in petition No 1350

By the Court, this 12th day of April, 1932

*Chas. S. August*  
Judge.

CITIZENSHIP PETITIONS DENIED

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio,

Upon consideration of ~~xxx~~ 21x No. \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_) petitions  
for citizenship listed below and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ for the United States  
in open court made, that each of such petitions be denied, and the Court having found for the cause  
stated opposite each petitioner named herein that the petition should not be granted, it is hereby  
ordered that each of the said petitions be, and hereby is, denied.

PETITION NO.  
**NONE**

NAME OF PETITIONER  
**NONE**

CAUSE FOR DENIAL  
**NONE**

By the Court, this 12 day of April 19 32

*Charles H. August*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Judge.

CITIZENSHIP PETITIONS GRANTED

The State of Ohio, }  
 Ashtabula County, } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
 of Ashtabula County, Jefferson, O.

Upon consideration of the petitions for citizenship listed below on lines 1 to 15, inclusive, the affidavits in support thereof, and testimony taken in open Court, and the Court having found that each of the petitioners so listed herein intends to reside permanently in the United States, had in all respects complied with the naturalization laws of the United States in each such case applicable, and was entitled to be admitted a citizen, and each of such petitioners having taken the oath of allegiance required by the naturalization laws and regulations, it is hereby ordered that each of such petitioners be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

LINE NO.	PETITION NO.	NAME OF PETITIONER	CHANGE OF NAME TO
1	1328,	Hugyecz, Louis,	
2	1344,	Matyi, Peter,	
3	1355,	Ruccolo, John,	
4	1368	Guarino, Giovanni,	
5	1369,	Di Piero, Salvatore,	
6	1370,	Walz, Mrs. Katherine,	
7	1371,	Nordman, Viljo,	William Nordman,
8	1372,	Zyla, Franciszek,	Frank Zela,
9	1373,	Hammond, Stella Grace Gordon,	
10	1377,	Merlino, Nicola,	
11	1378,	Mastroianni, Antonio,	
12	1379,	Beswick, Harry,	
13	1380,	Michalek, Rudolf,	
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Prayer granted for change of name in petition No 1371 and 1372,

By the Court, this 4th day of October, 1932

*Charles S. Ferguson*  
 Judge.



### CITIZENSHIP PETITIONS DENIED

The State of Ohio, }  
Ashtabula County } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Jefferson, O.

Upon consideration of the Mario Vintura, ~~XXXXXXX~~ petitions  
for citizenship listed below ~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~

Examiner for the United States  
in open court made, that each of such petitions be denied, and the Court having found for the cause  
stated opposite each petitioner named herein that the petition should not be granted, it is hereby  
ordered that each of the said petitions be, and hereby is, denied.

PETITION NO.	NAME OF PETITIONER	CAUSE FOR DENIAL
NONE	None	NONE

By the Court, this 5th day of October, 19 32  
Chas. R. Sargent,  
Judge.

### CITIZENSHIP PETITIONS GRANTED

The State of Ohio, } *In the* Common Pleas *Court*  
Ashtabula County, } ss: *of* Ashtabula County, Ohio

Upon consideration of the petitions for citizenship listed below on lines 1 to 6, inclusive, the affidavits in support thereof, and testimony taken in open Court, and the Court having found that each of the petitioners so listed herein intends to reside permanently in the United States, had in all respects complied with the naturalization laws of the United States in each such case applicable, and was entitled to be admitted a citizen, and each of such petitioners having taken the oath of allegiance required by the naturalization laws and regulations, it is hereby ordered that each of such petitioners be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

LINE NO.	PETITION NO.	NAME OF PETITIONER	CHANGE OF NAME TO
1	1383	Pietro Canzonetta	
2	1388	William Dripan	
3	1384	Heikki John Mykkanen	Henry John Olson
4	1390	Carmine Vespa	
5	1392	Jacob Egner	
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Prayer granted for change of name in petition No 1384

By the Court, this 11th day of April, 1933

*[Signature]*  
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 Judge.

CITIZENSHIP PETITIONS DENIED

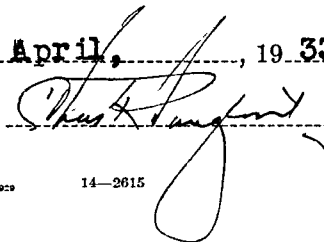
The State of Ohio, }  
Ashtabula County, } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Upon consideration of the \_\_\_\_\_ ( 1 ) petitions  
for citizenship listed below and the motion of Mario Ventura, Naturalization

Examiner, \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States  
in open court made, that each of such petitions be denied, and the Court having found for the cause  
stated opposite each petitioner named herein that the petition should not be granted, it is hereby  
ordered that each of the said petitions be, and hereby is, denied.

PETITION NO.	NAME OF PETITIONER	CAUSE FOR DENIAL
1386	Johan August Makitalo	insufficient residence in County.

By the Court, this 11th day of April, 19 33.

  
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Judge.

CITIZENSHIP PETITIONS GRANTED

The State of Ohio, }  
Ashtabula County, } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Upon consideration of the petitions for citizenship listed below on lines 1 to 7, inclusive, the affidavits in support thereof, and testimony taken in open Court, and the Court having found that each of the petitioners so listed herein intends to reside permanently in the United States, had in all respects complied with the naturalization laws of the United States in each such case applicable, and was entitled to be admitted a citizen, and each of such petitioners having taken the oath of allegiance required by the naturalization laws and regulations, it is hereby ordered that each of such petitioners be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

LINE NO.	PETITION NO.	NAME OF PETITIONER	CHANGE OF NAME TO
1	1382	John Dellerba	
2	1385	Ida Maria Karsikas	
3	1387	Oscar Niinisto	
4	1391	Andrzrej Glogoski	
5	1394	Antonio Chiarulli	
6	1396	Ronald Logan	
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Prayer granted for change of name in petition No \_\_\_\_\_

By the Court, this 3rd day of October, 1933.

*Stephen Logan*  
Judge.

CITIZENSHIP PETITIONS GRANTED

The State of Ohio, }  
Ashtabula County, } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Upon consideration of the petitions for citizenship listed below on lines 1 to 18, inclusive, the affidavits in support thereof, and testimony taken in open Court, and the Court having found that each of the petitioners so listed herein intends to reside permanently in the United States, had in all respects complied with the naturalization laws of the United States in each such case applicable, and was entitled to be admitted a citizen, and each of such petitioners having taken the oath of allegiance required by the naturalization laws and regulations, it is hereby ordered that each of such petitioners be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

LINE NO.	PETITION NO.	NAME OF PETITIONER	CHANGE OF NAME TO
1	1376	Isaac Griffiths	
2	1395	Michele Pignotti	
3	1397	Martin Ladniak	
4	1399	Francesco Arena	
5	1401	Mary Matilda Wilenius	
6	1402	James Vincenzo Prolong	
7	1403	Antti Rimpela	
8	1404	Konsta Oksanen	
9	1405	Mary Schank	
10	1406	John Czarnecki	
11	1407	Paolo Diego	Paul Diego
12	1408	Albert Scheying	
13	1409	Ella Frida Scheying	
14	1410	Campbell Stuart Hamilton	
15	1411	Mackenzie Hamilton	
16	1412	Peter Reid	
17	1415	Richard Tabio	Richard Madison
18	1423	Carl Sundholm	Carl Ensio Holmes
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Prayer granted for change of name in petition No 1407, 1415, & 1423.

By the Court, this 17th day of April, 1934.

*Sheila A. [Signature]*  
Judge.

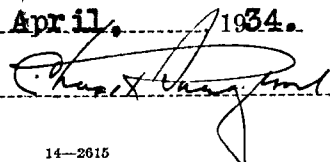
CITIZENSHIP PETITIONS DENIED

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Upon consideration of the one (1) petitions  
for citizenship listed below and the motion of L. E. Fox, Naturalization  
Examiner for the United States  
in open court made, that each of such petitions be denied, and the Court having found for the cause  
stated opposite each petitioner named herein that the petition should not be granted, it is hereby  
ordered that each of the said petitions be, and hereby is, denied.

PETITION NO.	NAME OF PETITIONER	CAUSE FOR DENIAL
1400	Lucy Scott	dismissed (deceased)

By the Court, this 17th day of April, 1934.



Judge.

CITIZENSHIP PETITIONS GRANTED

The State of Ohio, }  
 Ashtabula County, } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
 of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Upon consideration of the petitions for citizenship listed below on lines 1 to \_\_\_\_\_, inclusive, the affidavits in support thereof, and testimony taken in open Court, and the Court having found that each of the petitioners so listed herein intends to reside permanently in the United States, had in all respects complied with the naturalization laws of the United States in each such case applicable, and was entitled to be admitted a citizen, and each of such petitioners having taken the oath of allegiance required by the naturalization laws and regulations, it is hereby ordered that each of such petitioners be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

LINE NO.	PETITION NO.	NAME OF PETITIONER	CHANGE OF NAME TO
1	1413	Aina Maria Dellerba	
2	1417	Paul Adolf Lehmann	
3	1418	Samuel Fettman	
4	1419	Niilo Walfrid Hietikko	
5	1421	Loreta Ruffo	
6	1422	Giacomo Licata	
7	1424	John Forma	
8	1425	Mary Elizabeth Hornyak	
9	1426	Peter Hornyak	
10	1427	Heikki Pohjala	Henry Pohjala
11	1429	Henry Zittian	
12	1430	George Hay	
13	1433	Jacob Sahl	
14	1434	John Simesik	
15	1435	Anton Penko	
16	1436	Anna Pohjala	
17	1437	Walter Kopacz	
18	1438	Joseph Grippi	
19	1439	John Jalovec	
20	1440	Gilbert Lorne Hawley	
21	1441	Henry Rylance	
22	1444	Jacob Kangas	
23	1445	John Jurus	
24	1443	John Harchalk	
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Prayer granted for change of name in petition No 1427

By the Court, this 2nd day of October, 19 34

*[Signature]*

Judge.

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

WASHINGTON

IN REPLYING PLEASE REFER TO THIS

FILE NUMBER

509503/24

April 12, 1927.

TO ALL CLERKS OF COURTS EXERCISING NATURALIZATION JURISDICTION:

Rule 3, Subdivision D, Paragraph 1, A, of the Naturalization Laws and Regulations of June 15, 1924, is hereby amended to include the following:

11. Where the petition is executed by an alien who is unable to read it, the petition shall be read to him and the jurat of the petitioner amended by inserting the word "heard" between the words "has" and "read".

Very truly yours,



Commissioner of Naturalization.

Approved:



ROBE CARL WHITE,  
Assistant Secretary.

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No. 1962

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio,

I, Frank Carlucci, aged 34 years,  
occupation Foreman Track Depart. N.Y.C., do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 11 inches,  
weight 177 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks Tattoo on right arm,

I was born in S. Angelo in Grotte, Italy  
on the 15 day of March, anno Domini 1887; I now reside  
at 3 Wells St., Ashtabula, Ohio,  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy  
on the vessel New England; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was S. Angelo in Grotte, Italy; I am un married; the name  
of my wife is Tresa; she was born at Frosolone, Italy,  
and now resides at Ashtabula, Ohio,

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III,  
the King of Italy., of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Boston, in the  
State of Massachusetts, on or about the 13 day  
of January, anno Domini 1903; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Frank Carlucci  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 31 day of May, anno Domini 1921

[SEAL]

F. L. Marrin  
Clerk of the Common Pleas, Court.

By M. M. Marrin, Deputy Clerk.

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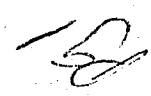
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REQUEST MADE FOR CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL

REQUEST MADE FOR CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL



3<sup>rd</sup> Wells

Ashtabula

No. 1051

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Frank Carlucci hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 3 Nells St. Ashtabula, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Track foreman, N.Y.C. & N.H.  
 Third. I was born on the 13 day of March, anno Domini 1887, at S. Angelo in Gratte, Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples, Italy, on or about the 27 day of December  
 anno Domini 1902, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Boston, Mass., on the 13 day of January  
 anno Domini 1903, on the vessel New England  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 31 day of May, anno Domini 1921  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My wife's name is Presia; she was born on the 1 day of September, anno Domini 1890  
 at Brasalone, Italy, and now resides at 3 Nells St. Ashtabula, Ohio  
 I have 3 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Anna, born June 24, 1914,  
Jennie, born January 10, 1916  
Maria, born January 27, 1918, all born and residing at Ashtabula, Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 13 day of January, anno Domini 1903, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 10 day of January, anno Domini 1903, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(And a petition for citizenship to the Court of said State was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: and the cause of such denial has since been corrected.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Frank Carlucci  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 1962 ~~received from the Department of Labor~~ filed this 26 day of January, 1926  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Frank Carlucci  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Pietro Bernardo, occupation merchant, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 and James Purano, occupation insurance agent, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Frank Carlucci, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of January, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Pietro Bernardo  
(Signature of witness.)

James Purano  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 26 day of January, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

Filed Jan 26, 1926

Frank Carlucci

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Frank Carlucci

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 1 day of October, A. D. 1926

Leonida A. Farmer, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Frank Carlucci, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

S. H. August, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2-172081, issued on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(For use of aliens arriving in United States after June 29, 1906. To be issued immediately prior to petitioning for naturalization.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR****IMMIGRATION SERVICE**OFFICE OF **COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION.**AT **BOSTON, MASS.** Nov. 24, 1925

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived at the port indicated, on the date and in the manner described below, viz:

Name of alien: Pasquale Lombardi

Port of entry: **BOSTON, MASS:**

Date of arrival: April 28, 1920

Name of vessel:\* "Canopic"

Line White Star

*John P. Johnson*  
 (Title) **COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION.**

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No. 2132

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

 Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, }  
Ashtabula County, } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Pasquale Lombardi, aged 38 years,  
occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color White, complexion dark, height 5 feet 10 inches,  
weight 165 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none.

I was born in S. Angelo in Grotte, Italy  
on the 14 day of November, anno Domini 1884; I now reside  
at 705 Harbor St., Conneaut, Ohio.

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy  
on the vessel Baltic - N. German Lloyd Line; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was S. Angelo in Grotte; I am un married; the name  
of my wife is Maria Bertone Lombardi she was born at S. Angelo in Grotte, Italy  
and now resides at 705 Harbor St., Conneaut, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King  
of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Boston  
~~New York~~, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 13 day  
of April, 1920, anno Domini 1903; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Pasquale Lombardi  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 16 day of July, anno Domini 1923.

[SEAL]

A. H. Pontius,  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Emma C. Miller, Deputy Clerk.

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REQUEST MADE FOR CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL

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No. 1052

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio at Jefferson, Ohio

The petition of Pasquale Lombardi hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is 705 Harbor St., Conneaut, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Laborer

Third. I was born on the 14th day of November, anno Domini 1884, at S. Angelo In Grotte, Italy

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples, Italy, on or about the 14th day of April,  
anno Domini 1920, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Norton, Mass., on the 28th day of April,  
anno Domini 1920, on the vessel Canopic, White Star Line  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 16th day of July, anno Domini 1923  
at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Marie Lombardi; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 17th day of Sept, anno Domini 1884  
at S. Angelo In Grotte, Italy, and now resides at S. Angelo In Grotte, Italy  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have 1 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Antonia, born 1st day of Oct, 1916 at Italy, and resides at Italy.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 28th day of April, anno Domini 1920, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 29th day of April, anno Domini 1920, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Pasquale Lombardi  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2132 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 26th day of January, 1926

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County, ss. Ohio

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Pasquale Lombardi  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

James Brown, occupation merchant, residing at Conneaut, Ohio  
and Antonio Bertone, occupation laborer, residing at Conneaut, Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Pasquale Lombardi, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

James Brown  
(Signature of witness.)

Antonio Bertone  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 26th day of January, anno Domini 1926

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Pauline C. Style, Deputy Clerk.

Filed Jan. 26, 1926

Pasquale Lombardi

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Pasquale Lombardi

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of Oct, A. D. 1926

Leonelia A. Kanner, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Pasquale Lombardi, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of Oct, A. D. 1926

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chas. B. Langford, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2172097, issued on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of October, A. D. 1926

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

JAN 16 1926

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Bertone, Antonio

Date of arrival: Oct. 4, 1920

Manner of arrival: Canada

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

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No. 2146

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Antonio Bertone, aged 33 years,  
occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet        inches,  
weight 122 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks None

I was born in S. Angelo-in-Grotte, Italy  
on the 7th day of July, anno Domini 1890; I now reside  
at 120 Garden St., Conneaut, Ohio

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy  
on the vessel Canada; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was S. Angelo-in-Grotte; I am        married; the name  
of my wife is Luisa; she was born at S. Angelo-in-Grotte, Italy  
and now resides at ~~120 Garden St., Conneaut, Ohio~~ S. Angelo in Grotte Italy

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King  
of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 5th day  
of October, anno Domini 1920; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

antonio bertone  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 24 day of September, anno Domini 192 3

[SEAL]

A. H. Pontius

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Antonio Bertone hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is 120 Gardner St, Conneaut, Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Shipper for Pittsburgh & Conneaut Dock Co.

Third. I was born on the 7th day of July, anno Domini 1890, at S. Angelo-in-Grotte, Italy

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples, Italy, on or about the 18th day of September,  
anno Domini 1920, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 5th day of October,  
anno Domini 1920, on the vessel Canada  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 24th day of September, anno Domini 1923  
at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Luisa Venditti <sup>she</sup> was born on the 10th day of May, anno Domini 1893  
at S. Angelo-in-Grotte, Italy, and now resides at S. Angelo-in-Grotte, Italy  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have one children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Everisto, born on the 6th day of May, 1919, at Italy, and now  
resides at S. Angelo-in-Grotte, Italy

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 5th day of October, anno Domini 1920, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 7th day of October, anno Domini 1920, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I ~~made petition for citizenship to the~~ Court of ~~at~~ ~~on the~~ day of ~~anno Domini~~ ~~and the~~ said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit ~~and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Antonio Bertone  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2146 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 26th day of January, 1926  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Antonio Bertone  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

James Brown, occupation merchant, residing at 760 Broad St. Conneaut  
and John Bertone, occupation labor, residing at 789 Broad St. Conneaut  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Antonio Bertone

Antonio Bertone, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

James Brown  
(Signature of witness.)  
John Bertone  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 26th day of January, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Filed Jan 26, 1926

Antonio Bertone

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Antonio Bertone

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2nd day of October, A. D. 1926

Leonela A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Antonio Bertone, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 2nd day of October, A. D. 1926

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Wm. A. Vincent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2172098, issued on the 2nd day of October, A. D. 1926

# CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(For use of aliens arriving in United States after June 29, 1906. To be issued immediately prior to petitioning for naturalization.)

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

IMMIGRATION SERVICE

Commissioner

OFFICE \_\_\_\_\_

AT Montreal, Canada

JAN 22 1926

NATURALIZATION SERVICE RECEIVED JAN 25 1926

DETROIT DISTRICT OFFICE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

*Chase*

The immigration records at this station show that the alien named below was duly examined and found admissible to the United States under the immigration laws and furnished with a certificate entitling him to admission at a Canadian border port of entry. While no actual record of entry at a border port exists, this Service is satisfied from the evidence furnished that said certificate was used by the applicant to gain entry at the time, place, and manner stated below:

Name of Alien Johan Jalvite  
Port of entry St. Ste. Marie Mich Feb 5, 1902  
Manner of entry Duluth South Shore Ry. Co.  
(Name of vessel, railroad, or other means of conveyance.)

*J. R. Sanders*

Commissioner

(Title) \_\_\_\_\_

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio }  
Ashtabula County } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Jacob Kivisto, aged 34 years,  
occupation Car Repairer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion Light, height 5 feet 9 inches,  
weight 160 pounds, color of hair Light Brown, color of eyes Blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Waasa, Finland  
on the 25 day of November, anno Domini 1884; I now reside  
at 10 Auburn St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England  
on the vessel (Cannot remember); my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Hango, Finland; I am un married; the name  
of my wife is Sanni; she was born at Waasa, Finland  
and now resides at Ashtabula, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to

The Present Government of Russia, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Sault Ste. Marie, (via St. Johns, Canada), in the  
State of Michigan, on or about the 6 day  
of February, anno Domini 1902; I am not an anarchist; I am not a

polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Jacob Kivisto  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 23 day of March, anno Domini 191 9

[SEAL]

F. L. Marvin

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Virian Marvin, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Jacob Koiristo hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 52 Market St. Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is car repairer  
 Third. I was born on the 25 day of November, anno Domini 1884, at Vaasa, Finland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from St. Johns, Canada, on or about the 5 day of February  
 anno Domini 1903, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., on the 6 day of February  
 anno Domini 1903, on the vessel Nuluth South Shore P.R.  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 27 day of March, anno Domini 1919  
 at Jefferson, Ohio in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Sanna; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 26 day of August, anno Domini 1887  
 at Lo Kyo, Finland, and now resides at 52 Market, Ashtabula Ohio.  
 I have two children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Joivo, born April 29, 1913, at Conneaut Ohio  
Pyypne, born Dec. 13, 1914 at Conneaut, Ohio, both residing at Ashtabula, Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 6 day of February, anno Domini 1903, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 8 day of July, anno Domini 1908, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio, on the 27th day of March, 1919, and the same was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes to wit: and the cause of such denial has since been cured (or removed).)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Jacob Koiristo  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 1266 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 29 day of January, 1926  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Jacob Koiristo  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Charles Nisula, occupation teamster, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and Fred Wick, occupation car repairer, residing at Sheffield Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Jacob Koiristo, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of January, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Fred A Wick  
(Signature of witness.)

Charlie Nisula  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 29 day of January, anno Domini 1926

[SEAL]

Cornelia G. Warner, Clerk.

By Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

Filed Jan 26, 1929

Jacob Kainisto  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic ~~the~~ of Finland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Jacob Kainisto

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 1<sup>st</sup> day of October, A. D. 1926

Leonida A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Jacob Kainisto, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 1<sup>st</sup> day of October, A. D. 1926

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chas. R. Pugh, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2172082, issued on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of October, A. D. 1926



**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(For use of aliens arriving in United States after June 29, 1906. To be issued immediately prior to petitioning for naturalization.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR****IMMIGRATION SERVICE**OFFICE OF **Commissioner**AT **Montreal, Canada****JAN 9 1926**

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived at the port indicated, on the date and in the manner described below, viz:

Name of alien: *Ethel Rainnie*Port of entry: *Niagara Falls, N. Y.*Date of arrival: *April 27-1910*Name of vessel:\* *S. T. R.*

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*JCC**V. T. Gardio*(Title) **Commissioner**

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Ethel Isabel Rainnie hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is 11 Baker St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Housewife

Third. I was born on the 16th day of March, anno Domini 1877, at Chatham, Ont., Canada

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Hamilton, Ontario, Canada, on or about the 27th day of April,  
anno Domini 1910, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Niagara Falls, on the 27th day of April,  
anno Domini 1910, on the vessel Grand Trunk, R. R.  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_  
at Omitted under act of September 22, 1922 Court of \_\_\_\_\_

Sixth. I am \_\_\_\_\_ married. My ~~wife's~~ <sup>husband's</sup> name is Alexander, ~~she~~ <sup>he</sup> was born on the 31 day of December, anno Domini 1876  
at Stonehaven, Scotland, and now resides at 11 Baker St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have 1 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
James Alexander born 16 day of July, 1911, at Ashtabula, Ohio, and resides at 11 Baker St., Ashtabula.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V, King of Great Britain and Ireland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 27th day of April, anno Domini 1910, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 28th day of April, anno Domini 1910, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Omitted under act of September, 1922 Ethel Isabel Rainnie  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. \_\_\_\_\_ and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_\_  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Ethel Isabel Rainnie  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Lawrence Mc Bride, occupation R. R. baggage Helper, residing at Station St., Ashtabula  
and Minnie Mc Bride, occupation Housewife, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Ethel Isabel Rainnie, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Minnie Mc Bride  
(Signature of witness.)  
Lawrence R. McBride  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 29th day of January, anno Domini 1924

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Wyrner, Clerk.  
By Pauline C. Stry, Deputy Clerk.

Filed Jan 29, 1926

Ethel Isabel Rainnie

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V the King of Great Britain + Ireland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Ethel Isabel Rainnie

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

Bonnie A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Ethel Isabel Rainnie, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

[Signature], Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2172043, issued on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION**

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK**

**JAN 16 1926**

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Pokki, Alfred

Date of arrival: April 19, 1907

Manner of arrival: Oceanic

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

Issue No.

**105930**



*Commissioner of Naturalization.*

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, }  
Ashtabula County, } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Alfred Pakki, aged 31 years,  
occupation car repairer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 10 1/2 inches,  
weight 160 pounds, color of hair light, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks slight scar middle finger right hand

I was born in Walkeala, Finland  
on the 27 day of April, anno Domini 1887; I now reside  
at 12, Market St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England  
on the vessel Oceanic; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Walkeala, Finland; I am un married; the name  
of my wife is Elizabeth; she was born at Ashtabula, Ohio.  
and now resides at 12, Market St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Present Government  
of Russia, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 16 day  
of April, anno Domini 1907; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Alfred Pakki  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 14 day of March, anno Domini 1919

[SEAL]

F. L. Marwin

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Loonelia A. Warner, Deputy Clerk.

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REQUEST MADE FOR CERTIFICATE OF ABILITY

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No. 1056

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Alfred Pakki hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 12 Market Street, Ashtabula, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Railroad Car Repairer, N. Y. C. & P. R. Co.  
 Third. I was born on the 27<sup>th</sup> day of April, anno Domini 1887, at Wakkeala, Finland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool, England, on or about the 9<sup>th</sup> day of April  
 anno Domini 1907, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of April  
 anno Domini 1907, on the vessel Oceanic, White Star Line  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of March, anno Domini 1919  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Elizabeth; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of June, anno Domini 1888  
 at Ashtabula, Ohio, and now resides at 12 Market Street, Ashtabula, Ohio  
 I have two children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Melvin, born on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1913, at Ashtabula, Ohio, and now resides at Ashtabula, Ohio.  
Arne, born on the 31<sup>st</sup> day of January, 1918, at Ashtabula, Ohio, and now resides at Ashtabula, Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 19<sup>th</sup> day of April, anno Domini 1907, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 20<sup>th</sup> day of May, anno Domini 1909, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Alfred Pakki  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 1187 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 3rd day of February, 1926  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 20, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Alfred Pakki  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

John E. Glantz, occupation Atty-at-Law, residing at 48 Whitlam St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
 and Charles Bukari, occupation Contractor, residing at 52 Cherry St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Alfred Pakki, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of February, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of February, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

John E. Glantz  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Charles Bukari  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 3rd day of February, anno Domini 1926

[SEAL]

Bonnie A. Harner, Clerk.

Filed Feb 3, 1926

Alfred Pakki

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Alfred Pakki

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

Boonka A. Kanner, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Alfred Pakki, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

[Signature] Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

[Signature] Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

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Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2172084, issued on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1926 " " " " 2634982 " " " " 24th " " February " " 1926

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

NATURALIZATION SERVICE

DISTRICT DIRECTOR OF NATURALIZATION

508 POST OFFICE BUILDING

CLEVELAND, OHIO

IN REPLYING PLEASE REFER TO THIS

FILE NUMBER

2537-P-1056

January 24, 1928.

Clerk of Courts,  
Jefferson, Ohio.

Dear Madam:

A new certificate (No. 2634982) has been prepared for Mr. Alfred Pakki who filed petition for naturalization in your Court on February 3, 1926 and who was admitted to citizenship on October 1, 1926, and original and duplicate are inclosed herewith. The renunciation therein is shown as Finland instead of England as shown on certificate 2172084 originally issued. It is not believed that the original certificate can be corrected without mutilating it and it is therefore requested that you executed the attached original and duplicate, issue the original to Mr. Pakki without fee, and take up the certificate he now holds. The certificate he now holds should then be marked spoiled and the fact that new certificate No. 2172084 was issued to him in lieu thereof, over your signature. Please mail the spoiled certificate and the duplicate of certificate inclosed herewith to this office.

Very truly yours,

  
District Director of Naturalization.

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No. 1057

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Luigi Simone hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 804 Broad St., Conneaut, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is laborer  
 Third. I was born on the 21 day of June, anno Domini 1895, at Secinara, Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples, Italy, on or about the 9 day of May  
 anno Domini 1920, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 27 day of May  
 anno Domini 1920, on the vessel Pesaro  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 13 day of August, anno Domini 1923  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Emma; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 14 day of March, anno Domini 1891  
 at Secinara, Italy, and now resides at Secinara, Italy  
 I have no children, and the names, date and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 27 day of May, anno Domini 1920, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 10 day of July, anno Domini 1920, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made a petition for citizenship to the Court of the State of Ohio, on the 13th day of August, 1923, and the same was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes to wit:)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Luigi Simone  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2138 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 4 day of February, 1926  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Luigi Simone  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Angelo Miranda, occupation laborer, residing at Conneaut, Ohio  
 and Mike Zezzo, occupation merchant, residing at Conneaut, Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectfully sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Luigi Simone, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of January, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Angelo Miranda  
(Signature of witness.)  
Mike Zezzo  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 4 day of February, anno Domini 1926

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

Filed Feb 4, 1926

Luigi Simone

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III the King of Italy, of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2nd day of October, A. D. 1926

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Luigi Simone, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 2nd day of October, A. D. 1926

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of Luigi Simone and the motion of L. E. Fox, Naturalization Examiner for the United States in open Court this 2nd day of October, 1926, it appearing that

One witness had not known applicant five years at time of filing petition

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

Sh. J. Targuit

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

JAN 29 1926

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

JAN 25 1926

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Obhof, Franz

Date of arrival: May 9, 1911

Manner of arrival: La Bretagne

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

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Issue No.

*Raymond F. Crist*  
Commissioner of Naturalization.

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No. 1449

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, }  
Ashtabula County, } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Frank Joseph Obhof, aged 39 years,  
occupation farming, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 3 inches,  
weight 162 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Zunsweier, Baden, Germany,  
on the 27 day of March, anno Domini 1880; I now reside  
at R. F. D. 3, Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Geneva, Switzerland  
on the vessel Brantagne; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Geneva, Switzerland; I am un married; the name  
of my wife is Johana; she was born at Ruttunen, Switzerland  
and now resides at Ashtabula, Ohio, R. F. D. 3.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to William II, German Em-  
peror and the Present Government, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 9 day  
of May, anno Domini 1911; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith

to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Frank Joseph Obhof*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 24 day of April, anno Domini 1919

[SEAL]

*T. L. Marvin*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk.

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REQUEST MADE FOR CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL

R 12 Box 37  
Austenberg  
Jefferson

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No. 1058

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
The petition of Frank Joseph Obhof hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is R. F. D. Austenburg Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Farmer

Third. I was born on the 27th day of March, anno Domini 1880, at Jansweier, Baden, Germany

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Havrre, France, on or about the 29th day of April anno Domini 1911, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, N.Y., on the 9th day of May anno Domini 1911, on the vessel Provencence (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 24 day of April, anno Domini 1919 at Jefferson in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

Sixth. I am not married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Johanna; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 27 day of April, anno Domini 1883 at Switzerland, and now resides at Austenburg Ohio. (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have 8 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Carl born 11 day of Nov. 1908 in Switzerland; Max born 9 day of May 1922 at Ashtabula  
Anna .. 27 .. June 1911 at .. adrian .. 23 .. Oct 1924 .. Austenburg  
Caroline .. 2 .. Feb 1913 .. Ashtabula all reside at Austenburg Ohio,  
Joe .. 22 .. March 1915 .. ..  
Martin .. 14 .. May 1917 .. ..  
Willie .. 5 .. Aug. 1918 at ..

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The German Empire, of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 9th day of May, anno Domini 1911, and in the State of Ohio, continuously next preceding the date of this petition since the 11th day of May, anno Domini 1911, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the Court of .. on the .. day of .., anno Domini 1 .., and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit .. and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Frank Joseph Obhof  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 1449 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 6th day of February, 1926  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

R. L. Jennings, occupation Foreman in Shop, residing at Ashtabula Ohio,  
and C. Norris, occupation Farming, residing at Austenburg Ohio,  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known ..

Frank Joseph Obhof, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

R. L. Jennings  
(Signature of witness.)  
C. Norris  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 6th day of February, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. W. ... Clerk.  
Faith C. Styles Deputy Clerk.

*Frank Joseph Obhof*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Feb 6*, 19*26*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *the German Empire* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Frank Joseph Obhof*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *1st* day of *October*, A. D. 19*26*

*Leonora A. Kerner*, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Frank Joseph Obhof*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *1st* day of *October*, A. D. 19*26*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Chas. K. Langford*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2172095*, issued on the *1st* day of *October*, A. D. 19*26*

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

MAY 27 1926

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Lindberg, Hermand

Date of arrival: September 27, 1919

Manner of arrival: Jethou

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

134412

Issue No.

*Raymond F. Crist*  
Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas, Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio,

I, Herman Gotthard Lindeberg, aged 32 years, occupation Sailor & Blacksmith, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color white, complexion light, height 5 feet 11 inches, weight 160 pounds, color of hair light, color of eyes gray, other visible distinctive marks none.

I was born in Asmundtoys, Sweden, on the 20 day of July, anno Domini 1887; I now reside at Jefferson, Ohio, R. F. D. 6.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Landskrona, Sweden, on the vessel Anteg;

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

my last foreign residence was Asmundtoys, Sweden; I am not married; ~~the name of my wife is~~ ~~she was born at~~ and now resides at

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Gustavus V., King of Sweden, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Baltimore, in the State of Maryland, on or about the 27 day of October, anno Domini 1919; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein: SO HELP ME GOD.

*Herman Gotthard Lindeberg*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 1 day of March, anno Domini 1920

[SEAL]

*F. L. Marvin*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Marjorie Marvin*, Deputy, Clerk.

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No. 1059

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio,  
The petition of Herman Gotthard Lindberg hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is 24 Ruth St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Fireman

Third. I was born on the 20 day of July, anno Domini 1887, at Asmundtorp Sweden

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Landskrona Sweden via South America, on or about the 24th day of July,  
anno Domini 1919, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, N.Y., on the 27th day of September,  
anno Domini 1919, on the vessel Aztec  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 1st day of March, anno Domini 1920  
at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Daisy; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 9th day of Dec, anno Domini 1878,  
at Denmark, Ashtabula County, Ohio and now resides at 24 Ruth Street, Ashtabula, Ohio,  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have 4 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

James Edward Bartram born 26 day of April, 1903 at Denmark, Ohio,  
resides at Jefferson, Ohio,

Laura Marguerite Bartram born 3 day of Dec, 1905 at Denmark, Ohio,  
resides at Denmark

Samuel Burton Bartram born 7 day of Sept, 1907 at Denmark, resides at Denmark

Beryl Louise Bartram born 5 day of Aug, 1910 at Denmark, " " "

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Mustave King of Sweden of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 27th day of October, anno Domini 1919, and in the State of Ohio, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 28th day of January, anno Domini 1920, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Herman Gotthard Lindberg  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 1842 arrived as sailor and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 8 day of Feb, 1926

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1908, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Olive Austin, occupation Housewife, residing at Ashtabula R.F.D. 2  
and J.J. Austin, occupation Farmer, residing at Ashtabula R.F.D. 5

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Herman Gotthard Lindberg, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

J.J. Austin  
(Signature of witness.)  
Olive Austin  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 8th day of Feb, anno Domini 1926

[SEAL]

Cornelia C. Warner, Clerk.

Filed Feb 8, 1926

Herman Gotthard Lindberg  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Gustavus V the King of Sweden of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Herman Gotthard Lindberg

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 19 day of April, A. D. 1928

Loonellia A. Karmes Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Herman Gotthard Lindberg, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 17 day of April, A. D. 1928

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

[Signature], Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

	REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE
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to <u>April 19-1927</u> to <u>Oct 4 1927</u> , 19____	
Continued from _____, 19____	<u>Investigation</u>
to _____, 19____	

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2736732, issued on the 17 day of April, A. D. 1928

No. 2207

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Carl August Anderson, aged 32 years,  
occupation Drill Press Operator, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion light, height 5 feet 5 inches,  
weight 138 pounds, color of hair light, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks none.  
I was born in Bohuslan, Sweden,  
on the 27 day of July, anno Domini 1892; I now reside  
at 558 Lake Street, Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Gothenburg, Sweden,  
on the vessel Oceanic; my last  
foreign residence was Bohuslan, Sweden; I am not married; the name  
of my wife is ~~she was born at~~  
and now resides at

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to  
Gustavus V, King of Sweden, of whom I am now a subject;  
I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 19 day  
of October, anno Domini 1902; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Carl August Anderson*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 31 day of January, anno Domini 1924.

[SEAL]

*C. A. Gentry*  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By \_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

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558 1/2 Lake  
Ashtabula  
(Jefferson)

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No. 1060

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio,  
 The petition of Carl August Anderson hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 558 1/2 Lake St Ashtabula Ohio.  
 Second. My occupation is Drill Press Operator.  
 Third. I was born on the 27th day of July, anno Domini 1892, at Bohuslan Sweden.  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Holeburg Sweden, on or about the 3rd day of October  
 anno Domini 1902, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 19th day of October  
 anno Domini 1902, on the vessel Oceanic.  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 31st day of January, anno Domini 1924  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio.  
 Sixth. I am not married. My wife's name is John was born on the      day of     , anno Domini       
 at      and now resides at     .

I have      children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Nuslavus King of Sweden of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 19th day of October, anno Domini 1902, and in the State of Ohio, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 20th day of October, anno Domini 1902, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Carl August Anderson  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2207 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 9th day of February, 1926  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Carl August Anderson  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Theodore E. Peterson, occupation car repairer, residing at Ashtabula Harbor Ohio  
 and George C. Cheney, occupation Boat Builder, residing at Ashtabula Ohio,  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Carl August Anderson, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Theodore E. Peterson  
 (Signature of witness.)  
George C. Cheney  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 9th day of February, anno Domini 1926

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Filed Feb 9, 1926

Carl August Anderson  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Guistavus II the King of Sweden of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Carl August Anderson

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

Leonida A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Carl August Anderson, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Stuart A. Tamm, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2172096, issued on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

No. 2189

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Phillip Spozios, aged 42 years,  
occupation Farmer do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion Medium, height 5 feet 4 inches,  
weight 130 pounds, color of hair black&grey, color of eyes dark blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Turin, Italy  
on the 25th day of May, anno Domini 1881; I now reside  
at E. Orwell, Ohio.  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Cherbourg France  
on the vessel Champaigne; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Cherbourg, France; I am married; the name  
of my wife is Alma; she was born at Sheboygan, Wis.  
and now resides at East Orwell, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III,  
King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the day  
of January, anno Domini 1900; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*[Handwritten signature]*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 27 day of Dec, anno Domini 1923

[SEAL]

*[Handwritten signature]*  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

*[Handwritten signature]*  
Deputy Clerk.

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REQUEST MADE FOR CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL

East Orwell

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(Jefferson)



No. 1061

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio,  
 The petition of Phillip Spozio hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is East Orwell, Ohio.  
 Second. My occupation is Farmer.  
 Third. I was born on the 25 day of May, anno Domini 1881, at Casalborgone, Torino, Italy.  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from France, on or about the 5th day of January,  
 anno Domini 1900, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 15th day of January,  
 anno Domini 1900, on the vessel Chauvagne.  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 27th day of December, anno Domini 1923,  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County.  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Alma; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 5th day of May, anno Domini 1881,  
 at Sheboygan Wisconsin, and now resides at East Orwell, Ohio.  
 I have no children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 20th day of January, anno Domini 1900, and in the State of Ohio, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 1st day of September, anno Domini 1920, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Phillip Spozio  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2189 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 10 day of February, 1926  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States on or before June 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Phillip Spozio  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Arley Binkley, occupation Salesman, residing at Orwell, Ohio,  
 and Neva Binkley, occupation Housewife, residing at Orwell, Ohio,  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known

Phillip Spozio, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Mrs Neva Binkley  
 (Signature of witness.)  
A. O. Binkley  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 10th day of Feb, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Steff, Deputy Clerk.

Filed Feb. 10, 1926

Phillip Spozias  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Phillip Spozias

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

Leonida A. Harner, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Phillip Spozias, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Wm. H. Targent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2172087, issued on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

No. 2187

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Michael Ryan, aged 41 years,  
occupation Lineman helper, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 9 inches,  
weight 159 pounds, color of hair dark, color of eyes brown,  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Thurles, Ireland  
on the 15th day of August, anno Domini 1882; I now reside  
at 25 Parson St., Ashtabula, Ohio,  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Queenstown, Ireland,  
on the vessel Lucania; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Thurles, Ireland; I am married; the name  
of my wife is Mary; she was born at Madison, Ohio,  
and now resides at 25 Parson St., Ashtabula Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V., King of  
Great Britain, & Ireland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 30th day  
of May, anno Domini 1904; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Michael Ryan*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 19th day of December, anno Domini 1923

[SEAL]

*A. H. Pontius*

Clerk of the Common Pleas, Court.

By *Pauline C. Styles*, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1062

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio,  
The petition of Michael Ryan hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is 25 Pearson St. Ashtabula Ohio,  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is trimmer for city light dept

Third. I was born on the 15th day of August, anno Domini 1882, at Shurles, Ireland

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Greenstown, Ireland, on or about the 24th day of May  
anno Domini 1904, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 30th day of May  
anno Domini 1904, on the vessel Tucania Cunard Line  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 19th day of December, anno Domini 1923  
at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Mary; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 23rd day of April, anno Domini 1887  
at Madison, Ohio, and now resides at Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have 2 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Joseph Ryan born 30 day of Jan. 1916 at Ashtabula Ohio, resides at Ashtabula Ohio,  
Francis born 26th day of March 1923, at Ashtabula Ohio and is  
now deceased.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V, King of Great Britain & Ireland, of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 2nd day of June, anno Domini 1904, and in the State of Ohio, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 3rd day of June, anno Domini 1904, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Michael Joseph Ryan  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2187 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 11 day of Feb, 1926  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Michael Joseph Ryan  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

M. E. Medden, occupation Electrical, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
and James Ryan, occupation Baggage man, residing at Ashtabula Ohio,  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known

Michael Ryan, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

M. E. Medden  
(Signature of witness.)

James Ryan  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 11th day of February, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Ornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
By Pauline C. Slight, Deputy Clerk.

Filed Feb. 11, 1926

Michael Ryan
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V the King of Great Britain & Ireland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Michael Ryan

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

Conradia A. Kramer, Clerk.

NOTE-In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Michael Ryan, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chas. A. Tamm, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

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Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2172088, issued on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

No. 1244

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, }  
Ashtabula County, } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Matti Forman, aged 40 years,  
occupation car repairer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion light, height 5 feet 6 inches,  
weight 160 pounds, color of hair blond, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks smallpox scars

I was born in Iso Kyro, Finland  
on the 8 day of April, anno Domini 1878; I now reside  
at 18, Briggs St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England  
on the vessel Ivernia; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Iso Kyro, Finland; I am un married; the name  
of my wife is Hilma; she was born at Iso Kyro, Finland  
and now resides at 18, Briggs St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Present Government  
of Russia, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Boston, in the  
State of Massachusetts, on or about the 20 day  
of June, anno Domini 1902; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Matti Forman  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 21 day of March, anno Domini 191 9

[SEAL]

A. L. Marvin

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By \_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

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No. 1063

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
The petition of Matti Forman hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is 18 Briggs St, Ashtabula (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Car Repairer

Third. I was born on the 8th day of April, anno Domini 1878, at Esakyo, Finland

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool England, on or about the 10th day of June anno Domini 1902, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Boston, Mass, on the 20th day of June anno Domini 1902, on the vessel Svernia Cunard Line (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 21st day of March, anno Domini 1919 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Hilma; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 1st day of September, anno Domini 1875 at Esakyo, Finland, and now resides at 18 Briggs St, Ashtabula Ohio, (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have 3 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
George A. Forman born 25 day of April 1899 at Esakyo, Finland and resides at Ashtabula Harbor Ohio  
Vaino John Forman born 19 day of January 1902 at Esakyo Finland and resides at Ashtabula Harbor, Ohio  
Edith A.C. Forman born 14 day of May 1914 at Ashtabula Harbor Ohio, resides at Ashtabula Harbor

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 20th day of June, anno Domini 1902, and in the State of Ohio, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 21st day of June, anno Domini 1902, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the          Court of          at          on the          day of         , anno Domini         , and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit          and the cause of each denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Matti Forman  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 1244 and certificate of arrival from Department of Labor filed this 17th day of February, 1926  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Matti Forman  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Charles V. Beckman, occupation Car Repairer, residing at Ashtabula Ohio,  
and Charles F. Beckman, occupation Forge Shop, residing at         ,  
each being severally, duly and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Matti Forman

the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Charles V. Beckman  
(Signature of witness.)  
Charles F. Beckman  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 17th day of February, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
By Pauline C. Stebbins, Deputy Clerk.

Filed Feb. 17, 1926

Matti Forman

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Matti Forman

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

Leonida A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE--In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Matti Forman, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Shas. A. Hargrett, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

, occupation, residing at, occupation, residing at

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2172899, issued on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

No. 1064

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Elizabeth Pokki hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 12 Market St. Ashtabula, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is housewife  
 Third. I was born on the 25 day of June, anno Domini 1888, at Ashtabula Ohio  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Finland, on about the 1 day of June, anno Domini 1888, and arrived in the United States at the port of Ashtabula, Ohio, on the 1 day of June, anno Domini 1888.

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 1 day of June, anno Domini 1888, at Ashtabula, Ohio, in the Court of  
 Sixth. I am married. My wife's name is Alfred; he was born on the 27 day of April, anno Domini 1887, at Walkeela Finland and now resides at 12 Market St. Ashtabula, Ohio  
 I have two children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Melvin, born May 8, 1913  
Arne, born January 31, 1918, both born and residing at Ashtabula, Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 25 day of June, anno Domini 1888, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 2 day of June, anno Domini 1888, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of Ashtabula, Ohio, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes to wit: and the cause of such denial has since been called to remedy.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Elizabeth Pokki  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
 Declaration of Intention No. Admitted under Act of September 22, 1922, 1922  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County  
 The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Elizabeth Pokki  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
 residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 and Emma Mackey, occupation housewife, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 and Silma Gable, occupation housewife, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Elizabeth Pokki, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of January, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Emma Mackey  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Silma Gable  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 18 day of February, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Farmer, Clerk.  
 By Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

Filed Feb. 18, 1926

Elizabeth Pokki

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Elizabeth Pokki

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

Bonnie A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Elizabeth Pokki, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Shas. T. Sargent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

, occupation, residing at, occupation, residing at

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2172090, issued on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

No. 1355

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof.**

The State of Ohio }  
Ashtabula County } SS: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Antonio Arena, aged 34 years,  
occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 5 inches,  
weight 150 pounds, color of hair Black, color of eyes dark brown  
other visible distinctive marks Stain on right side of face  
I was born in Naso, Italy,  
on the 15th day of August, anno Domini 1884; I now reside  
at 30 Fred St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy  
on the vessel Roma,; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
foreign residence was Naso, Italy,; I am un married; the name  
of my wife is Virginia,; she was born at Naso, Italy  
and now resides at Ashtabula, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to  
Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;  
I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 1st day  
of April, anno Domini 1901; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Antonio Arena,  
(Original signature of declarant.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 3 day of April, anno Domini 1919

[SEAL]

F. L. Marvin,  
Clerk of the Common Pleas, Court.

By \_\_\_\_\_, Clerk

*Concluded*  
*By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy*

1242 Haskell

Ashtabula J

No. 1065

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio,  
 The petition of Antonio Arena hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 12 1/2 Haskell Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Hostler for N.Y. C.R.R.  
 Third. I was born on the 15th day of August, anno Domini 1884, at Naso, Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples Italy, on or about the 20th day of March  
 anno Domini 1901, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 1st day of April  
 anno Domini 1901, on the vessel Roma  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 3rd day of April, anno Domini 1919  
 at Jefferson, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Virginia; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 22nd day of March, anno Domini 1876  
 at Italy, and now resides at 12 1/2 Haskell Ave., Ashtabula Ohio  
 I have 4 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Frances born 1st day of March, 1914 at Ashtabula Ohio, resides at Ashtabula Ohio  
Florence born 4th day of Dec, 1915 at Ashtabula Ohio  
Carl born 13th day of Oct, 1918  
Victor born 1st day of Nov, 1920  
 Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.  
 Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 1st day of April, anno Domini 1901, and in the State of Ohio, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 16th day of April, anno Domini 1904, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.  
 Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the Court of~~  
~~at~~ ~~on the~~ ~~day of~~ ~~anno Domini~~ ~~I~~, and the ~~said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit~~  
~~and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~  
 Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Antonio Arena  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 1355 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 19th day of February, 1926  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Antonio Arena  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Ralph H. Dorman occupation Signal Maintainer, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
and Ethel L. Dorman, occupation Housewife, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Antonio Arena, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Ralph H. Dorman  
(Signature of witness.)  
Ethel L. Dorman  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 19th day of February, anno Domini 1926

[SEAL]

Cornelisa Warner, Clerk.  
By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Filed Feb 19, 1926

Antonio Arena

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Antonio Arena

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 19th day of April, A. D. 1927.

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk. by [Signature] Dep. Clerk

NOTE-In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Antonio Arena, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 19th day of April, A. D. 1927.

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

[Signature], Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

[Signature], Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from Oct. 1, 1926 to April, 1927

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Continued from to, 19 to, 19

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

[Signature], occupation, residing at [Signature], occupation, residing at

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494103, issued on the 20th day of April, A. D. 1927



**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION****CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK****FEB 26 1926**

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien:           Zito, Vincenzo

Date of arrival:        December 23, 1919

Manner of arrival:    Taormina.

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

**127523**

Issue No.

*Commissioner of Naturalization.*

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No. 1952

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof.**

The State of Ohio }  
Ashtabula County } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Vincenzo Zito, age 27 years, do declare on oath that my personal occupation Molder, description is: Color white, complexion medium, height 5 feet 9 1/2 inches, weight 150 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes brown, other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Borolino, Italy, on the 9th day of March, anno Domini 1894; I now reside at 6 War St., Geneva, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy on the vessel Taormino; my last foreign residence was Borolino, Italy; I am not married; the name of my wife is ~~xxxxxx~~; she was born at ~~xxxxxx~~ and now resides at ~~xxxxxx~~

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject; I arrived at the port of New York, in the State of New York, on or about the 29 day of December, anno Domini 1920; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Vincenzo Zito,  
(Original signature of declarant.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 16 day of April, anno Domini 19 21.

[SEAL]

F. L. Marvin,  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By M. M. Marvin, Deputy Clerk.

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REQUEST MADE FOR CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL

17 Eastwood St

Geneva O

JUL 15 1925

No. 1066

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Vincenzo Zito also known as James Zito hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is 17 Eastwood St. Geneva Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
Second. My occupation is Labourer

Third. I was born on the 9th day of March, anno Domini 1894, at Bovellino Italy

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples Italy, on or about the 14th day of December  
anno Domini 1919, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 23rd day of December  
anno Domini 1919, on the vessel Tormina  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 16th day of April, anno Domini 1921  
at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Rose <sup>(she)</sup> ~~(he)~~ was born on the 1st day of November, anno Domini 1897  
at Cleveland Ohio, and now resides at Geneva Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have 2 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
James John born 25 day of June, 1923 at Geneva Ohio resides at Geneva Ohio  
Robert Vincent, born 12 day of August 1924 at Geneva Ohio resides at Geneva Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 25th day of December, anno Domini 1919, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 25th day of December, anno Domini 1919, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Vincenzo Zito  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 1952 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 8th day of March, 1926  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Vincenzo Zito  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

John Carsella, occupation Labourer, residing at Geneva Ohio  
and Fred Belcher, occupation Labourer, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Vincenzo Zito also known as James Zito the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Fred Belcher  
(Signature of witness.)  
John Carsella  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 8th day of March, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Filed March 8, 1926

Vincenzo Zito

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Nector Emmanuel III the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Vincenzo Zito

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Vincenzo Zito, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 19 day of April, A. D. 1927.

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Jan Dancy, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from Oct. 1, 1926 to April, 1927 Study & witness  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494104, issued on the 19 day of April, A. D. 1927

*Cleveland*

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(For use of aliens arriving in United States after June 29, 1906. To be issued immediately prior to petitioning for naturalization.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

IMMIGRATION SERVICE

**Commissioner**

OFFICE OF \_\_\_\_\_

At Montreal, Canada

**FEB 11 1926**

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived at the port indicated, on the date and in the manner described below, viz:

Name of alien:

*John Pinter*

Port of entry:

*Detroit, Mich*

Date of arrival:

*April 9-1920*

Name of vessel:\*

*D. & W. Ferry Co.*

Line

*JAC*

*V. R. Sanders*

(Title)

**Commissioner**

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No. 48745

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

State of Ohio, }  
Cuyahoga County, } ss: In the Common Pleas Court of Cuyahoga County.

**John Pintar**

**45**

I, **John Pintar**, aged **45** years,

occupation **laborer**

do declare on oath that my personal

description is: Color **white**, complexion **fair**, height **5** feet **6** inches,

weight **145** pounds, color of hair **brown**, color of eyes **brown**

other visible distinctive marks **thumb and two other fingers missing on left hand**

I was born in **Ljubljana** **Jugoslavia**

on the **24** day of **June**, anno Domini **1875**; I now reside

at **3332 St., Clair Ave., Cleveland,** Ohio.

(Give number, street, and city or town.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from **Bremen Germany**

on the vessel ~~Kronz Prinz Wilhelm~~ **Kaizer Wilhelm II**; my last

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

foreign residence was **Jugoslavia**; I am **un** married; the name

of my wife is **Frances** **Jugoslavia**

and now resides at **Geneva, Ohio**

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to

**Austria Hungary or any independent state within the bounds of the former Austro-Hungarian Empire**, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of **New York**, in the

State of **June**, on or about the **25** day

of **June**, anno Domini **1920**; I am not an anarchist; I am not a

polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD.

*John Pintar*  
(Original signature of declarant.)

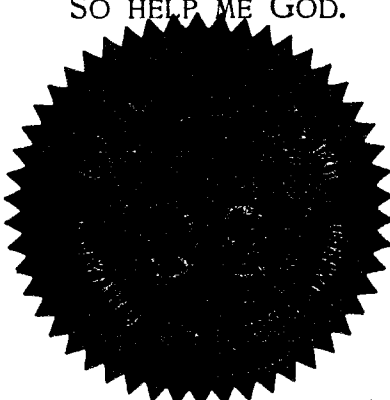
Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court at Cleveland, Ohio, this **18** day of **November**

anno Domini 19**20**.

**EDMUND B. HASERODT**

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *[Signature]* DEPUTY Clerk.



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No. 1067

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio,  
The petition of John Puntar hereby filed, respectfully showeth:

First. My place of residence is Rock Creek, R. F. D. 2  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Farmer

Third. I was born on the 24th day of June, anno Domini 1875, at Selce Jugoslavia

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Windsor, Canada, on or about the 24th day of April  
anno Domini 1920, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Detroit, Mich, on the 24th day of April  
anno Domini 1920, on the vessel Ferry  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 18th day of November, anno Domini 1920  
at Cleveland, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Cuyahoga County

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Francis; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 20 day of October, anno Domini 1878  
at Jugoslavia, and now resides at is now deceased  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have 6 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
John born 24th day of June, 1904 at Kansas  
Frank born 10 " Oct, 1909 at S. Dakota  
Frances " 10 " Oct, 1910 at S. Dakota  
Joseph " 18 " April, 1914 at Canada } all reside at  
Pauline " 28 " April, 1918 at Canada } Rock Creek R. F. D. 2  
Michael " 14th " Sept, 1919 at Canada }

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V King of Great Britain & Ireland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 24th day of April, anno Domini 1920, and in the State of Ohio, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 24 day of April, anno Domini 1920, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio, on the 18th day of November, anno Domini 1920, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

John Puntar  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 48745 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 12 day of March, 1926  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Clarence A. Rockhill, occupation Farmer, residing at Rock Creek, Ohio,  
and Eli Parker, occupation Farmer, residing at Geneva, Ohio.

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known John Puntar, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

C. A. Rockhill  
(Signature of witness.)  
Eli Parker  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 12th day of March, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
By Pauline C. Style, Deputy Clerk.

Filed March 12, 1926

John Pintar  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V the King of Great Britain & Ireland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of John Pintar, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of John Pintar and the motion of Mr. Ewing Examiner for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1927, it appearing that

4 applicant has failed to prosecute his petition.

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY dismissed DENIED.

C. S. August, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from Oct 1, 1926 to April, 1927 absent  
from April 19-1927 to Oct 4 1927, 19\_\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_\_

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR****BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION****CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION****ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK****MAR 6 1920****MAR 4 1926**

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Laitineu, Matti

Date of arrival: October 16, 1907

Manner of arrival: Caronia.

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization

Issue No.

**129610**

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No. 1901

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, }  
Ashtabula County, } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula Conty, Ohio.

I, Matti Laitinen, aged 38 years,  
occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion medium, height 5 feet 11 inches,  
weight 165 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks None

I was born in Kangarniemi, Finland  
on the 24 day of February, anno Domini 1882; I now reside  
at 979 Buffalo St., Conneaut, Ohio.  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England  
on the vessel Caronia; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Jyväskylä, Finland; I am un married; the name  
of my wife is Matilda; she was born at Conneaut, O.  
and now resides at Conneaut, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Russia or any independent State  
within the bounds of the former Russian Empire, of whom I am now a subject;  
I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 16 day  
of October, anno Domini 1907; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein.  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Matti Laitinen  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 1 day of October, anno Domini 1907

[SEAL]

F. L. Marrin

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By M. M. Marrin, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1068

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Matti Laitinen hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 979 Buffalo St. Conneaut Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is car repairer  
 Third. I was born on the 24 day of February, anno Domini 1882, at Kangasniemi, Finland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool, England, on or about the — day of October  
 anno Domini 1907, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 16 day of October  
 anno Domini 1907, on the vessel Caronia  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the — day of October, anno Domini 1920  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am — married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Matilda; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 28 day of November, anno Domini 1898  
 at Conneaut Ohio, and now resides at 979 Buffalo St. Conneaut Ohio  
 I have two children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Ernest John, born April 30, 1920  
Leonard Mathew, born May 17, 1923, both born and residing at  
Conneaut, Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 16 day of October, anno Domini 1907, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the — day of August, anno Domini 1917, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of Ohio on the day of anno Domini 1907 and the same was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes to wit: and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Matti Laitinen  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 1901 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 16th day of March, 1926  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County  
 The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Matti Laitinen  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Matt Purja, occupation agent, residing at Conneaut Ohio  
 and Jacob Helberg, occupation factory manager, residing at Conneaut Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Matti Laitinen

the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of January, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Jacob Helberg  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Matt H. Purja  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 16 day of March, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

*Matti Laitinen*

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed March 16, 1926

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Matti Laitinen*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2nd day of October, A. D. 1926

*Louella A. Warner*, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Matti Laitinen, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 2nd day of October, A. D. 1926

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Thomas A. Sargent*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2172099, issued on the 2nd day of October, A. D. 1926

No. 39998

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

MAY 2 1926

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

State of Ohio, }  
Cuyahoga County, } ss. In the Common Pleas Court of Cuyahoga County.

I, Mike Salick, aged 33 years,  
occupation boiler maker, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion light, height 5 feet 6 inches,  
weight 150 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in St. Anna Croatia Austria  
on the 20th day of February, anno Domini 1886; I now reside  
at 15229 Saranac Cleveland, Ohio.  
(Give number, street, and city or town.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Bremen Germany  
on the vessel Gosel; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
foreign residence was Austria; I am un married; the name  
of my wife is Kate; she was born at Cincinnati Ohio  
and now resides at above address

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to

~~Charles, Emperor of Austria and Apostolic King of Hungary~~, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Baltimore, in the  
State of Md., on or about the 26 day  
of June, anno Domini 1903; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

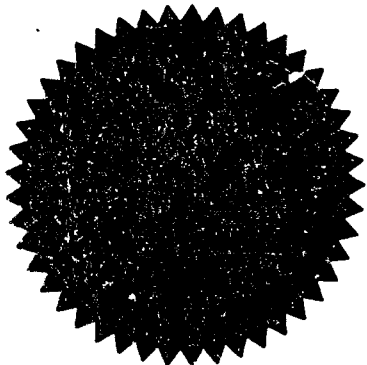
Mike Salick  
(Original signature of declarant.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court  
at Cleveland, Ohio, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
anno Domini 191

EDMUND B. HASEBROCK

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Joe J. Andrasik, Deputy Clerk.



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**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(For use of aliens arriving in United States after June 29, 1906. To be issued immediately prior to petitioning for naturalization.)

488-22717.

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE**OFFICE OF CommissionerAT Baltimore, Md., March 8, 1926.

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived at the port indicated, on the date and in the manner described below, viz:

Name of alien: **Marko Salic.**Port of entry: **Baltimore, Md.**Date of arrival: **July 9, 1903.**Name of vessel:\* **"Cassel"****North German Lloyd Line**

Form 2214 attached.

District Director of Naturalization,  
Cleveland, Ohio.
  
 (Title) **Assistant Commissioner**

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No. 1069

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Mike Salick hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is 556 Wrights Ave, Conneaut, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Car Repairer

Third. I was born on the 20th day of Feb, anno Domini 1886, at St Anna Croatia, Austria

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Bremen Germany on or about the 25th day of June anno Domini 1903, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Baltimore Md, on the 7 day of July anno Domini 1903, on the vessel Sasel  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the day of not dated in original, anno Domini 1903, at Cleveland, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Cuyahoga County

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Kathryn; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 20 day of Oct, anno Domini 1886, at Cincinnati, and now resides at 556 Wrights Ave, Conneaut, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have 5 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Paul born 30 day of June 1912 at Whiting Ind  
George " 18 day of Sept 1914 at Chicago Ill  
Mark " 2 " July 1916 at Rock Ind  
William " 18 " Sept 1923 at Conneaut Ohio  
Mildred " 15 " April 1925 at Conneaut, Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Kingdom of the Serbs Croats + Slovenes of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 7th day of July, anno Domini 1903, and in the State of Ohio, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 20th day of November, anno Domini 1917, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_~~  
~~(and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Mike Salick  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 39998 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 22nd day of March, 1926  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County Ohio

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Mike Salick  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

J. F. Walsh occupation Car Repairer residing at Conneaut Ohio  
and Carl Chilson occupation Checker Car Dept residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Marko Salick, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

J. F. Walsh  
(Signature of witness.)  
Carl Chilson  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 22 day of March, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Wiggins Clerk.  
By Pauline C. Styles Deputy Clerk.

Filed March 22, 1926

Mike Salick

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Kingdom of the Serbs, Croats, & Slovenes of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 22 day of March, A. D. 1926

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Mike Salick, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 22 day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of Mike Salick and the motion of Paul G. Werner, Treasurer for the United States in open Court this 19 day of April, 1927, it appearing that Petitioner was convicted of violation of liquor laws.

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

Jay P. Parney, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from Oct. 2, 1926 to April, 1927  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Investigation as to date of Declaration

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_



**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION****CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK****MAR 12 1926**

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Di Biase, Nicola  
Date of arrival: January 20, 1920.  
Manner of arrival: Reginia d' Italia.

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

Issue No.

**133747**

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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**AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES**

Court of \_\_\_\_\_

In the matter of the petition of Nicola Di Bisse to be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

The State of Ohio }  
Ashtabula Co. } ss:

Mike Zizzo, occupation Merchant, residing at Leornaut C.  
and \_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 20 day of June, anno Domini 1923 and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 20 day of June, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Mike Zizzo  
(Signature of witness)

(Signature of witness)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named witnesses in the office of the clerk of said court this 2 day of October, anno Domini 1926

[SEAL.]

Leonidia A. Warner, Clerk,

By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

39654

Form 2203

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE

TRIPPLICATE  
[To be given to the person making  
the Declaration]

No. ....

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof.

State of New York,

County of Bronx.

ss:

In the Supreme Court of Bronx County.

I, Nicola DuBriese, aged 43 years,

occupation laborer, do declare on oath that my personal

description is: Color white, complexion Dark, height 5 feet 4 inches,

weight 155 pounds, color of hair Black, color of eyes Brown

other visible distinctive marks None

I was born in Lumpinacchio Italy

on the 8 day of November, anno Domini 1877; I now reside

at 15 East 205 St, New York City, N. Y.  
(Give number and streets)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples Italy

on the vessel Regina Maria; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

foreign residence was Cumbrano Italy

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to

....., of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the

State of New York, on or about the 21 day

of January, anno Domini 1910; I am not an anarchist; I am not a

polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith

to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD.

Nicola DuBriese  
(Original signature of declarant.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of Court  
at New York City, N. Y., this 27 day of December  
anno Domini 1910

[SEAL.]

James M. Cahill  
Clerk of the Supreme Court.

By James M. Cahill  
14-692 Deputy Clerk.

REQUEST MADE FOR CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL  
with complete information

517 Chestnut

Conneaut

DEC 21 1926

No. 1070

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Nicola Di Biase hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 517 Chestnut Street, Conneaut Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is boiler maker helper  
 Third. I was born on the 7 day of November, anno Domini 1877, at Bonifro, Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples Italy, on or about the 23 day of December  
 anno Domini 1919, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 20 day of January  
 anno Domini 1920, on the vessel Regina D'Italia  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 29 day of December, anno Domini 1920  
 at New York City, N. Y. in the Supreme Court of Bronx County, N. Y.  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Elena <sup>(she)</sup> was born on the — day of October, anno Domini 1877  
 at Bonifro Italy, and now resides at 517 Chestnut St. Conneaut Ohio  
 I have four children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Rosalba, born Feb. 2, 1905 at Bonifro, Italy, resides at New Rochelle, N. Y.  
Eugenio, " " Oct. 12, 1913 " " " " " " Conneaut, Ohio  
Maria Anna, born Sept. 24, 1915 " " " " " " " " " " " "  
Costanzo, " " July 17, 1920 " " " " " " " " " " " "

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 26 day of January, anno Domini 1920, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 29 day of July, anno Domini 1923, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of at on the day of, anno Domini 1920, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Nicola Di Biase  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
 Declaration of Intention No. 39654 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 23 day of March, 1926  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:  
 The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Nicola Di Biase  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
James Brown, occupation merchant, residing at Conneaut, Ohio  
 and John Richer, occupation electrician, residing at " " "  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Nicola Di Biase, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of August, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of August, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

James Brown  
 (Signature of witness.)  
John Richer  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 23 day of March, anno Domini 1926

Cornelia A. Hames, Clerk.  
Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

1926 Sept 29  
Depositions  
Filed

[SEAL]

Filed March 23, 1926

Nicola Di Biase  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Nicola Di Biase

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of Oct., A. D. 1928

Loumelia A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Nicola Di Biase, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of October, A. D. 1928

~~(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")~~

By the Court:

W. S. Targent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from Oct. 2, 1926 to April, 1927  
from April 19-1927 to Oct 4, 1927  
Continued from Oct 4, 1927 to April, 1928  
to Apr. 17-1928 to Oct 2, 1928

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2736738, issued on the 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION****CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK****MAR 25 1926**

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien:           Gentile, Antonio

Date of arrival:         May 2, 1916

Manner of arrival:     Patria

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

**140688**

Issue No.

*Commissioner of Naturalization.*



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No. 1071

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

1930 Jan 11 Declaration given base to applicant to mail to Dept for cert. C.A.W. (7)

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio,  
 The petition of Antonio Gentile hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is 26 Farrington St. Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Labour  
 Third. I was born on the 5th day of Feb, anno Domini 1903, at Sernia Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples, on or about the 2nd day of April  
 anno Domini 1916, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 2nd day of May  
 anno Domini 1916, on the vessel Cabria  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 12th day of November, anno Domini 1923  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am not married. My wife's name is \_\_\_\_\_; she was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 19\_\_\_\_  
 of \_\_\_\_\_ and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
 I have \_\_\_\_\_ children and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly, Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 1st day of May, anno Domini 1916, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 13th day of Feb, anno Domini 1914, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of each denial has since been cured or removed.~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Antonio Gentile  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2162 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 7th day of April, 1926  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

J. E. Ferrayolo occupation Prop. Conf. Store residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and Thomas Tassula occupation Labourer residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Antonio Gentile, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Thos. Tassula  
 (Signature of witness.)  
J. E. Ferrayolo  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 7th day of April, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner Clerk.  
Pauline C. Steffe Deputy Clerk.

Filed April 7, 1926.

Antonio Gentile

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Nicolas Emmanuel III the King of Italy; of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Antonio Gentile, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of Antonio Gentile and the motion of L. E. Fox, Naturalization Examiner, for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1926, it appearing that

applicant has been convicted of crime against Liquor Laws.

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

Chas. A. Argent, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

**BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION**

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

MAR 26 1926

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien:

Lumakka, Gabriel,

Date of arrival:

July 31, 1910

Manner of arrival:

St. Louis

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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No. 1739

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

State of Ohio }  
Ashtabula County } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Gabriel Liimakka, aged 34 years,  
occupation Car Repairer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion light, height 5 feet 7 inches,  
weight 145 pounds, color of hair light brown, color of eyes gray,  
other visible distinctive marks None

I was born in Isa Kyra, Finland  
on the 21 day of November, anno Domini 1884; I now reside  
at 14 Cherry St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Southampton, England  
on the vessel St. Louis; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Isa Kyra, Finland; I am married; the name  
of my wife is Fannie; she was born at Isa Kyra, Finland  
and now resides at Ashtabula, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to ~~Russia or any independent State~~  
~~within the bounds of the former Russian Empire~~, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 29 day  
of July, anno Domini 1910; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Gabriel Liimakka*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 12 day of August, anno Domini 1919

[SEAL]

*F. L. Marvin*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk.

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REQUEST MADE FOR CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL

17 Tidison St.

Ashtabula

MAY 7 1925

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No. 1072

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio,  
 The petition of Gabriel Linnakka hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 17 Linson, Ashtabula Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is Car Repairer  
 Third. I was born on the 21st day of November, anno Domini 1884, at 14 Cherry St. Ashtabula, Ohio  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Southampton England, on or about the 22nd day of July  
 anno Domini 1910, and arrived in the United States at the port of New York N.Y. on the 31st day of July  
 anno Domini 1910, on the vessel St. Louis (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 12th day of August, anno Domini 1919  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio.  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Fanny <sup>(she)</sup> ~~(he)~~ was born on the 13th day of September, anno Domini 1883  
 at Spokyo, Finland and now resides at 17 Linson St. Ashtabula Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 I have 4 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Aili Matilda born 22nd day of November 1908 at Finland  
Laina born 17 day of March 1911 at Finland  
Eino born 17 day of Feb. 1916 at Ashtabula, Ohio  
Lillian Elizabeth born 24 day of May, 1920 at Ashtabula Ohio.  
All reside at Ashtabula Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 31st day of July, anno Domini 1910, and in the State of Ohio, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 1st day of August, anno Domini 1910, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Gabriel Linnakka  
(Signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 1739 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 8th day of April, 1926  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio }  
Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Gabriel Linnakka  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Charles V. Beckman, occupation Car Rep., residing at Ashtabula Ohio,  
 and C. F. Beckman, occupation Truck Oper., residing at " " " "  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Gabriel Linnakka, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of Jan, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of Jan, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

C. V. Beckman  
(Signature of witness.)

C. F. Beckman  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 8th day of April, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.



Filed April 8, 1926

Gabriel Liimakka  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Republic of Finland of Finland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Gabriel Liimakka

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

Loonella A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Gabriel Liimakka, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Sh. R. Sargent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that, \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

William A. ..., Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2172091, issued on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR****BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION**

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

MAR 29 1926

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Couttr, Hugh

Date of arrival: April 1, 1913

Manner of arrival: Cameronia

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

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Issue No.

*Raymond F. Crist*  
Commissioner of Naturalization.

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No. 2078

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, }  
Ashtabula County, } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Hugh Coutts, aged 24 years,  
occupation meat cutter, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 5 inches,  
weight 157 pounds, color of hair auburn, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Tillicoultry, Clackmannanshire, Scotland  
on the 8 day of December, anno Domini 1898; I now reside  
at 16, Camp St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Glasgow, Scotland  
on the vessel Cameronia; my last  
foreign residence was Tillicoultry, Scotland; I am unmarried; the name  
of my wife is Hazel; she was born at Ashtabula, Ohio  
and now resides at 16, Camp St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V., King of  
Great Britain and Ireland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 1 day  
of April, anno Domini 1913; I am not an anarchist; I am not

polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Hugh Coutts  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 15 day of Jan., anno Domini 1923

[SEAL]

A. H. Pontius,  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By Bonnie A. Warner, Deputy Clerk.

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Petition No. 1073

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

In the matter of the petition of Hugh Leavitt Ashabula Co Court of Leon Pleas to be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

The State of Ohio } ss: Ashabula Co.

Carey S. Sheldon, occupation Attorney-at-law, residing at Ashabula Co., and occupation, residing at

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known

Hugh Leavitt, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of Jan, anno Domini 1920,

and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of Jan, anno Domini 1920; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Carey S. Sheldon (Signature of witness)

(Signature of witness)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named witnesses in the office of the clerk of said court this 1 day of October, anno Domini 1920. Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk

[SEAL.]

By Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1073

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Hugh Coultts hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is N Ridge East, Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is meat cutter  
 Third. I was born on the 8th day of December, anno Domini 1898, at Lillicoultry, Scotland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Glasgow, Scotland, on or about the 24th day of March  
 anno Domini 1913, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 1st day of April  
 anno Domini 1913, on the vessel Cameronia  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 15th day of Jan, anno Domini 1923  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My wife's name is Hazel; she was born on the 14th day of November, anno Domini 1896  
 at Ashtabula Ohio, and now resides at Ashtabula Ohio  
 I have 1 child, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Hugh Donald, born 27th day of January, 1925 at Ashtabula, resides at Ashtabula

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V King of Great Britain & Ireland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 1st day of April, anno Domini 1913, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 1st day of April, anno Domini 1913, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the Court of~~  
~~said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit~~  
~~and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Hugh Coultts  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2078 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 9th day of April, 1926  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Hugh Coultts  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Robert A Elder, occupation Insurance, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and A Stewart, occupation Salesman, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Hugh Coultts, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Robert A Elder  
 (Signature of witness.)  
A Stewart  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 9th day of April, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Cornelia A Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C Styles, Deputy Clerk.



*Hugh Coutts*

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *April 9*, 19*26*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *George V* the *King* of *Great Britain and Ireland* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Hugh Coutts*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *1st* day of *October*, A. D. 19*26*

*Cornelia A. Warner*, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Hugh Coutts*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *1st* day of *October*, A. D. 19*26*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Shas. K. Stangor*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2172092*, issued on the *1st* day of *October*, A. D. 19*26*

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(For use of aliens arriving in United States after June 29, 1906. To be issued immediately prior to petitioning for naturalization.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE**OFFICE OF DETROIT, MICH.  
AT Inspector in Charge.

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived at the port indicated, on the date and in the manner described below, viz:

Name of alien: **Carroll Shaw**  
Port of entry: **DETROIT, MICH.**  
Date of arrival: **4/8/20**  
Name of vessel:\* **Detroit & Windsor ferry**

Line

amwong  
(Title) Inspector in Charge.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

State of Michigan, }  
Wayne County, } ss:

In the Circuit Court of Wayne County.

I, Carroll P. Shaw, aged 19 years,  
occupation Sailor, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion Fair, height 5 feet 5 inches,  
weight 135 pounds, color of hair Brown, color of eyes Brown  
other visible distinctive marks None

I was born in Amherstburg, Canada  
on the 19 day of April, anno Domini 1900; I now reside  
at 161 Beaubien Ave. Detroit Michigan.  
(Give number, street, and city or town)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Amherstburg, Canada  
on the vessel Henry; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Canada; I am not married; the name  
of my wife is \_\_\_\_\_; she was born at \_\_\_\_\_  
and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V King of  
Great Britain - Ireland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Detroit, in the  
State of Mich, on or about the 10 day  
of June, anno Domini 1917; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Carroll P. Shaw  
(Original signature of declarant)



Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court  
at Detroit, Mich., this 24 day of March  
anno Domini 1920

Thos. F. Farrell

Clerk of the Circuit Court.

By C. R. Baker, Deputy Clerk.

Handwritten notes and signature in the top left corner, including the date "June 7, 1920" and a signature that appears to be "W. W. [unclear]".

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No. 1274

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Carroll Richard Shaw hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 34 Henry St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Mechanic, Great Lakes  
 Third. I was born on the 19 day of April, anno Domini 1900, at Amherstburg, Ontario, Canada  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Ontario, Canada, on or about the 7 day of April  
 anno Domini 1920, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Detroit, Michigan on the 8 day of April  
 anno Domini 1920, on the vessel M + W Ferry  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 24 day of March, anno Domini 1920  
 at Detroit, Michigan, in the Circuit Court of Wayne County  
 Sixth. I am not married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is \_\_\_\_\_; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_  
 at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
 I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V King of Great Britain & Ireland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 8 day of April, anno Domini 1920, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 1 day of April, anno Domini 1923, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of each denial has since been cured or removed.~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 75853 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 20 day of April, 1926

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Carroll Richard Shaw  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

William G. Norris, occupation Commissioner Lake Carving Assoc. residing at Ashtabula O.  
 and Robert A. Elder, occupation insurance agent residing at " "

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Carroll Richard Shaw the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of April, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 7 day of April, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

William G. Norris  
 (Signature of witness.)

Robert A. Elder  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 20 day of April, anno Domini 1926

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Barnes, Clerk.

By Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

Carroll Richard Shaw  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed April 20, 1926

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V the King of Great Britain & Ireland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Carroll Richard Shaw

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 20 day of April, A. D. 1926

Leonida A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Carroll Richard Shaw, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 20 day of April, A. D. 1926

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

P. T. Vargus, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2172048, issued on the 20 day of April, A. D. 1926

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**  
**BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION**

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION    **MAR 23 1926**  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien:            Kalafatic, Ivan

Date of arrival:        December 11, 1910

Manner of arrival:    Pannonia

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

Issue No.

**139196**

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.



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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

DEC 8 1925

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Ivan Kalafatich, aged 41 years,  
occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color White, complexion dark, height 5 feet 9 inches,  
weight 170 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Slavetic, Hungary,  
on the 21st day of September, anno Domini 1882; I now reside  
at 417 Depot St., Conneaut, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Fiume  
on the vessel Lauretania; my last  
foreign residence was Slavetic, Hungary; I am un married; the name  
of my wife is Barbara; she was born at Slavetic, Hungary  
and now resides at 417 Depot St., Conneaut, Ohio.

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Kingdom of the Serbs,  
Croats & Slovenes, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 11 day  
of December, anno Domini 1910; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith

to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Ivan Kalafatich  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 4th day of December, anno Domini 1923

[SEAL]

A. H. Postius

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas, Court of Ashtabula County Ohio at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Ivan Kalafatic hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is 417 Depalk St., Conneaut Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is laborer  
 Third. I was born on the 21 day of September, anno Domini 1882, at Slavetic Hungary  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Vienna Hungary, on or about the 20 day of November  
 anno Domini 1910, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 11 day of December  
 anno Domini 1910, on the vessel Pannonia  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 4th day of December, anno Domini 1923  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Barbara; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the      day of     , anno Domini 1       
 at Slavetic Hungary, and now resides at Slavetic, Jugo-Slavia  
 I have no children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Kingdom of the Serbs, Croats + Slovenes of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 11 day of December, anno Domini 1910, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the      day of February, anno Domini 1910, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(Under petition for citizenship to the Court of      at      on the      day of      anno Domini      and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit:      and the cause of such denial has since been removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Ivan Kalafatic  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2173 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 21 day of April, 1926  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Ivan Kalafatic  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

John A. McGuire, occupation R.R. Shop Foreman, residing at Conneaut, Ohio  
 and Lee R. Goldsmith, occupation car foreman, residing at     "    "

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Ivan Kalafatic, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of January, anno Domini 1920, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of January, anno Domini 1920; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

John A. McGuire  
 (Signature of witness.)

Lee R. Goldsmith  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 21 day of April, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Cornelia G. Kerner, Clerk.  
Louise L. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

*Ivan Kalafatic*

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed April 21, 1926

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Kingdom of the Serbs & Croats and Slovenes of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Ivan Kalafatic*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2nd day of October, A. D. 1926

*Leonida A. Kama*, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Ivan Kalafatic, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 2nd day of October, A. D. 1926

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*John H. Tarrant*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2172100, issued on the 2nd day of October, A. D. 1926

No. 2103

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

 Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, }  
Ashtabula County, } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Steve Sebetich, aged 37 years,  
occupation laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion medium, height 5 feet 6 inches,  
weight 150 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes hazel  
other visible distinctive marks scar on nose.

I was born in Volavje, Austria  
on the 10 day of November, anno Domini 1885; I now reside  
at 477 Chestnut St., Conneaut, Ohio.  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Antwerp, Belgium  
on the vessel Krooland; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Volavje, Austria; I am un married; the name  
of my wife is Goldie Sebetich; she was born at Malunje, Austria;  
and now resides at 477 Chestnut St., Conneaut, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Kingdom of the Serbs,  
Croats, and Slovenes, Yugoslavia, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, N.Y., in the  
State of New York, on or about the 15 day  
of July, anno Domini 1902; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Steve Sebetich*

(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 18 day of April, anno Domini 1923.

[SEAL]

*A. H. Pontius*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Emma C. Miller, Deputy Clerk.

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Conneaut U.S.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Steve Sebetich hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 477 Chestnut St, Conneaut, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is laborer  
 Third. I was born on the 10th day of November, anno Domini 1 885, at Volavje, Austria  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Antwerp, Belgium, on or about the 3rd day of July  
 anno Domini 1902, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 15th day of July  
 anno Domini 1902, on the vessel Troaland  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 18th day of April, anno Domini 1923  
 at Jefferson, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Goldie; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 15th day of February, anno Domini 1886  
 at Mahunge, Jugoslavia, and now resides at 477 Chestnut St, Conneaut, Ohio  
 I have 5 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Nick Sebetich, born 1st day of April, 1906 at Polivar, Pa.  
Mary " " 12 day of June, 1908, at Patton, Pa.  
Goldie " " 17 " " April, 1911 at Conneaut, Ohio  
Rugela " " 1 " " August, 1912, " " "  
Carl " " 20 " " May, 1918, " " "  
all reside at Conneaut Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Kingdom of the Serbs Croats & Slovenes Jugoslavia of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 15th day of July, anno Domini 1902, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 15th day of February, anno Domini 1909, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have ~~not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court.~~ I made petition for citizenship to the Common Pleas Court of Ash Co. at Jefferson, Ohio on the 2nd day of August, anno Domini 1920 and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes to-wit: 'Any reason that Applicant's moral character was not established, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.'

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Steve Sebetich  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2103 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 21st day of April, 1926  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Steve Sebetich  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

John A. McGuire, occupation foreman, residing at Conneaut Ohio  
 and Lee Goldsmith, occupation ", residing at "  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Steve Sebetich, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of January, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

John A. McGuire  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Lee Goldsmith  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 21st day of April, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Comelia A. Kramer, Clerk.  
Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

Withdrawn Oct 2, 1926.



Steve Sebetich

Filed April 21, 1926

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Kingdom of the Serbs or Croats or Slovenes of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Steve Sebetich

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2nd day of October, A. D. 1926

Conelia A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Steve Sebetich, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 2nd day of October, A. D. 1926

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Sam. I. August, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2429669, issued on the 2nd day of October, A. D. 1926

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR****BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION**

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

APR 17 1926

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Brockhurst, Albert  
Date of arrival: April 19, 1920  
Manner of arrival: Kaiserin Auguste Victoria

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

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**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION****CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK****APR 17 1926**

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien:           **Brockhurst, Albert**  
Date of arrival:       **April 19, 1920**  
Manner of arrival:   **Kaiserin Auguste Victoria**

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

**155560**

Issue No:

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No. 1887

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio,

I, Albert Brockhurst, aged 23 years,  
occupation Machinist, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 10 inches,  
weight 160 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks None

I was born in Staffordshire, England  
on the 9 day of March, anno Domini 1887; I now reside  
at 102 South St., Ashtabula, Ohio,

(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England  
on the vessel Kaiserin August Victoria; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Staffordshire, England; I am married; the name  
of my wife is Mary; she was born at Staffordshire, England  
and now resides at Ashtabula, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V, the King of  
Great Britain and Ireland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York,  
State of New York, on or about the 20 day  
of April, anno Domini 1920; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Albert Brockhurst*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 12 day of July, anno Domini 1920

[SEAL]

*F. L. Marvin*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *M. M. Marvin*, Deputy Clerk.

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Ashtabula

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Albert Brockhurst hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 110 South St. Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is machinist  
 Third. I was born on the 9 day of March, anno Domini 1897, at Smallthorne, England  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Riverpool, England on or about the 10 day of April  
 anno Domini 1920, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 19 day of April  
 anno Domini 1920, on the vessel Kaiserin Auguste Victoria  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 12 day of July, anno Domini 1920  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Mary; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 20 day of June, anno Domini 1899  
 at Burslem, England, and now resides at 110 South St. Ashtabula Ohio  
 I have 3 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Arliene born Oct. 25, 1920 at Ashtabula O.  
Albert " Apr. 9, 1922 at Burslem, England  
Marjorie " Sept. 12, 1924 at Ashtabula, O., all residing at  
Ashtabula O.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V King of Great Britain & Ireland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 20 day of April, anno Domini 1920, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 27 day of April, anno Domini 1920, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of ...)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Albert Brockhurst  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 1887 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 3 day of May, 1926  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Albert Brockhurst  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Martin Garrison, occupation Greenhouse man, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 and G. A. Talcott, occupation pipe fitter, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Albert Brockhurst, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of April, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of April, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

G. A. Talcott  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Martin Garrison  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 3 day of May, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Starnes, Clerk.  
 By Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.



Albert Brockhurst

Filed May 3, 1926

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V the King of Great Britain & Ireland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Albert Brockhurst

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

Connelia A. Kramer, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Albert Brockhurst, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Wm. A. August, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2172093, issued on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

Rec'd 4-3-26

No. 1553

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

 Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio }  
Ashtabula County } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Otto Maukonen, aged 34 years,  
occupation Car Repairer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion Fair, height 5 feet 8 inches,  
weight 160 pounds, color of hair Light, color of eyes Blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Kuopion Laani, Finland  
on the 26 day of September, anno Domini 1884; I now reside  
at 895 Harbor St., Conneaut, Ohio

(Give number, street, city or town, and State)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England  
on the vessel Ivernia, Cunard Line; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Kuopion Laani, Finland; I am married; the name  
of my wife is Amanda; she was born at Kauhava, Finland  
and now resides at Conneaut, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to

The Present Government of Russia, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Boston, in the  
State of Massachusetts, on or about the 12 day  
of June, anno Domini 1903; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Otto Maukonen*

(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 19 day of May, anno Domini 1919

[SEAL]

*F. L. Marvin*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Virian Marvin*, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Otto Maukonen hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 906 Broad St. Conneaut, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is car repairer  
 Third. I was born on the 26 day of September anno Domini 1884 at Kuopio Laani, Finland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Riverport, England on or about the 1 day of June  
 anno Domini 1903, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Boston, Mass. on the 12 day of June  
 anno Domini 1903, on the vessel Fernia  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 17 day of May anno Domini 1919  
 at Jefferson, Ohio in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County  
 Sixth. I am not married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is deceased; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_  
 at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_

I have two children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Oliver, born March 8, 1909  
Edwin, born July 19, 1911. both born and residing at Conneaut, Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 12 day of June anno Domini 1903, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 15 day of June anno Domini 1903, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: \_\_\_\_\_, and the school of such Court has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Otto Maukonen  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 1553 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 17 day of May, 1926  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Otto Maukonen  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Jacob Helberg occupation mgr. battery works residing at Conneaut, O.  
 and A. Kangas occupation foreman residing at Conneaut O.  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_

Otto Maukonen the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of January anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of January anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Jacob Helberg  
 (Signature of witness.)  
A. Kangas  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 17 day of May, anno Domini 1926

[SEAL]

Comelia A. Barnes, Clerk.

By Louise S. Morris, Deputy Clerk.

Otto Maukonen

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed May 17, 1926

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Republic of Finland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Otto Maukonen

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2nd day of October, A. D. 1926

Conrad A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Otto Maukonen, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 2nd day of October, A. D. 1926

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Sam. R. Ferguson, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2429668, issued on the 2nd day of October, A. D. 1926

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION**

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK**

**APR 21 1926**

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: **Guerriero, Giuseppe**

Date of arrival: **April 24, 1921**

Manner of arrival: **Dante Alighieri**

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

**158483**

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County

I, Giuseppe Guerriero, also known as Joe Guerriero, aged 31 years, occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color White, complexion dark, height 5 feet 5 1/2 inches, weight 135 pounds, color of hair dark brown, color of eyes brown, other visible distinctive marks none.

I was born in Baiano, Italy on the 26 day of August, anno Domini 1891; I now reside at 58 Auger Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio

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I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy on the vessel Dante Alighieri

EXAMINER  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given) my last foreign residence was Campobasso, Italy; I am married; the name of my wife is Ersilia Giacci Guerriero, she was born at Campobasso, Italy and now resides at Campobasso, Italy

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to

Victor Emanuel III, King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the State of New York, on or about the 24 day of April, anno Domini 1921; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD.

*Giuseppe Guerriero*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 15 day of Feb., anno Domini 1923.

[SEAL]

*A. H. Pontius*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Emma Q.P. Miller* Deputy Clerk.



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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Giuseppe Guerriero hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 159 West St, Ashtabula, Ohio  
 (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is Laborer  
 Third. I was born on the 26th day of August, anno Domini 1. 1891, at Bairano, Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples, Italy, on or about the 11th day of April,  
 anno Domini 1. 1921, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, N. Y., on the 24th day of April,  
 anno Domini 1. 1921, on the vessel Dante Alighieri  
 (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 15th day of February, anno Domini 1. 1923  
 at Jefferson, Ohio in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Emilia Bracci Guerriero; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 29th day of June, anno Domini 1. 1894  
 at Campobasso, Italy, and now resides at S. Angelo Ingroto, Italy  
 (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 I have no children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emanuel III, King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 24th day of April, anno Domini 1. 1921, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 25th day of April, anno Domini 1. 1921, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1. \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

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 Declaration of Intention No. 158483 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 3rd day of May, 1926  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Giuseppe Guerriero  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

H. A. Candela, occupation barber, residing at Columbus St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
 and Joseph Napoletano, occupation Notary Public, residing at 17 Williams St.  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Giuseppe Guerriero, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of May, anno Domini 1. 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of May, anno Domini 1. 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Joseph Napoletano  
 (Signature of witness.)

H. A. Candela  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 3rd day of May, anno Domini 1926

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

Giuseppe Guerriero  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed May 3, 1926

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Giuseppe Guerriero, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of Giuseppe Guerriero and the motion of Mr. Ewing Examiner for the United States in open Court this 4 day of October, 1927, it appearing that the applicant is deceased

dismissed

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

Charles T. Sargent, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from <u>Oct. 11, 1926</u> to <u>April</u> , 19 <u>27</u>	<u>study &amp; witness</u>
<u>from April 19-1927</u> to <u>Oct 4</u> , 19 <u>27</u>	<u>absent</u>
Continued from _____, 19____	_____
to _____, 19____	_____

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

No. 2235

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

NATURALIZATION SERVICE  
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MAY 26 1926  
DIRECTOR  
OHIO  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Walenty Pokorski, aged 40 years,  
occupation Farmer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion ~~xxx~~ Brown, height 5 feet 4 inches,  
weight 175 pounds, color of hair dk Brown, color of eyes brown,  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Smilono, Poland,  
on the 17 day of December, anno Domini 1883; I now reside  
at R. F. D. 3 Geneva, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Rotterdam, Holland  
on the vessel Unknown; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Mogielnice, Rus. Poland; I am un married; the name  
of my {wife} is Teresa; {she} was born at Rus., Poland  
and now resides at above address,

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to

The Republic of Poland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York,  
State of New York, on or about the 30 day  
of May, anno Domini 1903; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Walenty Pokorski  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 30 day of April, anno Domini 1926

[SEAL]

A. H. Portinus  
Clerk of the Common Pleas, Court.

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio,  
The petition of Waleruty Poporski hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is R. F. D. 3 Geneva Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Farmer.

Third. I was born on the 17th day of December, anno Domini 1883, at Smilons, Poland.

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Rotterdam Holland, on or about the 10th day of May,  
anno Domini 1903, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 18th day of May,  
anno Domini 1903, on the vessel Unknown  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 30th day of April, anno Domini 1924  
at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County.

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Teresa; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 29 day of Sept, anno Domini 1883  
at Poland, and now resides at R. F. D. 3 Geneva Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have 5 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Joe, born July 16, 1907 at Cleveland Ohio.

Raymond, October 1, 1908 " " " "

Isabelle, Jan. 14, 1910 " " " "

Regina, May 27, 1913 " " " "

Alfred, May 1, 1917 " " " "

all reside at home.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Poland, of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 18 day of May, anno Domini 1903, and in the State of Ohio, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 6th day of March, anno Domini 1906, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made a petition for citizenship to the Court of~~  
~~on the day of~~ ~~anno Domini 1~~, and the  
said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit  
~~and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Waleruty Poporski  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2235 and ~~certificate of arrival from Department of Labor~~ filed this 15 day of May, 1926.  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States on or before June 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Waleruty Poporski  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

H. W. Burkholder, occupation Farmer, residing at Geneva R. F. D. 3,  
and C. Furuszkow, occupation ", residing at "

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Waleruty Poporski, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

H. W. Burkholder  
(Signature of witness.)  
C. F. Furuszkow  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 18th day of May, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Walenty Pokorski  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed May 18, 1926

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Republic of Poland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Walenty Pokorski, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of Walenty Pokorski and the motion of J. C. Fox Examiner

for the United States in open Court this

1<sup>st</sup> day of October, 1929, it appearing that the applicant is ignorant

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from <u>Oct 1, 1926 to April</u> , 19 <u>27</u>	<u>absent when called for examination</u>
<u>from April 19-1927 to Oct 4</u> , 19 <u>27</u>	<u>Study</u>
Continued from <u>Oct 4, 1927 to April</u> , 19 <u>28</u>	<u>Absent</u>
to <u>Apr 17-1927 to Oct 2</u> , 19 <u>28</u>	<u>Study</u>
<u>Oct 2-1928 to Apr.</u> , 19 <u>28</u>	<u>Study</u>
<u>Apr. 16, 1929 to Oct</u> , 19 <u>29</u>	<u>Study</u>

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

## BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

MAY 7 1926

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Arcaro, Giovanni

Date of arrival: May 29, 1920.

Manner of arrival: Giuseppe Verdi.

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

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No. 2200

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, John Arcaro, (Giovanni Arcaro), aged 31 years,  
occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 5 1/2 inches,  
weight 142 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in S. Maria E. Giacomo, Italy  
on the 10 day of December, anno Domini 1892; I now reside  
at 624 Beaver St., Conneaut, Ohio

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy  
on the vessel Giuseppe Verdi; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was S. Maria E Giacomo, Italy; I am married; the name  
of my wife is Mariantonia; she was born at S. Maria E Giacomo, Italy  
and now resides at S. Maria E Giacomo, Italy

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King  
of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 5 day  
of June, anno Domini 1920; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Giovanni Arcaro*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 16 day of January, anno Domini 1924.

[SEAL]

*A. H. Pontius*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *B. Emma C. Miller*, Deputy Clerk.

REQUEST MADE FOR CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL . . .

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No. 1081

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Giovanni Arcaro hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 624 Valley St. Conneaut Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is laborer  
 Third. I was born on the 10 day of December, anno Domini 1892, at S. Maria E. Giacomo Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples, Italy, on or about the 13 day of May  
 anno Domini 1920, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 29 day of May  
 anno Domini 1920, on the vessel Giuseppe Verdi  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 16 day of January, anno Domini 1924  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County  
 Sixth. I am married. My wife's name is Mariantonia; she was born on the — day of —, anno Domini 1898  
 at Italy, and now resides at S. Maria E. Giacomo, Italy  
 I have one child, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Carmela, born April 7, 1920, at S. Maria E. Giacomo, Italy, residing at  
S. Maria E. Giacomo, Italy.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 29 day of May, anno Domini 1920, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 1 day of June, anno Domini 1920, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I had petitioned for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes to wit: \_\_\_\_\_~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Giovanni Arcaro  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2200 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 18 day of May, 1926  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Giovanni Arcaro  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

James Brown, occupation merchant, residing at Conneaut, Ohio  
 and Nicola Musacchio, occupation shoemaker, residing at Conneaut, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Giovanni Arcaro, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of May, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of May, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

James Brown  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Nicola Musacchio  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 18 day of May, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Harner, Clerk.  
 By Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

Giovanni Arcaro

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed May 18, 1926

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Giovanni Arcaro

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

Loonelia A. Karmel, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Giovanni Arcaro, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Wm. H. Fitzgerald, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from Oct. 2, 1926 to April, 1927  
from April 19-1927 to Oct 4, 1927  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

absent  
One witness did not qualify

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494/29, issued on the 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

No. 1082

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Ella Koponen hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is 187 Park Ave, Conneaut, Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Dry Goods Merchant

Third. I was born on the 22nd day of February, anno Domini 1884, at Ylistaro, Finland

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from too young to remember about the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ anno Domini 1892, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, N. Y. on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ anno Domini 1892, on the vessel do not know (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_ at section 4, act of June 29, 1906, as amended. Court of \_\_\_\_\_

Sixth. I am married. My (husband's) name is Elias Emil Koponen was born on the 14 day of December, anno Domini 1884 at Kuopio, Finland, and now resides at 187 Park Ave, Conneaut, Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

My father, Joseph Kaukonen was naturalized in Probate Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio, on Oct. 30th, 1900, when I was 16 years old.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1892 and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1892, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Omitted under above act.

Ella Koponen  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. \_\_\_\_\_ and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County, ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Ella Koponen  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Matt Lurja, occupation Salesman, residing at Conneaut, Ohio  
and Jacob Wainpaa, occupation Botting Works, residing at Conneaut, Ohio  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_

Ella Koponen, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Matt Lurja  
(Signature of witness.)

Jacob Wainpaa  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 16 day of June, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Helena Cox, Deputy Clerk.

*Ella Kaponen*

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *June 16*, 19*26*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *the Republic of Finland* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Ella Kaponen*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *2nd* day of *October*, A. D. 19*26*

*Leonelia A. Karmes*, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Ella Kaponen*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *2nd* day of *October*, A. D. 19*26*.

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Shaw. J. Turgint*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2429670*, issued on the *2nd* day of *October*, A. D. 19*26*

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR****BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION**

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

JUN 10 1926

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: **Koponen, Emil**Date of arrival: **February 21, 1907**Manner of arrival: **Oceanic**

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

**195648**

Issue No.



Commissioner of Naturalization.



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No. 60686

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof.**

State of Texas } In the Western Court  
Western Dist. of Tex. } ss: of The United States

I, Clas Civil Koponen, aged 44 years,  
occupation mill worker, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 11 inches,  
weight 145 pounds, color of hair blond, color of eyes blue,  
other visible distinctive marks None

I was born in Utopia Finland  
on the 14th day of December, anno Domini 1884; I now reside  
at 905 Indiana Ave. Beaumont  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Hanko Finland  
on the vessel Oceanic; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
foreign residence was Helsingfors, Finland I am not married; the name  
of my wife is \_\_\_\_\_; she was born at \_\_\_\_\_

and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to \_\_\_\_\_

The Republic of Finland, of whom I am now a subject;  
I arrived at the port of New York  
State of New York, on or about the 11th day  
of February, anno Domini 1907; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Original signature of declarant.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 25th day of September, anno Domini 1919

[SEAL]

Wood Clark  
Clerk of the U. S. District Court.  
By S. H. Hays - Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Elias Emil Koponen hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 187 Park Ave. Conneaut Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is dry goods merchant  
 Third. I was born on the 14 day of December, anno Domini 1884, at Kuopio, Finland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool, England, on or about the 27<sup>th</sup> day of January  
 anno Domini 1907, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 21 day of February  
 anno Domini 1907, on the vessel Oceanic  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 25 day of September, anno Domini 1919  
 at Pittsburgh Pa., in the U. S. District Court of Allegheny Co. Pa.  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Ella; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 22 day of February, anno Domini 1884  
 at Ylistaro, Finland, and now resides at 187 Park Ave. Conneaut, Ohio  
 I have no children, and ~~the names and places of birth and place of residence of each of said children are as follows:~~

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 21 day of February, anno Domini 1907, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 1 day of May, anno Domini 1922, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the United States District Court at Pittsburgh Pa. on the 25 day of September, anno Domini 1919, and the same was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and the causes of such denial have since been cured or removed)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Elias Emil Koponen  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. \_\_\_\_\_ and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 18 day of June, 1926  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Elias Emil Koponen  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Matt Turja, occupation salesman, residing at Conneaut, Ohio  
 and Jacob Maenpaa, occupation employee bottling works, residing at Conneaut Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Elias Emil Koponen, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 15 day of May, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 15 day of May, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Jacob Maenpaa  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Matt Turja  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 18 day of June, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Barner, Clerk.  
Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

1926 Aug 30 Deposition Filed

*Elias Emil Koponen*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *June 18*, 19*26*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *the Republic of Finland* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Elias Emil Koponen*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *2nd* day of *October*, A. D. 19*26*

*Loonela A. Kramer*, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Elias Emil Koponen*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *2nd* day of *October*, A. D. 19*26*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Wm. A. Taft*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2429671*, issued on the *2nd* day of *October*, A. D. 19*26*

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

## BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

MAY 27 1926

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Secchiari, Guilo

Date of arrival: September 17, 1919

Manner of arrival: Pesaro

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

134391

Issue No.



Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, Ohio } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Guilio Secchiari, aged 22 years,  
occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion medium, height 5 feet 5 1/2 inches,  
weight 138 pounds, color of hair dark brown, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Macerata, Italy  
on the 8th day of November, anno Domini 1901; I now reside  
at 24 Harbor Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Genoa, Italy  
on the vessel Pesaro; my last  
foreign residence was Macerata, Italy; I am not married; ~~the name~~  
~~of my wife is~~; ~~she was born at~~

~~and now resides at~~  
It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King  
of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 27th day  
of September, anno Domini 1919; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Guilio Secchiari  
(Original signature of declarant)

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 13th day of November, anno Domini 1923

A. H. Pontius  
Clerk of the Common Pleas, Court.

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.



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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Giulio Secchiari hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 24 Harbor Ave, Ashtabula Ohio.  
 Second. My occupation is Material Handler  
 Third. I was born on the 8th day of November, anno Domini 1901, at Macerata, Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Genoa, Italy, on or about the 28th day of August  
 anno Domini 1919, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 20th day of September  
 anno Domini 1919, on the vessel Risaro  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 12 day of November, anno Domini 1923  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio,  
 Sixth. I am not married. My wife's name is \_\_\_\_\_; she was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_  
 at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
 I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 20th day of Sept, anno Domini 1919, and in the State of Ohio, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 24th day of Sept, anno Domini 1919, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Giulio Secchiari  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2161 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 24 day of June, 1926.  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States on or before June 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Geo A Swera, occupation Clerk N. Y. C. R.P.C., residing at Ashtabula Ohio,  
 and James A. Turans, occupation Ins. Agent, residing at \_\_\_\_\_,  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_

Giulio Secchiari, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Geo A Swera  
 (Signature of witness.)  
James A. Turans  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 24th day of June, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

*Giulio Secchiari*

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *June 24*, 19*26*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *Victor Emmanuel III* the *King* of *Italy* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Giulio Secchiari*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *19* day of *April*, A. D. 19*27*.

*Cornelia A. Warner*, Clerk.  
*By A. S. Gentry, Dep. Clk.*

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Giulio Secchiari*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *19* day of *April*, A. D. 19*27*.

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Jay P. Ramsey*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2494105*, issued on the *19* day of *April*, A. D. 19*27*

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR****BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION**

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

**JUN 9 1926**

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: **Wertauen, Ernst**  
Date of arrival: **Dec. 28, 1915**  
Manner of arrival: **United States**

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

**133033**

Issue No.



Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, }  
Ashtabula County } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Ernest John Wirtala, aged 28 years,  
occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion light, height 5 feet 11 inches,  
weight 200 pounds, color of hair light brown, color of eyes Blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Waasa, Finland  
on the 2nd day of July, anno Domini 1895; I now reside  
at 50 Atlantic St., Ashtabula, Ohio,  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Hanko, Finland  
on the vessel United States; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Waasa, Finland; I am married; the name  
of my wife is Lylli; she was born at Waasa, Finland  
and now resides at 50 Atlantic St., Ashtabula, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to

The Republic of Finland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 27th day

of September, anno Domini 1915; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Ernest John Wirtala*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 15th day of Feb., anno Domini 1923

[SEAL]

*A. H. Pontius*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Pauline C. Styles*, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1085

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio at Jefferson Ohio hereby filed, respectfully showeth:

The petition of Ernest John Wirtala

First. My place of residence is 50 Atlantic St., Ashtabula Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is laborer

Third. I was born on the 2 day of July, anno Domini 1895, at Vaasa, Finland

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Hanko, Finland on or about the 10 day of November anno Domini 1915, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 28 day of December anno Domini 1915, on the vessel United States  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 15 day of February, anno Domini 1923 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Lyyli; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the — day of November, anno Domini 1895 at Finland, and now resides at 50 Atlantic St., Ashtabula Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have two children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Ahti Aatos Allew, born June 18, 1921,  
Arnold Ernest Alanich, born January 18, 1923, both born and residing at,  
Ashtabula Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 28 day of December, anno Domini 1915, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 10 day of March, anno Domini 1919, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I wish petition for citizenship in some Court of the United States.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Ernest John Wirtala  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2086 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 25 day of June, 1926

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Ernest John Wirtala  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

John J. Koski occupation attorney, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
and John Makynen Jr. occupation mechanic, residing at Ashtabula Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Ernest John Wirtala, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of January, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

John Makynen Jr.  
(Signature of witness.)

John Koski  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 25 day of June, anno Domini 1926

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Steiner, Clerk.

By Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.



Ernest John Wirtala  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed June 25, 1926

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Republic of Finland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Ernest John Wirtala

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

Conrad A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Ernest John Wirtala, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Wm. K. Sargent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2172094, issued on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

No. 2160

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Harry Urias Brown, aged 38 years,  
occupation Druggist, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion light, height 5 feet 6 inches,  
weight 133 pounds, color of hair light brown, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Toronto, Canada  
on the 29th day of May, anno Domini 1885; I now reside  
at 107 W. Main Geneva, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Toronto, Canada,  
on the vessel \_\_\_\_\_; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Toronto, Canada; I am \_\_\_\_\_ married; the name  
of my wife is Muriel Brown; she was born at Geneva, Ohio.  
and now resides at Geneva, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V, King of Great  
Britain & Ireland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Buffalo, N. Y., in the  
State of New York, on or about the \_\_\_\_\_ day  
of May, anno Domini 1890; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Harry Urias Brown*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 12 day of November, anno Domini 192 3

[SEAL]

A. H. Portine  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Harry Urias Brown hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 107 W. Main St. Geneva, Ohio  
 (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is pharmacist  
 Third. I was born on the 29 day of May, anno Domini 1. 885, at Toronto, Ontario, Canada  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Toronto, on or about the — day of May  
 anno Domini 1. 890, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Buffalo N.Y., on the — day of May  
 anno Domini 1. 890, on the vessel Samland  
 (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 12 day of November, anno Domini 1. 923  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am — married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Muriel; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 5 day of September, anno Domini 1. 899  
 at Geneva Ohio, and now resides at 107 W. Main St. Geneva Ohio  
 (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 I have no children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V King of Great Britain & Ireland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the — day of May, anno Domini 1. 890, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 1 day of July, anno Domini 1920, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~made petition for citizenship to the Court of~~  
~~— day of —, anno Domini 1. —, and the~~  
~~said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes to wit:~~  
~~—, and the cause of such denial has since been removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Harry Urias Brown  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2160 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 28 day of June, 1926

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Harry Urias Brown  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Carey J. Sheldon Jr., occupation attorney, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and R. H. Mungel, occupation retired, residing at Geneva Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Harry Urias Brown, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of June, anno Domini 1. 921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of June, anno Domini 1. 921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Carey Sheldon Jr.  
(Signature of witness.)

R. H. Mungel  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 28 day of June, anno Domini 1926

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

*Harry Urias Brown*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *June 28*, 19*26*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *George V* the *King* of *Great Britain and Ireland* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Harry Urias Brown*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of *Harry Urias Brown* and the motion of *J. C. Fry* Examiner

for the United States in open Court this

*16* day of *April*, 19*29*, it appearing that *Applicant* fails to prosecute

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

*Ch. T. Tarrant*, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from *Oct. 1, 1926* to *April*, 19*27*  
*from April 19-1927* to *Oct 4*, 19*27*  
Continued from *April 17-1928* to *Oct 2*, 19*28*  
*from Oct 2-1928* to *Apr.*, 19*29*

*absent*  
*Witness did not come.*  
*absent*  
*absent*

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_\_

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in accordance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

MAY 19 1926

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Barczak, Jędrzej

Date of arrival: December 16, 1909

Manner of arrival: President Grant

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

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Issue No.

*Raymond F. Crist*  
Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

State of Ohio, In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio,

I, Andrew Barchok, aged 30 years,  
occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 6 inches,  
weight 160 pounds, color of hair Brown, color of eyes Brown

other visible distinctive marks Scar on Left Cheek,

I was born in Wisoka, Poland,

on the 30 day of May, anno Domini 1890; I now reside

at Jefferson, Ohio,

(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Hamburg, Germany,

on the vessel President Grant,; my last

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

foreign residence was Wisoka, Poland,; I am married; the name

of my wife is Mary; she was born at Bzezanka, Poland,

and now resides at Jefferson, Ohio,

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Poland and

Austria-Hungary or any independent State within, of whom I am now a subject;  
the bounds of the former Austro-Hungarian Empire

I arrived at the port of New York,, in the

State of New York,, on or about the 12 day

of December, anno Domini 1909; I am not an anarchist; I am not a

polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD.

Andrew Barchok

(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 21 day of December, anno Domini 1920

[SEAL]

F. L. Marwin  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By \_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.



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No. 1287

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Andrew Barchok hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is Ashtabula RFD #1, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is laborer  
 Third. I was born on the 30 day of May, anno Domini 1890, at Trysoka (Galicia) Poland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Hamburg, Germany about the 1 day of December  
 anno Domini 1919, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 16 day of December  
 anno Domini 1909, on the vessel President Grant  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 21 day of December, anno Domini 1920  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Mary; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 20 day of December, anno Domini 1898  
 at Poland, and now resides at R.D. #1, Ashtabula Ohio  
 I have five children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
John, born Jan. 26, 1916, at Curtisville Pa.  
Stanley, " March 15, 1917, at " "  
Sondi, " Feb. 24, 1919, at Russellton, Pa.  
Frank, " Nov. 20, 1921, at Ashtabula Ohio  
Agnes, " April -- 1926 at Ashtabula Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Poland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 16 day of December, anno Domini 1909, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 20 day of October, anno Domini 1919, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio, on the 21st day of December, 1920, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: and the name of each minor has since been removed or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Andrew Barchok  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 1910 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 29 day of June, 1926  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Andrew Barchok  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

C. R. Kidner, occupation Salesman, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and A. R. Askue, occupation Carpenter, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Andrew Barchok, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of June, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of June, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

C. R. Kidner  
 (Signature of witness.)  
A. R. Askue  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 29 day of June, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Harner, Clerk.  
 By Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

Andrew Barchok

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed June 29, 1926

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Republic of Poland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Andrew Barchok

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

Leonida A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Andrew Barchok, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Shar. K. Stungland, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2172096, issued on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

No. 2317

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio,

I, Steve Lipus, aged 22 years,  
occupation Farming, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 7 inches,  
weight 145 pounds, color of hair dark brown, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none.

I was born in Hejo Kerestun, Hungary,  
on the 3 day of July, anno Domini 1901; I now reside  
at RFD # 1, Rock Creek, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Bremen, Germany,  
on the vessel Kaiser Wilhelm; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Hejo Kerestun, Hungary; I am not married; ~~the name  
of my wife is~~; ~~she was born at~~  
~~and now resides at~~

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to

The present Government of Hungary, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 10 day  
of October, anno Domini 1905; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Steve Lipus*  
(Original signature of declarant)

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 28 day of February, anno Domini 1924.

*R. Sauter*  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Steve Lipus hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is Rock Creek Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is farmer  
 Third. I was born on the 3 day of July, anno Domini 1901, at Lejo Kerestur Hungary  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Bremen Germany, on or about the 10 day of October  
 anno Domini 1905, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 17 day of October  
 anno Domini 1905, on the vessel Kaiser Wilhelm  
 (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 28 day of February, anno Domini 1924  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am not married. My <sup>wife's</sup> husband's name is Steve; <sup>she</sup> is no longer living, anno Domini 1924  
 at Rock Creek Ohio, and resides at Rock Creek Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 I have no children, and the names, date and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The present Government of Hungary of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 17 day of October, anno Domini 1905, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 3 day of April, anno Domini 1914, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: \_\_\_\_\_~~  
~~All the grounds of such denial have since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Steve Lipus  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2217 and certificate of arrival from Department of Labor filed this 30 day of June, 1926  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Steve Lipus  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

M. S. Edson occupation farmer residing at Rock Creek Ohio  
 and C. A. Rockhill occupation farmer residing at Rock Creek Ohio  
 each being severally duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Steve Lipus the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of June, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of June, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

C. A. Rockhill  
 (Signature of witness.)  
M. S. Edson  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 30 day of June, anno Domini 1926

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner Clerk.  
 By Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

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Steve Lipus

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed June 30, 1926

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The present government Hungary of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Steve Lipus

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

Loonelia A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Steve Lipus, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said Steve Lipus, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to Steve Lipus, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 526), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Charles Sturgent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of Steve Lipus and the motion of Steve Lipus for the United States in open Court this 1st day of October, 1926, it appearing that Steve Lipus is a citizen of the United States of America.

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

Charles Sturgent, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

... occupation ... residing at ... occupation ... residing at ...

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2172895, issued on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1926

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(For use of aliens arriving in United States after June 29, 1906. To be issued immediately prior to petitioning for naturalization.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR****IMMIGRATION SERVICE**

COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION

OFFICE OF .....

AT BOSTON, MASS. June 15, 1926

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived at the port indicated, on the date and in the manner described below, viz:

Name of alien: HEINRICH NAGEL

Port of entry: BOSTON, MASS.

Date of arrival: MAY 23, 1907

Name of vessel:\* S.S. IVERNIA

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 (Title) ..... COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION .....  
 J.P.



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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE

TRIPLICATE  
[To be given to the person making  
the Declaration]

JUN 11 1926

No. 3645

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

State of Pennsylvania

Common Pleas

In the \_\_\_\_\_ Court

County of Beaver

SS:

of Beaver County

Heinrich Hagel, aged 37 years,  
occupation Car Inspector, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color White, complexion Medium, height 5 feet 7 inches,  
weight 165 pounds, color of hair Brown, color of eyes Grey  
other visible distinctive marks None

I was born in Pulsenano Hungary  
on the 24th day of August, anno Domini 1887; I now reside  
at 15th St & 3rd Ave Conway Pa

I emigrated to the United States of America from Antwerp  
on the vessel (Red Star line)

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Blagorodny Austria; I am \_\_\_\_\_ married; the name  
of my wife is Anna; she was born at Pulsenano Hungary  
and now resides at Ashtabula Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Austria Hungary or any independent  
State within the bounds of the former Austro-Hungarian Empire of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Boston  
State of Massachusetts, on or about the 17th day  
of May, anno Domini 1907; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD.

Heinrich Hagel

(Original signature of declarant)

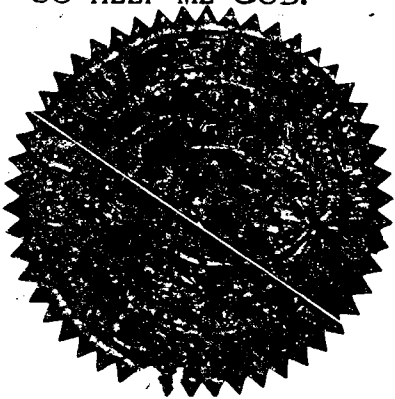
Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 13 day of November, anno Domini 1919

Daniel D Boyd

Clerk of the Deputy County Court

By \_\_\_\_\_

Clerk



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REQUEST MADE FOR CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
The petition of Heinrich Nagel hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
First. My place of residence is P.O. Kingsville Ohio (Monroe Sp.)  
Second. My occupation is Farmer  
Third. I was born on the 24 day of August, anno Domini 1887, at Pulsenano, Hungary  
Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Antwerp, Belgium on or about the 11 day of May  
anno Domini 1907, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Boston, Mass., on the 23 day of May  
anno Domini 1907, on the vessel Irenia

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 13 day of November, anno Domini 1919  
at Beaver, Pa., in the Common Pleas Court of Beaver County, Pa.  
Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Anna; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 29 day of June, anno Domini 1885  
at Austria, and now resides at Kingsville, Ohio

I have six children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Paul, born May 13, 1904, in Austria, residing at Youngstown Ohio  
Henry, " Oct. 12, 1906, " " " " "  
Mary, " June 24, 1911, at Conway Pa., " " Kingsville Ohio  
Elizabeth, " Nov. 2, 1913, at Monroe, O., " " " "  
Helen, " Oct. 5, 1921, " " " " "  
Joseph, " Oct. 19, 1923, " " " " "

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The present Government of Hungary of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 23 day of May, anno Domini 1907, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 1 day of November, anno Domini 1920, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I had petitioned for citizenship to the Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio, on the 13th day of November, anno Domini 1919, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: and the cause of such denial has since been corrected or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that his name be changed to Henry Nagel.  
Heinrich Nagel  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 3645 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 30 day of June, 1926  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Heinrich Nagel  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

G. W. Headley, occupation grocer, residing at Chepport, Ohio  
and Henry Singleton, occupation employee Standard Oil, residing at Jefferson, Ohio  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Heinrich Nagel the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously

immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of June, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of June, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

G. W. Headley  
(Signature of witness.)  
H. B. Singleton  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 30 day of June, anno Domini 1926

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

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*Heinrich Nagel*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *June 30*, 19*26*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *The present government of Hungary* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Heinrich Nagel*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of *Heinrich Nagel* and the motion of *I. E. Fof*

for the United States in open Court this

*17* day of *April*, 19*28* it appearing that *Heinrich Nagel fails to Prosecute*

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

*Chas. T. Sargent*, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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to _____, 19____	

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

## BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

JUN 30 1926

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Saleh, Antoum

Date of arrival: May 27, 1920

Manner of arrival: France

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

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Issue No.

*Raymond F. Crist*  
Commissioner of Naturalization:

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No. 2081

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County

I, Anthony Saleh, aged 23 years,  
occupation Candy Maker, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion Dark, height 5 feet 8 inches,  
weight 140 pounds, color of hair Black, color of eyes Brown  
other visible distinctive marks Small scar on forehead

I was born in Baabdash, Syria  
on the 5th day of January, anno Domini 1900; I now reside  
at 46 Depot Street, Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Beyrouth, Syria  
on the vessel La France; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Baabdash, Syria; I am married; the name  
of my wife is Francis; she was born at Baabdash, Syria  
and now resides at 46 Depot Street, Ashtabula, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Mohammed VI, Sultan of  
Turkey & The Republic of France, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 1st day

of June, anno Domini 1920; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Anthony Saleh*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 1st day of Feb., anno Domini 1923

[SEAL]

*A. H. Pontius*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Pauline C. Styles*, Deputy Clerk.



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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio,  
The petition of Anthony Saleh hereby filed, respectfully showeth:

First. My place of residence is 6 National St. Ashtabula Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Candy Maker

Third. I was born on the 5th day of January, anno Domini 1900, at Beabdash Syria

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from La Havre France, on or about the 21st day of May  
anno Domini 1920, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 27 day of May  
anno Domini 1920, on the vessel France  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 1st day of Feb.  
at Jefferson, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio, anno Domini 1923

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Francis; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 29 day of March, anno Domini 1899  
at Syria, and now resides at 6 National St. Ashtabula Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have 2 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Donald born 20 day of January, 1921, at Ashtabula Ohio resides at Ashtabula Ohio,  
Thomas born 1 day of February 1924, at Ashtabula Ohio resides at Ashtabula Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Present Sovereignty in Syria of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1920, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 3rd day of June, anno Domini 1920, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of Ohio on the day of anno Domini 1920, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Anthony Saleh  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2081 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 28th day of July, 1926.  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County Ohio ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Anthony Saleh  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Sol. David occupation Confectionery Store, residing at Jefferson Ohio,  
and Mrs. Marion David occupation Housewife, residing at Jefferson Ohio,  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known

Anthony Saleh, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Sol David  
(Signature of witness.)  
Marion David  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 28 day of July, anno Domini 1926. [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Anthony Saleh  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed July 28, 1926

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The present the sovereignty in Syria of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Anthony Saleh

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 19 day of April, A. D. 1927.

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
by A. G. Sauter, Sup. Clk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Anthony Saleh, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 19 day of April, A. D. 1927.

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Jay Stanley, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494106, issued on the 19 day of April, A. D. 1927

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION****CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK****JUL 28 1926**

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Johanson, Ruth

Date of arrival: August 18, 1906

Manner of arrival: Cedric

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

Issue No.

**231116**

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio,  
The petition of Ruth Natalie Johnson hereby filed, respectfully showeth:

First. My place of residence is 15 Reed Ave. Ashtabula Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Housewife

Third. I was born on the 10th day of July, anno Domini 1890, at Trasjadal, Sweden

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool England, on or about the 11 day of August  
anno Domini 1906, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 18 day of August  
anno Domini 1906, on the vessel Cedric  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the omitted day of omitted anno Domini 1922

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is John Richard; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 20 day of Nov, anno Domini 1887  
at Soala Sweden, and now resides at 15 Reed Ave. Ashtabula Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have two children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Elvira born 26 day of June 1912 at Ashtabula Ohio  
Nancy born 7 " " March 1924 at " " " "  
both reside at Ashtabula Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Gustavus V King of Sweden, of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 18 day of August, anno Domini 1906, and in the State of Ohio, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 22 day of June, anno Domini 1911, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

omitted under Act of September 22, 1922 Ruth Natalie Johnson  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
Declaration of Intention No. \_\_\_\_\_ and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 4 day of August, 1926

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States on or before June 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Ruth Natalie Johnson  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Helen G. Nelson, occupation Housewife, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
and Augusta M. Sjogren, occupation ", residing at "

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Ruth Natalie Johnson, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Helen G. Nelson  
(Signature of witness.)  
Augusta M. Sjogren  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 4th day of August, anno Domini 1926. [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

*Ruth Natalie Johnson*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Aug. 4*, 19*26*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *Gustavus V* the *King* of *Sweden* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Ruth Natalie Johnson*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *19* day of *April*, A. D. 19*27*.

*Camelia A. Wagner*, Clerk.  
*by A. S. Carter, Dep. Clerk.*

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Ruth Natalie Johnson*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *19* day of *April*, A. D. 19*27*.

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*J. P. [Signature]*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2494108*, issued on the *19* day of *April*, A. D. 19*27*

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR****BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION**

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION JUL 13 1926  
 ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Wintturi, Walfrid

Date of arrival: March 16, 1910

Manner of arrival: Oceanic

JUL 14 1926  
 RECEIVED DIRECTOR  
 ELLIS ISLAND, N. Y.  
 DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
COUNTY OF WAYNE.

SS:

In the \_\_\_\_\_ Court

CIRCUIT

of WAYNE COUNTY MICH

I, Wilfred A. Wintturi, aged 32 years,  
occupation Labourer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion Fair, height 5 feet 10 1/2 inches,  
weight 170 pounds, color of hair Blonde, color of eyes Blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Kaustinen - Finland  
on the 14 day of August, anno Domini 1891; I now reside  
at 6356 Walton A. Detroit Mich.  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Hango - Finland  
on the vessel Oceanic; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Finland; I am \_\_\_\_\_ married; the name  
of my <sup>wife</sup> ~~husband~~ is Sarah; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born at Finland  
and now resides at Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic  
of Finland of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of N. Y., on or about the 16 day  
of March, anno Domini 1910; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Wilfred A. Wintturi  
(Original signature of declarant)

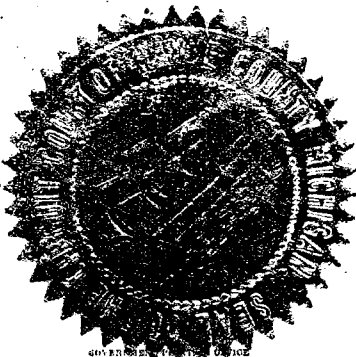
Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 18 day of Feb., anno Domini 1924

Shoo. S. Farrell

Clerk of the \_\_\_\_\_ Court.

CIRCUIT

By W. J. Manley  
WAYNE COUNTY MICH Clerk.



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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio

The petition of Wilfred Wintturi, hereby filed, respectfully showeth:

First. My place of residence is 868 Day St., Conneaut, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is laborer

Third. I was born on the 4th day of August, anno Domini 1891, at Kaustinen, Finland

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from South Hampton, England on or about the 10 day of March anno Domini 1910, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, N. Y., on the 16 day of March anno Domini 1910, on the vessel Oceanic  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 18th day of February, anno Domini 1924 at Detroit, Michigan in the Circuit Court of Wayne County, Michigan

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Sarah Wintturi <sup>(she)</sup> was born on the 5th day of September, anno Domini 1891 at Loktaya, Finland, and now resides at 868 Day St., Conneaut, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have two children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Helmi Maria, born on the 14th day of February, 1913, at Fitchburg, now resides at 868 Day St., Conneaut, Ohio  
Sulo Alexander, born on the 20th day of June, 1917, at Fitchburg, now resides at 868 Day St., Conneaut, Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 16th day of March, anno Domini 1910, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 10th day of October, anno Domini 1920, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Wilfred Wintturi  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 151083 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 29th day of July, 1926

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Jacob Helberg, occupation manager of Bottling Works, residing at 1817 Buffalo St., Conneaut, Ohio  
and Otto Mattonen, occupation laborer, residing at Sandusky St., Conneaut, Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Wilfred Wintturi, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of July, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of July, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Jacob Helberg  
(Signature of witness.)  
Otto Mattonen  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 29th day of July, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Helen Cop, Deputy Clerk.

Wilfred Wintturi  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed July 29, 1926

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Republic of Finland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Wilfred Wintturi

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 19 day of April, A. D. 1927.

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
by apt. P. Warner Dep. Clk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Wilfred Wintturi, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 19 day of April, A. D. 1927.

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

✓ J. P. Warner, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494107, issued on the 19 day of April, A. D. 1927

No. 1093

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio,  
 The petition of Michael Lelli hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 24 Ferrington St Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Steel Car Shop Employee  
 Third. I was born on the 15th day of June, anno Domini 1903, at Bonifra Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples Italy, on or about the 19th day of November  
 anno Domini 1920, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 15th day of December  
 anno Domini 1920, on the vessel Ferdinando Palaciano  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 15th day of February, anno Domini 1924  
 at Jefferson, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am not married. My wife's name is \_\_\_\_\_; she was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_  
 at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
 I have no children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 15th day of December, anno Domini 1920, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 14th day of May, anno Domini 1921, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Michael Lelli  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2213 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 6th day of August, 1926

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Frank Lassula, occupation Laborer, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and J. E. Ferrando, occupation Confectionery Store, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Michael Lelli, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

J. E. Ferrando  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Frank Lassula  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 6th day of August, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Corallia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Michael Kalli

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed Aug. 6, 1926

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Michael Kalli, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of Michael Kalli and the motion of Paul G. Werner - Examiner for the United States in open Court this 19 day of April, 1927, it appearing that

Petitioner was convicted of violation of the law against carrying concealed weapons.

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

## U. S. DEPARTMENT, OF LABOR

## BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

JUL 28 1926

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Reimholz, Peter  
Date of arrival: February 6, 1912  
Manner of arrival: Kaiserin Auguste Victoria

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

Issue No.

231760



Commissioner of Naturalization.



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6-26-23,  
Recd  
No. 2264

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Peter Peter Reimholz, aged 54 years, occupation Paper Cutter, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color white complexion fair, height 5 feet 5 inches, weight 120 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes grey other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Guttenbrunn Hungary (now Rumania) on the 2nd day of March, anno Domini 1870; I now reside at 723 Maple St., Conneaut, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Hamburg, Germany on the vessel Kaiserin Auguste Victoria; my last foreign residence was Temesvar, Hungary (now Rumania) I am married; the name of my {wife} is Barbara; {she} was born at Guttenbrunn, Hungary (now Rumania) and now resides at Conneaut, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Ferdinand I, King of Rumania, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Hoboken, in the State of New Jersey, on or about the 7th day of February, anno Domini 1912; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Peter Peter Reimholz*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 26th day of July, anno Domini 1924

[SEAL]

*C. H. Pontius*  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Pauline C. Styles*, Deputy Clerk.

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Conneaut, O.

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No. 1694

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Peter Peter Reimholz hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 723 Maple Ave., Conneaut, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Paper Cutter  
 Third. I was born on the 2 day of March, anno Domini 1870, at Guttenbrunn, Hungary (now Rumania)  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Hamburg, Germany on or about the 28 day of January  
 anno Domini 1912, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 6 day of February  
 anno Domini 1912, on the vessel Kaiserin Augusta Victoria  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 26 day of July, anno Domini 1924  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Barbara; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 31 day of October, anno Domini 1879  
 at Guttenbrunn, Hungary, and now resides at 723 Maple Ave., Conneaut, Ohio  
 I have 4 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Valentine, born Feb. 24, 1896, at Hungary, resides at Chicago, Ill.  
Peter Jr., " July 24, 1897, at Hungary, " " Conneaut, Ohio  
Hugo Jr., " April 1, 1900, at Hungary, " " " "  
Frank J., " Nov. 14, 1914, at Cincinnati, Ohio, " " " "

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Gerdmann I, King of Rumania of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 6 day of February, anno Domini 1912, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 8 day of June, anno Domini 1914, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_ and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Peter Peter Reimholz  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2264 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 9th day of August, 1926

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Peter Peter Reimholz  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Peter A. Reimholz occupation printer residing at Conneaut, Ohio  
 and Mrs. George Tappe occupation housewife residing at Conneaut, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known

Peter Peter Reimholz, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of August, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of August, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Peter A. Reimholz  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Mrs. George Tappe  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 9th day of August, anno Domini 1926

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Harner, Clerk.  
Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

*Peter Peter Reimholz*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed Aug. 9, 1926

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Nerdinard I the King of Rumania of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Peter Peter Reimholz*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 19 day of April, A. D. 1927.

*Cornelia A. Warner*, Clerk.  
*by Asst. Justice D. C. C.*

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounced the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Peter Peter Reimholz, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 19 day of April, A. D. 1927

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*J. Stanley*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494109, issued on the 20 day of April, A. D. 1927

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

AUG 27 1926

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Bilger, Flavien

Date of arrival: July 13, 1921.

Manner of arrival: La Savoie

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

State of New York In the Supreme Court  
County of Erie ss: of The State of New York

I, FLAVIEN BILGER, aged 25 years,  
occupation Tailor, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color White, complexion Fair, height 5 feet 3 inches,  
weight 130 pounds, color of hair Brown, color of eyes Blue

other visible distinctive marks None  
I was born in Wittesheim, Bas Rhein, France  
on the 16th day of February, anno Domini 1898; I now reside  
at 128 Freund St., Buffalo, N.Y.  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Havre, France  
on the vessel La Savoie; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Paris, France; I am not married; the name  
of my wife is \_\_\_\_\_; she was born at \_\_\_\_\_  
and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The French Republic

\_\_\_\_\_, of whom I am now a subject;  
I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of \_\_\_\_\_, on or about the 13th day  
of July, anno Domini 1921; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

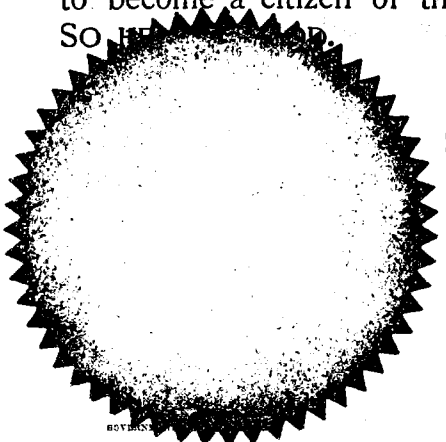
SO HELP ME GOD.

Flavien Bilger  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 31st day of May, anno Domini 1923

A. R. Atkinson

By A. S. Titus, Ref  
Clerk of the Supreme Court.  
Clerk.





REQUEST MADE FOR CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Flavien Bilger hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 27 Water St. Geneva Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is Press man  
 Third. I was born on the 16th day of February, anno Domini 1898, at Wittisheim France  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from France, on or about the 2nd day of July  
 anno Domini 1921, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 18th day of July  
 anno Domini 1921, on the vessel La Savie (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 31st day of May, anno Domini 1923  
 at Buffalo, in the Supreme Court of Eric County  
 Sixth. I am not married. My ~~wife's~~ husband's name is John; ~~she~~ he was born on the      day of     , anno Domini       
 at     , and now resides at      (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

~~I have~~ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the French Republic of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 13th day of July, anno Domini 1921, and in the State of Ohio, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 15th day of August, anno Domini 1923, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the~~      Court of           on the      day of     , anno Domini     , and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit      ~~and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Flavien Bilger  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 33505 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 3rd day of September, 1926  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Flavien Bilger  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Lee Spade, occupation Foreman, residing at Geneva Ohio  
 and Ernest H. Warner, occupation     , residing at       
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Flavien Bilger, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 15th day of August, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 15th day of August, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Lee Spade  
 (Signature of witness.)

Ernest H. Warner  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 3rd day of September, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Conelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
 By Pauline C. Styer, Deputy Clerk.

*Flavien Bilger*

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Sept. 3*, 19*26*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ of *French Republic* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Flavien Bilger*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *4* day of *October*, A. D. 19*27*

*Leonida A. Harner*, Clerk.

NOTE--In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Flavien Bilger*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *4* day of *October*, A. D. 19*27*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*G. L. Harner*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2736714*, issued on the *4* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*27*

*Irene born Nov 11-1915 adopted*

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

SEP 14 1926

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Christakos, Leonidas

Date of arrival: April 23, 1910

Manner of arrival: Patris

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio }  
Ashtabula County } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Louis Christos, aged 31 years,  
occupation Restaurant Proprietor, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 6 1/2 inches,  
weight 212 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Levetsova, Greece  
on the 15th day of August, anno Domini 1882; I now reside  
at 14 Baker St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Patras, Greece  
on the vessel Patris; my last  
foreign residence was Levetsova, Greece; I am not married; ~~the name~~

~~of my~~ ~~wife~~ ~~xxxxx~~ ~~xxxxx~~ ~~was born at~~  
~~xxxxx~~ ~~xxxxx~~ ~~xxxxx~~ ~~xxxxx~~ ~~xxxxx~~  
and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to  
The Present Government of Greece, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 20th day  
of October, anno Domini 1910; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Louis Christos  
(Original signature of declarant)

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 7th day of May, anno Domini 192 4

A. H. Pontus  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Pauline C. Style, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Legourgos Christakos hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 14 Baker St. Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Partner in Restaurant  
 Third. I was born on the 15th day of August, anno Domini 1. 882, at Levetsova, Greece  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Patras Greece, on or about the 5th day of October  
 anno Domini 1. 910, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 20th day of October  
 anno Domini 1. 910, on the vessel Patris  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 7th day of May, anno Domini 1. 924  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am not married. My husband's name is ---; she was born on the --- day of ---, anno Domini ---  
 at ---, and now resides at --- (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 I have --- children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Present Government of Greece of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 20th day of October, anno Domini 1. 910, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the --- day of April, anno Domini 1. 915, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the --- Court of --- on the --- day of ---, anno Domini 1. ---, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: --- and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that his name be changed to Louis Christos Legourgos Christakos (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2241 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 20 day of Sept, 1926.  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Legourgos Christakos (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
 residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
Chas. J. Reynolds, occupation Milk Dealer, residing at ---  
 and Joseph J. Battalini, occupation Merchant, residing at ---  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Legourgos Christakos, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1. 920, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1. 920, and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Joe Battalini (Signature of witness.)  
Chas. J. Reynolds (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 20 day of Sept, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Wyrner, Clerk.  
 By Pauline C. Stryker, Deputy Clerk.



*Segourgos Christakos*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Sept 20*, 19*26*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *The present government of Greece* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Segourgos Christakos*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *19* day of *April*, A. D. 19*27*

*Cornelia A. Warner*, Clerk.  
*by Asst. Justice Dep. Clerk*

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Segourgos Christakos*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *19* day of *April*, A. D. 19*27*.

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Jay P. [Signature]*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2494113*, issued on the *19* day of *April*, A. D. 19*27*

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

SEP 15 1926

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Walker, Samuel

Date of arrival: May 4, 1913

Manner of arrival: Cedric

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:



Commissioner of Naturalization.

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*Ashtabula*  
TRIPLICATE  
(To be given to the person making the Declaration)

No. 1902.

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio,

I, Samuel Walker, age 26 26 years,  
occupation Machinist helper, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 5 1/2 inches,  
weight 148 pounds, color of hair Brown, color of eyes Brown  
other visible distinctive marks None

I was born in Belfast, Ireland,  
on the 28 day of February, anno Domini 1894; I now reside  
at 14, Jones Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Belfast, Ireland,  
on the vessel S. S. Cedric;  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
my last foreign residence was Belfast, Ireland; I am not married; ~~the name~~  
~~of my wife is~~; ~~she was born at~~

~~and now resides at~~

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to

George V. King of Great Britain & Ireland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York,  
State of New York, on or about the 7th day  
of May, anno Domini 1912; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD. DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO.  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

*Samuel Walker*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 6 day of November, anno Domini 1912

[SEAL]

*F. L. Marwin*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By \_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

REQUEST MADE FOR CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL

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DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO.  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Samuel Walker hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 43 William St. Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Clerk  
 Third. I was born on the 28 day of February, anno Domini 1894, at Belfast, Ireland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool, England, on or about the 27 day of April  
 anno Domini 1913, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 4 day of May  
 anno Domini 1913, on the vessel Cedric  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 6 day of November, anno Domini 1920  
 at Jefferson Ohio in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am not married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Eleanor Tracey; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 8 day of November, anno Domini 1892  
 at Canada, and now resides at 43 William St. Ashtabula, Ohio  
 I have one children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Francis Samuel, born May 17, 1926 at Ashtabula Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V. King of Great Britain & Ireland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 4 day of May, anno Domini 1913, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 7 day of May, anno Domini 1913, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(Include petition for citizenship to any court, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: \_\_\_\_\_, and the basis of which denial has since been overruled.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Samuel Walker  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 1902 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 21 day of September, 1926  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Samuel Walker  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Paul F. Randolph, occupation Stationary Engineer, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and Alexander E. Friedman, occupation Inspector, R.R. Co, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Samuel Walker, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of September, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of September, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Paul F. Randolph  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Alexander E. Friedman  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 21 day of September, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Cornelia G. Warner, Clerk.  
Louise J. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

*Samuel Walker*

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Sept. 21*, 19*26*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *George V* the *King* of *Great Britain and Ireland* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Samuel Walker*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *19* day of *April*, A. D. 19*27*.

*Cornelia A. Warner*, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Samuel Walker*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *19* day of *April*, A. D. 19*27*.

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Ray P. Conroy*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *249414*, issued on the *19* day of *April*, A. D. 19*27*

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(For use of aliens arriving in United States after June 29, 1906. To be issued immediately prior to petitioning for naturalization.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE**

OFFICE OF Commissioner SEP 20 1926

AT Montreal, Canada

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived at the port indicated, on the date and in the manner described below, viz:

Name of alien: Karl Jensen NATURALIZATION SERVICE RECEIVED

Port of entry: Buffalo, N.Y. SEP 23 1926

Date of arrival: October 19, 1926 DISTRICT DIRECTOR CLEVELAND, OHIO.

Name of vessel\*: M. C. R. R. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
V. R. Sanders

(Title) Commissioner

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

State of Ohio, }  
Cuyahoga County, } ss: In the Common Pleas Court of Cuyahoga County.

I, Karl Heisser, aged 30 years,  
occupation bricklayer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 8 inches,  
weight 176 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Bulkeski Jugoslavia  
on the 20 day of June, anno Domini 1890; I now reside  
at 2108 St. Clair Ave., Cleveland, Ohio.  
(Give number, street, and city or town.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Montreal Canada  
on the vessel Railroad; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
foreign residence was Jugoslavia; I am un married; the name  
of my wife is Margareth; she was born at Jugoslavia  
and now resides at above address

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Austria Hungary or any independent state within  
the bounds of the former Austro-Hungarian Empire Buffalo, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 18 day  
of November, anno Domini 1920; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD.

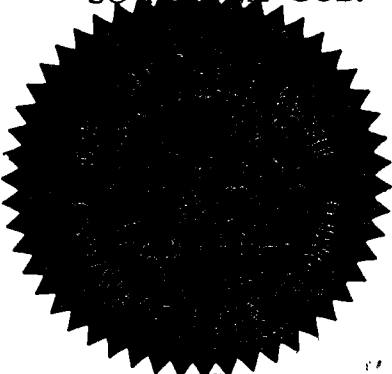
Karl Heisser  
(Original signature of declarant.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court  
at Cleveland, Ohio, this 29 day of November  
anno Domini 1920.

EDMUND B. HASERODT

*Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.*

By M. J. Gracina, DEPUTY Clerk.



REQUEST MADE FOR CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Karl Heiser hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is R.F.H. #2 Geneva, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is bricklayer  
 Third. I was born on the 20 day of June anno Domini 1890, at Bulkesi, Jugo Slavia  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Montreal, Canada on or about the 16 day of October  
 anno Domini 1920, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Buffalo N.Y., on the 19 day of October  
 anno Domini 1920, on the vessel M. C. R. R.  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 29 day of November, anno Domini 1920  
 at Cleveland, in the Common Pleas Court of Cuyahoga County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My wife's name is Margaret; she was born on the 10 day of November, anno Domini 1894  
 at Jugo Slavia, and now resides at Geneva R. D. #2, Ohio  
 I have no children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Kingdom of the Serbs, Croats & Slovenes of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 19 day of October, anno Domini 1920, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 19 day of October, anno Domini 1920, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Declaration of Intention No. 48875 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 6 day of October, 1926  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:  
 The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Karl Heiser  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
Manuel Naly occupation dry cleaner residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 and Fred Boltz occupation Carpenter residing at Geneva, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Karl Heiser the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of October, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of October, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Manuel Naly  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Fred Boltz  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 6 day of October, anno Domini 1926  
Comelia A. Hameer Clerk.  
Louise S. Lewis Deputy Clerk.

*Karl Heiser*

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Oct 6*, 19*27*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *Kingdom of the Serbs or Croats and Slovenes* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Karl Heiser*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *19* day of *April*, A. D. 19*27*

*Cornelia A. Wagner*, Clerk.  
*by Assistant Sec. Clerk*

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Karl Heiser*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *19* day of *April*, A. D. 19*27*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*J. Stanley*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2494115*, issued on the *19* day of *April*, A. D. 19*27*

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

SEP 30 1926

NATURALIZATION SERVICE

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Boutros, Nasri

Date of arrival: July 2, 1920

Manner of arrival: Olympic

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DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO.  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

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DISTRICT COURT  
CLEVELAND, OHIO  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Nazor Petros, aged 50 years,  
occupation Merchant, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 7 inches,  
weight 192 pounds, color of hair gray, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none.

I was born in Gebey, Syria,  
on the 10 day of February, anno Domini 1874; I now reside  
at 76 Columbus St., Ashtabula, Ohio.  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Cherbourg, France,  
on the vessel Olympic; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Gebey, Syria; I am --- married; the name  
of my ~~husband~~ <sup>wife</sup> is Mary Petros; ~~she~~ <sup>he</sup> was born at Mzkey, Syria,  
and now resides at Ashtabula, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The present government of  
Syria, under the mandate of France, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 4 day  
of July, anno Domini 1920; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Nazor Petros*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 15 day of July, anno Domini 192 4.

[SEAL]

*Asst. Sauter*  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk.



MADE FOR CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Nazer Petros hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 169 1/2 Bridge St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is merchant  
 Third. I was born on the 10 day of February, anno Domini 1874, at Lebey, Syria  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Beirut, Syria, on or about the 3 day of June  
 anno Domini 1920, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 2nd day of July  
 anno Domini 1920, on the vessel Olympic  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 15 day of July, anno Domini 1924  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County  
 Sixth. I am not married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Mary; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 7 day of June, anno Domini 1874  
 at Syria, and now resides at 169 1/2 Bridge St. Ashtabula Ohio  
 I have 7 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Julia, born Feb. 14, 1898 at Syria, resides at Buffalo N.Y.  
Barris, " June, 1899 " " " in Lebanon, student in seminary.  
Negibu, " " " " " in Syria  
Emilia, " Oct. 15, 1906 at Ashtabula Ohio, resides at Ashtabula, Ohio  
Peter, " Nov. 18, 1908 " " " " " " " "  
Paul, " Dec. 28, 1911, " " " " " " " "  
Joe, " Mar. 21, 1914, " " " " " " " "

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The present sovereignty in Syria of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 2 day of July, anno Domini 1920, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 2 day of July, anno Domini 1920, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made a petition for citizenship to the Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio, on the day of anno Domini 1920, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: \_\_\_\_\_ and the reason of such denial has since been corrected or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Nazer Petros  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2260 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 8 day of October, 1926

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Nazer Petros  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Joseph Napoletano, occupation notary public, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 and Tobeya Simon, occupation merchant, residing at " "  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Nazer Petros the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of October, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of October, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Joseph Napoletano  
(Signature of witness.)  
Tobeya Simon  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 8 day of October, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

*Nazer Petros*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Oct. 8*, 19*26*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *The present the Sovereignty in Syria* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*X Nazer Petros*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *19* day of *April*, A. D. 19*27*

*Cornelia A. Wainwright*, Clerk.  
*by: A. G. Gaultier, Sup. clk.*

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Nazer Petros*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *19* day of *April*, A. D. 19*27*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Wm. E. Stanley*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *249412*, issued on the *19* day of *April*, A. D. 19*27*

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

**BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION**

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

SEP 23 1926

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on this date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

NATURALIZATION OFFICE  
RECEIVED

Name of alien: Janopoulos, Panazotis

SEP 24 1926

Date of arrival: April 6, 1909

DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO.

Manner of arrival: La Gascogne

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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Petition No: 1100.

**AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES**

Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County

In the matter of the petition of Panos Sanpulos to be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

The State of Ohio

Ashtabula County

ss:

W. M. Ford

occupation

Com. for Lake Carriers

residing at

Conneaut Ohio

and \_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously

immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of July, anno Domini 1921 to 1922 and from Feb 1927

entitled petition is made continuously since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of July, anno Domini 1921 to 1922 and from Feb 1927

the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

W. M. Ford

(Signature of witness)

(Signature of witness)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named witnesses in the office of the clerk of said court this 19 day

[SEAL.]

of April, anno Domini 1927

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk,

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

No. 5551

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof.

United States of America } ss: In the Supreme Court  
District of Columbia. } of the District of Columbia Court

I, PANOS GANOPULOS, aged 23 years,  
 occupation merchant, do declare on oath that my personal  
 description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 5 inches,  
 weight 145 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes brown,  
 other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Goura, Prov. Corinth, Greece  
 on the 9 day of November, anno Domini 1906; I now reside  
 at 705 Mt. Vernon Place, Washington, D.C.  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Havre, France  
 on the vessel LaTauraine my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 foreign residence was Greece; I am not married; the name  
 of my wife is XXXXXXXXXX; she was born at XXXXXXXXXX  
 and now resides at XXXXXXXXXX

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
 prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Alexander,  
KING OF THE HELLENES, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
 State of N.Y., on or about the 2 day  
 of April, anno Domini 1909; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
 polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
 to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD. *also known with a non American name as* Panos Gaudulos  
*Peter Janopaul*  
(Original signature of declarant.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
 said Court this 28 day of November, anno Domini 19 19

[SEAL]

J.R.Young

Clerk of the SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

By C.B.Coflin, Asst. Clerk.

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No. 1100

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio,  
 The petition of Panos Janopoulos hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 184 Park Ave. Conneaut Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is Merchant  
 Third. I was born on the 9th day of November, anno Domini 1896, at Soura Prov. Corinth, Greece  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Haver, France, on or about the 25th day of March  
 anno Domini 1909, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 6th day of April  
 anno Domini 1909, on the vessel La Pascoque (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 28th day of November, anno Domini 1919  
 at Washington D.C., in the Supreme Court of The District of Columbia  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Vera; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 24 day of January, anno Domini 1899  
 at Cottkill N.Y., and now resides at Conneaut Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 I have 1 child, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Peter Jr. born 20 day of April 1925 at Conneaut Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Present Government of Greece of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 6th day of April, anno Domini 1922, and in the State of Ohio from June 1925 to July 1, 1927, when I left for New York & stayed there until Feb 2, 1927 continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 2nd day of Feb, anno Domini 1924, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the Common Pleas Court of Saratoga County N.Y. at Ballston Spire on the 11th day of October, anno Domini 1923, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit because I did not have depositions from 1921 to 1922 the time I spent in Ohio, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America. and that my name be changed to Peter Janopoul

Panos Janopoulos or Peter Janopoul  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 5551 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 11th day of October, 1926

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

John C. Soet W.M. <sup>Substituted</sup> occupation Real Estate Dealer residing at Conneaut Ohio  
 and Chas Murphy occupation Officer Police Force residing at Conneaut Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Panayotis Janopoulos (Panos Janopoulos) the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

John C. Soet  
 (Signature of witness)  
Chas Murphy  
 (Signature of witness)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 11th day of October A.D. anno Domini 1926

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Panos Yanopoulos  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed Oct 11, 1926

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The present government of Greek Republic of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Peter Yanopoulos

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

Loonelia A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Panos Yanopoulos, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said Panos Yanopoulos, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to Peter Yanopoulos, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chris T. Hanger, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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for depositions

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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

W.M. Ford, occupation Comm. for Lake Carriers, residing at Conneaut Ohio  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2497147, issued on the 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for use of the person applying for it, whose entry into the United States is shown hereon, and is to enable him to petition for naturalization.)

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE

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CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

JUN 10 1926

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived at Ellis Island on the date and in the manner described below, viz:

Name of alien: Canfora, Gennaro

Date of arrival: October 7, 1913

Name of vessel: Europa

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BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*  
Commissioner of Naturalization.

By *J. O. Christel*  
Chief of Division

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County

I, Gennaro Campora, aged 26 years, occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color White, complexion Dark, height 5 feet 6 inches, weight 160 pounds, color of hair Dark Brown, color of eyes Brown, other visible distinctive marks None

I was born in Fiumifreddo Bruzio, Cosenzo, Italy on the 9th day of October, anno Domini 1895; I now reside at 570 Wright Ave., Conneaut, Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy on the vessel Europe; (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given) my last foreign residence was Fiumifreddo Bruzio, Cosenzo, Italy; I am married; the name of my wife is Mary; she was born at Campobasso, Italy and now resides at Conneaut, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject; I arrived at the port of New York, in the State of New York, on or about the 13th day of October, anno Domini 1913; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein: SO HELP ME GOD.

Gennaro Campora  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 26th day of May, anno Domini 1923

[SEAL]

A. W. Pontius

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By Jay K. Young, Deputy Clerk.

Form 2214 sent to my on 5/6/14 by [Signature]

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Benjamin Carpenter

No. 1101

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
The petition of Gennaro Campora hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
First. My place of residence is 598 Orange St. Conneaut Ohio  
Second. My occupation is Laborer  
Third. I was born on the 9th day of Oct anno Domini 1895 at Fiumifreddo Brugia Cosenza Italy  
Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples Italy, on or about the 20th day of September  
anno Domini 1913, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 7th day of October  
anno Domini 1913, on the vessel Europa

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 26th day of May anno Domini 1922  
at Jefferson in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Mary <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 23 day of June anno Domini 1900  
at Repubboni Italy and now resides at 598 Orange St. Conneaut Ohio

I have 5 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Antonio Domenico born 15 day of Nov. 1917 at Conneaut Ohio resides at Conneaut  
Flomenica Antonio " 28 " " Sept 1919 " " " " " "  
Joseph " 6 " " April 1921 " " " " " "  
Margaret " 20 " " " 1923 " " " " " "  
Angelina " 15 " " June 1925 " " " " " "

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 7th day of October anno Domini 1913, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 8th day of October anno Domini 1913, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Gennaro Campora  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2045 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 11 day of October, 1926  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio }  
Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Gennaro Campora  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Peter Di Pofi occupation Laborer residing at Conneaut Ohio  
and Nick Christopher occupation Shovel maker residing at " " "  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_

Gennaro Campora, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Peter Di Pofi  
(Signature of witness.)  
Nick Christopher  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 11th day of October, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Laurel C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.



Gennaro Campora  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed Oct 11, 1926

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Gennaro Campora

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 19 day of April, A. D. 1927

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
by Ad. Patten DeLoach

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Gennaro Campora, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 19 day of April, A. D. 1927

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Sam Stanley, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494116, issued on the 19 day of April, A. D. 1927

No. 2247

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } SS: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Louise Clifford, aged 50 years,  
occupation milliner, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 6 inches,  
weight 154 pounds, color of hair gray-brown, color of eyes hazel  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Matlock Bath, Derbyshire, England,  
on the 10 day of May, anno Domini 1874; I now reside  
at 3, Booth St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England  
on the vessel Lucania; my last

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Leicester, England; I am not married; ~~the name~~  
~~of my~~ <sup>wife</sup> ~~husband~~ <sup>is</sup> ~~his~~; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ <sup>was</sup> ~~born at~~  
and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George the V, King of  
Great Britain and Ireland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 15 day  
of August, anno Domini 1888; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Louise Clifford*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 4 day of June, anno Domini 1924

[SEAL]

*A. H. Pontius*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Cornelia A. Hamer*, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Louise Clifford hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 3. Bath Pl. Ashtabula, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is milliner  
 Third. I was born on the 10 day of May, anno Domini 1874, at Matlock, Bath, England  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool, England on or about the 27 day of June  
 anno Domini 1887, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 4 day of July  
 anno Domini 1887, on the vessel Lucania  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 4 day of June, anno Domini 1924  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County  
 Sixth. I am not married. My husband's name is John Clifford; he was born in England  
 at Ashtabula Ohio  
 I have no children and the name, date and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V, King of Great Britain & Ireland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 4 day of July, anno Domini 1887, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 6 day of July, anno Domini 1887, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship in the Court of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes to wit: \_\_\_\_\_)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Louise Clifford  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2247 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 15 day of October, 1926  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:  
 The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Louise Clifford  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Mrs D A Williams, occupation housewife, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and Nora J Boland, occupation housewife, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known

Louise Clifford the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of October, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of October, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Mrs D A Williams  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Nora J Boland  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 15 day of October, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Barnes, Clerk.  
Louise S. Novie, Deputy Clerk.

*Louise Clifford*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Oct. 15*, 19*27*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *George V* the *King* of *Great Britain & Ireland* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Louise Clifford*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *19* day of *April*, A. D. 19*27*

*Connelia A. Warner*, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Louise Clifford*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *19* day of *April*, A. D. 19*27*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Jan P. ...*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2494 111*, issued on the *19* day of *April*, A. D. 19*27*

No. 2277

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Jakob Rihelj, aged 37 years,  
occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 4 feet 3 1/2 inches,  
weight 140 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Damagovic Croatia,  
on the 30th day of August, anno Domini 1886; I now reside  
at 43 Auburn, Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Bremen, Germany,  
on the vessel Kron Prinz Wilhelm; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

foreign residence was Domagovic, Croatia; I am un married; the name  
of my <sup>wife</sup> ~~husband~~ is Ljuba; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born at Croatia,  
and now resides at Do not know

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Kingdom of the  
Serbs, Croats, and Slovenes, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 14th day  
of December, anno Domini 1902;

I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

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CLEVELAND, OHIO  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Jakob Rihelj  
(Original signature of declarant)

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 26th day of September, anno Domini 1924

C. H. Pontius

Clerk of the Common Pleas, Court.

By Pauline C. Styles Deputy Clerk.

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DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO.  
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No. 1103

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Jakob Rihelj, Jacob Reel hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 20 Auburn St. Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Laborer for New York Central Car Shop  
 Third. I was born on the 30 day of August, anno Domini 1. 886, at Domagore, Croatia  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Bremen Germany, on or about the 2nd day of December  
 anno Domini 1. 902, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 14th day of December  
 anno Domini 1. 902, on the vessel North German Lloyd Steamship Co.  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 26th day of September, anno Domini 1. 924  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am no married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Ljuba, <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the do not know day of do not know, anno Domini 1. do not know  
 at Croatia, and now resides at I do not know  
 I have no children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Kingdom of the Serbs Croats & Slovenes of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 14 day of December, anno Domini 1. 902, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 6 day of September, anno Domini 1. 918, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made application for citizenship to the Court of Ohio, on the day of anno Domini 1. and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Jakob Rihelj, Jacob Reel,  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2277 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 18 day of October, 1926  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Jakob Rihelj, Jacob Reel,  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Joseph R. Cook, occupation Attorney, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and Roke Jute, occupation Proced, residing at do not know  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Jakob Rihelj the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of October, anno Domini 1. 926, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of October, anno Domini 1. 926; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Joseph R. Cook  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Roke Jute  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 18 day of October, anno Domini 1926.

Cornelius A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.



*Jakob Rihelj*

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed Oct. 18, 1926

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Kingdom of the Serbs, Croats and Slovenes of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Jacob Reel*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 19 day of April, A. D. 1927.

*Cornelia G. Warner*, Clerk.  
*by Asst. Secy. Dep. Clk.*

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Jakob Rihelj, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 19 day of April, A. D. 1927.

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said Jakob Rihelj, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to Jacob Reel, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*J. P. [Signature]*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494118, issued on the 19 day of April, A. D. 1927

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

OCT 16 1926

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Kinnuinen, Julius

Date of arrival: July 17, 1913

Manner of arrival: Mauretania

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CLEVELAND, OHIO.

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Julius Waldemar Kinnunen, aged 34 years,  
occupation Car Repairer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion Medium, height 5 feet 9 1/2 inches,  
weight 185 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks none.

I was born in Wiitasaari, Finland,  
on the 28th day of July, anno Domini 1889; I now reside  
at 42 Dakota St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England,  
on the vessel Mauretania; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Wiitasaari, Finland; I am married; the name  
of my wife is Impi Mary, she was born at Wiitasaari, Finland  
and now resides at 42 Dakota St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland,  
of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York,  
State of New York, on or about the 17th day  
of July, anno Domini 1923; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

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SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME IN THE OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF  
THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS  
ASHTABULA COUNTY, OHIO.  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Julius Waldemar Kinnunen  
(Original signature of declarant)

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
the Court this 25th day of June, anno Domini 1924

A. H. Posterus

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

REQUEST MADE FOR CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Julius Waldemar Kinnunen hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 44 Atlantic St. Ashtabula, Ohio.  
 Second. My occupation is Car Repairer  
 Third. I was born on the 28th day of July, anno Domini 1889, at Wentasaari, Finland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool England, on or about the 11th day of July  
 anno Domini 1913, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 17th day of July  
 anno Domini 1913, on the vessel Mauretania  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 25th day of June, anno Domini 1924  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Suomi Mary; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 12th day of October, anno Domini 1888  
 at Wentasaari, Finland, and now resides at 44 Atlantic St. Ashtabula, Ohio  
 I have one child, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
John Waldemar born 5 day of July 1924 at Ashtabula Ohio, resides at Ashtabula Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 17th day of July, anno Domini 1913, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 19th day of July, anno Domini 1913, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the Court of~~  
~~said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit~~  
~~and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Julius Waldemar Kinnunen  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2254 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 22nd day of October, 1926  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States on or before June 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

H. Adolph Rinta, occupation Operator, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and August Kinnunen, occupation Car Repairer, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Julius Waldemar Kinnunen, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of October, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of October, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

H. Adolph Rinta  
 (Signature of witness.)  
August Kinnunen  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me, by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 22nd day of October, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline A. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Julius Waldemar Kinnunen  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed Oct 22, 1926

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Republic of Finland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Julius Waldemar Kinnunen

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 19 day of April, A. D. 1927

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
by Asst. Secy. Dep. Clk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Julius Waldemar Kinnunen, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 19 day of April, A. D. 1927

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

[Signature], Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494117, issued on the 19 day of April, A. D. 1927

No. 2056

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio }  
Ashtabula County } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, John Penttinen, aged 46 years,  
occupation Car repairer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion medium, height 5 feet 9 inches,  
weight 160 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks None

I was born in Kuofio, Finland  
on the 4 day of June, anno Domini 1876; I now reside  
at 79 Huron St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England  
on the vessel Campania; my last  
foreign residence was Kuofio, Finland; I am married; the name  
of my wife is Liisa; she was born at Kuofio, Finland  
and now resides at 79 Huron St., Ashtabula, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of  
Finland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 18 day  
of July, anno Domini 1901; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD

*John Penttinen*  
(Original signature of declarant)

NATURALIZATION SERVICE  
OCT 22 1922  
DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 14 day of July, anno Domini 1922

[SEAL]

*A. H. Pontius*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By Katherine M. Hunnwell, Deputy Clerk.



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No. 1105

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of John Alfred Penttinen hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 79 Huron St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Railroad inspector and repair  
 Third. I was born on the 4 day of June, anno Domini 1876, at Kuopio, Finland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool, England, on or about the 11 day of July  
 anno Domini 1901, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 18 day of July  
 anno Domini 1901, on the vessel Compania  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 14 day of July, anno Domini 1922  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Lisa; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 18 day of December, anno Domini 1883  
 at Kuopio, Finland, and now resides at 79 Huron St. Ashtabula, Ohio  
 I have 5 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Abel Edward, born August 31, 1905 at Finland,  
Tuune Mary, " March 25, 1907 at Ashtabula Ohio.  
Eda Catherine, " June 12, 1909, at Finland,  
Sylvia Elizabeth, " August 2, 1911 at Ashtabula Ohio.  
John Ruben, " July 10, 1916, " " all residing at  
Ashtabula Ohio  
 Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.  
 Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 18 day of February, anno Domini 1901, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 19 day of July, anno Domini 1901, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.  
 Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio, on the 14th day of July, 1922, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: and the cause of such denial has since been removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

John Alfred Penttinen  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
 Declaration of Intention No. 2056 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 27 day of October, 1926  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:  
 The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

C. V. Beckman, occupation Inspector & repair, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and J. E. Raitto, occupation yard foreman, residing at " "  
 each being severally, duly and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known John Alfred Penttinen the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of October, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of October, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

C. V. Beckman  
 (Signature of witness.)  
J. E. Raitto  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 27 day of October, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Harner, Clerk.  
Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

Filed Oct. 27, 1926

John Alfred Penttinen  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Republic of Finland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

John Alfred Penttinen

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 19 day of April, A. D. 1927

Cornelia A. Hoover, Clerk.  
By Act Penttinen clerk

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of John Alfred Penttinen, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 19 day of April, A. D. 1927.

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved

June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")  
Permission is granted petitioner to amend petition to show date of entry as July 18, 1901.  
By the Court:

John J. Conroy, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494119, issued on the 19 day of April, A. D. 1927

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(For use of aliens arriving in United States after June 29, 1906. To be issued immediately prior to petitioning for naturalization.)

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

IMMIGRATION SERVICE

**Inspector in Charge**

OFFICE OF

**DETROIT, MICH.**

AT

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived at the port indicated, on the date and in the manner described below, viz:

Name of alien:

*James G. Ferguson*

Port of entry:

**DETROIT, MICH.**

Date of arrival:

*Sept 23 - 1919*

Name of vessel:\*

*Dwerry*

Line

*William C. Nestler*(Title) **U.S. Immigrant Inspector**

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } SS: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, James George Ferguson, aged 28 years,  
occupation Clothing Salesman, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion \_\_\_\_\_, height 5 feet 8 inches,  
weight 135 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks None

I was born in Williamstown, Canada,  
on the 12 day of June, anno Domini 1893; I now reside  
at 36 Fort St., Ashtabula, Ohio,  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Saskatoon City, Canada  
on the vessel Canadian National R. R.; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

foreign residence was Saskatoon,; I am not married; ~~the/ stated~~  
~~of/ my/ wife/ is~~; ~~she/ was/ with/ it/~~  
~~I/ did/ not/ reside/ at/ /~~

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George the V, King of  
Great Britain and Ireland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Ashtabula, in the  
State of Ohio, on or about the 22 day  
of September, anno Domini 1919; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith

to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

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DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

James George Ferguson  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 6 day of July, anno Domini 1921

[SEAL]

F. L. Marrin

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By M. M. Marrin, Deputy Clerk.

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CLEVELAND, OHIO  
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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Mr. James George Ferguson hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is 44 Dept. St. Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Department Store Owner  
 Third. I was born on the 12 day of June, anno Domini 1893, at Williamstown Canada  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Windsor Canada, on or about the 22nd day of September  
 anno Domini 1919, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Detroit Michigan, on the 23rd day of September  
 anno Domini 1919, on the vessel W & W. Ferry  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 6th day of July, anno Domini 1921  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am not married. My wife's name is \_\_\_\_\_; she was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_  
 at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
 I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V King of Great Britain & Ireland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 23rd day of September, anno Domini 1919, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 24th day of September, anno Domini 1919, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

James George Ferguson  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 1977 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 29th day of October, 1926  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Mrs R.C. Gubham, occupation Housewife, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and Mrs Harry Ware, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known James George Ferguson the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Mrs Bessie Ware  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Mr. R. C. Gubham  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 29th day of October, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Wagner, Clerk.  
 By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.



James George Ferguson  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed Oct. 29, 1926

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V the King of Great Britain & Ireland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

James George Ferguson

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

Loonela A. Harned, Clerk.

NOTE: In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of James George Ferguson, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of Oct, A. D. 1928.

~~(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")~~

By the Court:

Chas. H. Tarrant, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from April 19-1927 to Oct 4-1927, 19\_\_\_\_  
from Oct 4-1927 to April, 1928  
Continued from Apr 17-1928 to Oct 2-1928, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Study - witnesses OK  
Absent  
Study

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2736736, issued on the 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

No. 1107

Cash bond  
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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio,  
The petition of Bertie Victoria Seagren hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is 19 Tice Ave Ashtabula Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is seamstress

Third. I was born on the 7th day of March, anno Domini 1886 at Lisp Sweden

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Glasgow Scotland, on or about the 1st day of May  
anno Domini 1891, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 14th day of May  
anno Domini 1891, on the vessel Assyrian  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 1st day of Jan 1917  
at the Court of Jefferson Ohio and later married on Dec he died Jan 27-1917  
he took out first papers in 1916, in the

Sixth. I am married. My wife's name is Peter; [she] was born on the 6 day of November, anno Domini 1872  
at Sweden, and now resides at and is now deceased  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have one child, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Rose Isabelle Victoria born 21st May 1906 Widdler Pennsylvania  
and now resides at Jamestown N.Y.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Sustanus V King of Sweden of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 14 day of May, anno Domini 1891, and in the State of Ohio, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 10 day of Sept, anno Domini 1917, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the Court of~~  
~~at~~ ~~on the~~ ~~day of~~ ~~anno Domini~~ ~~and the~~  
~~said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit~~  
~~and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

none required

Bertie Victoria Seagren  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. \_\_\_\_\_ and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Bertie Victoria Seagren  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Albert Anderson, occupation Leather Worker, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
and Elmer P. Anderson, occupation Steel Worker, residing at " "  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known

Bertie Victoria Seagren, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of Jan, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of Jan, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Elmer P. W. Anderson  
(Signature of witness.)  
Albert Anderson  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 10th day of November, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

*Gertie Victoria Seagren*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Nov 10*, 19*26*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *Gustavus V the King of Sweden* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Gertie Victoria Seagren*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*[Signature]*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of *Gertie Victoria Seagren* and the motion of *Paul G. Werner, Examiner*

for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of *April*, 19*27*, it appearing that *Petitioner regained her citizenship on the death of her husband in 1917.*

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

*[Signature]*, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_\_

No. 1108

1930 Feb 10  
Declaration & Certificate

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE

Mailed to Joseph Matonak  
69 3rd St  
E. Plymouth Pa

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Joseph Matonak hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is 102 Michigan Ave. Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Millwright  
 Third. I was born on the 20th day of August, anno Domini 1893, at Hannover Aust. Hung  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Hannover Germany, on or about the 15th day of April  
 anno Domini 1911, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Philadelphia Pa, on the 2nd day of May  
 anno Domini 1911, on the vessel Prinz Adalbert  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 2nd day of Feb, anno Domini 1920  
 at Wilkesbarre Pa, in the Common Pleas Court of Luzerne  
 Sixth. I am married. My wife's name is Mary; she was born on the 27 day of Nov, anno Domini 1897  
 at Pennsylvania, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
 I have 2 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Bernard born Jan 17 - 1918 at Ashley Pa  
Cecilia born April 12 - 1920 at Ashley Pa  
both reside at Ashtabula Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Czechoslovak Republic, of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 2nd day of May, anno Domini 1911, and in the State of Ohio, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 18 day of June, anno Domini 1922, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the Common Pleas Court of Luzerne County at Wilkesbarre Pa, on the 2nd day of Feb, anno Domini 1922, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit because of change in residence, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Joseph Matonak  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 10877 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 18 day of November, 1926

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Mary K Dunick, occupation Housewife, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and Anna Higgins, occupation Housewife, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Joseph Matonak, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 18th day of June, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 18th day of June, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Mary K. Dunick  
(Signature of witness.)  
Mrs Anna Higgins  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 18 day of November, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

C. A. Warner, Clerk.  
F. C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

*Joseph Matonak*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Nov. 18*, 19*26*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *The Czechs-Slovak Republic* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Joseph Matonak*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of *L.E. 7 of Joseph Matonak* and the motion of *L.E. 7*

for the United States in open Court this

*Failed to* <sup>2</sup> day of *Oct*, 19*26*, it appearing that *Joseph Matonak* *Prosecute*

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

*C. W. August*

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from *Oct 4, 1927 to April*, 19*28*  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from *Apr 17 - 1928 to Oct 2*, 19*28*  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

*for Depositions*  
*Witnesses OK*  
*Absent & dep.*

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(For use of aliens arriving in United States after June 29, 1906. To be issued immediately prior to petitioning for naturalization.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

**IMMIGRATION SERVICE**

OFFICE OF COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION

AT BOSTON, MASS. OCT 27 1926

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived at the port indicated, on the date and in the manner described below, viz:

Name of alien: LEONARD KAJANDER

NATURALIZATION SERVICE  
RECEIVED

Port of entry: BOSTON, MASS.

Date of arrival: Feb. 16, 1913

OCT 29 1926

Name of vessel:\* Carpathia

DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

*John P. Johnson*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(Title) COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION

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\*Or railroad company, or any other conveyance.

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE

TRIPLICATE  
(To be given to the person making  
the Declaration)

No. 2002

JUN 11 1926

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Victor Leonard Kajander, aged 39 years,  
occupation farmer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 6 inches,  
weight 162 pounds, color of hair light, color of eyes blue,  
other visible distinctive marks none.  
I was born in Valkeala, Finland  
on the 23 day of November, anno Domini 1882; I now reside  
at R.F. D. 3, Dorset, Ohio.

NATURALIZATION SERVICE  
RECEIVED  
JUN 11 1926  
DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England  
on the vessel Carpathia; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Valkeala, Finland; I am not married; the name  
of my wife is (divorced); ~~she was born at~~  
~~and now resides at~~

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Government of the  
Republic of Finland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Boston, in the  
State of Massachusetts, on or about the 16 day  
of February, anno Domini 1913; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Victor Leonard Kajander*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 19 day of November, anno Domini 1921.

*Victor Leonard Kajander*  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk.

[SEAL]



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REQUEST MADE FOR CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL

DEC. 31 1925

Commercial St  
Ashtabula

No. 1109

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Victor Leonard Kajander hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 1 Commercial St. Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Carpenter, 7 y.c. R.R. Co.  
 Third. I was born on the 23 day of November, anno Domini 1887, at Sippola, Finland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Hanko, Finland, on or about the 31 day of January  
 anno Domini 1913, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Boston, Mass., on the 16 day of February  
 anno Domini 1913, on the vessel Carpathia  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 19 day of November, anno Domini 1921  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am not married. My wife's name is \_\_\_\_\_; she was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_  
 and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_ (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have 3 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Arthur, born June 29, 1903, at Finland  
Neil, " Jan. 9, 1907, " " "  
Miriam, " July 11, 1909, " " " all residing at Ashtabula Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 16 day of February, anno Domini 1913, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 1 day of October, anno Domini 1920, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~From petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ State of \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: \_\_\_\_\_~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Victor Leonard Kajander  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2002 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 27 day of November 1926  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Victor Leonard Kajander  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

John E. Glantz, occupation attorney, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and Antti Wirtanen, occupation railroad employe, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 each being severally, duly and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Victor Leonard Kajander the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of November, anno Domini 1913, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of November, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

John E. Glantz  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Antti Wirtanen  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 27 day of November, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Barnes, Clerk.  
Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

*Victor Leonard Kajander*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Nov. 27*, 19*26*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the *Republic of Finland* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Victor Leonard Kajander*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of *Victor Leonard Kajander* and the motion of *Paul G. Werner, Examiner* for the United States in open Court this *19* day of *April*, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that *Testimony of witnesses does not cover full five year period.*

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

*J. P. [Signature]*, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

JUL 28 1926

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien:	Reimholz, Barbara
Date of arrival:	February 6, 1912      Verified for permit
Manner of arrival:	Kaiserin Auguste Victoria

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

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Issue No.

*Raymond F. Crist*  
Commissioner of Naturalization.

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DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO.  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

No. 2281

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County.

I, Barbara Reimholz, aged 45 years,  
occupation Housewife, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion Fair, height 5 feet 1 inches,  
weight 130 pounds, color of hair Brown, color of eyes Brown  
other visible distinctive marks None

I was born in Guttenbrunn, Hungary, now Rumania,  
on the 31 day of October, anno Domini 1879; I now reside  
at 723 Maple St., Conneaut, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Hamburg, Germany  
on the vessel Kaiserin Auguste Victoria; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Tenesvar, Hungary; I am un married; the name  
of my <sup>wife</sup> husband is Peter Peter Reimholz, <sup>she</sup> he was born at Guttenbrunn, Hungary  
and now resides at Conneaut, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Ferdinand L. King of  
Rumania, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Hoboken, in the  
State of New Jersey, on or about the 7 day  
of February, anno Domini 1912; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Barbara Reimholz  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 25 day of November, anno Domini 1924

[SEAL]

A. N. Pontius

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Conelia A. Harmer Deputy Clerk.

723 Maple Ave  
Conneaut, O.

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No. 7710

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Barbara Reimholz hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 723 Maple Ave., Conneaut, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Housewife  
 Third. I was born on the 31 day of October, anno Domini 1879, at Guttenburm, Hungary  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Hamburg, Germany, on or about the 28th day of January  
 anno Domini 1912, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Hoboken, on the 6th day of February  
 anno Domini 1912, on the vessel Kaiserin Auguste Victoria  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 25th day of November, anno Domini 1924  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Peter Peter Reimholz <sup>husband's</sup> was born on the 2nd day of March, anno Domini 1870  
 at Guttenburm, Hungary, and now resides at 723 Maple Ave, Conneaut, Ohio  
 I have four children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Valentine Reimholz born 25th day of February 1896 at Hungary and resides at Chicago, Ill.  
Peter Reimholz Jr., born 29th day of July 1897 at Hungary and resides at Conneaut, Ohio  
Hugo J. Reimholz born 1st day of April 1900 at Hungary and resides at Conneaut, Ohio  
Frank J. Reimholz born 14th day of November 1914 at Cincinnati, Ohio and resides at Conneaut, Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Kerduand I King of Rumania of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 7th day of February, anno Domini 1912, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 8th day of June, anno Domini 1914, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Barbara Reimholz  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2281 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 30th day of November, 1926  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1903, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Barbara Reimholz  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Peter A. Reimholz, occupation Printer, residing at Conneaut, Ohio  
 and Mrs. George Japp, occupation Housewife, residing at Conneaut, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known

Barbara Reimholz, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of November, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of November, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Mrs. Lula Jappe  
 (Signature of witness)  
Peter A. Reimholz  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 30th day of November, anno Domini 1926

[SEAL]

Rozmelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
 By Louise J. Norris, Deputy Clerk.



Barbara Reimholz  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed Nov. 30, 1926

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Gerdmund I the King of Rumania of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Barbara Reimholz

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 19 day of April, A. D. 1927.

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
by Asst. Auditor Dep. Clk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Barbara Reimholz, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 19 day of April, A. D. 1927.

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

J. P. [Signature], Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494110, issued on the 20 day of April, A. D. 1927

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes, the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

## BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Tomassini, Stefano  
 Date of arrival: Sept. 17, 1919  
 Manner of arrival: Pesaro

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

Issue No.

314992

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE

TRIPPLICATE  
(To be given to the person  
making the Declaration)

No. 2087

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Steve Tomisena, aged 27 years, occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color white, complexion sallow, height 5 feet 8 1/2 inches, weight 142 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes brown, other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Macerata, Italy on the 24 day of May, anno Domini 1895; I now reside at 11 Harbor Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Genoa, Italy, on the vessel Pesaro; my last foreign residence was Macerata, Italy; I am married; the name of my wife is Sadie; she was born at Macerata, Italy and now resides at 11 Harbor Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the State of New York, on or about the 27 day of September, anno Domini 1919; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD.

Steve Tomisena  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 16 day of Feb., anno Domini 1923.

[SEAL]

Asst. Secretary  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Steve Tomisene hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 24 Harbor Ave Ashtabula, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Carpenter  
 Third. I was born on the 24 day of May, anno Domini 1895, at Macerata, Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Genoa, Italy, on or about the 30 day of August  
 anno Domini 1899, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 17 day of September  
 anno Domini 1899, on the vessel Pesaros  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 16 day of February, anno Domini 1923  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Santa; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 14 day of June, anno Domini 1893  
 at Macerata, Italy, and now resides at 24 Harbor Ave. Ashtabula Ohio  
 I have no children, ~~and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:~~

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 17 day of September, anno Domini 1899, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 22 day of September, anno Domini 1899, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_ and the same was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes to wit: \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Steve Tomisene  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2087 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 23 day of December, 1926  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States on OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Steve Tomisene  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Guy Consoline, occupation Carpenter, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and James Turano, occupation insurance agent, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Steve Tomisene, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of December, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of December, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Guy Consoline  
(Signature of witness.)  
James Turano  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 23 day of December, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Harner, Clerk.  
 By Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

Steve Tomisene

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed Dec. 23, 1926

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Steve Tomisene

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

Loonelia A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE-In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Steve Tomisene, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said Steve Tomisene, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to Steve Tomisene, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

W. H. Bryant, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from from April 19-1927 to Oct 4-1927, 19\_\_\_\_
Continued from from Oct 4-1927 to Apr. 1928, 1928
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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2885763, issued on the 16 day of Apr, A. D. 1929

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

DEC 16 1926

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Mekeka, Nikitor

Date of arrival: June 26, 1912

Manner of arrival: Russia

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

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Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio }  
Ashtabula County } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County

I, Nick Mekeka, aged 34 years,  
occupation Farmer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 6 inches,  
weight 150 pounds, color of hair Black, color of eyes Brown,  
other visible distinctive marks None

I was born in Grodno, Poland  
on the 15th day of November, anno Domini 1888; I now reside  
at Rome, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Libao, Russia  
on the vessel Russia; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Gowchewo, Russia; I am married; the name  
of my wife is Katerin; she was born at Grodno, Poland  
and now resides at Gowchewo, Poland

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Poland  
of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 15th day  
of June, anno Domini 1912; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Nick Mekeka*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 29 day of Jan., anno Domini 1923

[SEAL]

*A. H. Pontius*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Pauline C. Styles*, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Nick Mekeka hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is Rome, Ashtabula Co. Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is farmer  
 Third. I was born on the 15 day of November anno Domini 1888, at Grodus, Poland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Libao, Russia, on or about the 10 day of June  
 anno Domini 1912, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 26 day of June  
 anno Domini 1912, on the vessel Russia  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 29 day of January, anno Domini 1923  
 at Jefferson, Ohio in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Catherine; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 23 day of July, anno Domini 1888  
 at Grodus, Poland and now resides at Grodus, Poland  
 I have no children, and the name, date and place of birth and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Poland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 26 day of June, anno Domini 1912, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 1 day of September, anno Domini 1916, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~And no petition for citizenship to the~~ Court of ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~ at ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~ on the ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~ day of ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~, anno Domini ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~ and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Nick Mekeka  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2080 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 23 day of December, 1920  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Nick Mekeka  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Walter Stolze occupation farmer residing at Rome, Ohio  
 and George Bryndza occupation farmer residing at Rome, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known

Nick Mekeka the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of December, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of December, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Geo. Bryndza  
(Signature of witness)

Walter Stolze  
(Signature of witness)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 23 day of December, anno Domini 1920 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Farmer, Clerk.

By Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

*Nick Mekeka*

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Dec. 23*, 19*26*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *the Republic of Poland* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Nick Mekeka*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *19* day of *April*, A. D. 19*27*.

*Cornelia A. Warner*, Clerk.  
*By Asst. Secretary, Dep. Clk.*

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Nick Mekeka*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *19* day of *April*, A. D. 19*27*.

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Jay Ramsey*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2494120*, issued on the *19* day of *April*, A. D. 19*27*

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK DEC 17 1926

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Lycholay, Gregory

Date of arrival: August 25, 1913

Manner of arrival: President Lincoln

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DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO.  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

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*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

 Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Grigoriy Licholiy, aged 43 years,  
occupation farmer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion light, height 5 feet 7½ inches,  
weight 155 pounds, color of hair light, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks scars on left wrist

I was born in Kiev, Russia  
on the 21 day of January, anno Domini 1878; I now reside  
at New Lyme, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Hamburg, Germany  
on the vessel President Lincoln; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Kiev, Russia; I am un married; the name  
of my wife is Agafia; she was born at Rasivo, Russia  
and now resides at New Lyme, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Russia or any independent  
State within the bounds of the former Russian Empire, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 24th day  
of August, anno Domini 1913; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Grigoriy Licholiy  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 28th day of Nov., anno Domini 19 21

[SEAL]

A. H. Pontius,  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By Cornelia A. Tharnet, Deputy Clerk.



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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio

The petition of Grigoriy Nicholiev hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is New Lyme Station Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is farmer

Third. I was born on the 21 day of January, anno Domini 1878, at New Russia

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Hamburg, Germany about the 13th day of August anno Domini 1913, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 25th day of August anno Domini 1913, on the vessel President Lincoln (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 28th day of November, anno Domini 1921 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Agafia; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 7th day of March, anno Domini 1890 at Jaivsk Russia, and now resides at New Lyme, Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have 5 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Joseph, born 8 day of Feb. 1914 at Pittsburgh  
Mera, " 19 day of May 1917 at Pittsburgh  
Harry, " 7 day of December 1919 at Pittsburgh  
Jacob, " 1st day of November 1923 at New Lyme Ohio  
Walter, " 30 day of Jan. 1926, at New Lyme, all reside at New Lyme, Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The State of Russia of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 25th day of August, anno Domini 1913, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 10th day of May, anno Domini 1920, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the~~ Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio on the 27th day of December 1926 and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit and the cause of such denial has since been cured & removed)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Declaration of Intention No. 2004 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 27th day of December, 1926  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Grigoriy Nicholiev  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Joseph Bogdan, occupation farmer, residing at New Lyme  
and Elmer Burr, occupation farmer, residing at New Lyme  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known

Grigoriy Nicholiev, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1920, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1920; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Joseph Bogdan  
(Signature of witness.)  
Elmer E. Burr  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 27th day of December, anno Domini 1926 [SEAL]

By Cornelia A. Harper, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Style, Deputy Clerk.

*Grigoriy Licholiz*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Dec. 21*, 19*27*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the *State* of *Russia* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*George Nicholas*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *4* day of *October*, A. D. 19*27*

*Leanne A. Kanner*, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Grigoriy Licholiz*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *4* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*27*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said *Grigoriy Licholiz*, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to *George Nicholas*, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Wm. H. Tamm*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from *from April 19- 1927 to Oct 4- 1927*, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2736715*, issued on the *4* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*27*

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(For use of aliens arriving in United States after June 29, 1906. To be issued immediately prior to petitioning for naturalization.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE**

OFFICE OF CommissionerAT Montreal, Canada

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This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived at the port indicated, on the date and in the manner described below, viz:

Name of alien: Venanzio Colangelo.Port of entry: Niagara Falls N. Y.Date of arrival: Sept 28 1913.Name of vessel:\* G. P. Rly.

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(Title) Commissioner

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No. 2150

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Venanzio Fiorindo Colangelo, aged 24 years, occupation Machinist, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color white, complexion Dark, height 5 feet 5 inches, weight 130 pounds, color of hair dark Brown, color of eyes Brown, other visible distinctive marks none.

I was born in Bugnara, Italy on the 11th day of December, anno Domini 1898; I now reside at 12 Auburn St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Quebec, Canada on the vessel \_\_\_\_\_; my last

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

foreign residence was Bugnara, Italy; I am married; ~~the name of my wife is~~ \_\_\_\_\_; she was born at \_\_\_\_\_

~~and now resides at~~ \_\_\_\_\_

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at ~~the port of~~ Pittsburgh via Montreal, in the State of Pennsylvania, on or about the 30 day

of September, anno Domini 1913; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein: SO HELP ME GOD.

*Venanzio Fiorindo Colangelo*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 1st day of October, anno Domini 1923

[SEAL]

*A. H. Postins*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Pauline C. Styles*, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Venanzio Fiorindo Colangelo hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 338 Lake St. Ashtabula Ohio.  
 Second. My occupation is Machinist  
 Third. I was born on the 11th day of December, anno Domini 1898, at Bagnara, Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Quebec, Canada, on or about the 30th day of September  
 anno Domini 1913, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Pittsburgh Pa., on the 30th day of September  
 anno Domini 1913, on the vessel R.R.P.  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 1st day of October, anno Domini 1923  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County  
 Sixth. I am not married. My wife's name is no was born on the no day of no, anno Domini 1923  
 at no and now resides at no  
 I have no children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 30th day of September, anno Domini 1913, and in the State of Ohio, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 1st day of April, anno Domini 1921, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, on the 25th day of January, anno Domini 1926, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit Witnesses had not known him five years, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Venanzio Fiorindo Colangelo  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2150 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 12 day of January, 1927

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Venanzio Fiorindo Colangelo  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

F. S. Colucci, occupation Boiler Maker Helper, residing at 336 Lake St. Ashtabula Ohio  
 and Gabino J. Marsilio, occupation Machinist, residing at 340 Lake St. Ashtabula Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Venanzio Fiorindo Colangelo, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Gabino J. Marsilio  
 (Signature of witness.)

F. S. Colucci  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 12th day of January, anno Domini 1927

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

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Venanzio Fiorindo Colangelo  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed Jan. 12, 1927

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Venanzio Fiorindo Colangelo

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 19 day of April, A. D. 1927.

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
by Asst. Secretary, Dep. Clk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Venanzio Fiorindo Colangelo, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 19 day of April, A. D. 1927.

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Jay Ramsey, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494122, issued on the 19 day of April, A. D. 1927

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

**BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION**

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION**

**ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK JAN 11 1927**

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Signette, Michele

Date of arrival for permanent admission: March 27, 1909

Manner of arrival: Cedric

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*  
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No. 2218

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Mike Liguetti, aged 41 years, occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 3 1/2 inches, weight 150 pounds, color of hair dark, color of eyes brown, other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Sperone, Italy on the 11th day of April, anno Domini 1882; I now reside at 37 First St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy on the vessel Cedric; my last foreign residence was Sperone, Italy; I am married; the name of my wife is Carmela; she was born at Sperone, Italy and now resides at 37 First St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the State of New York, on or about the 25th day of March, anno Domini 1908; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Michel Liguetti*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 29th day of February, anno Domini 1926

[SEAL]

*Ashtabula*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk.

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Ashtabula

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
The petition of Michele Lignetti hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is 37 First St. Ashtabula Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is laborer

Third. I was born on the 11 day of April, anno Domini 1882, at Sperone Italy

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples, Italy, on or about the 13 day of March  
anno Domini 1909, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 27 day of March  
anno Domini 1909, on the vessel Cedric  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 24 day of February, anno Domini 1924  
at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Carmel; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 26 day of July, anno Domini 1882  
at Sperone Italy, and now resides at 37 First St. Ashtabula Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have 7 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

- Sam, born Sept 20, 1907 at Sperone Italy
  - Tom, " Jan 1, 1911, at Ashtabula Ohio
  - Mike, " April 19, 1912, " " "
  - Carmen, " March 2, 1915, " " "
  - Leo, " Feb 28, 1917, " " "
  - Fulmen, " June 1, 1919, " " "
  - Josephine, " Aug 1, 1927, " " "
- All residing at Ashtabula, Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 27 day of March, anno Domini 1909, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 10 day of June, anno Domini 1909, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_ and the said petition was denied by the said court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Michele Lignetti  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2218 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 24 day of January, 1927  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Michele Lignetti  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Steve Guarini, occupation grocer, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
and Panerozis Ali Giacomo occupation shoemaker, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_

Michele Lignetti, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of January, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of January, anno Domini 1922, and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Steve Guarini  
(Signature of witness.)  
Panerozis Ali Giacomo  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 24 day of January, anno Domini 1927 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Harner, Clerk.  
Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

Michele Lignetta  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed Jan 24, 1927

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Michele Lignetta

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 4 day of October, A. D. 1927

Loonelia A. Farmer, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Michele Lignetta, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 4 day of October, A. D. 1927

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

John T. Fung, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494156, issued on the 4th day of Oct, A. D. 1927

No. 2285

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Liberato Narducci, aged 33 years,

occupation Boiler Maker Helper, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 6 inches, weight 185 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes brown, other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in SAN ANGELO IN GROTTE, Italy on the 28th day of November, anno Domini 1891; I now reside at 153 Bridge St., Conneaut, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples Italy, on the vessel Do not remember,; my last

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

foreign residence was San Angelo in Grotte, Italy; I am un married; the name of my ~~wife~~ <sup>husband</sup> is Mary; ~~she~~ <sup>he</sup> was born at Italy, and now resides at 153 Bridge St, Conneaut,

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the State of New York, on or about the 13th day of April, anno Domini 1905; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD.

Liberato Narducci  
(Original signature of declarant)

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 16 day of Dec., anno Domini 192 4

A. A. Britain  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Pauline C. Lytle, Deputy Clerk.



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CLEVELAND, OHIO.  
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No. 1116

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Liberato Narducci hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 153 Bridge St. Conneaut, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is boiler maker  
 Third. I was born on the 28 day of November, anno Domini 1891, at St Angelo in Grotte, Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples, Italy, on or about the 14 day of March  
 anno Domini 1905, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 12 day of April  
 anno Domini 1905, on the vessel do not remember  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 16 day of December, anno Domini 1924  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Mary; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 3 day of December, anno Domini 1893  
 at St Angelo in Grotte and now resides at 153 Bridge St. Conneaut Ohio  
 I have 5 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Felix, born Nov. 24, 1913 at Conneaut, Ohio  
Mary, " Nov. 7, 1917, " " "  
Maggie, " Oct. 30, 1919, " " "  
Anna, " Sept. 7, 1922, " " "  
Jennie, " Sept. 29, 1925, " " " all residing at Conneaut, Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 12 day of April, anno Domini 1905, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 15 day of April, anno Domini 1905, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. I made petition for citizenship to the Court of Ashtabula County Ohio on the 16 day of December, 1924 and the same was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit:  
and the cause of such denial has since been corrected and removed.

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Liberato Narducci  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2285 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 27 day of January, 1927  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Liberato Narducci  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

J. L. Williams, occupation foreman, residing at Conneaut, Ohio  
 and Michelo Cifelli, occupation laborer, residing at Conneaut, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Liberato Narducci, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of January, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of January, anno Domini 1922, and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

J. L. Williams  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Michelo Cifelli  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 27 day of January, anno Domini 1927

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

Liberato Narducci  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed Jan. 27, 1927

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Nicolas Emmanuel III the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Liberato Narducci

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

Loonelia A. Farmer, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Liberato Narducci, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

~~(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")~~

By the Court:

Stephen T. Sargent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494128, issued on the 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

No. 2093

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

 Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio }  
Ashtabula County } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County

I, Benjamin Farretto, aged 22 years,  
occupation Grocery Clerk, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion light, height 5 feet 6 inches,  
weight 145 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks Small scar on forehead

I was born in Rionero, Sannitico Prov. Campaaso, Italy  
on the 14th day of November, anno Domini 1900; I now reside  
at 60 Aunger Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy  
on the vessel America; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Rionero Sannitico, Italy; I am unmarried; the name  
of my wife is Florence; she was born at Ashtabula, Ohio  
and now resides at 60 Aunger Ave, Ashtabula, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to

Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;  
I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 1st day  
of July, anno Domini 1903; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Benjamin Farretto  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 28th day of Feb., anno Domini 1923

[SEAL]

A. H. Pontius,  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1117

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Benjamin Ferritto hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 60 Anger Ave. Ashtabula, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is grocery clerk  
 Third. I was born on the 14 day of November, anno Domini 1900, at Ronero, Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples Italy, on or about the 20th day of June  
 anno Domini 1903, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 1st day of July  
 anno Domini 1903, on the vessel America  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 28 day of February, anno Domini 1923  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Florence; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 12 day of May, anno Domini 1904  
 at Ashtabula, Ohio, and now resides at 60 Anger Ave. Ashtabula Ohio  
 I have two children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Tom, born June 11, 1923 at Ashtabula Ohio,  
Carmela, born March 23, 1925 at Ashtabula Ohio, both residing at  
Ashtabula Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition; to wit, since the 1 day of July, anno Domini 1903, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 3 day of July, anno Domini 1903, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the~~ Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio on the 1 day of July, anno Domini 1903 and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Benjamin Ferritto  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2093 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 31 day of January, 1927  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Benjamin Ferritto  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Michael Benedict, occupation laborer, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 and Anthony De Marco, occupation shipbuilder, residing at " "  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Benjamin Ferritto, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of January, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of January, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Michael Benedict  
 (Signature of witness.)

Anthony De Marco  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 31 day of January, anno Domini 1927

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

Benjamin Ferrito  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed Jan 31, 1927

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Benjamin Ferrito

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

Leonida A. Karned, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Benjamin Ferrito, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

W. H. Sturges, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494146, issued on the 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

Mary, born May 27 - 1927

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

JAN 26 1927  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Rainnie, Mary

Date of arrival for permanent admission: May 22, 1910

Manner of arrival:

Columbia

FEB 2 1927

DISTRICT DIRECTOR

CLEVELAND, OHIO.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

Issue No. 337407



Commissioner of Naturalization.



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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

CLEVELAND, OHIO.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula, County, Ohio.

I, Mary Sinclair Rainnie, aged 24 years,  
occupation Nurse, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion light, height 5 feet 7½ inches,  
weight 120 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes grey,  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Stonehaven Scotland  
on the 13th day of December, anno Domini 1899; I now reside  
at 6 Marian Place, Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Glasgow, Scotland  
on the vessel Columbia (Anchor Line); my last  
foreign residence was Stonehaven, Scotland; I am not married; ~~the name~~

~~of my [wife] is~~; ~~[she] was born at~~  
~~and now resides at~~

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V, King of Great  
Britain & Ireland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 21 day  
of May, anno Domini 1910; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith

to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Mary Sinclair Rainnie*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 24th day of Sept., anno Domini 1927

[SEAL]

*G. H. Pontius*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Pauline C. Syles*, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Mary Sinclair Rainnie hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is 6 Marion Place, Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Nurse  
 Third. I was born on the 13th day of December, anno Domini 1899, at Stonehaven, Scotland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Glasgow, Scotland, on or about the 14th day of May  
 anno Domini 1910, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 21st day of May  
 anno Domini 1910, on the vessel Columbia (Anchor Line)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 24th day of Sept., anno Domini 1924  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County  
 Sixth. I am not married. My wife's name is \_\_\_\_\_; she was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_  
 at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
 I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each said children is as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Her Majesty the King of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas Emperor of India of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 23 day of May, anno Domini 1910, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 1st day of Sept., anno Domini 1924, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_ and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Mary Sinclair Rainnie  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2274 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 10 day of Feb., 1927  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula Ohio. } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Mary Sinclair Rainnie  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Mrs Jessie S. Mygatt, occupation Housewife, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and Mary E. Shaylor, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Mary Sinclair Rainnie, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Jessie S. Mygatt  
 (Signature of witness.)

Mary E. Shaylor  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 10th day of Feb., anno Domini 1927

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Filed Feb 10, 1927

Mary Sinclair Raimie  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George the V. the King of Great Britain & Ireland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927  
Mary Sinclair Raimie  
Lorena A. Kerner, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Mary Sinclair Raimie, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Sh. T. Tarrant, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494/48, issued on the 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

FEB 7 1927

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien:

Petrasz, Filip

Date of arrival for permanent admission:

April 4, 1909

Manner of arrival:

Volturno

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

Issue No. 344233



Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Philip Petrash, aged 37 years,  
occupation Farmer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 5 inches,  
weight 145 pounds, color of hair Black, color of eyes Blue  
other visible distinctive marks None

I was born in Minsk, Russia  
on the 21 day of August, anno Domini 1883; I now reside  
at Rome, Ohio

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Rotterdam, Holland  
on the vessel Walturmo; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Minsk, Russia; I am un married; the name  
of my wife is Vara; she was born at Minsk, Russia  
and now resides at Rome, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Russia or any independent  
State within the bounds of the former Russian Empire, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the (cannot remember) day  
of March, anno Domini 1909; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD.

Philip Petrash  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 27 day of September, anno Domini 1921

[SEAL]

A. H. Pontius

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By Katherine G. Marvin, Deputy Clerk.



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CLEVELAND, OHIO  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

No. 1119

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio

The petition of Philip Petrash hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is Rome, Ohio, R. F. D. 1 (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Farmer

Third. I was born on the 21st day of August, anno Domini 1883, at Minsk Russia

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Rotterdam Holland, on or about the 21st day of March anno Domini 1909, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 4th day of April anno Domini 1909, on the vessel Volturno

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 27 day of September, anno Domini 1921 at Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Varsa; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 3 day of December, anno Domini 1894 at Minsk Russia, and now resides at R. F. D. 1, Rome, Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have 3 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Sophia born 3rd of April 1917 at West Va.  
Paul born 5th day of April 1913 at New York  
Phillip born 23rd of August 1923 at West Va. all reside at Rome Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The State of Russia of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 4 day of March, anno Domini 1909, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 12 day of February, anno Domini 1919, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Philip Petrash  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 1991 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 14 day of February, 1927

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor"

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Philip Petrash  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Joe Bogdan, occupation Farmer, residing at Rome, Ohio  
and George Brudzky, occupation ", residing at Rome, Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Philip Petrash, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Joseph Bogdan  
(Signature of witness.)

Geo. Brudzky  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 14th day of February, anno Domini 1927 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Furbine C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Philip Petrash

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed Feb 14, 1927

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the State of Russia of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Philip Petrash

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

Leonida A. Kamen, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Philip Petrash, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chas. H. Taugher, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from, 19, to, 19, Continued from, 19, to, 19,

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

, occupation, residing at, occupation, residing at

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494139, issued on the 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK FEB 7 1927

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Robertson, James

Date of arrival for permanent admission: April 19, 1920

Manner of arrival: Kaiserin Auguste Victoria

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:



Commissioner of Naturalization.

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**344563**

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No. 2166

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

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The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, James Gray Kerr Robertson, aged 26 years,  
occupation Shipbuilder, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color White, complexion Fresh, height 5 feet 7½ inches,  
weight 138 pounds, color of hair Brown, color of eyes Brown  
other visible distinctive marks None

I was born in Aberdeen, Scotland  
on the 6 day of August, anno Domini 1897; I now reside  
at 487 Harbor St., Conneaut, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England  
on the vessel Kaiserin Auguste Victoria; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Aberdeen, Scotland; I am un married; the name  
of my wife is Margaret; she was born at Aberdeen  
and now resides at Aberdeen

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V. King of Great  
Britain and Ireland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 20 day  
of April, anno Domini 1920; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

James Gray Kerr Robertson  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 15 day of November, anno Domini 192 3.

[SEAL]

A. H. Pontius

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Emma C. Miller, Deputy Clerk.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF LABOR RELATIONS  
WASHINGTON, D. C.  
FEB 2 1927  
RECORDS SECTION

No. 1120

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of James Gray Kerr Robertson hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is 163 Carnegie Street, Conneaut, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Lorry Car Operator - Ore unloading Machine

Third. I was born on the 6th day of August, anno Domini 1897, at Aberdeen, Scotland

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool, England, on or about the 10th day of April,  
anno Domini 1920, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 19th day of April,  
anno Domini 1920, on the vessel Kaisersin Aguste Victoria  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 13th day of November, anno Domini 1923  
at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My wife's name is Margaret Herrard; she was born on the 11 day of March, anno Domini 1897  
at Aberdeen, Scotland, and now resides at 163 Carnegie St, Conneaut, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have two children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Stanley Robertson, born on the 18th day of May, 1917, at Aberdeen, Scotland, and now resides at 163 Carnegie St, Conneaut, Ohio  
Margaret Isobel, born on the 13th day of September, 1920 at Aberdeen, Scotland, and now resides at 163 Carnegie St, Conneaut, Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V, King of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, Emperor of India of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 19th day of April, anno Domini 1920, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 21st day of April, anno Domini 1920, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

J. J. K. Robertson  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2166 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 14th day of February, 1927  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

J. J. K. Robertson  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Alexander Coultts, occupation Machine Operator, residing at 160 14th St, Conneaut, Ohio  
and Robert Miller, occupation machinist, residing at 416 Washington St, Conneaut, Ohio  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_

James Gray Kerr Robertson, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of February, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of February, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Alexander Coultts  
(Signature of witness.)  
Robert Miller  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 14th day of February, anno Domini 1927 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.



Filed Feb 14, 1927

James Gray Kerr Robertson  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V the King of Great Britain and Ireland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

James Gray Kerr Robertson

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

Loonelia A. Kameel, Clerk.

NOTE--In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of James Gray Kerr Robertson, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 536), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Charles S. Tarrant, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from, 19, to, 19, Continued from, 19, to, 19,

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

, occupation, residing at, occupation, residing at

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494140, issued on the 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

FEB 10 1921

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Estefan, Stefan

Date of arrival for permanent admission: September 21, 1921

Manner of arrival: Baltic

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:



Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

7401

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } SS: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Stefan Estefan, aged 28 years,  
occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion Fair, height 5 feet 8 inches,  
weight 160 pounds, color of hair dk brown, color of eyes Hazel  
other visible distinctive marks None

I was born in Bortrogszerdahely, Czecho-Slovak,  
on the 19 day of August, anno Domini 1893; I now reside  
at 72 Martin St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England  
on the vessel Baltic; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Cergor, Czecho-Slovak; I am not married; the name  
of my wife is \_\_\_\_\_; she was born at \_\_\_\_\_

and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Czecho-Slovak Republic  
and Hungary, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 23 day  
of September, anno Domini 1921; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Stefan Estefan  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 28 day of September, anno Domini 1921.

[SEAL]

A. H. Pontius

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Katherine G. Marvin, Deputy Clerk.

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L. SIMON DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO,  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

No. 1121

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Stefan Estefan hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 35 Elmer St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is blacksmith  
 Third. I was born on the 19 day of August, anno Domini 1893, at Portogrodokely, Czechoslovakia  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool, England, on or about the 10 day of September  
 anno Domini 1921, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 21 day of September  
 anno Domini 1921, on the vessel Baltic  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 28 day of September, anno Domini 1921  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Mary; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 15 day of June, anno Domini 1901  
 at Niles, Ohio, and now resides at 35 Elmer St. Ashtabula Ohio  
 I have two children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Louise Ella, born June 29, 1924, at Ashtabula, Ohio  
Beatrice Rose, " Feb 6, 1926, " " both residing at Ashtabula, Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Czechoslovak Republic of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 21 day of September, anno Domini 1921, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 23 day of September, anno Domini 1921, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of Ashtabula County Ohio on the day of anno Domini and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Stephen Estefan  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 1993 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 24 day of February, 1927  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States on or before June 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Stephen Estefan  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Nick Corrado, occupation Councilman, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and Frank Vincze, occupation labourer, residing at " "

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Stefan Estefan, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of February, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of February, anno Domini 1922, and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Nick Corrado  
 (Signature of witness.)

Frank Vincze  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 24 day of February, anno Domini 1927

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Hamey, Clerk.  
Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

Filed Feb 24, 1927

Stephen Estefan

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Czechoslovak Republic of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Stephen Estefan

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

Loonnelia A. Kanner, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Stephen Estefan, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chas. T. Sargent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494149, issued on the 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

FEB 17 1927

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Di Giorgio, Pasquale

Date of arrival for permanent admission: August 24, 1920

Manner of arrival: Lafayette

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

Issue No.

350651



Commissioner of Naturalization.



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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, }  
Ashtabula County } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Pasquale De George, aged 28 years,

occupation Shoemaker, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color White, complexion Dark, height 5 feet 8 inches, weight 156 pounds, color of hair Black, color of eyes Brown, other visible distinctive marks S mall scar on right side of forehead

I was born in Arbruzzi, Italy on the 6th day of February, anno Domini 1894; I now reside at 42 Farrington St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Havre, France on the vessel La Fayette; my last

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

foreign residence was Collecovino, Italy; I am married; the name of my wife is Caroline; she was born at Collecovino, Italy and now resides at Collecovino, Italy.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the State of New York, on or about the 26 day of August, anno Domini 1920; I am not an anarchist; I am not a

polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME, GOD.

+ Pasquale De George  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 30 day of Mch., anno Domini 1922.

[SEAL]

*Attest*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk.

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DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE  
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

FEB 14 1927

NATIONAL REVENUE SERVICE  
HILL BUILDING

No. 1122

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Pasquale De George hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is 245 West St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Shoemaker

Third. I was born on the 6th day of February, anno Domini 1894, at Abruzzi, Italy

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Havre, France, on or about the 17 day of August,  
anno Domini 1920, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 24 day of August,  
anno Domini 1920, on the vessel La Fayette  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 30th day of March, anno Domini 1922  
at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Jefferson, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Caroline; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 24 day of January, anno Domini 1898  
at Collecovino, Italy, and now resides at 245 West St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have four children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Harvey De George, born on the 6th day of December, 1920 at Collecovino, Italy.  
Carmela De George, born on the 3rd day of October, 1923, at Ashtabula, Ohio.  
Renzo De George, born on the 12th day of December, 1924 at Ashtabula, Ohio.  
Rodolfo Valentino De George, born on the 25th day of September, 1926, at Ashtabula, Ohio.  
All reside at Ashtabula, Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy, of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 24th day of August, anno Domini 1920, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 6th day of September, anno Domini 1920, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Pasquale De George  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2036 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 2nd day of March, 1927  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Pasquale De George  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

James A. Surano, occupation Ins. Agt., residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
and Nick Corrado, occupation Merchant, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Pasquale De George, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of March, anno Domini 1927, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of March, anno Domini 1927; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Nick Corrado  
(Signature of witness.)  
James A. Surano  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 2nd day of March, anno Domini 1927 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
By Helena Cox, Deputy Clerk.

Pasquale De George  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed March 2, 1927

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Pasquale De George

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

Cornelia A. Harner, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Pasquale De George, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chas. T. Ferguson, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494141, issued on the 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor, stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

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This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Sardella, Giampietro

Date of arrival for permanent admission:

Manner of arrival: Nieuw Amsterdam

FEB 23 1927

DISTRICT DIRECTOR

Nov. 17, 1920  
ELLIS ISLAND, OHIO.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

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**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof.**

The State of Ohio }  
Ashtabula County, } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Pietro Sardello, do declare that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 29 inches,  
weight 125 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes brown,  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Penne, Italy  
on the 23 day of March, anno Domini 1883; I now reside  
at 19 Elmer St., Ashtabula, Ohio,  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Bauligno Salmer, France  
on the vessel New Amsterdam,  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
foreign residence was Penne Italy; I am married; the name  
of my wife is Antonietta; she was born at Penne, Italy  
and now resides at Penne, Italy.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of  
Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York,  
State of New York, on or about the 1st day  
of November, anno Domini 1920;

I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Pietro Sardello*

(Original signature of declarant.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 5th day of October, anno Domini 19 23

[SEAL]

A. H. Pontius,

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

A true certified copy of original declaration of intention furnished under authority of the Bureau of Naturalization Regulations in accordance with letter of the Bureau of Naturalization dated December 28, 1920, file number 253781-2157, this 5th day of February, 1921.

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.



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No. 1123

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
The petition of Pietro Sardella hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is 27 Elmer St. Ashtabula Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is laborer

Third. I was born on the 23 day of March, anno Domini 1893, at Perne, Italy

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Bauligno, France, on or about the 24 day of October  
anno Domini 1920, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 17 day of November  
anno Domini 1920, on the vessel New Amsterdam  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 5 day of October anno Domini 1923  
at Jefferson Ohio in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Antonietta, <sup>(she)</sup> ~~(he)~~ was born on the 16 day of August, anno Domini 1901  
at Perne, Italy, and now resides at 27 Elmer St. Ashtabula Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have two children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Gilda, born Dec. 15, 1921 at Perne, Italy  
Rivio, " Aug. 6, 1924 at Ashtabula Ohio, both residing at  
Ashtabula Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 17 day of November, anno Domini 1920, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 20 day of November, anno Domini 1920, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the~~ Court of  
at on the day of anno Domini and the  
said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit  
and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Pietro Sardella  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2157 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 2 day of March, 1927  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Pietro Sardella  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

J. A. Purano, occupation insurance agent, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
and Nick Corrado, occupation merchant, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
each being severally duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known

Pietro Sardella, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of February, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of February, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

James A. Purano  
(Signature of witness.)

Nick Corrado  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 2 day of March, anno Domini 1927

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Hamer, Clerk.  
Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

Pietro Sardello

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed March 2, 1927

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Pietro Sardello

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

Loonelia A. Kamen, Clerk.

NOTE--In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Pietro Sardello, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chas. T. Tarrant, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of, 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from, 19, to, 19, Continued from, 19, to, 19,

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

, occupation, residing at, , occupation, residing at

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494142 issued on the 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

Savella Sardella Oct 1-1927

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK FEB 18 1927

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Smegal, Franz

Date of arrival for permanent admission: November 4, 1912.

Manner of arrival: Laconia

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:



Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

 Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Frank Smegal, aged 36 years,  
occupation Farmer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion light; height 5 feet 4 inches,  
weight 145 pounds, color of hair light, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Blagorodovic, Jugoslavia  
on the 25 day of November, anno Domini 1887; I now reside  
at Pierpont, Ohio

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Havre, France  
on the vessel Laconia; my last

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

foreign residence was Blagorodovic, Jugoslavia; I am un married; the name  
of my <sup>wife</sup> ~~husband~~ is Johana; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born at Blagorodovic, Jugoslavia  
and now resides at Pierpont, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to  
the Kingdom of the Serbs, Croats and Slovenes, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 4 day  
of November, anno Domini 1912; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Frank Smegal  
(Original signature of declarant)

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 6 day of September, anno Domini 192 4.

A. H. Postrie  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Emma C. Miller, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 11241124

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio.  
 The petition of Frank Smegal hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is Pierpont, Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is Farmer  
 Third. I was born on the 25th day of November, anno Domini 1887, at Blagoderov Austria now Jugoslava  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from France, on or about the 25 day of October anno Domini 1912, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 4th day of November anno Domini 1912, on the vessel Lionia  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 6th day of September, anno Domini 1924 at Jefferson in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Johana Smegal; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 2nd day of February, anno Domini 1895 at Blagoderov Jugoslava, and now resides at Pierpont Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 I have 4 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Robert Smegal born 21st day of September 1913 at Columbus Ohio resides at Pierpont  
Paul John Smegal born 24th day of October 1917 at Akron, Ohio resides at Pierpont  
Edward Joe Smegal born 16th day of March 1919 at Pierpont Ohio resides at Pierpont  
Frank Arthur Smegal born 6th day of September 1920 at Pierpont Ohio resides at Pierpont

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Kingdom of the Serbs the Croats & Slovenes of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 4th day of November, anno Domini 1912, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 6th day of November, anno Domini 1912, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the~~ Court of ~~at~~ on the ~~day of~~ anno Domini ~~1~~, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit ~~and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Frank Smegal  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2272 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 3rd day of March, 1927  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Frank Smegal  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

John Carr, occupation Farmer, residing at Pierpont Ohio  
 and Andy Brewer, occupation Farmer, residing at Pierpont Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Frank Smegal, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition since the 1st day of March, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of March, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

John A. Carr  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Andrew Brewer  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 3rd day of March, anno Domini 1927 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.



Frank Smegal  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed March 3, 1927

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Alexander I the King of the Serbs, Croats and Slovenes of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Frank Smegal

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

Conrad A. Barnes, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Frank Smegal, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Shas. A. Hargrett, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of, and the motion of, for the United States in open Court this day of, 19, it appearing that,

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from, 19, to, 19, Continued from, 19, to, 19,

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

, occupation, residing at, , occupation, residing at,

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494150, issued on the 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK FEB 18 1927

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Clayton, Mary

Date of arrival for permanent admission: April 19, 1920

Manner of arrival: Kaiserin Auguste Victoria

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:



Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Mary Elizabeth Brockhurst hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 110 South St. Ashtabula, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Housewife  
 Third. I was born on the 24th day of June, anno Domini 1899, at Burslem, Staffs, England  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool, England, on or about the 10th day of April,  
 anno Domini 1920, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 19th day of April,  
 anno Domini 1920, on the vessel Kaiserin Augusta Victoria  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 22nd day of October,  
 at United District of Ohio, anno Domini 1922, Court of Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My wife's name is Albert; he was born on the 9th day of March, anno Domini 1897,  
 at England and now resides at 110 South St. Ashtabula, Ohio  
 I have 3 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Arline born 25th day of Oct 1920 at Ashtabula, Ohio  
Albert born 9th day of February 1922 at Burslem, England  
Marjorie born 12th day of September 1924 at Ashtabula, Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George King of the United Kingdom of Great Britain of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. before the sea Emperor of India.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of three years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 25th day of June, anno Domini 1923, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 25th day of June, anno Domini 1923, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the Court of Ohio, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

none required

Mary Elizabeth Brockhurst  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. \_\_\_\_\_ and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Mary Elizabeth Brockhurst  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Gene Force occupation Housewife residing at 100 South St Ashtabula, Ohio  
 and Alta Garrison occupation \_\_\_\_\_ residing at 103 " " " "

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Mary Elizabeth Brockhurst the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 12th day of July, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 12th day of July, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Gene Force  
(Signature of witness.)

Alta Garrison  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 4 day of March, anno Domini 1927 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Paulina C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Mary Elizabeth Brockhurst  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed March 4, 1927

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V the King of Great Britain and Ireland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Mary Elizabeth Brockhurst

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

Conilia A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Mary Elizabeth Brockhurst and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Christie Stewart, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2736701, issued on the 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

No. 1126

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Mrs. Sarah Butler hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is 486 Harbor St. Conneaut Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Housewife  
 Third. I was born on the 11th day of December, anno Domini 1889, at Clifford Smiths Sound Newfoundland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from St. Johns Newfoundland, on or about the 16th day of August  
 anno Domini 1917, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Yonkers New York, on the 28th day of August  
 anno Domini 1917, on the vessel Florizel  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the none required day of none required, anno Domini 1  
 at \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_  
 Sixth. I am married. My ~~wife's~~ <sup>husband's</sup> name is Frederick; ~~she~~ <sup>he</sup> was born on the 21 day of January, anno Domini 1889  
 at Port-Reston Newfoundland, and now resides at 486 Harbor St. Conneaut Ohio  
 I have 2 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Frederick A. W. Butler born 25 day of Sept 1920 at Conneaut Ohio  
Margaret Mara born 15th day of January 1922 at Conneaut Ohio.

Both reside at Conneaut Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V King of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas Emperor of India of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 28th day of August, anno Domini 1917, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 3rd day of November, anno Domini 1919, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_ and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Mrs Sarah Butler  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. \_\_\_\_\_ and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States on or before June 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Mrs Sarah Butler  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Emil Johnson, occupation merch ant, residing at Conneaut Ohio  
 and Frederick Butler, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Mrs Sarah Butler, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Emil Johnson  
(Signature of witness.)  
Frederick Butler  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 14 day of March, anno Domini 1927 [SEAL]

Cornelia C. Warner, Clerk.  
Laurence C. Style, Deputy Clerk.

Sarah Butler

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed March 14, 1927

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V the King of Great Britain & Ireland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Sarah Butler

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

Loonelia A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Sarah Butler, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chas. J. Ferguson, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

Margaret Reiners, occupation housewife, residing at Conneaut Ohio

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2736702 issued on the 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

Petition No. 1126

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

Court \_\_\_\_\_ Lyon Pleas Court of \_\_\_\_\_ Ashta Co. O.

In the matter of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ Sarah Buller \_\_\_\_\_ to be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

The State of Ohio }  
Ashtabula } ss:

Margaret Reiners \_\_\_\_\_, occupation housewife \_\_\_\_\_, residing at Lorment O.  
and \_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, the petitioner above mentioned, to be a resident of the United States for a period of at least 8 years continuously immediately  
preceding the date of filing his petition, and of the <sup>State</sup> Territory in which the above-entitled application is made for a period of 8 years immediately preceding  
the date of filing his petition; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the  
United States, and that he is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Margaret Reiners

[AFFIX SEAL.]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4 day of October, anno Domini 1927

Loumelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By \_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.



**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION  
CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

**NATURALIZATION DIVISION RECEIVED**  
**MAR 27 1921**  
**DISTRICT DIRECTOR**  
**OLIVER B. BLISS, CHIEF**  
**DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**  
**FEB 27 1921**

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Pasqualini, Domenico

Date of arrival for permanent admission: May 24, 1921

Manner of arrival: Pannonia

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:



Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof.**

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Dominico Pasqualone, aged 33 years,  
occupation fireman, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion light, height 5 feet 6 inches,  
weight 120 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes grey,  
other visible distinctive marks none.

I was born in Collecervino, Italy  
on the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1891; I now reside  
at 20 Woodlong St., Geneva, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy  
on the vessel Pannonia  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
foreign residence was Collecervino, Italy; I am un married; the name  
of my wife is Antonetta; she was born at Collecervino, Italy  
and now resides at Collecervino, Italy

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to  
Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 24th day  
of May, anno Domini 1921; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD.

Domenico Pasqualone  
Domenico Pasqualone  
(Original signature of declarant.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 7th day of June, anno Domini 1924

[SEAL]

A. H. Pontius

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Domenico Pasqualone hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 19 Kate St. Geneva Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is pressman  
 Third. I was born on the 13 day of January, anno Domini 1891, at Collecovino, Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples, Italy, on or about the 11 day of May  
 anno Domini 1921, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 24 day of May  
 anno Domini 1921, on the vessel Pannonia (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 7 day of June, anno Domini 1924  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married: My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Antonietta; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 15 day of June, anno Domini 1899  
 at Collecovino, Italy, and now resides at Collecovino, Italy (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 I have 3 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Carina, born July 9, 1918, at Collecovino, Italy  
Giuseppe, " Aug. 20, 1919, " " "  
Clinetta, " April 26, 1925, " " "  
 all residing at Collecovino, Italy

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 24 day of May, anno Domini 1921, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 26 day of May, anno Domini 1924, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I had a petition for citizenship filed in the Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio, on the 15th day of March, 1927, and the same was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes to wit:~~ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Domenico Pasqualone  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2250 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 15 day of March, 1927  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Domenico Pasqualone  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

John Carcell, occupation pressman, residing at Geneva, Ohio  
 and M. W. Randall, occupation lineman, residing at Geneva, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Domenico Pasqualone the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of March, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of March, anno Domini 1922, and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

M. W. Randall  
 (Signature of witness.)  
John Carcell  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 15 day of March, anno Domini 1927 [SEAL]

Cornelia J. Warner, Clerk.  
 By Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

Filed March 15, 1927

Domenico Pasqualone  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Domenico Pasqualone

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 17 day of April, A. D. 1928

Leonella A. Kramer, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Domenico Pasqualone, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 17 day of April, A. D. 1928

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chas. J. Ferguson, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from Oct. 4, 1927 to April, 1928 for Study  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2736716, issued on the 17 day of April, A. D. 1928

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(For use of aliens arriving in United States after June 29, 1906. To be issued immediately prior to petitioning for naturalization.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE**

OFFICE OF COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION  
AT BOSTON, MASS. FEB 28 1927

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived at the port indicated, on the date and in the manner described below, viz:

Name of alien:

*Abraham Cohen*

Port of entry:

BOSTON, MASS.

Date of arrival:

*Feb. 5, 1908*

Name of vessel:\*

*S.S. Cymric**Anna C. M. Tilghast**D-8*

(Title)

COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION.*M. S.*

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio }  
Ashtabula County } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County

I, Abraham Cohen, aged 32 years,

occupation Merchant, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color white, complexion light, height 5 feet 3 inches, weight 128 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes grey, other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Upina, Russia on the 1st day of August, anno Domini 1890; I now reside at 19 Walnut St., Ashtabula Ohio

(Give number, street, city or town, and State)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England on the vessel Cymric; my last

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was London England; I am married; the name of my wife is Katie; she was born at Russia and now resides at 19 Walnut St., Ashtabula, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Lithuania, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Boston, in the State of Massachusetts, on or about the 5th day of February, anno Domini 1908; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD.  
*Abraham Cohen*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 24 day of April, anno Domini 1923

[SEAL]

*A. H. Pontius*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Pauline C. Styles*, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Abraham Cohen hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 94 Walnut St. Ashtabula Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is merchant  
 Third. I was born on the 1 day of August, anno Domini 1890, at Upina, Russia  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Riverpool, England, on or about the 25 day of January  
 anno Domini 1908, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Boston, Mass., on the 5 day of February  
 anno Domini 1908, on the vessel Cymric  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 24 day of April, anno Domini 1923  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Katie; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 10 day of June, anno Domini 1892  
 at Russia, and now resides at 94 Walnut St. Ashtabula Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 I have two children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
William, born July 27, 1914 at Cleveland, Ohio  
Sylvia, " Jan 29, 1917, " " both residing at Ashtabula Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Lithuania of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 5 day of February, anno Domini 1908, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 10 day of April, anno Domini 1921, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the~~ Court of ~~Ohio~~ ~~and the~~ ~~said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit:~~ ~~and the cause of each denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Abraham Cohen  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2118 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 18 day of March, 1927  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1908, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Abraham Cohen  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Joseph N. Severa, occupation painter, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and Antonio Buonanno, occupation shoemaker, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Abraham Cohen, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of March, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of March, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Antonio Buonanno  
(Signature of witness.)  
Joseph N. Severa  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 18 day of March, anno Domini 1927 [SEAL]

Comelia A. Hamer, Clerk.  
Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

Abraham Lo Chen

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed March 15, 1927

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Republic of Lithuania of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Abraham Lo Chen

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

Loonelia A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Abraham Lo Chen, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chas. B. Sargent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

, occupation, residing at, occupation, residing at

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494138, issued on the 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(For use of aliens arriving in United States after June 29, 1906. To be issued immediately prior to petitioning for naturalization.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE**

OFFICE OF the Commissioner

Montreal, Canada.

**MAR 8 - 1927**

AT \_\_\_\_\_

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived at the port indicated, on the date and in the manner described below, viz:

Name of alien:

*Luis Polog*

Port of entry:

*Port. N. D.*

Date of arrival:

*March 1-1922*

Name of vessel:\*

*Can. Pac. Ry.*

Line

**H. R. LAND**

U. S. Commissioner

(Title)

*Robert M. Charles*  
Inspector in Charge, Statistical Division

*Permanently Admitted*

*JH*

\*Or railroad company, or any other conveyance.

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE

TRIPLICATE  
[To be given to the person making  
the Declaration.]

No. 2306  
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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Louis Balog, aged 38 years, occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 6 inches, weight 150 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes brown, other visible distinctive marks None.

I was born in Andresfelva, Bukovina, Roumania, on the 19th day of August, anno Domini 1886; I now reside at 49 Bell St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Northport, Canada, on the vessel Nickel Plate R. R.

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

foreign residence was Kipling Saskatchewan, Canada; I am married; the name of my wife is Anna; she was born at Roumania and now resides at 49 Bell St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V., King of Great Britan & Ireland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Ashtabula, in the State of Ohio, on or about the 2nd day of March, anno Domini 1922; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD.

*Louis Balog*  
(Original signature of declarant)

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[SEAL] DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO.  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 2nd day of March, anno Domini 1922

*A. H. Pontius*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Pauline C. Style*, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1129

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Louis Balog hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is 19 Baker St. Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Window Cleaner  
 Third. I was born on the 19th day of August, anno Domini 1886, at Andresfelwa Bukovina Romania  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Northport Canada on or about the 1st day of March  
 anno Domini 1921, and arrived in the United States at the port of Ashtabula Ohio, on the 2nd day of March  
 anno Domini 1921, on the vessel Can. Pacific Ry.  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 2nd day of March, anno Domini 1925  
 at Jefferson, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Mary; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 15 day of March, anno Domini 1879  
 at Possony Hungary, and now resides at Ashtabula Ohio  
 I have 2 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Frank Balog born 10 day of May 1921 at Ashtabula, Ohio  
Mary Balog born 23rd day of December 1925 at Ashtabula, Ohio  
both reside at Ashtabula Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V. King of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominion beyond the Seas Emperor of India of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 1st day of March, anno Domini 1921, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 1st day of March, anno Domini 1921, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Louis Balog  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No 787 2307 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 21 day of March, 1927  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

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### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Louis Balog  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Theodore E. Warren, occupation Attorney, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and Ann Mulcahy, occupation Stenographer, residing at " " " "  
 each being severally, duly and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_

Louis Balog the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of March, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of March, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Theodore E. Warren  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Ann Mulcahy  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 21st day of March, anno Domini 1927 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Style, Deputy Clerk.

Louis Balog

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed March 21, 1927

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V the King of Great Britain + Ireland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Louis Balog

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

Louella A. Kramer, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Louis Balog, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Sherrill T. Tarrant, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

, occupation, residing at, occupation, residing at

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 249427, issued on the 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION  
CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK**

NATURALIZATION DIVISION  
MAR 23 1913  
MAR 2 1913  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Kahn, Julius

Date of arrival for permanent admission: May 11, 1913

Manner of arrival: Campania

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Julius Kahne, aged 31 years,  
occupation Merchant, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion medium, height 5 feet 8 inches,  
weight 195 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Sulzberg, Baden, Germany  
on the 23 day of July, anno Domini 1893; I now reside  
at 181 Main St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England  
on the vessel Lusitania; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Lorrach, Baden, Germany; I am unmarried; the name  
of my {wife} is Augusta; {she} was born at Ashtabula, Ohio.  
and now resides at 181 Main St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The German Empire,  
of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 13th day  
of May, anno Domini 1913; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Julius Kahne  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
Court this 5th day of June, anno Domini 192 4

A. H. Postuis

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Julius Kahne hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 29 Mc Govern ave Ashtabula, Ohio.  
 Second. My occupation is Merchant  
 Third. I was born on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of July anno Domini 1893 at Svezburg Germany  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Southampton England on or about the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of May  
 anno Domini 1913, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of May  
 anno Domini 1913, on the vessel Campania  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of June anno Domini 1924  
 at Jefferson in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My wife's name is Augusta; she was born on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of Feb anno Domini 1891  
 at New York, and now resides at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 I have no children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The German Reich of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 11<sup>th</sup> day of May anno Domini 1913, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 10<sup>th</sup> day of March anno Domini 1916, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Julius Kahne  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2248 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 30 day of March, 1927  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor"

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Julius Kahne  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

A. C. Crosby occupation Banker residing at Ashtabula, Ohio.  
 and Wallace Gerrity occupation Salesman residing at Ashtabula, Ohio.

Julius Kahne the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Wallace Gerrity  
 (Signature of witness.)  
A. C. Crosby  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 30<sup>th</sup> day of March, anno Domini 1927

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
 By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

*Julius Kahne*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *March 30*, 19*27*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the German Reich of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Julius Kahne*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *4* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*27*

*Leonida A. Harner*, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Julius Kahne*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *4* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*27*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Sh. H. Sturgent*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2494134*, issued on the *4* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*27*



No. 2313

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County,

I, Henry Ruff, aged 60 years,  
occupation farmer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 7 inches,  
weight 135 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks scar on right cheek

I was born in Illenschwag, Germany,  
on the 11th day of January, anno Domini 1865; I now reside  
at Windsor, Ohio, (P. O. Middlefield, Ohio)  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Bremen, Germany  
on the vessel Sprague; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

foreign residence was Illenschwag, Germany; I am married; the name  
of my <sup>wife</sup> ~~husband~~ is Caroline; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born at Illenschwag, Germany  
and now resides at Windsor, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to

~~The German Empire~~, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 9th day

of July, anno Domini 1892; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD.

*Henry Ruff*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 6th day of April, anno Domini 1925

[SEAL]

*A. H. Pontuis*  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Louise Norris*, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Henry Ruff hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is Windsor, Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is farmer

Third. I was born on the 11 day of January, anno Domini 1865, at Illenschwang, Germany

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Bremen, Germany, on or about the 9 day of July anno Domini 1892, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 16 day of July anno Domini 1892, on the vessel Sprague (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 6 day of April, anno Domini 1925 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Karolina; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 1 day of August, anno Domini 1877 at Illenschwang, Germany, and now resides at Windsor, Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have 2 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Henry Jr. born July 23, 1895 at Windsor, Ohio  
Ethel, born Oct 9, 1902 at Windsor, Ohio both residing at Windsor, Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The German Reich of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 16 day of July, anno Domini 1892, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 17 day of March, anno Domini 1894, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Henry Ruff  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2313 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 6 day of April, 1927  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Henry Ruff  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

H. D. Hammum, occupation Selector, residing at Jefferson, Ohio  
and E. J. Alderman, occupation Retired farmer, residing at Pulaski, Ohio  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_

Henry Ruff, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

H. D. Hammum  
(Signature of witness.)

E. J. Alderman  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 6th day of April, anno Domini 1927 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Steff, Deputy Clerk.

Henry Ruff  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed April 6, 1927

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the German Reich of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Henry Ruff

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 4 day of October, A. D. 1927

Leonida A. Harner, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Henry Ruff, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 4 day of October, A. D. 1927

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Shaw, Ferguson, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494132, issued on the 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

No. 2314

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County

I, Karolina Wilhelmina Ruff, aged 47 years,  
occupation Housewife, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion Fair, height 5 feet 2 inches,  
weight 145 pounds, color of hair Brown, color of eyes Hazel  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Illenschwang, Germany  
on the 1st day of August, anno Domini 1877; I now reside  
at Windsor, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Bremen, Germany  
on the vessel Ems; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

foreign residence was Illenschwang, Germany; I am unmarried; the name  
of my <sup>wife</sup>husband is Henry; <sup>she</sup>he was born at Illenschwang, Germany  
and now resides at Windsor, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Present Government of  
Germany, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, N. Y., in the  
State of N. Y., on or about the 9th day  
of September, anno Domini 1893;

I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Karolina Wilhelmina Ruff  
(Original signature of declarant)

AMERICAN IMMIGRATION  
OCT 28 1905  
DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 6th day of April, anno Domini 1925.

A. K. Pontius

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Louise Norris, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
The petition of Karolina Ruff hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is Windsor Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is housewife

Third. I was born on the 1st day of August, anno Domini 1877, at Ellenshuwang Germany

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Bremen Germany, on or about the 9th day of September anno Domini 1893, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 19th day of September anno Domini 1893, on the vessel Ems. (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 6th day of April, anno Domini 1925 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Henry; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 11 day of January, anno Domini 1865 at Ellenshuwang Germany, and now resides at Windsor, Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have 2 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Henry Jr. born 23 day of July 1895 at Windsor  
Ester born 9 day of October 1902 at Windsor Ohio both reside at Windsor, Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The German Reich of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 18th day of September, anno Domini 1893, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 4th day of July, anno Domini 1894, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Karolina Ruff  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2314 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 6th day of April, 1927  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Karolina Ruff  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

H. D. Hannum, occupation Detective, residing at Jefferson Ohio  
and E. J. Alderman, occupation Retired farmer, residing at Windsor

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Karolina Wilhelmina Ruff, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

H. D. Hannum  
(Signature of witness.)  
E. J. Alderman  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 6th day of April, anno Domini 1927. [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Shyke, Deputy Clerk.

Carolina Ruff  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed April 6, 1927

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the German Reich of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Carolina Ruff

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 4 day of October, A. D. 1927

Leonelia A. Kamen, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Carolina Ruff, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Charles Sturgis, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494133, issued on the 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927



2210

No. 2210

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Matthew Hrcso, aged 37 years, occupation Farming, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 9 inches, weight 155 pounds, color of hair dark brown, color of eyes brown, other visible distinctive marks Scar at end of right third finger.

I was born in Mekulus, Austria on the 6 day of March, anno Domini 1886; I now reside at RFD # 1, Conneaut, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Bremen, Germany, on the vessel Friedrich d. Grosse; my last foreign residence was Konczka, Austria; I am --- married; the name of my wife is Mary; she was born at Kaykau, Austria and now resides at RFD # 1, Conneaut, Ohio.

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Czechoslovak Republic, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the State of New York, on or about the 26 day of October, anno Domini 1905; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein: SO HELP ME GOD.

*Matthew Hrcso*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 2 day of February, anno Domini 1924.

[SEAL]

*[Signature]*  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By \_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

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No. 1133

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

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To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Matthew Hrcs hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is Conneaut R.D. 2, Monroe Township  
 Second. My occupation is farmer  
 Third. I was born on the 6 day of March, anno Domini 1886, at Mekulus, Austria  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Bremen, Germany, on or about the 11 day of October  
 anno Domini 1905, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 26 day of October  
 anno Domini 1905, on the vessel Friedrich der Grosse  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 2 day of February, anno Domini 1924  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Mary; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 6 day of April, anno Domini 1886  
 at Roykaw, Austria, and now resides at Conneaut Ohio R.D. #2  
 I have 4 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
John, born July 7, 1911, at Greensburg Pa.  
Edward, " Aug. 6, 1913, at Conneaut, Ohio  
Emily, " Oct. 2, 1915 " " "  
Clarence, " Jan. 2, 1920 " " "

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Czechoslovak Republic of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 26 day of October, anno Domini 1905, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 2 day of March, anno Domini 1912, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_ and the said petition was denied by the said court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of each denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Matthew Hrcs  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2210 ~~and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor~~ filed this 11 day of April, 1927  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:  
 The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Matthew Hrcs  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Roy Ring, occupation farmer, residing at Conneaut, Ohio  
 and Isaac Aho, occupation farmer, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Matthew Hrcs, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of April, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of April, anno Domini 1905; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Isaac Aho  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Roy Ring  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 11 day of April, anno Domini 1927

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Forrest S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

*Mathew Hrus*

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *April 11*, 19*27*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Czechoslovak Republic of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Mathew Hrus*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *4* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*27*

*Bohdan A. Warner*, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Mathew Hrus*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *4* day of *October*, A. D. 19*27*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said ~~Mathew Hrus~~, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to ~~Mathew Hrus~~, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Shus. Hrus*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES


\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2736764*, issued on the *4* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*27*

No. 2209

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

 Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Jacob Walla, aged 51 years,  
occupation Farmer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 8 inches,  
weight 175 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes grey  
other visible distinctive marks none.

I was born in Cuoice, Austria now Czechoslovakia  
on the 29th day of April, anno Domini 1872; I now reside  
at Conneaut, Ohio, R. D. 2  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Bremen, Germany  
on the vessel Kaiser Wilhelm II; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Monal Ostrava, Austria; I am \_\_\_\_\_ married; the name  
of my wife is Sophia; she was born at Cuoice, Austria  
and now resides at Conneaut, Ohio, R. D. 2.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Czechoslovak Republic  
of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 17th day  
of July, anno Domini 1903; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Jacob Walla  
(Original signature of declarant)

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 2nd day of February, anno Domini 192 4

Ad. Goutier

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Jacob Walla hereby filed, respectfully showeth:

First. My place of residence is Conneaut, Ohio, R.D. #2, box 143  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is farming

Third. I was born on the 27th day of April, anno Domini 1872, at Cucice, Austria now Czechoslovakia

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Bremen, Germany, on or about the 4th day of July,  
anno Domini 1903, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 17th day of July,  
anno Domini 1903, on the vessel Kaiser Wilhelm II  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 2nd day of February, anno Domini 1924,  
at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Sophia Walla; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 5th day of May, anno Domini 1874  
at Cucice, Austria, and now resides at Conneaut, Ohio, R.D. #2, Box 143  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have six children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Mary Walla, born 6 day of Dec., 1895, at Cucice, Austria. Frances Walla, born  
born 12 day of June, 1899, at Cucice, Austria. Jules Walla, born 8 day of  
April, 1901, at Mar. Horach, John Walla, born 19 day of Dec., 1910,  
at Hannastown, Pa., Sophia Walla, born 8 day of January, 1912, at  
Conneaut, Ohio, and Frank Walla, born 4 day of Aug., 1914, at  
Conneaut, Ohio, all reside at Conneaut, Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Czechoslovak Republic of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 17th day of July, anno Domini 1903, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 4th day of September, anno Domini 1911, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Jacob Walla  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2209 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 11th day of April, 1927  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Jacob Walla  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Roy Ring, occupation farmer, residing at Conneaut, Ohio, R.D. #2  
and Isaac Aho, occupation farmer, residing at Conneaut, Ohio, R.D. #2  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_

Jacob Walla, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of April, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of April, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Isaac Aho  
(Signature of witness.)

Roy Ring  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 11th day of April, anno Domini 1927.

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

[SEAL]

Jacob Walla

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed April 11, 1927

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Czechoslovak Republic of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Jacob Walla

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

Louella A. Kramer, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Jacob Walla, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chas. T. Sargent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

, occupation, residing at, occupation, residing at

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2736703, issued on the 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927



No. 2305

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

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**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, }  
Ashtabula County, } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Angelico Liquori, aged 44 years,  
occupation Housewife, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 3 inches,  
weight 180 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes brown,  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Avvelina, Italy,  
on the 2nd day of November, anno Domini 1880, I now reside  
at 50 Pacific St., Ashtabula, Ohio.  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy,  
on the vessel Neckar,  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Avvelina, Italy; I am un married; the name  
of my <sup>wife</sup> {husband} is Louigi; {he} was born at Italy  
and now resides at Ashtabula, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III,  
King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York,  
State of New York, on or about the 27th day  
of May, anno Domini 1903; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Angelica Liquori  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 23rd day of February, anno Domini 192 5

[SEAL]

A. H. Pontius  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Pauline C. Styler, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1135

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
The petition of Angelica Liguori hereby filed, respectfully showeth:

First. My place of residence is 50 Pacific St. Ashtabula Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is housewife

Third. I was born on the 2 day of November, anno Domini 1880, at Avellina, Italy

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples, Italy, on or about the 11 day of May  
anno Domini 1902, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 27 day of May  
anno Domini 1902, on the vessel Neckar  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 23 day of February, anno Domini 1925  
at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am not married. My ~~wife's~~ <sup>husband's</sup> name is Louis ~~she~~ <sup>he</sup> was born on the 27 day of April, anno Domini 1872  
at Avellina, Italy, and now resides at 50 Pacific St. Ashtabula Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have six children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

<u>Florence</u>	<u>born Oct. 7, 1904</u>	<u>at Ashtabula, Ohio</u>	<u>residing at Lisbon, Ohio</u>
<u>Josephine</u>	<u>Nov. 19, 1906</u>	<u>" " " "</u>	<u>Ashtabula, "</u>
<u>Gene</u>	<u>Nov. 18, 1910</u>	<u>" " " "</u>	<u>" " " "</u>
<u>Angelina</u>	<u>Mar. 25, 1913</u>	<u>" " " "</u>	<u>" " " "</u>
<u>Angelico</u>	<u>Mar. 18, 1914</u>	<u>" " " "</u>	<u>" " " "</u>
<u>Louis</u>	<u>Oct 7 - 1922</u>	<u>" " " "</u>	<u>" " " "</u>

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 27 day of May, anno Domini 1902, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 29 day of May, anno Domini 1902, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~Under petition for citizenship to the~~ Court of ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~ at ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~ on the ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~ day of ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~, anno Domini ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~ and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Angelica Liguori  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2305 ~~and certificate from the Department of Labor~~ filed this 18 day of April, 1927  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Angelica Liguori  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Guy Giannettini, occupation labourer, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
and Louis Giannettini, occupation ", residing at "

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Angelico Liguori, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of April, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of April, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Guy Giannettini  
(Signature of witness.)  
Louis Giannettini  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 18 day of April, anno Domini 1927 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
By Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

Filed April 18, 1927

Angelica Liquori

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Angelica Liquori

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE-In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Angelica Liquori, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Charles T. Fugent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of, 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

, occupation, residing at, occupation, residing at

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494137, issued on the 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(For use of aliens arriving in United States after June 29, 1906. To be issued immediately prior to petitioning for naturalization.)

**Serial No.** 25371805

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE  
OFFICE OF  
COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION**

**NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.**  
Insert the above serial number in the duplicate petition at the point indicated and immediately above the line of the certificate "Declaration of Intention and Certificate of Arrival from the Department of Labor, filed this... day of....., 19...."

ELLIS ISLAND, N. Y., Aug 5,....., 1919

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived at the port indicated, on the date and in the manner described below, viz:

Name of alien: Petito, Pellegrino

Port of entry: New York, N. Y.

Date of arrival: Feb. 19, '09 .

Name of vessel: \* "Konigin Luise"

Line. NGL  
For the Consul General  
A. F. Sherman  
Acting Commissioner

\* Or railroad company or any other conveyance.

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No. 2299

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio }  
Ashtabula County } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Peter Petito, aged 36 years,  
occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 7 inches,  
weight 155 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes brown,  
other visible distinctive marks scar on left side of neck

I was born in San Sossio, Italy  
on the 21 day of August, anno Domini 1888; I now reside  
at 50 Pacific St., Ashtabula, Ohio.  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples Italy,  
on the vessel Koneg Louisa; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was San Soccio, Italy; I am widower married; ~~the name~~

~~of my wife XXXXX~~; ~~she~~  
~~of my husband XXXXX~~; ~~he~~ was born at  
~~and now resides at~~

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to  
Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 19th day  
of February, anno Domini 1909; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Peter Petito*  
(Original signature of declarant)

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 5th day of February, anno Domini 1925

*A. H. Portier*  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Pauline C. Style*, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1134

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Peter Petito hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 500 Pacific St. Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Laborer  
 Third. I was born on the 21 day of August anno Domini 1889, at San Sossio Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples Italy, on or about the 3rd day of February  
 anno Domini 1909, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 19th day of February  
 anno Domini 1909, on the vessel Roney Louisa  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 5th day of February anno Domini 1925  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am not married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name was Amelia; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_  
 at Italy, and now resides at is now deceased  
 I have 1 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Carmin born 8 day of April 1907 at San Sossio Italy resides at Ashtabula

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 19th day of February, anno Domini 1909, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 29 day of December, anno Domini 1910, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_ and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Peter Petito  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2299 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 18th day of April, 1927  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Peter Petito  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Guy Giannettini, occupation Laborer, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and Louis Giannettini, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Peter Petito, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Guy Giannettini  
(Signature of witness.)  
Louis Giannettini  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 18th day of April, anno Domini 1927 [SEAL]

Conelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Filed April 18, 1927

Peter Petito

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Peter Petito

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

Loonelia A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Peter Petito, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Sherrill Sargent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

, occupation, residing at, occupation, residing at

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2736711, issued on the 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

No. 1137

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Joseph Franz Talden hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is 24 Oak Street, Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Sailor

Third. I was born on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of April, anno Domini 1900, at Dioszier, Hungary

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Trieste, Italy, on or about the 9<sup>th</sup> day of November  
anno Domini 1905, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, N. Y., on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of December  
anno Domini 1905, on the vessel Slovania  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of October under the act of May 26, 1906  
at Ashtabula, Ohio in the 1<sup>st</sup> Court of Ashtabula County

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Sophia Maria; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of April, anno Domini 1903  
at Lakota, N. Dakota, and now resides at Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have one child, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows: Robert William, born Oct. 19, 1905 at Ashtabula, Ohio and resides Ashtabula, Ohio.

The statements contained herein constitute the result of the examination of the applicant and his witnesses made by me in accordance with the requirements of the act of May 26, 1906. Entered the military or naval service on Aug. 10, 1917 - served in Art. Co. G 11th Regt. U. S. Marine Corps, was honorably discharged Aug. 11, 1919.  
April 19, 1927 - Paul G. Werner, District Director of Naturalization

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Hungary of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 12<sup>th</sup> day of December, anno Domini 1905, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 12<sup>th</sup> day of December, anno Domini 1919, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the Ashtabula County Court of Ashtabula County at Ashtabula, Ohio, on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of October, anno Domini 1906, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Joseph Franz Talden  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. \_\_\_\_\_ and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_.  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio }  
Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Joseph Franz Talden  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

John Langela, occupation Fisherman, residing at 131 High St. Ashtabula Ohio  
and Julius Sommer, occupation Prattman, residing at 24 Oak St. Ashtabula Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Joseph Franz Talden, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 12<sup>th</sup> day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 12<sup>th</sup> day of January, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

John Langela  
(Signature of witness.)  
Julius Sommer  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 19<sup>th</sup> day of April, anno Domini 1927,

[SEAL]

Amelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Ashtabula, Deputy Clerk.

Joseph Franz Taldler  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed April 19, 1927

**OATH OF ALLEGIANCE**

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Republic of Hungary of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Joseph Franz Taldler

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 19 day of April, A. D. 1927.

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
by Asst. Sec. Def. C.P.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

**ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER**

Upon consideration of the petition of Joseph Franz Taldler, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 19 day of April, A. D. 1927.

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Joseph P. Ramsey, Judge.

**ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION**

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

**MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES**

**REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE**

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

**NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES**

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494124, issued on the 19 day of April, A. D. 1927

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(For use of aliens arriving in United States after June 29, 1906. To be issued immediately prior to petitioning for naturalization.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE**OFFICE OF Inspector in Charge,  
AT Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived at the port indicated, on the date and in the manner described below, viz:

Name of alien: Waino Abraham Pekonen,Port of entry: Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.Date of arrival: Nov. 18, 1913.Name of vessel:\* I.T. Co. (Ferry)

R. H. Brandy Line  
(Title) Inspector in Charge.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio,

I, Waino Abraham Pekonen, aged 32 years,  
occupation Carpenter, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion Light, height 5 feet 11 1/2 inches,  
weight 172 pounds, color of hair light, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Keuru Vasa, Finland  
on the 2nd day of August, anno Domini 1891; I now reside  
at 889 Harbor St., Conneaut, Ohio.  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Cobalt, Canada,  
on the ~~vessel~~ Do not remember R. R.; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Cobalt, Canada,; I am not married; ~~never~~  
~~and now resides at~~ xxxxxx was born at  
~~and now resides at~~

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland.  
of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Sault Sainte Marie, in the  
State of Michigan, on or about the 18th day  
of November, anno Domini 1913; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Waino Abraham Pekonen*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 22nd day of April, anno Domini 1924

[SEAL]

*A. H. Portius*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Pauline C. Styles*, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Waino Abraham Pekonen hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 589 Harbor St. Conneaut Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Sailor  
 Third. I was born on the 2 day of August, anno Domini 1891, at Kuru Vasa, Finland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Sudbury, Ontario, Canada on or about the 18 day of November  
 anno Domini 1913, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Sault Ste Marie, Mich, on the 18 day of November  
 anno Domini 1913, on the vessel S. T. Co. Ferry  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 27 day of April, anno Domini 1924  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am not married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is \_\_\_\_\_; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_  
 at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 18 day of November, anno Domini 1913, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 31 day of May, anno Domini 1919, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Waino Abraham Pekonen  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2231 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 28 day of April, 1927  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio }  
Ashtabula County } ss:  
 The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Waino Abraham Pekonen  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Gwert Ekonen, occupation Painter, residing at 941 Day St. Conneaut, O.  
 and Fred Butler, occupation Merchant, residing at 486 Harbor St. " "  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Waino Abraham Pekonen, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of April, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of April, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Gwert Ekonen  
 (Signature of witness.)

Fred Butler  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 28 day of April, anno Domini 1927 [SEAL]

Bonnie A. Harner, Clerk.

Haino Abraham Pekonen  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed April 25, 1927

**OATH OF ALLEGIANCE**

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Republic of Finland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Haino Abraham Pekonen

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

Boondua A. Karnes, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

**ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER**

Upon consideration of the petition of Haino Abraham Pekonen, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said Haino Abraham Pekonen, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to Haino Abraham Pekonen, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Wm. T. Dwyer, Judge.

**ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION**

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

**MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES**

**REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE**

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

**NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES**

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2736705, issued on the 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

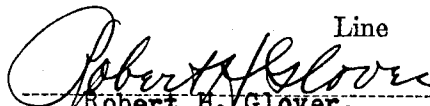
**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(For use of aliens arriving in United States after June 29, 1906. To be issued immediately prior to petitioning for naturalization.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE**OFFICE OF District Director,AT Galveston, Texas, April 5, 1927.

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived at the port indicated, on the date and in the manner described below, viz:

Name of alien: **Vasicek, Josef**Port of entry: **Galveston, Texas**Date of arrival: **August 8, 1913**Name of vessel:\* **SS "Chemnitz"**

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Robert H. Glover,  
(Title) Acting District Director.-----

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Joseph Vasiek, aged 41 years,  
occupation Farmer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion light, height 5 feet 8 1/2 inches,  
weight 150 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes blue,  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Mistek, Bohemia,  
on the 18th day of August, anno Domini 1883; I now reside  
at Jefferson, Ashtabula Co. Ohio. R. D. #6  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Bremen, Germany  
on the vessel Chemie; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Mistek Bohemia; I am married; the name  
of my ~~husband~~ <sup>wife</sup> is Frances Opielava; ~~he~~ <sup>she</sup> was born at Bohemia  
and now resides at Jefferson, Ohio. R. D. #6

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Czechoslovak Republic  
of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Galveston Texas, in the  
State of Texas, on or about the 13th day  
of August, anno Domini 1913; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Joseph Vasiek*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 19th day of March, anno Domini 1925

[SEAL]

*A. H. Pontius*  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Pauline C. Lytle*, Deputy Clerk.

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REGISTERED MAIL SERVICE

No. 1139

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Joseph Vasick hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is Jefferson R. #6, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is farmer  
 Third. I was born on the 18 day of August, anno Domini 1883, at Mistek, Bohemia  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Bremen, Germany on or about the 30 day of July  
 anno Domini 1913, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Galveston, Texas, on the 8 day of August  
 anno Domini 1913, on the vessel Chemnitz  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 19 day of March, anno Domini 1925  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Francesca; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 29 day of November, anno Domini 1882  
 at Mistek, Bohemia, and now resides at Jefferson, Ohio  
 I have one child, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Filomena, born Nov. 25, 1909, at Mistek, Bohemia, residing at Jefferson Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Czechoslovak Republic of whom at this time I am a subject and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 13 day of August, anno Domini 1913, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 15 day of August, anno Domini 1919, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the Court of~~  
~~Ohio, and the said petition was denied by said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit:~~  
~~and the reasons of such denial have since been removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Joe Vasick  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
 Declaration of Intention No. 2308 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 29 day of April, 1927  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:  
 The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Joe Vasick  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
Lawrence Jones, occupation farmer, residing at Jefferson Ohio  
 and Frank Stasny, occupation merchant, residing at Jefferson, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Joseph Vasick, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of April, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of April, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Lawrence Jones  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Frank Stasny  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 29 day of April, anno Domini 1927

By Cornelia A. Harner, Clerk.  
Louise L. Novies, Deputy Clerk.

*Joseph Vasick*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *April 29*, 19*27*

**OATH OF ALLEGIANCE**

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Czechoslovak Republic of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Joseph Vasick*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *29* day of *April*, A. D. 19*29*

*Leonida A. Kramer*, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

**ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER**

Upon consideration of the petition of *Joseph Vasick*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *29* day of *Apr*, A. D. 19*29*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said *Joseph Vasick*, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to *Joseph Vasick*, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Wm. H. Hargrett*, Judge.

**ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION**

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

**MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES**

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

*For Study*  
*Study*  
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**NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES**

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2885764*, issued on the *17* day of *April*, A. D. 19*29*



No. 1140

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Frank Rigo hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 483 Columbus St. Ashtabula, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is riveter  
 Third. I was born on the 4 day of August anno Domini 1899, at Kelesz, Austro-Hungary  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Fiume, Austro-Hungary on or about the 17 day of April  
 anno Domini 1909; and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 7 day of May  
 anno Domini 1909, on the vessel Pannonia  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 14 day of April anno Domini 1925  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Helen; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 25 day of December anno Domini 1893  
 at Ashtabula Ohio, and now resides at 483 Columbus St. Ashtabula Ohio  
 I have 5 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Helen, born March 30, 1914, at Ashtabula, Ohio  
Frank, " October 6, 1916, " " "  
Anna, " January 15, 1918, " " "  
Isabell, " February 6, 1921, " " "  
Miss Elizabeth, born January 4, 1926, at Ashtabula O. all residing at Ashtabula Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 7 day of May, anno Domini 1909, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 8 day of May, anno Domini 1909, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. ~~I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court.~~ (I made petition for citizenship to the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio on the 4 day of June, anno Domini 1920, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit I did not appear when called, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Frank Rigo  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2317 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 5 day of May, 1927.  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Frank Rigo  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Nick Corrado, occupation merchant, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and Pasquale Maouri, occupation riveter, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 each being severally duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Frank Rigo, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of April, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of April, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Nick Corrado  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Pasquale Maouri  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 5 day of May, anno Domini 1927

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Hamer, Clerk.  
 By Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

Frank Rigo

Filed May 5, 1927

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Frank Rigo, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of Frank Rigo and the motion of Mr. Ewing G. Gardner for the United States in open Court this 4 day of October, 1927, it appearing that false testimony was given by applicant

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK FEB 18 1927

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: De Iuliis, Finuccio

Date of arrival for permanent admission: March 27, 1920

Manner of arrival: Duca d' Aosta

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:



Commissioner of Naturalization.

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No. 2153

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas, } Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: } of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Serafino De Iuliis, aged 21 years,  
occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 6 1/2 inches,  
weight 130 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes black  
other visible distinctive marks scar on left cheek.

I was born in Collecovino, Italy  
on the 20 day of April, anno Domini 1902; I now reside  
at 17 Third Street, Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy,  
on the vessel Duca D'Aosta; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Collecovino, Italy; I am not married; ~~the name~~  
~~of my wife is~~; ~~she was born at~~  
~~and now resides at~~

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to  
Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 28 day  
of March, anno Domini 1920; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Serafino De Iuliis*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 5th day of Oct., anno Domini 192 3

[SEAL]

A. H. Portius  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1141

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Serafino De Julis hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 44 Farrington St. Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Pressman Petros Rubber Co.  
 Third. I was born on the 20th day of April anno Domini 1902 at Collevarino Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples Italy on or about the 14th day of March  
 anno Domini 1920, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York on the 27th day of March  
 anno Domini 1920, on the vessel Duca D' Aosta  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 5th day of October anno Domini 1923  
 at Jefferson Ohio in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Elizabeth; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 19th day of October anno Domini 1907  
 at Ashtabula Ohio and now resides at Ashtabula Ohio  
 I have 1 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Gloria born 19 day of Feb. 1927 at Ashtabula resides at Ashtabula Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 28th day of March anno Domini 1920, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 2 day of April anno Domini 1920, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of at on the day of anno Domini 1, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Serafino De Julis  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2153 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 6 day of May 1927  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Serafino De Julis  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

J. A. Turano occupation Ins. Agent residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and Trick Corrado occupation Merchant residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Serafino De Julis the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of May anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of May anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Trick Corrado  
 (Signature of witness.)

J. A. Turano  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 6th day of May anno Domini 1927 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Style, Deputy Clerk.

*Serafino DeJulis*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *May 6*, 19*27*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *Victor Emmanuel III* the *King* of *Italy* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Serafino DeJulis*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *4* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*27*

*Leonilia A. Kanner*, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Serafino DeJulis*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *4* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*27*

~~(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")~~

By the Court:

*Chas. T. Targent*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2494143*, issued on the *5* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*27*



## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

APR 23 1927

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Kubicek, Vladimir

Date of arrival for permanent admission: August 28, 1920

Manner of arrival: Mauretania

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:



Commissioner of Naturalization.

Issue No. 383687

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No. 2230

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

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**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Vladimir Kubicek, aged 19 years,  
occupation Farmer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion light, height 5 feet 7 inches,  
weight 155 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks Scar under chin,

I was born in Uh. Brod, Moravia, Czechoslovakia,  
on the 23 day of December, anno Domini 1904; I now reside  
at Sheffield Township, Kingsville, Ohio.  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Sherbourg,  
on the vessel Mauritania;

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Uh. Brod, Moravia, Czechoslovakia; I am not married; the name  
of my <sup>wife</sup> ~~husband~~ is ---; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born at ---  
and now resides at ---

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Czechoslovak Republic  
of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 28th day  
of August, anno Domini 1920; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein;  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Vladimir Kubicek*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 22nd day of April, anno Domini 1924

[SEAL]

*A. H. Portuis*  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Pauline C. Styles*, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1142

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Vladimir Kubick hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is R. D 2, Kingsville Ohio.  
 Second. My occupation is Farmer  
 Third. I was born on the 23 day of December, anno Domini 1904, at Un Brod Moravia Austria now Czechoslovakia  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Cherbourg France, on or about the 21<sup>st</sup> day of August,  
 anno Domini 1920, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of August  
 anno Domini 1920, on the vessel Mauretania  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of April, anno Domini 1924  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am not married. My wife's name is [blank]; she was born on the [blank] day of [blank], anno Domini [blank]  
 at [blank] and now resides at [blank]  
 I have [blank] children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Czechoslovak Republic of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 28<sup>th</sup> day of August, anno Domini 1920, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of September, anno Domini 1920, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the Court of [blank] on the [blank] day of [blank], anno Domini [blank], and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes to wit [blank] and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that his name be changed to Vladimir Kubick  
Vladimir Kubick  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2230 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 6<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1927  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Vladimir Kubick  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Henry Hardy, occupation Farmer, residing at Kingsville, Ohio,  
 and Howard Cleveland, occupation [blank], residing at Kingsville, Ohio,  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Vladimir Kubick, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of May, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of May, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

H. W. Cleveland  
 (Signature of witness.)  
H. B. [blank]  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 6<sup>th</sup> day of May, anno Domini 1927 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. [blank], Deputy Clerk.

Vladimir Kubicek  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed May 6, 1927

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Czechoslovak Republic of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Vladimir Kubicek

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

Connelia A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Vladimir Kubicek, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said Vladimir Kubicek, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to Vladimir Kubicek, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Charles T. Furgent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2736706, issued on the 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

MAY 4 1927

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Panagiotacus, Ioanni

Date of arrival for permanent admission: November 23, 1916

Manner of arrival: Dante Alighieri

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:



Commissioner of Naturalization.

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No. 6112

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA 9118

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

State of Pennsylvania } In the Common Pleas Court  
County of Erie } ss: of Erie County, Pa.

I, John Panagotocos, aged 21 years, occupation Confectioner, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color ~~white~~ complexion dark, height 5 feet 6 inches, weight 160 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes brown, other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Dafni, Sparta, Greece on the 22nd day of July, anno Domini 1903; I now reside at 626 State St., Erie, Pa.  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Peras, Greece on the vessel unknown; my last

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given) foreign residence was Dafni, Sparta, Greece; I am not married; the name of my {wife} {husband} is \_\_\_\_\_; {she} {he} was born at \_\_\_\_\_ and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the present Government of Greece, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the State of New York, on or about the 23rd day of November, anno Domini 1916; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein: SO HELP ME GOD.

*John Panagotacos*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 13th day of April, anno Domini 1925.

[SEAL]

*James Raymond*  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of John Panagotacos hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 21 Sycamore St. Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is waiter in restaurant  
 Third. I was born on the 22 day of July, anno Domini 1903, at Nafliri, Sparta, Greece  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Pirane, Greece, on or about the 5 day of October  
 anno Domini 1916, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 23 day of November  
 anno Domini 1916, on the vessel Plante Alighieri  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 13 day of April, anno Domini 1925  
 at Erie Pa., in the Common Pleas Court of Erie County Pa.  
 Sixth. I am not married. My wife's name is \_\_\_\_\_; she was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_  
 at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
 I have \_\_\_\_\_ children and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Greek Republic of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 16 day of November, anno Domini 1916, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 15 day of May, anno Domini 1925, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

John Panagotacos  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 6112 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 13 day of May, 1927  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

John Panagotacos  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
John Creamer, occupation clothes, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and C. H. Barnum, occupation jeweler, residing at Ashtabula Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known John Panagotacos, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 15 day of May, anno Domini 1925, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 15 day of May, anno Domini 1925; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

John C. Creamer  
 (Signature of witness.)  
C. H. Barnum  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 13 day of May, anno Domini 1927. [SEAL]

Cornelia G. Barnes, Clerk.  
 By Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

Filed May 13, 1927

John Panagotacos  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Greek Republic of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

John Panagotacos

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

Loonmelis A. Karnes, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of John Panagotacos, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Phas. H. Tugent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494130, issued on the 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

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This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Simone, Luigi

Date of arrival: May 27, 1920

Manner of arrival: Pesaro

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

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Commissioner of Naturalization.

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No. 2138

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, }  
Ashtabula County } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Simone Luigi, aged 28 years,  
occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 6 inches,  
weight 172 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes grey  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Secinaro, Italy  
on the 21st day of June, anno Domini 1895; I now reside  
at 804 Broad St., Conneaut, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy  
on the vessel Pessaro; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Secinaro, Italy; I am un married; the name  
of my wife is Gemma; she was born at Secinaro, Italy  
and now resides at Secinaro, Italy

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King  
of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 27th day  
of May, anno Domini 1920; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Simone Luigi  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 13 day of Aug., anno Domini 19 23

[SEAL]

A. H. Portius

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

REQUEST MADE FOR CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio,  
 The petition of Luigi Simone hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 771 Broad St. Conneaut, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Laborer  
 Third. I was born on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of June, anno Domini 1895, at Secinaro, Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples, Italy, on or about the 9<sup>th</sup> day of May  
 anno Domini 1920, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 27<sup>th</sup> day of May  
 anno Domini 1927, on the vessel Pesaro  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of August, anno Domini 1923  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula Co., Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is was Gemma; <sup>(she)</sup> ~~(he)~~ was born on the 14 day of March, anno Domini 1891  
 at Secinaro, Italy, and now resides at is now deceased  
 I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 27<sup>th</sup> day of May, anno Domini 1920, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of June, anno Domini 1920, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio, on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of February, anno Domini 1926, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit Witness had not known me five years, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Luigi Simone  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2138 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 16<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1927  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States on or before June 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Luigi Simone  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Angelo Mirando, occupation Laborer, residing at Conneaut Ohio  
 and Mike Zizzo, occupation Merchant, residing at Conneaut, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_

Luigi Simone, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of May, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of May, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Mike Zizzo  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Angelo Mirando  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 16<sup>th</sup> day of May, anno Domini 1927

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Luigi Simone  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed May 16, 1927

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Luigi Simone

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

Conelia A. Karnes, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Luigi Simone, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

~~(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")~~

By the Court:

Charles T. Sargent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2736707, issued on the 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(For use of aliens arriving in United States after June 29, 1906. To be issued immediately prior to petitioning for naturalization.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE**

OFFICE OF the Commissioner

*May 6th, 1927.*

AT Montreal, Canada.

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived at the port indicated, on the date and in the manner described below, viz:

Name of alien: *Ignat Toloczko,*

Port of entry: *Saulte St. Marie, Mich.*

Date of arrival: *May 21, 1915.*

Name of vessel:\* *Can Pac Ry.*

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*H. R. LANDIS*  
U. S. Commissioner of Immigration  
*Robert M. Colwell*  
Inspector in Charge, Statistical Division

\*Or railroad company, or any other conveyance.

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No. 2310

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

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**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Ignat Tolochko, aged 53 years,  
occupation Farmer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion light, height 5 feet 3 inches,  
weight 150 pounds, color of hair Dk Brown, color of eyes Grey  
other visible distinctive marks None,

I was born in Podstarine, Russia,  
on the 26th day of January, anno Domini 1872; I now reside  
at R. F. D. 1, Austinburg, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Sudbury, Canada,  
on the ~~vessel~~ R. R. Do not remember name; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Sudbury, Canada; I am unmarried; the name  
of my ~~husband~~ <sup>wife</sup> is Paulina; ~~she~~ <sup>he</sup> was born at Lodinka, Austria,  
and now resides at Austinburg, Ohio,

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to

The Republic of Poland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Sault Ste Marie,  
State of Michigan, on or about the 15th day  
of May, anno Domini 1915; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith

to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Ignat Tolochko  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 27th day of March, anno Domini 1925

[SEAL]

A. H. Pontius  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1145

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio,  
 The petition of Ignat Tolochko hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is Ashtabula Ohio R. D. 1.  
 Second. My occupation is Farmer.  
 Third. I was born on the 26th day of June, anno Domini 1872, at Podstarine, Russia.  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Sudbury Canada, on or about the 14th day of May,  
 anno Domini 1915, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Sault St. Marie, Mich., on the 21st day of May,  
 anno Domini 1915, on the vessel Can Pac. R. R.  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 27th day of March, anno Domini 1925,  
 at Jefferson in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio.  
 Sixth. I am married. My wife's name is Pauline; she was born on the 9th day of May,  
 at Austria, and now resides at Ashtabula Ohio.

I have no children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The State of Russia Republic of Poland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 21st day of May, anno Domini 1915, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 23rd day of May, anno Domini 1915, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Ignat Tolochko  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2310 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 18th day of May, 1927  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Ignat Tolochko  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Harry L. Dikes occupation Merchant residing at Jefferson Ohio  
 and A. E. Shent occupation foreman lumber yards residing at Jefferson Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Ignat Tolochko, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Harry L. Dikes  
 (Signature of witness.)  
A. E. Shent  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 18th day of May, anno Domini 1927 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Amended April 18, 1928

Filed May 15, 1927

Ignat Tolochko  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the State of Russia Poland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Ignat Tolochko

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 17 day of April, A. D. 1928

Connelia A. Karmes Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Ignat Tolochko, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 17 day of April, A. D. 1928

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Christ T. Ferguson, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2736730, issued on the 17 day of April, A. D. 1928



**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**  
**BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION**

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK **MAY 5 1927**

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: **Verdi, Giuseppe**

Date of arrival for permanent admission: **June 29, 1913**

Manner of arrival: **America**

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:



*Commissioner of Naturalization.*

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, }  
Ashtabula County, } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Giuseppe Verdi, aged 30 years,  
occupation Building Contractor, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 1 inches,  
weight 135 pounds, color of hair dark brown, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks scar on right cheek  
I was born in Colleciovino, Italy  
on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of September, anno Domini 1894; I now reside  
at 30 Key St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy  
on the vessel America; my last

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

foreign residence was Colleciovino, Italy; I am not married; ~~the name~~

~~of my~~ wife ~~is~~ Russina ~~was born at~~

~~and now resides at~~

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, the  
King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 30 day  
of June, anno Domini 1913; I am not an anarchist; I am not a

polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Giuseppe Verdi  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 13 day of April, anno Domini 1925

[SEAL]

A. A. Pontius

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Cornelia A. Warner Deputy Clerk.

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DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO.  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

No. 1146

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Giuseppe Verdi hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 243 West St Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Carpenter  
 Third. I was born on the 15th day of September, anno Domini 1894, at Collecovino, Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples, Italy, on or about the 16th day of June  
 anno Domini 1913, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 29th day of June  
 anno Domini 1913, on the vessel America  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 13th day of April, anno Domini 1925  
 at Jefferson, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am not married. My ~~husband's~~ <sup>wife's</sup> name is [redacted]; ~~she~~ <sup>he</sup> was born on the [redacted] day of [redacted], anno Domini 1  
 at [redacted] and now resides at [redacted]  
 I have [redacted] children, and the names, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 1st day of July, anno Domini 1913, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 1st day of July, anno Domini 1913, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship in the Court of [redacted] on the [redacted] day of [redacted], anno Domini [redacted], and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: [redacted] and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Giuseppe Verdi  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2316 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 20th day of May, 1927  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

James A. Turano, occupation Ins Agent, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio,  
 and Nick Corrado, occupation Merchant, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio,  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Giuseppe Verdi, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Nick Corrado  
 (Signature of witness.)  
James A. Turano  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 20th day of May, anno Domini 1927

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Filed May 20, 1927

Giuseppe Verdi  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to King Emmanuel III the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

Giuseppe Verdi  
Loonelia A. Karnes, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Giuseppe Verde, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Stuart T. Sargent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494144 issued on the 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

No. 2302

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio }  
Ashtabula County, } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, George Christakos, aged 26 years,  
occupation Waiter, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 7 inches,  
weight 143 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes brown,  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Levetsova, Lacedemonos, Greece  
on the 14th day of September, anno Domini 1898; I now reside  
at 14 Baker St., Ashtabula, Ohio.  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Gytheion, Greece,  
on the vessel Athene,; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

foreign residence was Levetsova, Lacedemonos, Greece; I am not married; ~~the name~~

~~of my~~ <sup>(wife)</sup> ~~xxxxxxx~~ <sup>(she)</sup> ~~xxxxxxx~~  
~~xxxxxxx~~ <sup>(husband)</sup> ~~xxxxxxx~~ <sup>(he)</sup> ~~xxxxxxx~~  
~~xxxxxxx~~

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The present Government  
of Greece, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 2nd day  
of June, anno Domini 1912; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*George Christakos*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 20th day of Feb., anno Domini 1925

[SEAL]

*A. H. Gontuis*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Pauline C. Styles*, Deputy Clerk.

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## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

MAY 19 1921

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Christakos, Georges

Date of arrival for permanent admission: June 3, 1912

Manner of arrival: Athinaí

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:



Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of George Christos hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 14 Baker St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Waiter in Restaurant  
 Third. I was born on the 4th day of September, anno Domini 1898, at Levetsova, Lacedemonos, Greece  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Gyftion, Greece, on or about the 8th day of May,  
 anno Domini 1912, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 3rd day of June,  
 anno Domini 1912, on the vessel Athene  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 20th day of February, anno Domini 1925  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County  
 Sixth. I am not married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is \_\_\_\_\_; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_  
 at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
 I have ~~children~~ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Greek Republic of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 3rd day of June, anno Domini 1912, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of October, anno Domini 1915, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that his name be changed to George Christos.  
George Christos  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2302 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 31st day of May, 1927  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:  
 The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

George Christos  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
John Creamer, occupation Men's Cloakier, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 and C. H. Barnum, occupation Jeweler, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known George Christos, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of May, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of May, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

John Creamer  
 (Signature of witness.)  
C. H. Barnum  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 31st day of May, anno Domini 1927 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

Filed May 31, 1927

George Christakos  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to \_\_\_\_\_ the Greek Republic of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

George Christakos

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

Corneilia A. Harned, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of George Christakos, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said George Christakos, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to George Christos, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Sherrill T. Targent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494131, issued on the 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(For use of aliens arriving in United States after June 29, 1906. To be issued immediately prior to petitioning for naturalization.)

488-26240.

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

IMMIGRATION SERVICE

OFFICE OF Commissioner

AT Baltimore, Md., May 25, 1927.

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived at the port indicated, on the date and in the manner described below, viz:

Name of alien: Stanislaw Michalowski.

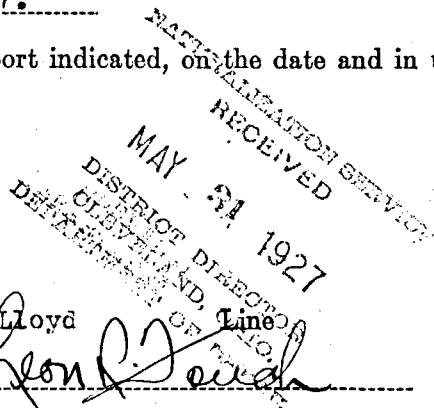
Port of entry: Baltimore, Md.

Date of arrival: August 7, 1913.

Name of vessel:\* "Neckar" North German Lloyd Line

Form 2214 attached,  
District Director of Naturalization,  
Pittsburgh, Pa.

*Leon P. Jouch*  
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(Title) Assistant Commissioner



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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Stanley Micholowski, aged 31 years,  
occupation Car Repairer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 6 inches,  
weight 155 pounds, color of hair light brown, color of eyes blue.  
other visible distinctive marks none.

I was born in Omniany, Poland  
on the 18th day of November, anno Domini 1893; I now reside  
at 514 Madison St., Conneaut, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Bremen Germany,  
on the vessel Aslyn; my last  
foreign residence was Omniany, Poland; I am married; the name  
of my wife Stella; she was born at Dellinville, Ohio.  
and now resides at Conneaut, Ohio.

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Poland  
of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Baltimore, in the  
State of Maryland, on or about the 13th day  
of June, anno Domini 1913; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Stanley Micholowski*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 25 day of May, anno Domini 1925

[SEAL]

*G. H. Portner*

Clerk of the Common Pleas, Court.

By *Pauline C. Styles*, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Stanley Michalowski hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is 514 Madison St. Conneaut, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is car repaired  
 Third. I was born on the 18 day of November, anno Domini 1893 at Okmeniany, Poland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Bremen, Germany, on or about the 28 day of July  
 anno Domini 1913, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Baltimore Md. on the 7 day of August  
 anno Domini 1913, on the vessel Neckar  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 25 day of May, anno Domini 1925  
 at Jefferson Ohio in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Stella; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 1 day of May, anno Domini 1903  
 at Nellsville Ohio, and now resides at 514 Madison St. Conneaut, Ohio  
 I have 3 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Felen, born December 25, 1921, at Alliance, Ohio  
Charles Arthur, " May 19, 1922, at Conneaut Ohio  
Clara Jean, " April 23, 1924, " " " all residing  
 at Conneaut, Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Poland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 7 day of August, anno Domini 1913, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 9 day of August, anno Domini 1913, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_ and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes to wit \_\_\_\_\_~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Stanley Michalowski  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2324 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 7 day of June, 1927

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Stanley Michalowski  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

J. A. McGuire occupation foreman, Nickel Plate R.R. residing at Conneaut, Ohio  
 and Chas. Lawyer occupation attorney residing at Jefferson, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known

Stanley Michalowski, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of June, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of June, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

J. A. McGuire (Signature of witness.)  
Chas. Lawyer (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 7 day of June, anno Domini 1927 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Louise L. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

Stanley Michalowski  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed June 7, 1927

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Republic of Poland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Stanley Michalowski

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

Loonelia A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Stanley Michalowski, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Wm. C. Taylor, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494136, issued on the 5 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK JUN 10 1927

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Pizzi, Amadio

Date of arrival for permanent admission: April 11, 1913

Manner of arrival: Prinzess Irene

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

Issue No.

403236



Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

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Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Amodio Dizzi, aged 50 years,  
occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 6 inches,  
weight 167 pounds, color of hair grey, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in St. Angelo in Grotte, Italy,  
on the 4th day of December, anno Domini 1874; I now reside  
at 728 Broad St., Conneaut, Ohio

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy,  
on the vessel Prince Eurano; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was St. Angelo In Grotte, Italy; I am un married; the name  
of my wife is Carmen; she was born at Italy  
and now resides at Conneaut, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King  
of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 11th day  
of April, anno Domini 1913; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Amodio Dizzi  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 1st day of June, anno Domini 1925

[SEAL]

A. H. Pontius

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Pauline C. Hyde, Deputy Clerk.

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CLEVELAND, OHIO

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
The petition of Amodio Pizzi hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is 728 Broad St, Conneaut Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Labourer

Third. I was born on the 4th day of December, anno Domini 1874, at St Angelo In Grotte, Italy

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples, Italy, on or about the 30th day of March anno Domini 1913, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 11th day of April anno Domini 1913, on the vessel Princess Irene  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 1st day of June anno Domini 1925 at Jefferson Ohio in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Carmine <sup>she</sup> was born on the 20th day of Oct anno Domini 1877 at St Angelo In Grotte, Italy and now resides at 728 Broad St, Conneaut Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have 2 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Addolorata born 15th day of February 1899 at Italy resides at Conneaut Ohio  
Elizabeth born 22nd day of Sept 1911 at Italy resides at Conneaut Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 13th day of April anno Domini 1913, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 13th day of April anno Domini 1913, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of Ohio on the day of anno Domini 1913, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Amodio Pizzi  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2327 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 20 day of June, 1927  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Amodio Pizzi  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

James Brown occupation Merchant residing at Conneaut Ohio  
and Angelo Mirando occupation Labourer residing at 709 Harbor St. Conneaut  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known

Amodio Pizzi the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of April anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of April anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

James Brown  
(Signature of witness.)

Angelo Mirando  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 20th day of June, anno Domini 1927 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Fauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

*Amodio Pizzi*

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *June 20*, 19*27*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *Victor Emmanuel III the King* of *Italy* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Amodio Pizzi*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *4* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*27*

*Leonela A. Warner*, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Amodio Pizzi*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *4* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*27*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Chas. A. August*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2736708*, issued on the *4* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*27*



No. 47736

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

State of Ohio, }  
Cuyahoga County, } ss: In the Common Pleas Court of Cuyahoga County.

I, Felix Gienza, aged 35 years,  
occupation laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 3 1/8 inches,  
weight 156 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes grey  
other visible distinctive marks none

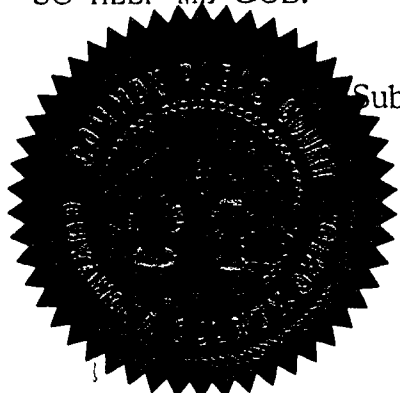
I was born in Szczepancova, Austria  
on the 10 day of March, anno Domini 1884; I now reside  
at 5114 East Hass Ave Cleveland, Ohio.

(Give number, street, and city or town.)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Bremen, Germany  
on the vessel "Kaiser Wilhelm der II"; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
foreign residence was Austria; I am unmarried; the name  
of my wife is Katarzyna; she was born at Austria  
and now resides at above address

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Austria Hungary or any independent state within  
the bounds of the former Austro-Hungarian Empire, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 5 day  
of April, anno Domini 1906; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Felix Gienza  
(Original signature of declarant.)



Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court  
at Cleveland, Ohio, this 26 day of July  
anno Domini 1906  
**EDMUND B. HASERODT**

*Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.*

By M. J. ... Clerk.  
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No. 1150

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Felix Giemza hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is Orwell, Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is Farmer  
 Third. I was born on the 10th day of March, anno Domini 1884, at Szezepanowa Austria now Poland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Bremen Germany, on or about the --- day of March  
 anno Domini 1906, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 5th day of April  
 anno Domini 1906, on the vessel Kaiser Wilhelm der II  
 (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 26th day of July, anno Domini 1920  
 at Cleveland, in the Common Pleas Court of Cuyahoga County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am --- married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Katarzyna; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 25 day of November, anno Domini 1889  
 at Austria, and now resides at Orwell, Ohio  
 (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 I have 4 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Mary born Feb 25, 1910 in Cleveland Ohio  
Jenny born Oct 27, 1913 in Cleveland Ohio  
Melba born Sept 15, 1918 in Orwell, Ohio  
Vernie born March 25, 1925 in Orwell All reside in Orwell, Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Poland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 5th day of April, anno Domini 1906, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1907, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the Court of~~  
~~the~~ ~~of the~~ ~~State~~, anno Domini ~~---~~, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: ~~---~~  
 and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Felix Giemza  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 47736 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 22nd day of June A.D. 1927

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Felix Giemza  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Harry Davis, occupation Farmer, residing at Orwell, Ohio  
 and Ward B. Stone, occupation Merchant, residing at " "

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Felix Giemza the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of April, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of April, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Harry J. Davis  
 (Signature of witness.)

Ward B. Stone  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 22nd day of June A.D., anno Domini 1927 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

*Felix Giemza*

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *June 22*, 19*27*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on ~~that~~ that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Republic of Poland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Felix Giemza*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 17 day of April, A. D. 19*28*

*Leonida A. Turner*, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Felix Giemza, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 17 day of April, A. D. 19*28*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Charles T. ...*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2736718, issued on the 17 day of April, A. D. 19*28*

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK JUN 11 1927

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Ciccone, Giovanni

Date of arrival for permanent admission: March 26, 1920

Manner of arrival: Pesaro

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

Issue No. 404019

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

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DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO.  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Reffaele Ciccone, aged 32 years,  
occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 7 inches,  
weight 163 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes brown,  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Macchiogodena, Italy,  
on the 5th day of January, anno Domini 1893; I now reside  
at 154 Orchid St., Conneaut, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy,  
on the vessel Pesaro; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Macchiogodena, Italy; I am un married; the name  
of my wife is Incoronata; she was born at Italy,  
and now resides at Conneaut, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III,  
King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 26th day  
of March, anno Domini 1920; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Reffaele Ciccone  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 2nd day of June, anno Domini 192 7

[SEAL]

A. H. Pontius

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Pauline C. Styte, Deputy Clerk.

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WASHINGTON, D.C.



No. 1154

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio,  
 The petition of Giovanni Raffaele Ciccone hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 154 Orchard St., Conneaut Ohio,  
 (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is Labourer  
 Third. I was born on the 5th day of January, anno Domini 1893, at Macchiagodena Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples, Italy, on or about the 4th day of March  
 anno Domini 1920, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 26 day of March  
 anno Domini 1920, on the vessel Pesaro  
 (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 2nd day of June, anno Domini 1927  
 at Jefferson Ohio in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Sucronato; <sup>(she)</sup> was born on the 22nd day of August, anno Domini 1902  
 at Macchiagodena Italy and now resides at 154 Orchard St., Conneaut Ohio,  
 (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 I have no children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 26th day of March, anno Domini 1920, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 27th day of March, anno Domini 1920, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the~~ Court of ~~the~~ Ohio, ~~and the~~ said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: ~~and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Declaration of Intention No. 2328 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 23rd day of June, 1927  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor"

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Giovanni Raffaele Ciccone (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
James Brown, occupation Merchant, residing at Conneaut Ohio  
 and Angelo Miravido, occupation Labourer, residing at Conneaut Ohio,  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Giovanni Raffaele Ciccone, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

James Brown  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Angelo Miravido  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 23rd day of June, anno Domini 1927 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
 By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Filed June 23, 1927

Giovanni Raffaele Liccone  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Giovanni Raffaele Liccone

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

Bonnie A. Kramer, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Giovanni Raffaele Liccone, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

~~(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")~~

By the Court:

John S. August, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2736709, issued on the 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK JUN 20 1927

This is to certify that the following named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: De Domenico, Felice 6/11/1927

Date of arrival for permanent admission: December 20, 1920

Manner of arrival: Madonna

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

Issue No. 406814

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

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**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Felice DeDomenico, aged 34 years,  
occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color White complexion dark, height 5 feet 6 inches,  
weight 160 pounds, color of hair Black, color of eyes Brown  
other visible distinctive marks None

I was born in Sperone, Italy  
on the 9 day of August, anno Domini 1890; I now reside  
at 271 Columbus St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy  
on the vessel Madonna; my last  
foreign residence was Sperone, Italy; I am married; the name  
of my {wife} is Rosa; {she} was born at Sperone, Italy  
and now resides at Sperone, Italy

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III,  
King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, N. Y., in the  
State of New York, on or about the 18 day  
of December, anno Domini 1920; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Felice De Domenico*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 5 day of December, anno Domini 1924.

[SEAL]

*A. H. Pontius*  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Emma C. Miller*, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1152

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Felice De Domenico hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 12 Audrey Ct., Ashtabula, Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is Cabaret  
 Third. I was born on the 9th day of August, anno Domini 1890, at Sperone, Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples, Italy, on or about the 4th day of Dec.  
 anno Domini 1920, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 20th day of Dec.  
 anno Domini 1920, on the vessel Madama  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 5th day of December, anno Domini 1924  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Rosa; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 2nd day of May, anno Domini 1893  
 at Sperone, Italy, and now resides at Sperone, Italy  
 I have two children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Filomena, born 10 day of June, 1916 at Italy  
Teresa, born 5th day of July, 1920 at Italy, both reside in Italy

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 15th day of December, anno Domini 1920, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 20 day of December, anno Domini 1920, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the Court of~~  
~~at~~, on the ~~day of~~, anno Domini ~~1~~, and the  
~~said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit~~  
~~and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Felice De Domenico  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2282 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 27th day of June, 1927  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Felice De Domenico  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

G. A. Candela, occupation Barber, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 and James Furano, occupation Ins. Agent, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Felice De Domenico

, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

James Furano  
 (Signature of witness.)

G. A. Candela  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 27th day of June, anno Domini 1927 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
 By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.  
 (add.)

Felice De Domenico

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed June 27, 1927

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Nicolas Emmanuel III the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Felice De Domenico

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

Leonelia A. Kanner, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Felice De Domenico, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Stephen J. Murphy, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494145, issued on the 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927



No. 2074

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio }  
Ashtabula County, } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County,

I, James Bino, aged 34 years,  
occupation Fireman, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 10 inches,  
weight 165 pounds, color of hair Black, color of eyes Brown,  
other visible distinctive marks Hart pierced by dagger tattooed on left arm

I was born in Leless, Zemplen, Hungary,  
on the 25th day of August, anno Domini 1888; I now reside  
at 72 Harmon Road, Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Bremen, Germany,  
on the vessel Wintzberg; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Leless, Zemplen, Hungary; I am married; the name  
of my wife is Gizelo Stahko; she was born at Leless, Zimplen, Hungary  
and now resides at 72 Harmon Road, Ashtabula, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Czechoslovak Republic,  
of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 1st day  
of March, anno Domini 1905; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*James Bino*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 2nd day of Jan, anno Domini 1923

[SEAL]

*A. H. Pontius*  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Pauline C. Styles*, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of James Bino (also known as James Bino) hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is Cor. Harmon Rd and Minnesota St. Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Fireman at Ashtabula Power Plant  
 Third. I was born on the 25th day of August, anno Domini 1888, at Teles Zemplen, Hungary  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Bremen Germany, on or about the 15th day of February  
 anno Domini 1906, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 1st day of March  
 anno Domini 1906, on the vessel Wintzberg  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 2nd day of January, anno Domini 1923  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Lizella <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 1st day of May, anno Domini 1897  
 at Teles Zemplen Hungary and now resides at Cor. Harmon Rd & Minnesota St. Ashtabula  
 I have 4 children and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Irene born 20th day of Feb 1918 at Ashtabula resides at Ashtabula  
Helen born 20th day of July 1920 at Ashtabula resides at Ashtabula  
Pauline born 26th day of Nov 1922 at Ashtabula resides at Ashtabula  
John born 26th day of Mar 1925 at Ashtabula resides at Ashtabula

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Czechoslovak Republic of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 1st day of March, anno Domini 1906, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 1st day of Feb, anno Domini 1918, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

James Bino  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2074 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 5th day of July, 1927  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

James Bino  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

W. A. Caudela, occupation Barber, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and Steve Guarino, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_

James Bino, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Steve Guarino  
(Signature of witness.)  
W. A. Caudela  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 5th day of July, anno Domini 1927

[SEAL]

Cornelia G. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

*James Bino*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *July 5*, 19*27*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *the Czechoslovak Republic* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *4* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*27*  
*James Bino*  
*Loonelia A. Kameel*, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *James Bino*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *4* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*27*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said *James Bino*, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to *James Bino*, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*James A. Tugger*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2736710*, issued on the *4* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*27*

No. 2309

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

10057

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County ss: of Ashtabula County,

Nathanasios Demetriou Chekouras, aged 40 years,  
occupation Candy Maker, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 4 inches,  
weight 145 pounds, color of hair black & Grey, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Giba Tegeas, Greece  
on the 15th day of June, anno Domini 1884; I now reside  
at 27 Fisk St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Piraeus, Greece,  
on the vessel Do not remember name of vessel (American Line); my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Giba, Greece,; I am married; the name  
of my ~~husband~~ <sup>wife</sup> is Bessie; ~~he~~ <sup>she</sup> was born at Greece  
and now resides at 27 Fisk St., Ashtabula,

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Present Government  
of Greece, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 15th day  
of May, anno Domini 1900; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Nathanasios Demetriou Chekouras*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 19th day of March, anno Domini 192 5

[SEAL]

*U. H. Portuis*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Pauline C. Styles*, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio at Jefferson, Ohio

The petition of Athanasios Dimitriou Chekouras hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is 27 Fish St. Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Candy maker

Third. I was born on the 15th day of June, anno Domini 1884, at Siba, Tegeas, Greece,

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Piraeus, Greece, on or about the 23rd day of April,  
anno Domini 1900, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 15th day of May,  
anno Domini 1900, on the vessel Does not remember (American Line)  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 19th day of March, anno Domini 1926  
at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Basiliki Ath.; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 15th day of April, anno Domini 1895  
at Episkopi Tegeas Greece, and now resides at 27 Fish Street, Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have four children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows: Ashtabula  
James born on the 25th day of Nov. 1921 at Ashtabula Ohio and now resides at Ashtabula Ohio  
Beatrice born Nov. 1, 1922 at Ashtabula, Ohio and now resides at Ashtabula Ohio  
Constantine born July 13, 1924 at Ashtabula Ohio and now resides at Ashtabula Ohio  
Epiphany born Jan. 8, 1926 at Ashtabula, Ohio and now resides at Ashtabula Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Greek Republic of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 15th day of May, anno Domini 1900, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 7th day of September, anno Domini 1907, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Athanasios Dimitriou Chekouras  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2309 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 6th day of July, 1927  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Athanasios Dimitriou Chekouras  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

W. H. Cook, occupation Auditor of ash. Co., residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
and P. S. Metcalf, occupation Dairyman, residing at R.F. Ash. Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Athanasios Dimitriou Chekouras, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 12th day of July, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 12th day of July, anno Domini 1922, and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

W. H. Cook  
(Signature of witness.)  
Paul S. Metcalf  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 6th day of July, anno Domini 1927 [SEAL]  
Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

Petition No. 1154

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

Court Common Pleas Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula Co. Ohio

In the matter of the petition of Archanasias Dimitrios Lekouras to be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

The State of Ohio }  
Ashtabula County } ss:  
Theodore E. Warren

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation Clerk at-Law, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
and \_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_, the petitioner above mentioned, to be a resident of the United States for a period of at least five years continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, and of the <sup>State</sup> Territory in which the above-entitled application is made for a period of five years immediately preceding the date of filing his petition; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that he is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Theodore E. Warren

[AFFIX SEAL.]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4<sup>th</sup> day of October, anno Domini 1927  
Corneilia A. Warner, Clerk,



Athenasios Dimitrios Chekouras  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed July 6, 1927

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Greek Republic of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Athenasios Dimitrios Chekouras

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

Leonida A. Harman, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Athenasios Dimitrios Chekouras, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chas. H. Tugent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion for the United States in open Court day of, 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

, Jud.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

Theodore C. Warren, occupation Atty, residing at Ashtabula Ohio

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494135, issued on the 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

No. 2262

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

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Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Pete Belios, aged 36 years, occupation Prop. Lunch Counter, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color White, complexion light, height 5 feet inches, weight 116 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes Brown, other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Tgiva Greece on the 31 day of January, anno Domini 1888; I now reside at 38 Tyler Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England on the vessel Do not remember; my last foreign residence was Tgiva, Greece; I am not married; the name

~~of my wife~~ <sup>(wife)</sup> ~~of my husband~~ <sup>(husband)</sup>; ~~she~~ <sup>(she)</sup> ~~was born at~~ <sup>(he)</sup> ~~and now resides at~~

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The present Government of Greece, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Chicago, Illinois, via Montreal, Canada, in the State of on or about the 16 day of January, anno Domini 1902; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Pete Belios*  
(Original signature of declarant)

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 25 day of July, anno Domini 1924.

*A. H. Pontius*  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Emma C. Miller*, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1155

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Pete Belios hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is 38 Tyler Ave Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Proprietor of Lunch Counter  
 Third. I was born on the 31 day of January anno Domini 1888, at Sgiva Greece  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool England, on or about the --- day of December  
 anno Domini 1901, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Chicago Ill, on the 16th day of January  
 anno Domini 1902, on the vessel Do not remember  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 25th day of July, anno Domini 1924  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am not married. My wife's name is --- she was born on the --- day of ---, anno Domini ---  
 at ---, and resides at --- (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 I have --- children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiances and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Present Government of Greece of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 16th day of January, anno Domini 1902, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 12 day of October, anno Domini 1916, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~Made petition for citizenship to the Court of~~  
~~at~~ ~~on the~~ ~~day of~~ ~~anno Domini~~ ~~and the~~  
~~said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit~~  
~~and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Pete Belios  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2262 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 6th day of July, 1926

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Pete Belios  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Hugh Hewitt, occupation Judge Municipal Court, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 and C. Walter Sheldon, occupation ---, residing at ---

Pete Belios, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Hugh Hewitt  
(Signature of witness.)

C. Walter Sheldon  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 6th day of July, anno Domini 1927

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Fauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Pete Belios

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed July 6, 1927

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Greek Republic of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Pete Belios

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

Loonika A. Kanner, Clerk.

NOTE-In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Pete Belios, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chris. H. Sargent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of, 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

, occupation, residing at, occupation, residing at

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2494/25, issued on the 5 day of Oct, A. D. 1927

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

**BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION**

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION**

**ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK**

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Duffett, Sarah

Date of arrival for permanent admission: August 28, 1917

Manner of arrival: Florizel

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

Issue No.

**357733**

NATURALIZATION SERVICE RECEIVED  
MAY 19 1927  
DIRECTOR  
ELLIS ISLAND, OHIO  
RECEIVED  
MAY 19 1927  
DIRECTOR  
ELLIS ISLAND, OHIO

No. 1156

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Edward George Duffett hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 389 Harbor St. Conneaut Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Switchman  
 Third. I was born on the 13 day of September, anno Domini 1898, at Clifton Newfoundland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Port Aux Basque, Newfoundland on or about the 24 day of June  
 anno Domini 1922, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Worcestershire, Maine on the 26 day of June  
 anno Domini 1922, on the vessel Canadian Pacific Railway  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 14 day of May, anno Domini 1923  
 at Jefferson Ohio in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Clara Jane; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 15 day of June, anno Domini 1905  
 at Conneaut Ohio, and now resides at 389 Harbor St. Conneaut Ohio  
 I have one children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Jane Elizabeth, born April 22, 1926, at Conneaut Ohio, residing  
at Conneaut, Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V, King of Great Britain & Ireland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 26 day of June, anno Domini 1922, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 27 day of June, anno Domini 1922, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the Court of Ohio at Conneaut Ohio on the 14 day of May 1923 and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: and the name of any court that said Court did not receive)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Edward George Duffett  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2122 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 5 day of August, 1927  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Edward George Duffett  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Fred Butler occupation merchant residing at Conneaut, Ohio  
 and E. B. Harvey occupation Switchman residing at Conneaut, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known

Edward George Duffett the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of August, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of August, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Fred Butler  
 (Signature of witness.)  
E. B. Harvey  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 5 day of August, anno Domini 1927 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Forrest J. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

Edward George Duffett  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed Aug 5, 1927

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V the King of Great Britain + Ireland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Edward George Duffett, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of Edward George Duffett and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this 17 day of April, 1928, it appearing that one \_\_\_\_\_ witness has not know him five years

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

Chas. J. Langford, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from Dismissed, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_



## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

## BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

JUN 4 1926

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Gentili, Pasquale

Date of arrival: August 13, 1916

Manner of arrival: Duca D' Aosta

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

Issue No.

190404



Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

JAN 29 1926

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Pasquale Gentile, aged 22 years,  
occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 6 inches,  
weight 142 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Collecovino, Italy  
on the 22nd day of November, anno Domini 1901; I now reside  
at 5 Edwin, 1 St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy  
on the vessel Duco D'Agosta; my last  
foreign residence was Collecovino, Italy; I am not married; ~~never~~  
~~of my wife~~; ~~she was born~~

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King  
of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 14th day  
of August, anno Domini 1916; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Pasquale Gentile*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 18th day of Jan., anno Domini 1924

[SEAL]

*A. H. Postus*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Charles C. Styles*, Deputy Clerk.

REQUEST MADE FOR CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Pasquale Gentile hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 30 Ely St. Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Laborer  
 Third. I was born on the 22nd day of November, anno Domini 1901, at Collecorino, Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples Italy, on or about the 20th day of July  
 anno Domini 1916, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 13th day of August  
 anno Domini 1916, on the vessel Duca D' Aosta  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 18th day of January, anno Domini 1924  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am not married. My wife's name is \_\_\_\_\_; she was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_  
 at Jefferson Ohio, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
 I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows \_\_\_\_\_

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 14th day of August, anno Domini 1916, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 14th day of August, anno Domini 1916, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Pasquale Gentile  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2202 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 8 day of Aug, 1927  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula Co ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Joseph Napoletano, occupation Notary Public, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio,  
 and Sabatino De Julius, occupation Laborer, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Pasquale Gentile the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Joseph Napoletano  
(Signature of witness.)  
Sabatino De Julius  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 8th day of August, anno Domini 1927 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Style, Deputy Clerk.

Pasquale Gentile  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed Aug 8, 1927

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III of King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Pasquale Gentile

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 17 day of April, A. D. 1928

Loonelin A. Karner, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Pasquale Gentile, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 17 day of April, A. D. 1928

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said Pasquale Gentile, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Christ. T. ..., Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2736 719, issued on the 17 day of April, A. D. 1928

No. 2340

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Paul Trochza, aged 40 years,  
occupation Farmer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 10 inches,  
weight 165 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Tiba, Ung, Austria, (now Czechoslovakia)  
on the 24th day of December, anno Domini 1884; I now reside  
at Ashtabula, Ohio, R. F. D. #5  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England,  
on the vessel Majestic; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Tiba, Ung, Austria; I am un married; the name  
of my wife is Ella; she was born at Austria Hungary  
and now resides at Ashtabula, Ohio, R. F. D. #5

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Czechoslovak Republic.  
of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 25th day  
of April, anno Domini 1902; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Paul Trochza  
(Original signature of declarant)

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 14th day of July, anno Domini 1925

A. N. Pontin

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1158

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio,  
 The petition of Paul Trochza hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is Ashtabula R. 710#2 (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is Farmer  
 Third. I was born on the 24th day of December, anno Domini 1884, at Lita Ung, Austria (now Czechoslovakia)  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool England, on or about the 11th day of April,  
 anno Domini 1902, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 25th day of April  
 anno Domini 1902, on the vessel Majestic  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 14th day of July, anno Domini 1925,  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio.  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Ells; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 5th day of February, anno Domini 1883,  
 at Austria Hungary, and now resides at Ashtabula, Ohio R. 710#2  
 I have 12 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Paul born April 9, 1905 in Pennsylvania, Mary born August 8, 1922 born in Ashtabula  
in Ashtabula, Mike Sept 5, 1906 in Pennsylvania, William born March 22, 1927,  
Stephen born Aug 21, 1911 in Minnesota, Gertrude born March 9, 1925 in Ashtabula  
Elmer born February 11, 1913 in " " Dorothy born March 23, 1927,  
Anna born July 1, 1914 born in " " Joseph born November 11, 1917 in Minnesota  
Margaret Jan 1st 1915 " " Helma born July 11th 1919 Paul & Mike reside  
all the rest reside in Ashtabula, Ohio  
 Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Czechoslovak Republic of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.  
 Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 25th day of April, anno Domini 1902, and in the State of Ohio, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the day of April, anno Domini 1920, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.  
 Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship at the~~ Ohio ~~day of~~ 17th ~~day of~~ August, anno Domini 1927, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes to wit: and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)  
 Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America. and that his name be changed to Paul Trochza  
 Declaration of Intention No. 2340 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 17th day of August, 1927  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:  
 The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.  
Paul Trochza  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
W. S. Holcomb, occupation Track Walker N.Y.C., residing at Ashtabula Ohio R. 710#4  
 and F. W. Harper, occupation Merchant, residing at Ashtabula R. 710#2  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Paul Trochza, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 6th day of Feb, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 6th day of Feb, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.  
W. S. Holcomb  
 (Signature of witness.)  
F. W. Harper  
 (Signature of witness.)  
 Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 17th day of August, anno Domini 1927 [SEAL]  
Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

*Paul Trochya*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Aug 17*, 19 *27*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *The Czechoslovak Republic* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Paul Trochya*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *17* day of *April*, A. D. 19*28*

*Loonelia A. Warner*, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Paul Trochya*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said *Paul Trochya*, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to *Paul Trochil*, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Wm. H. Pugh*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2736720*, issued on the *17* day of *April*, A. D. 19*28*

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

AUG 23 1927

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Townsend, Jessie  
Date of arrival for  
permanent admission: September 9, 1915,  
Manner of arrival: New York

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

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Issue No.



Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

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**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Jessie Townsend, aged 40 years,  
occupation dressmaker, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 8 inches,  
weight 140 pounds, color of hair light brown, color of eyes gray  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Stonesfield, Oxon, England  
on the 5 day of November, anno Domini 1884; I now reside  
at Furnace Rd., Conneaut, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Southampton, England  
on the vessel New York; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was London, England; I am not married; ~~the name~~  
~~of my wife is~~; ~~she was born at~~  
~~and now resides at~~

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to  
George V, King of Great Britain and Ireland, of whom I am now a subject;  
I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 8 day  
of September, anno Domini 1915; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Jessie Townsend  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 29 day of June, anno Domini 1925

[SEAL]

A. H. Pontius

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court

By Louise Norris, Deputy Clerk

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
The petition of Miss Jessie Townsend hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is Furnace Road Conneaut Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Dressmaker

Third. I was born on the 5th day of November, anno Domini 1884, at Stonesfield Oxfordshire England

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Southampton England, on or about the 1st day of Sept  
anno Domini 1915, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 9th day of Sept  
anno Domini 1915, on the vessel S.S. New York  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 27th day of June, anno Domini 1925  
at Jefferson, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio

Sixth. I am not married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is \_\_\_\_\_ <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1925  
at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V King of Great Britain & Ireland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 8th day of September, anno Domini 1915, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 9th day of September, anno Domini 1915, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Jessie Townsend  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2333 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 7th day of September, 1927  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Jessie Townsend  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Mrs Lou Ferguson, occupation Housewife, residing at Conneaut Ohio  
and Miss Bertha Howland, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at East " "  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Miss

Jessie Townsend, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1916, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1916; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Mrs Lou Ferguson  
(Signature of witness.)

Miss Bertha Howland  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 7th day of September, anno Domini 1927

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Miss Jessie Townsend  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed Sept 7, 1927

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V King of Great Britain & Ireland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Jessie Townsend Cleason

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 12th day of Oct, A. D. 1927

Leonida A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Miss Jessie Townsend, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 12th day of October, A. D. 1927. (It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said Miss Jessie Townsend, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 536), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of Miss Jessie Townsend and the motion of J. E. Fox

for the United States in open Court this

16 day of April, 1927, it appearing that

Applicant fails to prosecute

dismissed THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

Chas. R. August, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 3192702, issued on the 11th day of Oct, A. D. 1927

On motion and for good cause shown, the entry of dismissal herein is vacated & reversed.



No. 2345

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Martin Curtin, aged 40 years,  
occupation Mason Helper, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 8 inches,  
weight 170 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes brown,  
other visible distinctive marks Anchor & Flag with initials tattooed on right arm.

I was born in Kilkee, Ireland,  
on the 9th day of November, anno Domini 1884; I now reside  
at Conneaut, Ohio, Box 475.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Queenstown, Ireland,  
on the vessel Campaignea; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Kilkee, Ireland; I am married; the name  
of my wife is Cora; she was born at Pennsylvania  
and now resides at Conneaut, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V, King of Great  
Britain & Ireland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 16th day  
of May, anno Domini 1902; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD.

*Martin Curtin*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 31st day of August, anno Domini 1925

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner,  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Pauline C. Styles* Deputy Clerk.

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The draft card has been misplaced  
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**AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES**

Leon Glass Court of Ashtabula Co.,

In the matter of the petition of Marion Leurtin to be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

J. S. Artman, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at Loomeau, Ohio  
and \_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of Jan, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of Jan, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

J. S. Artman  
(Signature of witness.)

(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named witnesses in the office of the clerk of said court this 17 day of April, anno Domini 1920

[SEAL.]

Leon G. Warner, Clerk,

By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Martin Curtin hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is Conneaut Ohio Box 455  
 Second. My occupation is Shop Foreman N.Y.C. & N.H. R.R. Co. Round House  
 Third. I was born on the 9th day of November, anno Domini 1884, at Kelkee Ireland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Greenstown Ireland, on or about the 11th day of May  
 anno Domini 1892 and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 16th day of May  
 anno Domini 1892, on the vessel Campaigne  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 31st day of August, anno Domini 1925,  
 at Jefferson, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married, My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Cora; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 20 day of Feb, anno Domini 1884,  
 at West Springfield Tenn, and now resides at Box 455 Conneaut Ohio  
 I have no children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V King of Great Britain & Ireland etc of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 16th day of May, anno Domini 1902, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 15th day of September, anno Domini 1918, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_ and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Martin Curtin  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2345 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 19th day of Sept, 1927  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Martin Curtin (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
L. E. Dewey, occupation Filling Station operator, residing at Conneaut Ohio  
 and Norman Torrance, occupation Carpenter, residing at Conneaut Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Martin Curtin, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

L. E. Dewey  
 (Signature of witness.)

A. N. Torrance  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 19th day of Sept, anno Domini 1927

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Faustine C. Style, Deputy Clerk.

*Martin Curtin*

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Sept 19*, 19*27*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *George V. King of Great Britain & Ireland* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Martin Curtin*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *17* day of *April*, A. D. 19*28*

*Connelia A. Harned*, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Martin Curtin*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *17* day of *April*, A. D. 19*28*.

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said *Martin Curtin*, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Chas. S. Ferguson*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

*J. S. Artman*, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at *Conne aut Ohio*  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2736721*, issued on the *17* day of *April*, A. D. 19*28*

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

SEP 13 1927

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Miha, Lozovec  
Date of arrival for permanent admission: April 2, 1913  
Manner of arrival: Rochambeau

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio,

I, Mihaelj Luzavec, aged 27 years,  
occupation Car Repairer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion medium, height 5 feet 7 inches,  
weight 155 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Cerlije, Austria  
on the 27 day of August, anno Domini 1893; I now reside  
at Jefferson, Ohio, R. F. D. 7.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Havre, France  
on the vessel Rochambeau; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Cerklje, Austria; I am not married; ~~the name~~  
~~of my wife is~~; she was born at ~~xxxxxxx~~  
and now resides at ~~xxxxxxx~~

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Austria Hungary or any independ-  
ent State within the bounds of the former Austro of whom I am now a subject;  
Hungarian Empire.

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 2 day  
of April, anno Domini 1913; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Mihaelj Luzavec*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 12 day of April, anno Domini 1921

F. L. Marrin

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By M. M. Marrin, Deputy Clerk.

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DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO.  
BENJAMIN W. HARRIS

No. 1161

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Michael Luzovec hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is Plymouth Township R 7 D 1 Box 107 Jefferson, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Farmer  
 Third. I was born on the 27 day of August, anno Domini 1 893, at Cerkije Jugoslavia  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Haute France, on or about the 22nd day of March  
 anno Domini 1 913, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 2nd day of April  
 anno Domini 1 913, on the vessel Rochambeau  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 22nd day of April, anno Domini 1 921  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am not married. my husband's name is she was born on the day of, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_  
 at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
 I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Alexander I King of the Serbs, Croats & Slovenes of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 2nd day of April, anno Domini 1 913, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 15th day of October, anno Domini 1 918, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have ~~not~~ heretofore made petition for citizenship to ~~any~~ court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the~~ Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, on the 4th day of August, anno Domini 1 920, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit unable to obtain depositions to cover residence in U.S. and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Michael Luzovec  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 1947 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 24th day of Sept, 1927  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Michael Luzovec  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
 occupation Farmer, residing at R. 7 D 1 Jefferson, Ohio  
 and Albert Horowski, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at R. 7 D 1 Jefferson, Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Michael Luzovec, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1 922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1 922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Albert Horowski  
 (Signature of witness.)  
W. J. Blodgett  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 24th day of Sept, anno Domini 1927 [SEAL]

Cornelia G. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

*Michaely Luzovec*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Sept 24*, 19*27*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *Alexander I. King* of *the Serbs Croats & Slovenes* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Michaely Luzovec*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said *Michaely Luzovec*, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of *Michaely Luzovec* and the motion of *L. C. Fof* for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19*28*, it appearing that

*Michaely Luzovec* has been convicted of crime within five years

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

*Chas. A. Sargent*, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_\_  
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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_\_

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

FEB 18 1927

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Jasiensky, Jan

Date of arrival for permanent admission: Apr. 24, 1913

Manner of arrival: Potsdam

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

Issue No.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County

I, John Jasinski, aged 39 years,  
occupation Carpenter, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion light, height 5 feet 4 inches,  
weight 153 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Plonsk, Poland  
on the 24th day of June, anno Domini 1885; I now reside  
at 577 Sherman St., Conneaut, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Rotterdam, Holland  
on the vessel Posdam;

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

my last foreign residence was Plonsk, Poland; I am married; the name  
of my wife is Stella; she was born at Poland  
and now resides at 577 Sherman St., Conneaut, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Poland

of whom I am now a subject;  
I arrived at the port of New York,

in the State of New York, on or about the 27th day  
of April, anno Domini 1913;

I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*John Jasinski*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 25th day of Sept., anno Domini 1924

[SEAL]

*A. H. Pontius*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Pauline C. Styles*, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1162

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
The petition of John Jasiencki hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
First. My place of residence is 577 Sherman St. Conneaut Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
Second. My occupation is Carpenter  
Third. I was born on the 24 day of June, anno Domini 1885, at Plonsk Poland  
Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Rotterdam Holland, on or about the 8 day of April  
anno Domini 1913, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 24 day of April  
anno Domini 1913, on the vessel Potsdam  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 25th day of Sept, anno Domini 1924  
at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
Sixth. I am married. My wife's name is Stella; she was born on the 8th day of May, anno Domini 1894  
at Sierpe Poland, and now resides at Conneaut  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have 6 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Hendrick born 30 day of Oct 1917 at Conneaut Ohio  
John born 24 day of Sept 1919  
Walter born 18 day of Jan 1921  
Adam born 4 day of Dec 1921  
Eva Jasinski born 26 day of September 1923  
Anna born 26 day of Feb 1926 all born & reside at Conneaut Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Poland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 27th day of April, anno Domini 1913, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 27 day of April, anno Domini 1913, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the Court of Ohio on the 27 day of April, anno Domini 1913, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Declaration of Intention No. 2275 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 6th day of October, 1927  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

John Jasiencki (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
occupation Carpenter residing at Conneaut Ohio  
and Boleslaw Sadowski occupation Car Inspector residing at Conneaut Ohio  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known John Jasiencki, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

R. A. Wright (Signature of witness.)  
Boleslaw Sadowski (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 6th day of October, anno Domini 1927 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner Clerk.  
Gauline C. Styles Deputy Clerk.

*John Jasinski*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Oct 6*, 19*27*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *The Republic of Poland* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *2* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*28*  
*X John Jasinski*  
*Leonida A. Kamen*, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *John Jasinski*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *2* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*28*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said *John Jasinski*, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court: *Chas. T. August*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.  
\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from *April 17-1928*, 19\_\_\_\_, to *Oct 2-1928*, 19\_\_\_\_, *For Study*  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2736735*, issued on the *2* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*28*

No. 2251

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Andrew Halgas, aged 26 years,  
occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion Light, height 5 feet 8 inches,  
weight 158 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks None

I was born in Kahanovce, Austria,  
on the 28th day of October, anno Domini 1897; I now reside  
at 106 Pearl St., Ashtabula, Ohio.  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Rotterdam, Holland  
on the vessel Rotterdam; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Kahanovce, Czechoslovakia; I am not married; ~~the name~~  
~~of my wife~~ ~~XXXXXX~~ ~~XXXXXX~~  
~~of my husband~~ ~~XXXXXX~~ ~~XXXXXX~~  
and ~~XXXXXX~~ ~~XXXXXX~~

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Czechoslovak Republic,  
of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 14th day  
of May, anno Domini 1924; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Andrew Halgas*  
(Original signature of declarant)

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 17th day of June, anno Domini 1924

*A. H. Pontius*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Pauline C. Styles*, Deputy Clerk.

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Petition No. 1163

**AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES**

Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula Co. O.

In the matter of the petition of Andrew Halgas to be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula Co. } ss:

I Harold Louis, occupation Vice Pres. H. H. Louis Co., residing at Ashtabula O.  
and \_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously

immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of January, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of January, anno Domini 1922 and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

I. Harold Louis  
(Signature of witness.)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named witnesses in the office of the clerk of said court this 16 day of April, anno Domini 1928.

[SEAL.]

Lucyelia G. Kramer, Clerk,

By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

SEP 28 1927

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Halgas, Andrej

Date of arrival for permanent admission: May 14, 1921

Manner of arrival: Rotterdam

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DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO.  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:



Commissioner of Naturalization.

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No. 1163

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio at Jefferson, Ohio

The petition of Andrew Halgas hereby filed, respectfully showeth:

First. My place of residence is 25 Fisk Street, Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is laborer

Third. I was born on the 28th day of October, anno Domini 1897, at Kahanovce, Austria

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Rotterdam, Holland, on or about the 4th day of May,  
anno Domini 1921, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 14th day of May,  
anno Domini 1921, on the vessel Rotterdam  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 17th day of June, anno Domini 1924  
at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Margaret Halgas <sup>(she)</sup> was born on the 29th day of December, anno Domini 1908  
at Ashtabula, Ohio, and now resides at 25 Fisk Street, Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have one child, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
George James, born on the 5th day of May, 1925, at Ashtabula,  
and resides at Ashtabula, Ohio,

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Czechoslovak Republic of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 14th day of May, anno Domini 1921, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 15th day of May, anno Domini 1921, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Andrew Halgas  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2251 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 10th day of Oct, 1927  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Andrew Halgas  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

J. J. Daniels occupation farmer, residing at Kingsville, R.D. 1  
and Herman Louis occupation Junk Dealer, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Andrew Halgas the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of October, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of October, anno Domini 1922, and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Herman Louis  
(Signature of witness.)

J. J. Daniels  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 10th day of October, anno Domini 1927. [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

Filed Oct 10, 1927

Andrew Halgas  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Czechoslovak Republic of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Andrew Halgas

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 17 day of April, A. D. 1928

Leonelia A. Harned, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Andrew Halgas, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 17 day of April, A. D. 1928

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said Andrew Halgas, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1915, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chas. St. August, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

J Harold Louis, occupation Vice Pres H. W. Louis Co., residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2736722, issued on the 17 day of April, A. D. 1928



**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

**BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION**

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION**

**ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK**

**OCT 11 1927**

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien:	Ray, John
Date of arrival for permanent admission:	July 22, 1911
Manner of arrival:	Campania

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**DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
ELLIS ISLAND, N.Y.**

**BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:**

*Raymond F. Crist*

*Commissioner of Naturalization.*

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, John William Ray, aged 53 years,  
occupation laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 8 inches,  
weight 150 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in St. Neots, England  
on the 21 day of September, anno Domini 1867; I now reside  
at Rock Creek, Ohio

(Give number, street, city or town, and State)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England  
on the vessel Campania; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was St Neots, England; I am un married; the name  
of my wife is Amie; she was born at Toseland, England  
and now resides at Rock Creek, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George the V., King of  
Great Britain and Ireland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 22 day  
of ~~January~~ July, anno Domini 1911; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

John William Ray  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 28 day of January, anno Domini 1921.

[SEAL]

F. L. Marwin  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By \_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of John William Ray hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is Rock Creek Sta., Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Trackman

Third. I was born on the 21st day of September, anno Domini 1867, at St. Neots, England

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool, England, on or about the 15th day of July,  
anno Domini 1911, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 22nd day of July,  
anno Domini 1911, on the vessel Campania  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 28th day of January, anno Domini 1921  
at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Annie Ray; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1874  
at Toseland, England, and now resides at Rock Creek Sta., Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have nine children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Florence Elizabeth Ray, born Aug. 24, 1891, John David Ray, born July 20, 1894, Albert  
Edward Gayer Ray, born March 11, 1901, Leslie Wilfrid Ray, born May 25, 1903,  
Archibald Sidney Ray, born November 2, 1905, at Kettering, England, Edith Agnes  
Ray, born Aug. 18, 1912, Gordon Melven Ray, born Sept. 23, 1914, Mary Irene Ray,  
born March 4, 1918, Walter Ronald Ray, born April 26, 1922, at Rock Creek,  
Ohio. John David resides at Youngstown, Ohio, Albert Edward and  
Leslie Wilfrid, reside at Warren, Ohio. Remaining children reside at  
Rock Creek Sta., Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V, King of the United Kingdom of Great Britain & Ireland etc., of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 22nd day of July, anno Domini 1911, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 23rd day of July, anno Domini 1911, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

John William Ray  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 1923 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 21st day of Oct., 1927  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

John William Ray  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Henry Orth, occupation manufacturer, residing at Rock Creek, Ohio  
and Russell Lloyd, occupation trackman, residing at Rock Creek, Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known John William Ray, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of October, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of October, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Russell Lloyd  
(Signature of witness.)  
Henry Orth  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 21st day of October, anno Domini 1927. [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

*John William Ray*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Oct 21*, 1927

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *George V King of the United Kingdom of Great Britain & Ireland* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*John William Ray*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *17* day of *April*, A. D. 19*28*

*Leonida A. Warner*, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *John William Ray*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *17* day of *April*, A. D. 19*28*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said *John William Ray*, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Sh. T. Turgent*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of *John William Ray* and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2736723*, issued on the *17* day of *April*, A. D. 19*28*

No. 49636

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

State of Ohio, }  
Cuyahoga County, } ss: In the Common Pleas Court of Cuyahoga County.

I, Ralph Angelo, aged 33 years,  
occupation polish and buffer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 5 inches,  
weight 158 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes blue

other visible distinctive marks none  
I was born in Pornicolo, Italy  
on the 18 day of February, anno Domini 1888; I now reside  
at 1320 West 54th Street Cleveland, Ohio.

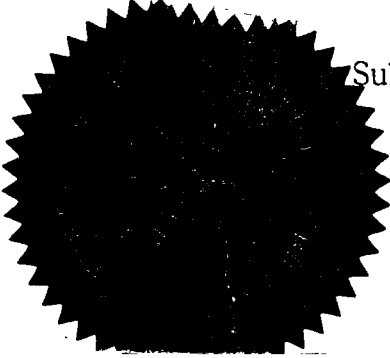
(Give number, street, and city or town.)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy  
on the vessel "Prince Oscar"; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
foreign residence was Italy; I am married; the name  
of my wife is Grace Connecticut  
and now resides at above address

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to VICTOR EMANUEL III. KING OF ITALY

of whom I am now a subject;  
I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 21  
day of June, anno Domini 1905; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD.

Ralph Angelo  
(Original signature of declarant.)



Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court  
at Cleveland, Ohio, this 11 day of January  
anno Domini 1921

EDMUND B. HASERODT

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By [Signature] DEPUTY Clerk.

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No. 1165

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio.  
 The petition of Ralph Angelo hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is Geneva Ohio.  
 Second. My occupation is Laborer.  
 Third. I was born on the 14th day of February anno Domini 1888, at Fornicola Italy.  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples Italy, on or about the 6th day of June anno Domini 1905, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 21st day of June anno Domini 1905, on the vessel Prince Oscar.  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 11th day of January anno Domini 1921 at Cleveland Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Cuyahoga County.  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Grace; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 29th day of September anno Domini 1899 at Connecticut, and now resides at Geneva R. 7th St.  
 I have 2 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Frank born October 28, 1915  
Joseph born May 28, 1918 both born in Connecticut and now reside at Geneva Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 21st day of June anno Domini 1905, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 10th day of March anno Domini 1919, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the Court of at on the day of anno Domini 1 and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Ralph Angelo  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 49636 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 27th day of October, 1927

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Fred Pucci occupation Taylor residing at Geneva Ohio  
 and Vincent Zappia occupation Trucking residing at Geneva Ohio  
 each being severally, duly and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Ralph Angelo the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of April anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of April anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Vincent Zappia  
(Signature of witness.)

Fred Pucci  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 27th day of October, anno Domini 1927

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Pauline C. Style, Deputy Clerk.

Filed Oct 27, 1927

Ralph Angelo  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III of King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

X Ralph Angelo

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

Leonida A. Karmel, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Ralph Angelo, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said Ralph Angelo, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chas. T. Argent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of Ralph Angelo and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from April 17 - 1928, 19\_\_\_\_  
to Oct 2 - 1928, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

For Study

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2736734, issued on the 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

OCT 20 1927

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date, and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Zoppitelli, Michele

Date of arrival for permanent admission: March 3, 1915

Manner of arrival: Taormina

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

*Raymond J. Crist*  
Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Mike Zappitello, aged 40 years,  
occupation Mason, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 6 1/2 inches,  
weight 167 pounds, color of hair dark brown, color of eyes brown,  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in San Angelo In Grotte, Italy  
on the 8th day of November, anno Domini 1884; I now reside  
at Broad St., Conneaut, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy.  
on the vessel Taormina,

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was San Angelo In Grotte, Italy; I am un married; the name  
of my ~~husband~~ <sup>wife</sup> is Tresa; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born at Italy,  
and now resides at Conneaut, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III,  
King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 4th day  
of March, anno Domini 1915; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Mike Zappitello  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 2 day of October, anno Domini 1925

Cornelia A. Warner,

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Pauline C. Styts, Deputy Clerk.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

No. 1166

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Mike Zappitelli hereby filed, respectfully showeth:

First. My place of residence is 763 Broad Street, Conneaut, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is mason

Third. I was born on the 8th day of November, anno Domini 1884, at San Angelo In Grotte, Italy

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples, Italy, on or about the 19th day of February,  
anno Domini 1915, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 3rd day of March,  
anno Domini 1915, on the vessel Jaormina  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or mode of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 2nd day of October, anno Domini 1925,  
at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Fress; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 14th day of September, anno Domini 1890  
at Cleveland, Ohio, and now resides at 763 Broad Street, Conneaut, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have eight children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Maria, born 10th day of Sept 1906, at Cleveland Ohio, Siaco Antonio,  
born Jan 10, 1909, at Cleveland, Ohio, Odellina, born Dec 15, 1910, at  
Cleveland, Ohio, Maggie, born Aug 11, 1915, at Italy, Michael, born Nov 5,  
1917, at Cleveland, Ohio, Rose, born Oct 13, 1920, at Cleveland, Ohio, Edith,  
born Nov 6, 1922, at Conneaut, Ohio, Gloria, born Aug 7, 1924, at  
Conneaut, Ohio, all children reside at Conneaut, Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 3rd day of March, anno Domini 1915, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 4th day of March, anno Domini 1915, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Mike Zappitelli  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2354 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 2nd day of November, 1927  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Mike Zappitelli  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Giuseppe Colangelo, occupation laborer, residing at 774 Broad St, Conneaut, Ohio  
and John Bartone, occupation laborer, residing at 789 Broad St, Conneaut, Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Mike Zappitelli, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of November, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of November, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

John Bartone  
(Signature of witness.)  
Giuseppe Colangelo  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 2nd day of November, anno Domini 1927. [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

*Mike Zappitelli*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Nov 2*, 19*27*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *Victor Emmanuel the III King of Italy* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Mike Zappitelli*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *2* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*28*

*Loonela A. Kames*, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Mike Zappitelli*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *2* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*28*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said *Mike Zappitelli*, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Chas. T. Ferguson*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of *Mike Zappitelli* and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from *April 17-1928*, 19\_\_\_\_  
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Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

*For Study*

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2736740*, issued on the *2* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*28*



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Form 2203

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE

TRIPPLICATE  
[To be given to the person making  
the Declaration]

No. \_\_\_\_\_

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

United States of America,  
Northern District of Ohio, } ss:

In the District Court of the United States,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

I, Lawrence Dzik, aged 34 years,  
occupation moulder, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 1 inches,  
weight 140 pounds, color of hair blonde, color of eyes gray  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in 10 Jaslo, Austria Poland  
on the 1725 day of Aug, anno Domini 1886, I now reside  
at 1725 Starkweather Ave, Cleveland, Ohio.  
(Give number, street, and city or town.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Hamburg Germany  
on the vessel Sylvia  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the mode of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
foreign residence was Welf, Austria; I am not married; the name  
of my wife is Josie; she was born at Austria  
and now resides at Cleveland with me

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Poland  
~~AUSTRIA-HUNGARY or any independent state within bounds~~  
~~of former Austro-Hungarian Empire.~~

I arrived at the port of New York, of whom I am now a subject;  
State of N.Y., on or about the 18 day  
of April, anno Domini 1904; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Lawrence Dzik*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court  
at Cleveland, Ohio, this 5 day of Jan  
anno Domini 19 21  
**B. C. MILLER**

[SEAL]

*B. C. Miller*  
Clerk of the District Court of the United States.  
By *Ch. H. ...*, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1167

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio at Jefferson, Ohio

The petition of Lawrence Dzik hereby filed, respectfully showeth:

First. My place of residence is 411 Madison Street, Conneaut, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is laborer

Third. I was born on the 10th day of August, anno Domini 1886, at Jaslo, Austria, Poland

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Hamburg, Germany, on or about the 29th day of March,  
anno Domini 1904, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 18th day of April,  
anno Domini 1904, on the vessel Sylvia  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 3th day of January, anno Domini 1921  
at Cleveland, Ohio, in the District Court of the United States

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Josef Dzik; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 10th day of March, anno Domini 1886  
at Austria, and now resides at 411 Madison Street, Conneaut, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have three children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
John Dzik, born June 23, 1909, at Cleveland, Ohio, Theodore Dzik,  
born July 23, 1914, at Houston, Texas, Florence Dzik, born Aug. 15,  
1923, at Conneaut, Ohio. All children reside at Conneaut, Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Poland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 17th day of April, anno Domini 1904, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 15th day of May, anno Domini 1920, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Lawrence Dzik  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 36182 and ~~Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor~~ filed this 19th day of November, 1927

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Lawrence Dzik  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

John A. McGuire, occupation Nickel Plate R. R. foreman, residing at 527 State St., Ohio  
and J. Raciborski, occupation car inspector, residing at 715 Madison St., Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Lawrence Dzik, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of November, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of November, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

John A. McGuire  
(Signature of witness.)

J. Raciborski  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 19th day of November, anno Domini 1927.

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Helena Cox, Deputy Clerk.

*Laurence Dzik*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Nov 19*, 19*27*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *The Republic of Poland* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Laurence Dzik*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *2* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*28*

*Loonella A. Warner*, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Laurence Dzik*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *2* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*28*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said *Laurence Dzik*, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Shas. Wagner*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of *Laurence Dzik* and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2736741*, issued on the *2* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*28*

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

NATURALIZATION  
 NOV 5 1927  
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This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Forthman, Ernest  
 Date of arrival for permanent admission: July 8, 1908  
 Manner of arrival: President Lincoln

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 DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
 CLEVELAND, OHIO.  
 DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, }  
Ashtabula County, } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Ernest Forthman, aged 25 years,  
occupation Steel Worker, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 7 inches,  
weight 153 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Morchingen, Germany  
on the 23rd day of December, anno Domini 1898; I now reside  
at R. F. D. 1, Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Hamburg, Germany  
on the vessel Pres. Lincoln; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Hamburg, Germany; I am married; the name  
of my {wife} is Mary; {she} was born at Ashtabula  
{husband} and now resides at Ashtabula, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The German Empire,  
of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Hoboken,  
State of New Jersey, on or about the 5th  
day of July, anno Domini 1908; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

X Ernest Forthman  
(Original signature of declarant)

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 30th day of August, anno Domini 1924

A. H. Pentuis

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR



No. 1168

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Ernest Fortman hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is Eagleville, Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is Railroad track laborer  
 Third. I was born on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of December, anno Domini 1898, at Worchingen, Germany.  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Hamburg, Germany, on or about the 25<sup>th</sup> day of June  
 anno Domini 1908, and arrived in the United States at the port of Hoboken New Jersey, on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of July  
 anno Domini 1908, on the vessel Ores Lincoln (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of August, anno Domini 1927  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Mary Thompson <sup>she</sup> was born on the 28 day of August, anno Domini 1897  
 at Ashtabula U.S.A. and now resides at Eagleville Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 I have no children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The German Reich of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 5<sup>th</sup> day of July, anno Domini 1908, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 3 day of November, anno Domini 1915, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Ernest Fortman  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2270 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 21<sup>st</sup> day of November, 1927  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

F. C. Hurlburt, occupation Banker, residing at Jefferson, Ohio  
 and Charles Kiernan, occupation Trackman, residing at Jefferson, Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Ernest Fortman, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

F. C. Hurlburt  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Charles Kiernan  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 21<sup>st</sup> day of November, anno Domini 1927 [SEAL]

By Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Ernest Forthman  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed Nov 21, 1927

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The German the Reich of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Ernest Forthman

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 17 day of April, A. D. 1928.

Loonah A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Ernest Forthman, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 17 day of April, A. D. 1928.

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chas. K. Tarrant, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of Ernest Forthman and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2736724, issued on the 17 day of April, A. D. 1928

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

NOV 19 1927

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien:

Sundholm, Vieno

Date of arrival for  
permanent admission:

August 30, 1913

Manner of arrival:

Baltic

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

Issue No.

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Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula, County, Ohio.

I, Kust Victor Holm, aged 21 years,  
occupation Delivery Man, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion medium, height 5 feet 7 1/2 inches,  
weight 144 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Bjorneberg, Finland,  
on the 15th day of February, anno Domini 1903; I now reside  
at 135 Ohio Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio.  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool England,  
on the vessel Baltic; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Bjorneberg; I am not married; the name  
of my ~~husband~~ <sup>wife</sup> is \_\_\_\_\_; ~~she~~ <sup>he</sup> was born at \_\_\_\_\_  
~~and now resides at~~ \_\_\_\_\_

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to \_\_\_\_\_

The Republic of Finland, of whom I am now a subject;  
I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 23rd day  
of August, anno Domini 1913; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Kust Victor Holm  
(Original signature of declarant)

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 8th day of April, anno Domini 192 4

A. H. Porteus

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of August Vienoi Sundholm hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 135 Ohio Ave Ashtabula Ashtabula County Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is Laborer  
 Third. I was born on the 15th day of February, anno Domini 1903, at Bjorneberg Finland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool England, on or about the 21st day of August  
 anno Domini 1913, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 30th day of August  
 anno Domini 1913, on the vessel Baltic  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 8th day of April, anno Domini 1924  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Wilma <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 25th day of August, anno Domini 1904  
 at Laysa Finland, and now resides at 135 Ohio Ave Ashtabula Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 I have no children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 30th day of August, anno Domini 1913, and in the State of Ohio, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 1st day of August, anno Domini 1913, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition. and that my name be changed to Just Victor Holm.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

August Vienoi Sundholm  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2227 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 1st day of December, 1927  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

August Vienoi Sundholm  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Carl Purola occupation Car Repairer residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and Alfred Pakki occupation \_\_\_\_\_ residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known August Vienoi Sundholm the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of November, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of November, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Alfred Pakki  
(Signature of witness.)

Carl Purola  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 1st day of December, anno Domini 1927

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

*August Vienoi Sundholm*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Dec 1*, 19*27*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *The Republic of Finland* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *August Vienoi Sundholm*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of *August Vienoi Sundholm* and the motion of *L. E. Fox Examiner* for the United States in open Court this *16* day of *April*, 19*29* it appearing that *Applicant fails to prosecute*

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY <sup>dismisses</sup> DENIED.

*Chas. K. Argent*, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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to *Apr 16 - 1928*, 19\_\_\_\_

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_



**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

 CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
 ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

NOV 18 1914

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien:	Kajander, Arthur	Temporarily detained.
Date of arrival for <del>permanent admission</del>	November 21, 1914	Discharged November 25, 1914 for permanent residence.
Manner of arrival:	Oscar II	

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Arthur E. Kajander, aged 22 years, occupation carpenter, N. Y. C. R. R., do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 8 1/2 inches, weight 140 pounds, color of hair light, color of eyes blue, other visible distinctive marks none.

I was born in Woikka, Finland on the 29 day of June, anno Domini 1903; I now reside at 1 Commercial St. Ashtabula, Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Christiana, Norway on the vessel Oscar II; my last foreign residence was Woikka, Finland; I am not married; ~~the name of my wife is~~ ~~xxshe was divorced~~

~~and now resides at~~  
It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to

The Republic of Finland, of whom I am now a subject; I arrived at the port of New York, in the State of New York, on or about the day of November, anno Domini 1914; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein: SO HELP ME GOD.

*Arthur E. Kajander*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 29 day of August, anno Domini 1925

[SEAL]

*Cornelia A. Warner*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Louise P. Norris*, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio.  
 The petition of Arthur Eino Kajander hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is # 1 Commerce St. Ashtabula Ohio.  
 Second. My occupation is Foreman on the R.R. Co.  
 Third. I was born on the 29th day of June, anno Domini 1903, at Voikka Finland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Christiana Norway, on or about the 7th day of November  
 anno Domini 1921, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 21st day of November  
 anno Domini 1921, on the vessel Oscar II.  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 29th day of August, anno Domini 1925  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio.  
 Sixth. I am not married. My wife's name is \_\_\_\_\_; she was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_  
 at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
 I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 21st day of November, anno Domini 1914, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1919, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Arthur Eino Kajander  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2343 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 5th day of December, 1927  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor"

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

John E. Glantz, occupation Attorney, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 and Carl Lorentzson, occupation Operator of Elec. Ry., residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Arthur Eino Kajander the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

John E. Glantz  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Carl F. Lorentzson  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 5th day of December, anno Domini 1927 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner Clerk.  
Pauline C. Stebbins Deputy Clerk.

Arthur Eino Kajander  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed Dec 5, 1927

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Arthur Eino Kajander

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 17 day of April, A. D. 1928

Leonida A. Barnes, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Arthur Eino Kajander, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 17 day of April, A. D. 1928

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Wm. K. August, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of Arthur Eino Kajander and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2736725, issued on the 17 day of April, A. D. 1928

No. 1944

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio,

I, Willie Sopenen, aged 22 years,  
occupation Farmer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion light, height 5 feet 5 1/2 inches,  
weight 140 pounds, color of hair light brown, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Finland  
on the 19 day of August, anno Domini 1898; I now reside  
at Dorset, Ohio

(Give number, street, city or town, and State)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England  
on the vessel (Cannot remember); my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

foreign residence was Finland; I am not married; ~~the name~~  
~~of my wife is~~; ~~she was born at~~  
~~and now resides at~~

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Russia or any independent State  
within the bounds of the former Russian Empire, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Philadelphia,  
State of Pennsylvania, on or about the ----- day  
of -----, anno Domini 1905; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith

to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Willie Sopenen  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 4 day of April, anno Domini 1921

[SEAL]

F. L. Marrin

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By M. M. Marrin, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Willie Sapanen hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is R. F. # 3, West, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Labourer  
 Third. I was born on the 19 day of August, anno Domini 1898, at Wakkeala, Finland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool, England on or about the --- day of March  
 anno Domini 1905, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Philadelphia, Pa, on the --- day of April  
 anno Domini 1905, on the vessel Cannot remember  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 4th day of April, anno Domini 1921  
 at Jefferson, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am not married. My wife's name is ---; she was born on the --- day of ---, anno Domini 1---  
 at ---, and now resides at ---  
 I have --- children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the --- day of April, anno Domini 1905, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the --- day of April, anno Domini 1905, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the --- Court of --- at ---, on the --- day of ---, anno Domini 1---, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: ---, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Willie Sapanen  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 1944 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 16 day of December, 1927  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Willie Sapanen  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Claude Hurst, occupation Machinist, residing at West, Ohio  
 and D. A. McConnell, occupation Dep. Treas., residing at Jefferson, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Willie Sapanen, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922, and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

D. A. McConnell  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Claude Hurst  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 16 day of December, anno Domini 1927 [SEAL]

C. A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

*Willie Sapanen*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Dec 16*, 19*27*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *The Republic of Finland* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Willie Sapanen*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *17* day of *April*, A. D. 19*28*

*Bonnie A. Kramer*, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Willie Sapanen*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *17* day of *April*, A. D. 19*28*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Sham T. Sargent*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of *Willie Sapanen* and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2736726*, issued on the *17* day of *April*, A. D. 19*28*

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION  
CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

DEC 9 - 1927

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Walkeapaa, Heikki  
Date of arrival for permanent admission: March 27, 1914  
Manner of arrival: Lusitania

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INSURANCE DIRECTOR  
ELLIS ISLAND, OHIO.  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

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The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Heikki Walkeapaa, aged 39 years,  
occupation car repairer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 8 inches,  
weight 170 pounds, color of hair blond, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks end of second finger left hand mashed  
I was born in Parikkala, Finland  
on the 3 day of June, anno Domini 1885; I now reside  
at 10 Fairview Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England  
on the vessel Lusitania; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Parikkala, Finland; I am un married; the name  
of my <sup>wife</sup> ~~husband~~ is Ida Aliina; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born at Hankasalmi, Finland  
and now resides at 10 Fairview Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to  
The Republic of Finland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 28 day  
of March, anno Domini 1914; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Heikki Walkeapaa  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 30 day of December, anno Domini 1924.

[SEAL]

A. H. Pontius  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Lo. A. Warner, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Heikki Walkeapaa hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is 10 Perryville Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is Car Repairer  
 Third. I was born on the 3rd day of June, anno Domini 1885, at Parikkala, Finland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool, England, on or about the 15th day of March,  
 anno Domini 1914, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 27th day of March,  
 anno Domini 1914, on the vessel Lusitania  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 30th day of December, anno Domini 1924,  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Ida Alusa; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 10th day of July, anno Domini 1886  
 at Hankasalmi, Finland, and now resides at 10 Perryville Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 I have 3 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows: Ellu, born 15th day of  
May, 1915 at Ashtabula, Ohio, resides at 10 Perryville Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio; Martti,  
 born January 8, 1920, at Ashtabula, Ohio, resides at 10 Perryville Ave., Ashtabula;  
Yrjo, born 13th day of January, 1922, at Ashtabula and resides at 10 Perryville  
Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 27th day of March, anno Domini 1914, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 28th day of March, anno Domini 1914, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to-wit: \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Heikki Walkeapaa  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2293 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 19th day of December, 1927.  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Heikki Walkeapaa  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

William Viik, occupation Car Repairer, residing at 30 King St., Ashtabula  
 and Antti Nikolai Makela, occupation Car Repairer, residing at 30 Superior St., Ashtabula  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Heikki Walkeapaa, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of December, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of December, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

William Viik  
(Signature of witness.)

Antti Makela  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 19th day of December, anno Domini 1927. [SEAL]

Cornelia J. Warner, Clerk.  
 By Henna H. Chambers, Deputy Clerk.

Filed Dec 19, 1927

Heikki Walkeapaa  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Heikki Walkeapaa

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 17 day of April, A. D. 1928

Leonida A. Kramer, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Heikki Walkeapaa, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 17 day of April, A. D. 1928

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chas. H. Ferguson, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of Heikki Walkeapaa and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2736727, issued on the 17 day of April, A. D. 1928

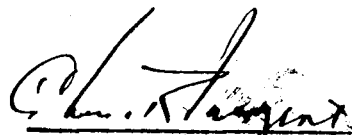


Common Pleas Court     )  
                                  )  
Ashtabula County, Ohio)

On December 21, 1927, Karol Pisarcik, known as Carl Alois Writer, residing at 105 Michigan Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio, filed petition for naturalization #1173 in this court, said petition being supported by the affidavit of John Redding who swore that he was a citizen of the United States and had known the petitioner since January 1, 1922.

Final hearing of said petition for naturalization was held on April 17, 1928 at which time the said witness, John Redding, stated that he was not born in the United States but that he had been duly naturalized during his minority through his father in some court in Pennsylvania; that the said witness had at one time had his father's naturalization certificate in his possession but that said certificate had later been lost or destroyed. In view of the emphatic testimony of said witness regarding his citizenship, the petitioner being otherwise qualified was duly admitted to citizenship on the above date, April 17, 1928, the Clerk of Courts being instructed to withhold the certificate of naturalization in favor of the said petitioner, Karol Pisarcik, until such time as the witness, John Redding, should produce documentary evidence of his citizenship.

On this 6 day of November anno Domini, 1928, it now appearing that the said witness, John Redding, has failed to find a record of his father's naturalization, it is hereby decreed that the order entered by this Court on April 17, 1928 purporting to admit the said Karol Pisarcik, known as Carl Alois Writer, to citizenship be vacated, set aside and held of no effect and that the Clerk of this Court note upon certificate #2736728, issued pursuant to the said order of admission on April, 17, 1928, that said certificate is cancelled pursuant to the decree of this Court of this date.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Judge.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Carl Alois Writter (I have used the name of Karl Alois Writter which is my correct name) hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 105 Michigan Ave, Ashtabula, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is millwright foreman  
 Third. I was born on the 15th day of November, anno Domini 1. 1892, at Hannover, Austria-Hungary  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Bremen Germany, on or about the 16th day of January anno Domini 1. 1910, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 26th day of January anno Domini 1. 1910, on the vessel Grosser Kurfurst  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 17th day of December, anno Domini 1. 1925 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio.  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Agnes; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 10th day of November, anno Domini 1. 1902 at Ashley Pa, and now resides at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 I have 1 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Carl Alois born 17 day of April A. D. 1921 at Cambridge, Ohio  
Resides at Ashtabula, Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Czechoslovak Republic of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 10 day of Feb, anno Domini 1. 1910, and in the State of Ohio, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 2nd day of January, anno Domini 1. 1921, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1. \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America. and that my name be changed to Carl Alois Writter  
Carl Alois Writter  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2362 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 21 day of December, 1927  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Carl Alois Writter  
Karl Pizarrick  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

I. F. Shellhammer, occupation Steel worker, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 and John Redding, occupation Foreman Steel Plant, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Carl Alois Writter, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1. 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1. 1922, and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

John Redding  
 (Signature of witness)  
I. F. Shellhammer  
 (Signature of witness)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 21st day of December, anno Domini 1927

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Shyle, Deputy Clerk.

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF  
*Carl Alois Writter*  
*Karl Pisarcik*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Dec 21*, 192*7*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *the Czechoslovak Republic* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Carl Alois Writter*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *17* day of *April*, A. D. 192*8*

*Leonida A. Kamen*, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Karol Pisarcik*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *17* day of *April*, A. D. 192*8*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said *Karol Pisarcik*, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to *Carl Alois Writter*, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 25, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:  
*Writter*

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of *Karl Pisarcik* and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

*Please cancellation above and J.E. attached*  
Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2736728*, issued on the *17* day of *April*, A. D. 192*8*

Petition No. 1174

**AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES**

Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula Co. Jefferson Ohio

In the matter of the petition of Augusta Kahne to be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

Nellie T. Martin, occupation Train nurse, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
and \_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_

Augusta Kahne, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of Jan, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of Jan, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Nellie T. Martin  
(Signature of witness.)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named witnesses in the office of the clerk of said court this 17 day of April, anno Domini 1928 [SEAL.]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk,  
By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Augusta Kahne hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 29 Mc Govern Ave. Ashtabula, Ohio.  
 Second. My occupation is Housewife  
 Third. I was born on the 26th day of Feb, anno Domini 1890, at New York, New York  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from \_\_\_\_\_, on or about the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
 anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_, and arrived in the United States, at the port of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
 anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_, on the vessel \_\_\_\_\_  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_  
 at none required, in the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_  
 Sixth. I am \_\_\_\_\_ married. My <sup>wife's</sup> husband's name is \_\_\_\_\_; <sup>she</sup> he was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_  
 at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
 I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The German Reich of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 26th day of Feb, anno Domini 1890, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1902, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

none required

Augusta Kahne  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. \_\_\_\_\_ and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States on or before June 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County, Ohio ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Augusta Kahne  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Mrs. Fred Morrison, occupation Housewife, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 and Mrs. Harry Fassett, occupation Housewife, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_

Augusta Kahne, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Mrs. Fred Morrison  
(Signature of witness.)  
Mrs. Harry Fassett  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 25th day of December, anno Domini 1927

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styts, Deputy Clerk.

*Augusta Kahne*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Dec 28*, 19*27*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *The German Reich* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Augusta Kahne*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *17* day of *April*, A. D. 19*28*

*Cornelia G. Warner* Clerk  
*Pauline C. Styler* Deputy

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Augusta Kahne*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *17* day of *April*, A. D. 19*28*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_ under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Chas. T. Sargent*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

*Nellie T Martin*, occupation *Miss*, residing at *Ashtabula, Ohio*  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2736717*, issued on the *17* day of *April*, A. D. 19*28*



**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION  
CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK**

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien:                   Castrilli, Felice  
Date of arrival for  
permanent admission:       March 7, 1912  
  
Manner of arrival:            Duca d' Aosta

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

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Issue No.

*Raymond J. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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No. 2120

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

 Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio }  
Ashtabula County, } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Felix Castrilla, aged 28 years,  
occupation Sexton Foreman, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 5 inches,  
weight 150 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Sanangelo, In-Grotte, Italy  
on the 13th day of June, anno Domini 1894; I now reside  
at 778 Broad St., Conneaut, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy  
on the vessel Ducoagosto, Italy; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Sanangelo, Italy; I am un married; the name  
of my wife is Rosie; she was born at Kingville, Ohio  
and now resides at 778 Broad St., Conneaut, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to

Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 4th day  
of March, anno Domini 1911; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD.

Felix Castrilla  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 8th day of May, anno Domini 19 23

[SEAL]

A. H. Pontius

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Felice Castilli hereby filed, respectfully showeth:

First. My place of residence is 729 Harbor St., Conneaut Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is plumber

Third. I was born on the 13th day of June, anno Domini 1894, at Sanangelo, in - Scotte, Italy

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples, Italy, on or about the 21st day of February,  
anno Domini 1912, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 7th day of March  
anno Domini 1912, on the vessel Duco agosto, Italy  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 8th day of May, anno Domini 1923  
at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Rosie Castilli, <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 26th day of February, anno Domini 1900  
at Kingsville Ohio, and now resides at 729 Harbor St., Conneaut, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have five children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Jennie, born Aug. 20, 1917, at Kingsville, resides at Conneaut, Ohio  
William, born Jan. 23, 1920, at Conneaut, resides at Conneaut, Ohio  
Jakie, born Feb. 20, 1922, at Conneaut, resides at Conneaut, Ohio  
Maxie, born May 7, 1924, at Conneaut, resides at Conneaut, Ohio  
Irene, born Dec. 16, 1926, at Conneaut, resides at Conneaut, Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy, of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 7th day of March, anno Domini 1912, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 9th day of March, anno Domini 1912, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Felice Castilli  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2120 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 31st day of December, 1927  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Felice Castilli  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Amodio Pizzi, occupation laborer, residing at 728 Broad St., Conneaut  
and Louis Simone, occupation laborer, residing at 709 Harbor St., Conneaut

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Felice Castilli, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of December, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of December, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Amodio Pizzi  
(Signature of witness.)  
Louis Simone  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 31st day of December, anno Domini 1927. [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

*Felice Castrilli*

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Dec 31*, 19*27*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Felice Castrilli*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *17* day of *April*, A. D. 19*28*

*Loamelia A. Warner*, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Felice Castrilli*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *17* day of *April*, A. D. 19*28*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Chas. T. Sargent*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of *Felice Castrilli* and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2736729*, issued on the *17* day of *April*, A. D. 19*28*

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

APR 26 1927

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Gaccese, Leonardo

Date of arrival for permanent admission: March 22, 1912

Manner of arrival: Taormina

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:



Commissioner of Naturalization.

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No. 2358

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

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The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Leonardo Coocese, aged 32 years,  
occupation shovel plant employe, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 4 inches,  
weight 170 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks slight scar over right eye

I was born in Orsare, Italy  
on the 7 day of November, anno Domini 1893; I now reside  
at 481 Harbor Street, Conneaut, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy  
on the vessel Taormine; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Orsare, Italy; I am un married; the name

of my <sup>wife</sup> ~~husband~~ is Mary; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born at Conneaut, Ohio  
and now resides at 481 Harbor Street, Conneaut, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to  
Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 27 day  
of March, anno Domini 1912; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD.

Leonardo Coocese  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 7 day of November, anno Domini 1915

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1176

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio,  
 The petition of Leonardo Caccese hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 481 Harbor St. Conneaut Ohio  
 (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is Labourer  
 Third. I was born on the 7th day of November, anno Domini 1893, at Corsico Abellia Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples Italy, on or about the 6th day of March  
 anno Domini 1912, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 22nd day of March  
 anno Domini 1912, on the vessel Tarminia  
 (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 7th day of November, anno Domini 1925  
 at Jefferson Ohio in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Mary; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 15th day of August, anno Domini 1901  
 at Conneaut, and now resides at Conneaut Ohio  
 (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have 2 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Arthur born 19th day of May 1918 at Conneaut Ohio resides at Conneaut Ohio  
Harry born the 20th day of September 1920 at Conneaut Ohio resides at Conneaut Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 27th day of March, anno Domini 1912, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 14th day of May, anno Domini 1919, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the~~ Court of ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~ on the ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~ day of ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~, anno Domini ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~ and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Leonardo Caccese  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2358 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 5th day of January, 1928  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Leonardo Caccese  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Nick Christophero, occupation Labourer, residing at Conneaut Ohio  
 and Pete Dipofi, occupation Labourer, residing at Conneaut Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Leonardo Caccese

the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Nickola Christophero  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Pete Di Popi  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 5th day of January, anno Domini 1928 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Dyke, Deputy Clerk.

Leonardo Cascese  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed Jan 5, 1928

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Leonardo Cascese

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

Cornelia G. Warner, Clerk.  
By: Thelma C. Styles Deputy

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Leonardo Cascese, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Wm. T. Argent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of Leonardo Cascese and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from April 17-1928, 19\_\_\_\_  
to Oct 2 1928, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from Oct 2-1928 to Apr 1929, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2885765, issued on the 29 day of April, A. D. 1929

No. 14051

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

THE STATE OF OHIO

MAHONING COUNTY

ss:

In the Common Pleas Court

of MAHONING COUNTY, OHIO

I, ISMAELE SALVIANO

aged 39 years,

occupation STORE KEEPER

do declare on oath that my personal

description is: Color WHITE, complexion DARK, height 5 feet 6 inches,

weight 200 pounds, color of hair BROWN, color of eyes BROWN

other visible distinctive marks NONE

I was born in VILLARIELLI ITALY

on the 17th day of SEPT. anno Domini 1888; I now reside

at 319 BYRON ST. YOUNGSTOWN OHIO

(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from NAPLES ITALY

on the vessel CALABRIA; my last

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

foreign residence was VILLARIELLI ITALY; I am NOT married; the name

of my { wife } is \_\_\_\_\_; { she } was born at \_\_\_\_\_

and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to \_\_\_\_\_

Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy

of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of NEW YORK, in the

State of NEW YORK, on or about the 26th day

of JULY, anno Domini 1904; I am not an anarchist; I am not a

polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD.

*Ismaele Salviano*

(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of

said Court this 12th day of JUNE, anno Domini 1924

[SEAL]

N. H. CHANEY

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By J. H. Thomas, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1177

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Ismaele Salviano hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 25 Elmer St., Ashtabula Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is Store Keeper  
 Third. I was born on the 17th day of September, anno Domini 1885, at Villarcelli, Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples, Italy, on or about the 9th day of July  
 anno Domini 1904, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 26th day of July  
 anno Domini 1904, on the vessel Calabria  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 12th day of June, anno Domini 1924  
 at Youngstown, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Mahoning County  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Assunta; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 15th day of August, anno Domini 1894  
 at S. Pietro In Guarano, Italy, and now resides at 25 Elmer St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 I have two children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Maria, born Feb 12, 1927, at Ashtabula, Josephine (stepdaughter)  
born April 14, 1916, at S. Pietro, Italy, both children reside  
at Ashtabula, Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 15th day of May, anno Domini 1905, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 17th day of December, anno Domini 1917, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Ismaele Salviano  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 14051 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 6th day of January, 1928  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio }  
 Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Ismaele Salviano  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Anthony Carano, occupation steel worker, residing at 13 Hene St., Ashtabula  
 and Paul Carano, occupation steel worker, residing at 321 Lake St., Ashtabula  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Ismaele Salviano, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Witness to mark:  
Helen Cox

Anthony Carano  
(Signature of witness.)  
Paul F. Carano  
(Signature of witness.)  
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Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 6th day of January, anno Domini 1928.

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

Ismaeli Salviano  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed Jan 6, 1928

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Ismaeli Salviano, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of Ismaeli Salviano, and the motion of C. E. Fox Examiner for the United States in open Court this 15 day of April, 1930, it appearing that applicant fails to prosecute

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

Continued from	to	REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE
Continued from <u>Apr 17-1928</u>	<u>to Oct 2 1928</u>	<u>absent</u>
Continued from <u>Oct 2- 1928</u>	<u>to Apr 1929</u> , 19	<u>Witness was not notified</u>
Continued from <u>Apr 16</u>	<u>to Oct 1929</u> , 19	<u>Can for Study - Not OK</u>
Continued from <u>Oct 1st</u>	<u>1929 to Apr. 1930</u> , 19	<u>Absent</u>
to _____	_____, 19____	_____

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_



**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

RECEIVED  
DEPT. OF LABOR  
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DIRECTOR  
CHIEF CLERK  
DEPT. OF LABOR  
WASHINGTON

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: DiCesare, Vincenzo  
Date of arrival for permanent admission: January 23, 1921  
Manner of arrival: Saturnia

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:



Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio }  
Ashtabula County, } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Vincenzo Di Cesare, aged 25 years,  
occupation Butcher, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion Medium, height 5 feet 8 inches,  
weight 210 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes grey  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Collecovino, Italy,  
on the 9th day of October, anno Domini 1898; I now reside  
at 42 Farrington St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Cherburg, France,  
on the vessel Saturno; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Collecovino, Italy; I am married; the name  
of my ~~husband~~ <sup>wife</sup> is Candida; ~~she~~ <sup>he</sup> was born at Collecovino, Italy  
and now resides at Collecovino, Italy.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanued III, King  
of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 26th day  
of January, anno Domini 1921; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Vincenzo Di Cesare*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 16th day of July, anno Domini 1924

[SEAL]

*A. H. Portuis*  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Pauline C. Styles*, Deputy Clerk.

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**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**  
**PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION**

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
The petition of Vincenzo Di Cesare hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
First. My place of residence is 30 Elmer St. Ashtabula Ohio.  
Second. My occupation is Labourer.  
Third. I was born on the 9th day of October, anno Domini 1898, at Collocorvenio, Italy.  
Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Cheburg France, on or about the 13th day of January,  
anno Domini 1921, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 23rd day of January,  
anno Domini 1921, on the vessel Saturna.  
Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 16th day of July, anno Domini 1924  
at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio.  
Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Candida; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 27th day of September, anno Domini 1897,  
at Italy, and now resides at Italy.  
I have no children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 26 day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State of Ohio, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 27 day of January, anno Domini 1921, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of ... and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit ... and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Vincenzo Di Cesare  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
Declaration of Intention No. 2261 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 7th day of January, 1928  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

**AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES**

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County  
The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Chas Lawyer, occupation Atty, residing at Jefferson Ohio  
and Nick Corrado, occupation Merchant, residing at Ashtabula  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Vincenzo Di Cesare, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of Jan, anno Domini 1924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of Jan, anno Domini 1924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Chas Lawyer  
Nick Corrado  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 7th day of January, anno Domini 1928. [SEAL]

Cornelia A Warner, Clerk.  
By Pauline C Styles, Deputy Clerk.

1928 Apr 17 Amended Petition

Filed Jan 7, 1928

Vincenzo Di Cesare  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Vincenzo Di Cesare

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

Leonela A. Kramer, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Vincenzo Di Cesare, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chas. T. Ryzant, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of Vincenzo Di Cesare and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from April 17 - 1928, 19\_\_\_\_  
to Oct 2 1928, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2885762, issued on the 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

No. 2301

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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DISTRICT COURT  
OF ASHTABULA COUNTY  
OHIO

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Paul Ginetos, aged 32 years,  
occupation Pool Room Proprietor, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 5 inches,  
weight 135 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes brown,  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Magula Sparta, Greece  
on the 10 day of January, anno Domini 1893; I now reside  
at 181 Main St., Ashtabula Ohio

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Patras, Greece  
on the vessel Martha Washington; my last

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

foreign residence was Magula Sparta, Greece; ~~I am xxxxx married; the name~~  
~~of my [wife] is~~; ~~[he] is [married]~~

~~and xxxxx resides at~~

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to

The Present Government of Greece, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 31st day  
of March, anno Domini 1909; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith

to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Paul Ginetos  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 13th day of February, anno Domini 192 5

[SEAL]

A. H. Porteus

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Pauline C. Stokes, Deputy Clerk.

No. 424683

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

JAN 20 1928

JAN 23 1928

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Tzeanetos, Apostolos  
 Date of arrival for permanent admission: March 26, 1909  
 Manner of arrival: Argentina

DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
 CLEVELAND, OHIO.  
 DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Apostolos Izeanetos known as Paul James thereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 11 Tyler Ave Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Pool Room Proprietor  
 Third. I was born on the 10 day of Jan, anno Domini 1893, at Magula Sparta Greece  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Patras Greece, on or about the 10th day of March  
 anno Domini 1909, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 26th day of March  
 anno Domini 1909, on the vessel Argentine  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 13th day of February, anno Domini 1925  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am not married. My wife's name is \_\_\_\_\_ she was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_  
 and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_ (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 I have no children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Greek Republic of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 26 day of March, anno Domini 1909, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 22 day of September, anno Domini 1922, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Apostolos Izeanetos  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2301 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 31 day of Jan, 1928  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Michael Christakos, occupation Res Proprietor, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and A. F. Streiber, occupation Clerk, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Apostolos Izeanetos the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 22nd day of Sept, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 22nd day of Sept, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States. and that his name he changed to Paul James Izeanetos

Michael Christakos  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Karoy J. Streiber  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 31 day of January, anno Domini 1928

Cornelia G. Warner, Clerk.  
 By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

*Apostolos Igeanetos*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Jan 31*, 19*28*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *the Greek Republic* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Paul Igeanetos*  
*Apostolos Igeanetos*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *2* day of *October*, A. D. 19*28*

*Leonida A. Kaimali*, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Apostolos Igeanetos*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *2* day of *October*, A. D. 19*28*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said *Apostolos Igeanetos*, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to *Paul Igeanetos*, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court: *Chas. T. Ferguson*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED. \_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2736742*, issued on the *2* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*28*

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Shielcs, Henrik

Date of arrival for permanent admission: April 1, 1910

Manner of arrival: Adriatic

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

Issue No. **489009**

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } SS: of Ashtabula county, Ohio

I, Emil Henrik, Shields, aged 47 years,  
occupation Machine Operator, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion light, height 5 feet 7 inches,  
weight 160 pounds, color of hair light brown, color of eyes blue-gray  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Oster Gottland, Sweden,  
on the 1st day of July, anno Domini 1878; I now reside  
at 518 Lake St., Ashtabula, Ohio

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Southampton, England,  
on the vessel Adriatic, White Star Line; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Oster Gottland, Sweden; I am un married; the name  
of my <sup>wife</sup> ~~husband~~ is Bertha; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born at Sweden  
and ~~now resides in~~ is now deceased.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to  
Gustavus V, King of Sweden, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 11th day  
of April, anno Domini 1910; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD.

Emil Henrik Shields  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 15th day of January, anno Domini 1926

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Pauline C. Stept, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Emil Henrik Shields hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 13 1/2 Cleveland St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is machine operator  
 Third. I was born on the 1st day of July, anno Domini 1.878, at Ostergottland, Sweden  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Southampton, England, on or about the 23rd day of March,  
 anno Domini 1910, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 1st day of April  
 anno Domini 1910, on the vessel Adriatic, White Star Line  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 15th day of January, anno Domini 1926  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am not married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is dead; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_  
 at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have two children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Anna Vivian Shields, born August 26, 1912, at Ashtabula, Ohio, and  
resides at Ashtabula, Ohio  
Henry Everett Shields, born February 27, 1918, at Ashtabula, Ohio,  
and resides at Ashtabula, Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Gustavus V, King of Sweden of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 1st day of April, anno Domini 1910, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 15th day of April, anno Domini 1910, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of each denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Emil Henrik Shields  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2370 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 3rd day of February, 1928  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County, Ohio ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Emil Henrik Shields  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

August Beckman, occupation policeman, residing at 48 Division St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
 and Gust Erikson, occupation tanner, residing at 14 Kinman St., Ashtabula, Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Emil Henrik Shields, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of February, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of February, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

August Beckman  
(Signature of witness.)

Gust Erikson  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 3rd day of February, anno Domini 1928 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

Emil Henrik Shields  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed Feb 3, 1928

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Gustavus the King of Sweden of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

X Emil Henrik Shields

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2 day of October, A. D. 1928

Loonela A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Emil Henrik Shields, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 2nd day of October, A. D. 1928

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

E. H. August, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2736743, issued on the 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

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This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: **Henriksson, Wilhelm**

Date of arrival for  
permanent admission: **January 24, 1921**

Manner of arrival: **Carmania**

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

**463694**

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Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

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**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

State of Ohio, }  
Ashtabula County, } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County.

I, William Henderson, aged 42 years,  
occupation Bricklayer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion light, height 5 feet 5 inches,  
weight 145 pounds, color of hair light, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks None

I was born in Kankassala, Finland,  
on the 6th day of April, anno Domini 1879; I now reside  
at Utica Street (no numbers), Ashtabula, Ohio.  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Hango, Finland  
on the vessel Carmania (Cunard Line); my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Nurmo, Finland; I am --- married; the name  
of my wife is Lucy; she was born at Nurmo, Finland  
and now resides at Utica Street, Ashtabula, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Government of The  
Republic of Finland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, New-York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 24th day  
of January, anno Domini 1921; I am not an anarchist; I am not a

polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*William Henderson*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 7th day of Jan., anno Domini 1922.

*A. S. [Signature]*  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk.

[SEAL]

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Wilhelm Henriksson, hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is Utica Road, R. F. D. 1, Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is brick layers' foreman

Third. I was born on the 6th day of April, anno Domini 1879, at Kankasala, Finland

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool, England, on or about the 9th day of January  
anno Domini 1921, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 24th day of January  
anno Domini 1921, on the vessel Carmania (Cunard Line)  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 7th day of January, anno Domini 1922  
at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Lydia; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 10th day of November, anno Domini 1884  
at Nurmo, Finland, and now resides at Utica Road, R. F. D. 1, Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have three children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
William, born on Sept. 19, 1911, at Clarendon, Pa. and resides at Ashtabula, Ohio. Jaimi Lydia, born Sept. 24, 1912 at Clarendon, Pa. and resides at Ashtabula, Ohio. Alpo Armas, born March 4, 1921, at Nurmo, Finland, and resides at Ashtabula, Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 24th day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 25th day of January, anno Domini 1921, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that his name be changed to William Henderson.  
Wilhelm Henriksson  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2020 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 13th day of February, 1928  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Wilhelm Henriksson  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

E. J. Secrest, occupation chief clerk, residing at R. F. D. Ashtabula, Ohio  
and W. J. Conroy, occupation accountant, residing at 122 Oak St., Ashtabula, Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Wilhelm Henriksson, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of February, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of February, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

E. J. Secrest  
(Signature of witness.)

W. J. Conroy  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 13th day of February, anno Domini 1928 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

Filed Feb 13, 1928

Wilhelm Henriksson  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Wilhelm Henriksson

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

Loonelia A. Harned, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Wilhelm Henriksson, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929.

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to William Henderson, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chas. H. Sargent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

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Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2885778, issued on the 16 day of April, A. D. 1929



**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION  
CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Leonardson, Johan  
Date of arrival for permanent admission: December 7, 1908  
Manner of arrival: Arabic

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

Issue No.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, John Sexton Leonardson, aged 20 years,  
occupation Carpenter, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 8 inches,  
weight 148 pounds, color of hair light brown, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks None

I was born in Uddevalla, Sweden,  
on the 9 day of March, anno Domini 1903; I now reside  
at 27 Fasset Avenue, Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England,  
on the vessel Arabic; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Uddevalla, Sweden; I am not married; the name  
of my wife is; she was born at  
and now resides at

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to  
Gustavus V, King of Sweden, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 7 day  
of December, anno Domini 1908; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*John Sexton Leonardson*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 16 day of January, anno Domini 1924.

[SEAL]

*Asst. Gentry*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Johan Sipton Leonardson hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is 27 Fassitt Ave. Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Cook & Steward  
 Third. I was born on the 9th day of March anno Domini 1903, at Uddevala Sweden  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool England, on or about the 12th day of December  
 anno Domini 1908, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 7th day of December  
 anno Domini 1908, on the vessel Arabic  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 16th day of January, anno Domini 1924  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am not married. My wife's name is \_\_\_\_\_, she was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_  
 at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
 I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Gustavus V King of Sweden of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 7th day of December, anno Domini 1908, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 9th day of December, anno Domini 1908, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of each denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Johan Sipton Leonardson  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2201 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 16th day of February, 1928  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Kelsey Patton, occupation Trust Driver, residing at Perryville Ave Ashtabula Ohio  
 and John Carlson, occupation Real Estate Man, residing at Ashtabula Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Johan Sipton Leonardson, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 12th day of January, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 12th day of January, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is, in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States. And that his name he changed to John Sipton Leonardson

John Carlson  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Kelsey Patton  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 13th day of Feb, anno Domini 1928 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
 By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

*Johan Seston Leonardson*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN, OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Feb 13*, 19*28*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *Sustavus* the *fifth* King of *Sweden* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Johan Seston Leonardson*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *2nd* day of *October*, A. D. 19*28*

*Connelia A. Kanner*, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Johan Seston Leonardson*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *2nd* day of *October*, A. D. 19*28*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said *Johan Seston Leonardson*, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to *Jhu Seston Leonardson*, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*C. H. Tarrant*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2736744*, issued on the *2* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*28*

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

RECEIVED  
 DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
 ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK  
 JAN 30 1928  
 FEB 1 1928

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Matticoli, M. Angelo

Date of arrival for  
 permanent admission: March 17, 1907

Manner of arrival: Nord America

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE

TRIPPLICATE  
[To be given to the person making  
the Declaration.]

No. 2284

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

NO. 2284  
JAN 13 1907  
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Mike Matticola, aged 36 years, occupation laborer, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 6 inches, weight 170 pounds, color of hair dark brown, color of eyes brown, other visible distinctive marks None.

I was born in Isernia, Italy on the 16 day of October, anno Domini 1888; I now reside at 79 Martin St., Ashtabula, Ohio

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy on the vessel Nord American; my last foreign residence was Isernia, Italy; I am married; the name of my wife is Lucia; she was born at Isernia, Italy and now resides at 79 Martin St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, the King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the State of New York, on or about the 13 day of March, anno Domini 1907; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein: SO HELP ME GOD.

*Mike Matticola*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 13 day of December, anno Domini 1924.

[SEAL]

*A. H. Pontius*  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Emma C. Miller*, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1183

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Michael Matticola hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is 79 Martin St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is laborer

Third. I was born on the 16th day of October, anno Domini 1888, at Isernia, Italy

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples, Italy, on or about the 2nd day of March,  
anno Domini 1907, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 17th day of March,  
anno Domini 1907, on the vessel Nord America  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 15th day of December, anno Domini 1924  
at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Lucia; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 12 day of December, anno Domini 1892  
at Isernia, and now resides at 79 Martin St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have 6 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Angelina Matticola born 16 day of May, 1913, at Ashtabula, Ohio, John Matticola,  
born 23 day of June, 1914, at Ashtabula, Ohio, Alfred Matticola, born 27  
day of December, 1915, at Ashtabula, Ohio, Louis Matticola, born 9 day of July,  
1918, at Ashtabula, Ohio, Henry Matticola, born 22 day of July, 1920, at  
Ashtabula, Ohio, Gloria Matticola, born 24 day of May, 1924, at Ashtabula,  
Ohio. All children reside at Ashtabula, Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 13th day of March, anno Domini 1907, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 15th day of March, anno Domini 1907, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Michael Matticola  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2284 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 4th day of February, 1928  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County, ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Michael Matticola  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Nick Corrado, occupation merchant, residing at 216 Columbus St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
and John Paulchel, occupation student, residing at 216 Columbus St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Michael Matticola

Michael Matticola, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of February, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of February, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Nick Corrado  
(Signature of witness.)

John Paulchel  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 14th day of February, anno Domini 1928 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
By Helin Cox, Deputy Clerk.

Michael Matticola

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed Feb 14, 1928

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel the Third King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

X Michael Matticola

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2 day of October, A. D. 1928

Leonida A. Kames, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Michael Matticola, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 2nd day of October, A. D. 1928

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

John W. August, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

, occupation, residing at, occupation, residing at

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2736745, issued on the 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION  
CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

FEB 6 1928

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien:

Di Giorgio, Nicola

Date of arrival for permanent admission:

May 24, 1921

826171928  
FEB 3 1928  
verified for permit.

Manner of arrival:

Pannonia

RECEIVED  
NATURALIZATION DIVISION  
FEB 11 1928

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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No. 2249

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Nick De George, aged 27 years,  
occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion Medium, height 5 feet 5 inches,  
weight 140 pounds, color of hair dk brown, color of eyes grey  
other visible distinctive marks End of Index finger gone from right hand

I was born in Collecovino, Italy  
on the 5th day of December, anno Domini 1896; I now reside  
at 20 Woodlong St., Geneva, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy  
on the vessel Pannonia; my last

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

foreign residence was Collecovino, Italy; I am unmarried; the name  
of my wife is Giovina; she was born at Collecovino  
husband she

and now resides at Collecovino, Italy.  
It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King  
of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 24th day  
of May, anno Domini 1921; I am not an anarchist; I am not a

polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Nick De George*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 7th day of June, anno Domini 1921

[SEAL]

*A. H. Porteus*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Caroline C. Styles*, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1184

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Nick De George hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is 20 Woodlawn St. Geneva Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Laborer  
 Third. I was born on the 5th day of December, anno Domini 1896, at Collecovino, Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples Italy, on or about the 5th day of May  
 anno Domini 1921, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 24th day of May  
 anno Domini 1921, on the vessel Pannonia  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 7th day of June, anno Domini 1924  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County  
 Sixth. I am married. My wife's name is Giovina; she was born on the 28 day of July, anno Domini 1898  
 at Collecovino Italy, and now resides at Collecovino Italy  
 I have one child, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Elizabeth born 4th day of January 1922 at Collecovino and  
now resides at Collecovino, Italy

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 24th day of May, anno Domini 1921, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 25th day of May, anno Domini 1921, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Nick De George  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2249 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 15th day of Feb, 1928

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Nick De George  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

George Cornell, occupation Abstractor, residing at Jefferson Ohio  
 and Nick Di Camillo, occupation Moulder, residing at Geneva Ohio

Nick De George, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Geo Cornell  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Nick Di Camillo  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 15th day of Feb, anno Domini 1928 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
 By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

*Nick De George*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Feb 15*, 19*28*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *Victor Emmanuel the Third King of Italy* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Nick De George*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *2* day of *October*, A. D. 19*28*

*Leonida A. Kame*, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Nick De George*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *2nd* day of *October*, A. D. 19*28*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Sh. H. Ferguson*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2736746*, issued on the *2* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*28*

No. 2263

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

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Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

~~RECEIVED~~  
~~ON SEP 11 1925~~  
~~U.S. DEPT. OF LABOR~~  
~~IMMIGRATION~~  
Theophilactor Belios, aged 31 years,  
occupation ~~Bar Cleaner~~, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 2 inches,  
weight 120 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes brown,  
other visible distinctive marks none,

I was born in Tgiva, Greece  
on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of January, anno Domini 1893; I now reside  
at 38 Tyler Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio.  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Havre France  
on the vessel Do not remember; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Tgiva; I am not married; ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~

~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~ (wife) ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~ (husband); ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~ (he) was born at ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Present Government  
of Greece, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York,  
State of New York, on or about the 15th day  
of October, anno Domini 1905; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Theophilactor Belios*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 25th day of July, anno Domini 1924

[SEAL]

*A. H. Pontius*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Pauline C. Styles*, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1185

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Theophilactor Bellios hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 38 Tyler Ave. Ashtabula, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Hat-Cleaning Shop Proprietor  
 Third. I was born on the 24 day of January, anno Domini 1893, at Igwa, Greece  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from France, on or about the 2nd day of October  
 anno Domini 1905, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 15th day of October  
 anno Domini 1905, on the vessel Do not remember a French S. S. Line  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 25th day of July, anno Domini 1924  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am Not married. My wife's name is \_\_\_\_\_, [she] was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_  
 at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_ (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Greek Republic of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 15th day of October, anno Domini 1905, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 26th day of July, anno Domini 1917, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Theophilactor Bellios  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2263 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 23rd day of February, 1928  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Theophilactor Bellios  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

J. E. Creamer, occupation Merchant, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 and Walter Sheldon, occupation Manager Ashtabula, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Theophilactor Bellios, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of February, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

J. E. Creamer  
 (Signature of witness)  
Walter Sheldon  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 23rd day of February, anno Domini 1928 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

*Theophilactor Bellios*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Feb 23*, 19*28*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *The Greek Republic*, of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*X Theophilactor Bellios*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *2* day of *October*, A. D. 19*28*

*Loonelia A. Kramer*, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Theophilactor Bellios*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *2* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*28*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Chas. T. Ferguson*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2736747*, issued on the *2* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*28*

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(For use of aliens arriving in United States after June 29, 1906. To be issued immediately prior to petitioning for naturalization.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE**

46104

Commissioner of Immigration  
OFFICE OF -----  
Philadelphia Immigration Station,  
AT -----  
Gloucester City, Pa.  
Jan. 26, 1935 J.

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived at the port indicated, on the date and in the manner described below, viz:

Name of alien: Rosmann Stetan

Port of entry: Phila. Pa.

Date of arrival: July 9, 1912

Name of vessel:\* Haverford

TEB/W.

*Cleveland*

*J. M. Jones*  
Line

Assistant  
(Title) -----  
COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION,  
-----

\*Or railroad company, or any other conveyance.

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No. 2061

OCT 31 1924

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County

I, Steve Rozman, aged 31 years,  
occupation Farming, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion light, height 5 feet 3 1/2 inches,  
weight 145 pounds, color of hair light, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Darovar<sup>a</sup>, Jugo-Slavia  
on the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1891; I now reside  
at Colebrook Tp., Ashtabula Co., Ohio. RFD # 2, East Orwell, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England  
on the vessel Think vessel was marked "Liverpool-Haverford"; my last  
foreign residence was Darovar<sup>a</sup>, Jugo-Slavia; I am --- married; the name  
of my wife is Mary; she was born at Darovar<sup>a</sup>, Jugo-Slavia  
and now resides at RFD # 2, East Orwell, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Kingdom of the Serbs,  
Croats and Slovenes, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Philadelphia, Pa., in the  
State of Pennsylvania, on or about the 27 day  
of July, anno Domini 1913; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD.  
Steve Rozman  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 16 day of Sept., anno Domini 19 22.

[SEAL]

Ashtabula  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk.

REQUEST MADE FOR CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL

3477 E 53rd St

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Petition No. 1186

**AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES**

Com. Pleas Court of Ashtabula Co Ohio

In the matter of the petition of Steve Rosman to be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula Co } ss:

Emmie L. Smith, occupation housewife, residing at Wadsworth  
and \_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_

Steve Rosman, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of Jan, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of Jan, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Emmie L. Smith  
(Signature of witness.)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named witnesses in the office of the clerk of said court this 2 day \_\_\_\_\_ of October, anno Domini 1928 [SEAL.]

Conrad G. Warner Clerk,

By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1186

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio

The petition of Steve Rozman, hereby filed, respectfully showeth:

First. My place of residence is Colebrook Township (R. F. D. #2, East Orwell, Ohio) Ashtabula County Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is farmer

Third. I was born on the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1891, at Darovar, Jugoslavia

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool, England, on or about the 27th day of June,  
anno Domini 1912, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Philadelphia, Pa., on the 9th day of July,  
anno Domini 1912, on the vessel Haverford  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 16th day of September, anno Domini 1922  
at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Mary Rozman; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the      day of September, anno Domini 1893  
at Jugo-Slavia, and now resides at Colebrook Township (R. F. D. #2, East Orwell, Ohio)  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have three children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Steve, born March 13, 1917, at Cleveland, Ohio. George, born May 4, 1920, at Cleveland, Ohio. Edward, born Sept 3, 1922, at East Orwell, Ohio (Colebrook Tp.)  
All children reside in Colebrook Township, (R. F. D. #2, East Orwell, Ohio)

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Kingdom of Serbs, Croats & Slovenes of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 9th day of July, anno Domini 1912, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 27th day of July, anno Domini 1912 being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~Unaided petition for citizenship to the~~ Court of      at     , on the      day of     , anno Domini 1, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit      and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Steve Rozman  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2061 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 6th day of March, 1928  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County, ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Steve Rozman  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

H. P. Pridy, occupation farmer, residing at R. 2, E. Orwell, Ohio  
and E. L. Smith, occupation farmer, residing at R. 2, E. Orwell, Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Steve Rozman, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of March, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of March, anno Domini 1923, and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

H. P. Pridy  
(Signature of witness.)

E. L. Smith  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 6th day of March, anno Domini 1928

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

Filed March 6, 1928

Steve Rozman  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Serbs the Croats & of the Slovenes of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2nd day of Feb, A. D. 1928

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Steve Rozman, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said Steve Rozman, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of Steve Rozman and the motion of L.C. Fox Examiner for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1929, it appearing that the

1st day of Oct, 1929, it appearing that the applicant fails to prosecute,

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from Oct 2 - 1928 - to Apr 1929, 19\_\_\_\_  
from Apr 16 - 1929 to Oct 1929, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Absent & Con.

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

Eunice L. Smith, occupation Housewife, residing at Colebrook Ohio  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien:	Pasqualone, Antonio
Date of arrival for permanent admission:	September 9, 1920
Manner of arrival:	Mexico

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

495615

Issue No.



Commissioner of Naturalization.

NATURALIZATION DIVISION  
 FEB 10 1928  
 DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
 DEPT. OF LABOR  
 FEB 13 1928

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No. 2350

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

NATURALIZATION SERVICE  
RECEIVED  
JAN 19 1928  
DISTRICT COURT  
CLEVELAND, OHIO  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Anthony Pasqualone, aged 22 years, occupation molder, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 6 inches, weight 131 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes brown, other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Colleciovino, Italy on the 10 day of February, anno Domini 1903; I now reside at 21 Beech St., Geneva, Ohio

I emigrated to the United States of America from Havre, France on the vessel Mexico; my last foreign residence was Colleciovino, Italy

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
I am married; the name of my wife is Antoinette; she was born at Geneva, Ohio and now resides at 21 Beech St., Geneva, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to

Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject; I arrived at the port of New York, in the State of New York, on or about the 14 day

of September, anno Domini 1920; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein: SO HELP ME GOD.

Anthony Pasqualone  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 26 day of September, anno Domini 1925

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1187

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio at Jefferson, Ohio

The petition of Anthony Pasqualone hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is 10 1/2 Chestnut St., Geneva, Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is moulder

Third. I was born on the 10th day of February, anno Domini 1903, at Collecovino, Italy

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Havre, France, on or about the 23rd day of August anno Domini 1920, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 9th day of September anno Domini 1920, on the vessel Mexico (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 26th day of September, anno Domini 1925 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Antoinette; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 18th day of August, anno Domini 1908 at Geneva, Ohio, and now resides at 10 1/2 Chestnut St. Geneva, Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have two children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Raymond, born June 27, 1926, at Geneva, Ohio. Virginia May, born Feb. 15, 1928, at Geneva, Ohio. Both children reside at Geneva, Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 9th day of September, anno Domini 1920, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 16th day of September, anno Domini 1920, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Anthony Pasqualone  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2350 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 6th day of March, 1928  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Anthony Pasqualone  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

John Corcell, occupation laborer, residing at Geneva, Ohio  
and Paul V. Stanley, occupation mechanic, residing at 10 Lockwood St. Geneva, Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Anthony Pasqualone, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of March, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of March, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

John Corcell  
(Signature of witness)  
Paul V. Stanley  
(Signature of witness)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 6th day of March, anno Domini 1928 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

Anthony Pasqualone  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed March 6, 1928

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel the Third King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2 day of October, A. D. 1928  
Anthony Pasqualone  
Loonidia A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Anthony Pasqualone, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 2 day of October, A. D. 1928

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said Anthony Pasqualone, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court: Chas. B. Sargent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2736748, issued on the 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

No. 14996

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof  
THE STATE OF OHIO

MAHONING COUNTY } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of MAHONING COUNTY, OHIO

I, SAIMA MARIE SOPANEN, aged 23 years,  
occupation TEACHER, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color WHITE, complexion FAIR, height 5 feet 2 inches,  
weight 117 pounds, color of hair BLOND, color of eyes BROWN  
other visible distinctive marks NONE

I was born in WALKEALA FINLAND  
on the 5th day of MAY, anno Domini 1901; I now reside  
at Y.W.C.A. YOUNGSTOWN OHIO

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from LIVERPOOL ENGLAND  
on the vessel DO NOT REMEMBER; my last  
foreign residence was WALKEALA FINLAND; I am NOT married; the name  
of my {wife} is \_\_\_\_\_; {she} was born at \_\_\_\_\_  
{husband} is \_\_\_\_\_; {he} was born at \_\_\_\_\_  
and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to \_\_\_\_\_  
THE REPUBLIC OF FINLAND, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of PHILA., in the  
State of PENNA., on or about the --- day  
of APRIL, anno Domini 1904; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Saima Marie Sopanen*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 28th day of FEBRUARY, anno Domini 1925

[SEAL]

N. H. CHANEY

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By *J. H. Thomas*, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Saima Marie Hurst hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is Dorset, Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is housewife  
 Third. I was born on the 5th day of May, anno Domini 1901, at Walkeala, Finland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool, England, on or about the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
 anno Domini 1904, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Philadelphia, Pa., on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
 anno Domini 1904, on the vessel do not remember  
 (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 26th day of February, anno Domini 1926  
 at Youngstown, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Mahoning County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My ~~wife's~~ <sup>husband's</sup> name is Claude Hurst; ~~she~~ <sup>he</sup> was born on the 27th day of May, anno Domini 1914  
 at Dorset, Ohio, and now resides at Dorset, Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 I have 2 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of April, anno Domini 1904, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of April, anno Domini 1904, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Saima Marie Hurst  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 14996 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 28th day of March, 1928  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County, } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Saima Marie Hurst  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

C. D. Groves, occupation County Superintendent of Schools, residing at Jefferson, Ohio  
 and Don Mc Connell, occupation Deputy Treasurer, residing at Dorset, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Saima Marie Hurst, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of March, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of March, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

C. D. Groves  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Don Mc Connell  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 28th day of March, anno Domini 1928

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

Saima Marie Hurst  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed March 20, 1928

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Saima Marie Hurst

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2 day of October, A. D. 1928

Connelia A. Karned, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Saima Marie Hurst, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_ under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

[Signature], Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2736749, issued on the 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928



**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Koskinen, Viktor  
Date of arrival for permanent admission: May 9, 1909  
Manner of arrival: Cedric

**511311**

Issue No.

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR



Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Wiljam Victor Koskinen, aged 38 years,  
occupation laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white complexion fair, height 5 feet 7 inches,  
weight 180 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks end of first finger left hand scarred

I was born in Lahti, Finland  
on the 7 day of July, anno Domini 1887; I now reside  
at 17 Russell St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England  
on the vessel Cedric; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Lahti, Finland; I am un married; the name  
of my <sup>wife</sup> ~~husband~~ is Hilma; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born at Finland  
and now resides at 17 Russell St., Ashtabula, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to  
The Republic of Finland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 9 day  
of May, anno Domini 1909; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
**SO HELP ME GOD.**

Wiljam Victor Koskinen  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 26 day of March, anno Domini 1908

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Louise S. Norris Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio.

The petition of Mr. William Victor Koskinen hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is 17 Russell St Ashtabula Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Laborer

Third. I was born on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of July, anno Domini 1887, at Lahdi Finland

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool England on or about the 1<sup>st</sup> day of May anno Domini 1909 and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of May anno Domini 1909, on the vessel Cedrus  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of March, anno Domini 1926, at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Helena; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 17 day of February, anno Domini 1892 at Merijarvi Finland, and now resides at Ashtabula Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have 1 child, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Jerry born 21 day of March 1916 Waukegan Ill  
resides at Ashtabula Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 9<sup>th</sup> day of May, anno Domini 1909, and in the State of Ohio, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January, anno Domini 1919, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_ and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

William Victor Koskinen  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2381 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 5<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1928

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### The State of Ohio AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES Ashtabula County

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

William Victor Koskinen  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Wilhard Wuorimaki, occupation Electrician, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
and Emil Wiljamaa, occupation Carpenter, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known William Victor Koskinen, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Emil Wiljamaa  
(Signature of witness.)  
Wilhard Wuorimaki  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 5<sup>th</sup> day of April, anno Domini 1928

[SEAL]

Ornelis G. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

*William Victor Koskinen*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *April 5*, 19*28*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *the Republic of Finland* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*William Victor Koskinen*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *2* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*28*

*Loonelia A. Kramer*, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *William Victor Koskinen*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *2* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*28*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said *William Victor Koskinen*, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to *William Victor Koskinen*, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Chas. T. Sargent*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2736750*, issued on the *2* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*28*

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(For use of aliens arriving in United States after June 29, 1906. To be issued immediately prior to petitioning for naturalization.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE**

OFFICE OF Inspector in Charge\*

AT ST. JOHN, N. B.

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived at the port indicated, on the \_\_\_\_\_ manner described below, viz:

Name of alien: Edward George Duffett adm as Edward G. Duffett

Port of entry: Vanceboro, Maine

Date of arrival: June 26, 1922

Name of vessel:\* Canadian Pacific Railway Line

Sec 2-a-7 Act of May 19, 1921

*F. L. Twitcher*

(Title) Inspector in Charge\*

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Edward George Duffett, aged 24 years, occupation sailor, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 10 inches, weight 140 pounds, color of hair dark brown, color of eyes brown, other visible distinctive marks end off first finger right hand. I was born in Clifton, Newfoundland on the 13 day of September, anno Domini 1898; I now reside at 173, Park Ave., Conneaut, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Port Aux Basque, Newfoundland on the vessel Kyle and Canadian Pacific R. R.; my last foreign residence was Clifton, Newfoundland; I am not married; ~~she was born at~~ ~~and now resides at~~

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George the V, King of Great Britain and Ireland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Vanceboro, Maine, on or about the 26 day of June, anno Domini 1922; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein: SO HELP ME GOD.

*Edward George Duffett*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 14 day of May, anno Domini 1923

[SEAL]

*A. H. Pontius*  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By *E. A. Warren*, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Edward George Duffett hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is 389 Harbor St., Conneaut, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is switchman

Third. I was born on the 13 day of September, anno Domini 1848, at Clifton, Newfoundland

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Port aux Basques, Newfoundland, on or about the 24th day of June  
anno Domini 1922, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Yarborough, Maine, on the 26th day of June  
anno Domini 1922, on the vessel Canadian Pacific Railway  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 14th day of May, anno Domini 1923  
at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Clara Jane, <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 5th day of June, anno Domini 1905  
at Conneaut, Ohio, and now resides at 389 Harbor St., Conneaut, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have one child, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Jane Elizabeth, born April 22, 1926, at Conneaut, Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V, King of Great Britain & Ireland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 26th day of June, anno Domini 1922, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 27th day of June, anno Domini 1922, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Edward George Duffett  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2122 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 17th day of April, 1928

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States on or before June 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Edward George Duffett  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Fred Butler, occupation merchant, residing at Conneaut, Ohio  
and E. B. Harvey, occupation switchman, residing at Conneaut, Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known

Edward George Duffett, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that

the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Fred Butler  
(Signature of witness.)

E. B. Harvey  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 17th day of April, anno Domini 1928

[SEAL]

Conelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

Edward George Duffett  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed April 17, 1928

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V the King of Great Britain + Ireland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Edward George Duffett

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

Loonelia A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE--In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Edward George Duffett, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chas. B. Sargent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from, 19 to, 19
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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

, occupation, residing at
, occupation, residing at

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2885 752, issued on the 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

No. 1191

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Werner Erwin Bischoff hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 18 W. Govern Ave, Ashtabula, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Restaurant Proprietor  
 Third. I was born on the 13 day of October, anno Domini 1902, at St Gallen, Switzerland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Copenhagen Denmark, on or about the 24 day of August  
 anno Domini 1922 and arrived in the United States, at the port of West Hoboken N J, on the 4th day of September  
 anno Domini 1922, on the vessel Frederic VIII  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 23 day of January, anno Domini 1926  
 at Cleveland Ohio, in the District Court of United States  
 Sixth. I am not married. My (wife's) name is \_\_\_\_\_, (she) was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1926  
 at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
 I have no children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Swiss Confederation of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 4th day of September, anno Domini 1922, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 5th day of September, anno Domini 1922, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1922, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Werner Erwin Bischoff  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 55433 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 17 day of April, 1928  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Werner Erwin Bischoff  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

H. H. Grover, occupation Deputy Recorder, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and John Redding, occupation Fireman, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Werner Erwin Bischoff, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

John Redding  
 (Signature of witness.)  
H. H. Grover  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 17th day of April, anno Domini 1928 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Wagner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Werner Erwin Bischoff  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed April 17, 1928

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Swiss Confederation of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Werner Erwin Bischoff, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of Werner Erwin Bischoff and the motion of J. E. Fox

\_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this 2 day of Oct, 1928 it appearing that one witness is not qualified

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

Chas. B. Sargent, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**  
**BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION**  
**Cleveland, Ohio**

**April 13, 1928.**

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at **Ellis Island, New York.**

Name of alien: **Toivo Hotti**  
Date of arrival for permanent admission: **April 15, 1909**  
Manner of arrival: **S. S. Teutonic**

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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In re Petition for Naturalization

of Toivo Nurmi

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
Bureau of Naturalization

RECORD OF PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION:  
(Seventh Subdivision of Sec. 4, Naturalization  
Laws as Amended by Act of May 9, 1918, Public 144.)

STATE OF OHIO )  
                  )  
COUNTY OF ASHTABULA)

Toivo Nurmi, being duly sworn according to law, deposes

and says, that he has served for three years on board of Merchant of Vessels

of the United States of more than twenty tons burden, as follows:

Name of Vessel:	From:	To:
<b>Sirius</b>	<b>April 23, 1923</b>	<b>End of season</b>
<b>Pierce McLouth</b>	<b>Entire season of 1924</b>	
<b>Amazon</b>	<b>" seasons of 1925 and 1926</b>	
<b>S. Berg</b>	<b>April 13, 1927</b>	<b>N. v. 12, 1927</b>

That he made declaration of intention No. 2365 in the Common Pleas  
Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio on January 7, 1926.

Toivo Nurmi

Sworn to and subscribed before me  
this 17th day of April, 1928.

R. E. Fox  
U.S. Naturalization Examiner.

No. 2365

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Toivo Nurmi,, aged 21 years,  
occupation Sailor,, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion blond, height 5 feet 10 inches,  
weight 165 pounds, color of hair light brown, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Vdenmaan, Lani, Finland,  
on the 3rd day of April, anno Domini 1904; I now reside  
at R. F. D. 1. Kingsville, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from ~~IN 51X~~ Liverpool, England,  
on the vessel Tendonc; my las  
foreign residence was Voikkaa, Finland,; I am not married; ~~the name~~

~~of my wife~~ \_\_\_\_\_; ~~she~~ \_\_\_\_\_  
~~husband~~ \_\_\_\_\_; ~~he~~ \_\_\_\_\_  
and ~~now resides in~~ \_\_\_\_\_

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to  
The Republic of Finland,, of whom I am now a subject

I arrived at the port of New York,  
State of New York, on or about the 16th  
of April, anno Domini 1909; I am not an anarchist; I am  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside there  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Toivo Nurmi  
(Original signature of declarant)

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk  
said Court this 7th day of January, anno Domini 1909

Cornelia A. Warner,

Clerk of the Common Pleas

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy

No. 1192

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Jouvo Nurmi hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is R. F. D. #1, Kingsville, Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is sailor  
 Third. I was born on the 3rd day of April, anno Domini 1904, at Udensaan, Lani, Finland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Southampton, England or about the 3rd day of April  
 anno Domini 1909, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 15th day of April  
 anno Domini 1909, on the vessel Tentonic  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 7th day of January, anno Domini 1926  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am not married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is \_\_\_\_\_, <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_  
 at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_ (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 15th day of April, anno Domini 1909, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 16th day of April, anno Domini 1929, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Jouvo Nurmi  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2365 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 17th day of April, 1928  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Jouvo Nurmi  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Carl Lorentzen, occupation car operator, residing at 122 Harbor Ave, Ashtabula  
 and Emil Adolph Hakunsky, occupation farmer, residing at R. 1, Kingsville, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Jouvo Nurmi

the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of April, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of April, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Carl Lorentzen  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Emil A. Hakunsky  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 17th day of April, anno Domini 1928 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

Toivo Nurmi

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed April 17, 1928

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Republic of Finland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Toivo Nurmi

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 17 day of April, A. D. 1928

Connelia A. Harner, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Toivo Nurmi, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 17 day of April, A. D. 1928

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said Toivo Nurmi, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to Toivo Nurmi, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Charles F. Ferguson, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2736733, issued on the 17 day of April, A. D. 1928

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Jermann, Franz  
 Date of arrival for permanent admission: August 21, 1914  
 Manner of arrival: France

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

Issue No.

518443

*Raymond F. Crist*  
 Commissioner of Naturalization.

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 CLEVELAND, OHIO  
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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

United States of America, }  
Northern District of Ohio, } ss:

In the District Court of the United States,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

I, Frank Robert Jerman, aged 34 years,  
occupation tailor, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 6 inches,  
weight 150 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes brown,  
other visible distinctive marks none  
I was born in Wodia, Jugo Slavia  
on the 9 day of Aug, anno Domini 1890; I now reside  
at 26 W. main, Geneva, Ohio.

(Give number, street, and city or town.)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Havre, France  
on the vessel La France; my last  
foreign residence was Switzerland; I am un married; the name  
of my wife is Mary; she was born at Wheeling, W Va.  
and now resides at Geneva, with me

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to King of the Serbs, Croats, and Slovenes, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of N.Y., on or about the 20 day  
of Aug., anno Domini 1914 am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Frank Robert Jerman  
(Original signature of declarant.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court  
at Cleveland, Ohio, this 26 day of Jan.  
anno Domini 19 25 E. C. MILLER

[SEAL]

E. C. MILLER  
Clerk of the District Court of the United States.  
By [Signature], Deputy Clerk.

9 Holden Ct

Geneva Ohio

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No. 1193

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
The petition of Frank Robert German hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is 9 Holden Court Geneva Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Sailor

Third. I was born on the 9 day of August anno Domini 1890, at Wodice Jugoslavia (Austria)

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Home France, on or about the 14 day of August anno Domini 1914, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 21 day of August anno Domini 1914, on the vessel France  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 26th day of January anno Domini 1925 at Cleveland Ohio, in the District Court of United States

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Mary; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 14 day of November anno Domini 1894 at Wheeling W. Va., and now resides at 9 Holden Court, Geneva Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have 2 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Frank born 10 day of July 1918 at Cleveland Ohio  
Bernard .. 6 day of Feb 1921 at Geneva Ohio both reside in Geneva

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Alexander King of the Serbs Croats & Slovenes of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 21st day of August anno Domini 1914, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 22nd day of August anno Domini 1914, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Frank Robert German  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 52397 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 20 day of April, 1928  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Frank Robert German  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

and Joseph Berkopac occupation Machinist residing at Geneva Ohio  
and Anton Frenzel occupation Foreman residing at Geneva Ohio

each being severally duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Frank Robert German, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Anton Frenzel  
(Signature of witness.)

Joseph Berkopac  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 20th day of April, anno Domini 1928 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Frank Robert German  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed April 20, 1928

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Alexander I the King of the Serbs, the Croats + the Slovenes of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

X Frank Robert German

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

Leonida A. Kramer, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Frank Robert German, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

~~(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")~~

By the Court: Chas. T. Sargent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.  
\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2885751, issued on the 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor, stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**  
 BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION  
 CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
 ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: **Larson, Anders Wilhelm**  
 Date of arrival for permanent admission: **March 6, 1923**  
 Manner of arrival: **Drottningholm**

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

**524403**

Issue No.

*Raymond F. Crist*

*Commissioner of Naturalization.*

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Anders Wilhelm Larsson, aged 51 years, occupation Carpenter, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color white, complexion light, height 5 feet 7 inches, weight 184 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes blue, other visible distinctive marks none.

I was born in Ovansjo, Sweden, on the 20th day of December, anno Domini 1871; I now reside at 33 Station St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Goteborg, Sweden, on the vessel Drottningholm; my last foreign residence was Ovansjo, Sweden; I am married; the name of my wife is Albina; she was born at Soderala Sweden, and now resides at 33 Station St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Gustavus V. King of Sweden, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the State of New York, on or about the 6th day of March, anno Domini 1923; I am not an anarchist, I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Anders Wilhelm Larsson*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 15th day of Dec. anno Domini 1923

[SEAL]

*A. J. Pontus*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By *Pauline C. Styles*, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Anders Wilhelm Larsson hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 31 Superior St., Ashtabula (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is Laborer  
 Third. I was born on the 20 day of December, anno Domini 1871, at Evansjo, Sweden  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Goteborg, Sweden on or about the 24th day of February  
 anno Domini 1923, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 6th day of March  
 anno Domini 1923, on the vessel Drottningholm  
 (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 15th day of December, anno Domini 1923  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Albina; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 6th day of May, anno Domini 1882  
 at Sweden, and now resides at Ashtabula, Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 I have 4 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Melba born 17th day of June, 1906, at Reno, Nev resides in Chicago.  
Lars Melvin, born 15th day of June, 1907 at Sweden.  
Anna Mabel, born 28 day of Aug, 1909, at Sweden.  
Margaret Elizabeth, born 30 day of March, 1919, at Sweden.  
all three reside at home

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Gustavus V, King of Sweden of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 5th day of March, anno Domini 1923, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 10th day of March, anno Domini 1923, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the~~ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Anders Wilhelm Larsson  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2181 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 26 day of April, 1928  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Anders Wilhelm Larsson  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Eddie Alberg, occupation Leather Worker, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 and Charlie Alberg, occupation laborer, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_

Anders Wilhelm Larsson, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of April, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of April, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Eddie Alberg  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Charlie Alberg  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 26 day of April, anno Domini 1928 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

Filed April 26, 1928

Anders Wilhelm Larson  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Gustavus V the King of Sweden of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Anders Wilhelm Larson

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

Loonela A. Kerner, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Anders Wilhelm Larson, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Shas. H. Hargrett, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2885753, issued on the 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928



**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

APR 20 1928

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien:	Fortune, Robert
Date of arrival for permanent admission:	March 16, 1922
Manner of arrival:	Assyria

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

Issue No.

527829



Commissioner of Naturalization.

No. 2123, \_\_\_\_\_

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Robert Fortune, aged 30 years, occupation Professional Golfer, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color white, complexion Light, height 5 feet 7 1/2 inches, weight 135 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes Grey other visible distinctive marks None

I was born in Aberlady, Scotland, on the 11th day of April, anno Domini 1893; I now reside at Conneaut, Country Club, Conneaut, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Glasgow, Scotland on the vessel Assyria; my last foreign residence was Aberlady, Scotland; I am Not married; the name of my wife is \_\_\_\_\_; she was born at \_\_\_\_\_

~~and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_~~

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V, King of Great Britain & Ireland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the State of New York, on or about the 4th day of March, anno Domini 1922; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein: SO HELP ME GOD.

NATURALIZATION SERVICE  
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CLEVELAND, OHIO  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
Robert Fortune  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 21st day of May, anno Domini 1923

[SEAL]

A. H. Pontius  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By Pauline C. Style, Deputy Clerk.

Petition No. 1195

**AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES**

Ashtabula Co Court of Common Pleas.

In the matter of the petition of Robert Fortune to be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

J. L. Byers, occupation Merchant, residing at 133 Marshall St. Conneaut O  
and \_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_

Robert Fortune, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously

immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of Jan, anno Domini 1923 and in the State in which the above-

entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of Jan, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that

the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of witness.) J. L. Byers

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named witnesses in the office of the clerk of said court this 2 day

of October, anno Domini 1928

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk,

By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

No. 1195

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Robert Fortune hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 698 Main St. Conneaut Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is Professional Seaman  
 Third. I was born on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of April, anno Domini 1893, at Aberlady Scotland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Glasgow Scotland, on or about the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of March,  
 anno Domini 1922, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of March,  
 anno Domini 1922, on the vessel Assyria. (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of May, anno Domini 1923  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County  
 Sixth. I am not married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is \_\_\_\_\_; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1<sup>922</sup>  
 at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_ (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V King of the United Kingdom of Great Britain, whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 16<sup>th</sup> day of March, anno Domini 1922, and in the State of Ohio, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 17<sup>th</sup> day of March, anno Domini 1922, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1<sup>922</sup>, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of each denial has since been cured or removed.~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Robert Fortune  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2123 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 11<sup>th</sup> day of May, A.D., 1928  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Robert Fortune  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

M. R. Smith, occupation Atty, residing at Conneaut Ohio,  
 and E. T. Dorman, occupation Retired, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Robert Fortune, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

M. R. Smith  
(Signature of witness.)

E. T. Dorman  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 11<sup>th</sup> day of May, anno Domini 1928

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Stegler, Deputy Clerk.

Robert Fortune

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed May 11, 1928

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V the King of the United Kingdom of Great Britain & Ireland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Robert Fortune

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

Loonika A. Kramer, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Robert Fortune, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this day of A. D. 19

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L. pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chas. T. Sargent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

J. C. Byers, occupation Merchant, residing at 133 Marshall Boulevard

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2736739, issued on the 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

MAY 7 - 1928

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien:	<b>Pignotti, Michele</b>
Date of arrival for permanent admission:	<b>December 17, 1920</b>
Manner of arrival:	<b>Roussillon</b>

MAY 7 1928  
 DISTRICT OFFICE  
 CLERK OF DISTRICT COURT  
 FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

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The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Michele Pignotti, aged 28 years,  
occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 5 inches,  
weight 150 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Compobasso, Italy, (Macchiagodena)  
on the 23rd day of January, anno Domini 1898; I now reside  
at 767 Harbor St., Conneaut, Ohio.

I emigrated to the United States of America from Hayre, France  
on the vessel Rusciglion, (French Line); my last  
foreign residence was Compobasso, Italy; I am married; the name  
of my wife is Louisa; she was born at Pittsburg, Pa.,  
and now resides at Conneaut, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III,  
King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 18th day  
of December, anno Domini 1920;

I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Michele Pignotti*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 18th day of March, anno Domini 1926

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner,  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Pauline C. Styles*, Deputy Clerk.



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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Michele Pignotti hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 767 Harbor St., Conneaut, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is grocer  
 Third. I was born on the 23rd day of January, anno Domini 1898, at Comptobases, Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Havre, France, on or about the 5th day of December,  
 anno Domini 1920, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 17th day of December,  
 anno Domini 1920, on the vessel Russigion  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 18th day of March, anno Domini 1926  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Louisa; <sup>she</sup> was born on the do not know day of do not know, anno Domini 1920  
 at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, and now resides at 767 Harbor St., Conneaut, Ohio  
 I have two children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Bill Pignotti, born March 15, 1925, at Conneaut, Ohio.  
Vincent Pignotti, born March 9, 1927, at Conneaut, Ohio. Both  
children reside at Conneaut, Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 17th day of December, anno Domini 1920, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 15th day of April, anno Domini 1923, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Michele Pignotti  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2078 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 18th day of May, 1926  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, ss:  
 The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Michele Pignotti  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Giovanni R. Ciccone, occupation laborer, residing at 134 Orchard St., Conneaut, Ohio  
 and Luigi Mucciaroni, occupation laborer, residing at 166 Valley St., Conneaut, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Michele Pignotti, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of May, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of May, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Luigi Mucciaroni  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Giovanni R. Ciccone  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 18th day of May, anno Domini 1926. [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

Filed May 18, 1928

Michele Pignotti  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel The King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Michele Pignotti, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of Michele Pignotti and the motion of J. E. Fox Examiner

for the United States in open Court this

15 day of April, 1930, it appearing that Applicant fails to prosecute

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from Oct 2 - 1928 to Apr, 1928  
~~to from~~ Apr 16 - 1929 to Oct, 1929  
Continued from Oct 1 - 1929 to Apr, 1930  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_\_

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_\_

No. 2331

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County,

I, Michael Kuchta, aged 40 years,  
occupation Farmer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion light, height 5 feet 9 inches,  
weight 150 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes grey  
other visible distinctive marks scar upper lip extending thru end of nose  
I was born in Rymanow, Austria, now Poland,  
on the 21st day of November, anno Domini 1884; I now reside  
at Windsor, Ohio E.F. D. #3

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Hamburg, Germany  
on the vessel Patricia,; my last  
foreign residence was Rymanow Austria,; I am un married; the name  
of my wife is Sophia,; she was born at Austria,  
and now resides at Windsor, Ohio.

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Poland  
of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 10th day  
of August,, anno Domini 1905; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Michael Kuchta  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 15th day of June,, anno Domini 192 5

[SEAL]

A. H. Pontius  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1197

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Michael Kuchta hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is Windsor Ohio R.F.D. # 3  
 Second. My occupation is Farmer  
 Third. I was born on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of November, anno Domini 1884, at Pymonow Austria now Poland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Hamburg Germany, on or about the 24<sup>th</sup> day of July  
 anno Domini 1905, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of August  
 anno Domini 1905, on the vessel Patricia  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of June, anno Domini 1925  
 at Jefferson Ohio in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am not married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Sophia; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 9 day of July, anno Domini 1892  
 at Austria, and now resides at Windsor Ohio  
 I have 8 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Mary born July 9, 1912 at Minnesota Eva born Oct 15, 1924 Windsor  
Annie born Nov 16, 1913 at " Stephen Oct 14, 1927 "  
John born May 16, 1915 " " "  
Michael born June 1, 1917 " " "  
Ellen " Jan 6, 1920 " " "  
Julia " Sept 21, 1922 " Windsor. All reside in Windsor Ohio  
 Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Poland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.  
 Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 10<sup>th</sup> day of August, anno Domini 1905, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 17<sup>th</sup> day of April, anno Domini 1920, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.  
 Tenth. ~~I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court~~ (I made petition for citizenship to the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio, on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of November, anno Domini 1921, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit witness incompetent, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)  
 Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Michael Kuchta  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2331 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 24 day of May, 1928  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Gregory Kuchta not a relative Michael Kuchta  
occupation Farmer residing at Windsor Ohio  
and F. S. Frederick occupation " residing at "

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Michael Kuchta, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

F. S. Frederick  
(Signature of witness.)  
Gregory Kuchta  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 24<sup>th</sup> day of May, anno Domini 1928 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
By Paulius C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Michael Kuchta

Filed May 24, 1928

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Republic of Poland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Michael Kuchta

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2 day of October, A. D. 1928

Loonula A. Kanner, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Michael Kuchta, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chas. Sturgent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

, occupation, residing at, occupation, residing at

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2736737, issued on the 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION**

**BUFFALO, N. Y.**

This is to certify that the following-named alien was legally admitted into the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at **BUFFALO, N. Y.**

Name of alien: **Neil Mc Queen,**

Date of arrival: **July 4, 1919,**

Manner of arrival: **M.C.R.R.**

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MAY 9 1920  
DISTRICT OFFICE  
CLEVELAND, OHIO  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*  
Commissioner of Naturalization.

By *Antelman*  
Naturalization Examiner.



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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Neil A. MacQueen, aged 36 years,  
occupation assistant shipping master, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 10 inches,  
weight 190 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Cape Breton, Canada  
on the 1 day of February, anno Domini 1890; I now reside  
at 36 William St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Baddeck, Canada  
on the ~~vessel~~ either Grand Trunk or Michigan Central Ry.; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Baddeck, Canada; I am married; the name  
of my ~~husband~~ <sup>wife</sup> is Cora; ~~she~~ <sup>he</sup> was born at Shannonville, Canada  
and now resides at 36 William St., Ashtabula, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to

George V., King of Great Britain & Ireland of whom I am now a subject;  
I arrived at the ~~port of~~ Black Rock, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 3 day

of July, anno Domini 1919; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Neil A. MacQueen  
(Original signature of declarant)

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 3 day of June, anno Domini 1926

Cornelia A. Warner  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

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PORT OF Ashtabula

July 16 1928

Clerk of Courts  
 Jefferson, O.

Your letter to hand today regarding my initial only showing for middle name. I have no middle name the initial only is used as there was two names the same when I lived and to clear our mail at the Post Office I always used the letter A. and still use it.

Hoping this will clear up matters.

Yours truly,

Neil A. MacQueen

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No. 1198

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Neil A. MacQueen hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is 36 William St. Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is assistant shipping master  
 Third. I was born on the 1 day of February, anno Domini 1890, at Boulevardier Plage, Cape Breton, Canada  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Toronto, Ontario, Canada, on or about the 4<sup>th</sup> day of July  
 anno Domini 1919, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Black Rock, Mich., on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of July  
 anno Domini 1919, on the vessel Michigan Central R.R.  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 3 day of June, anno Domini 1926  
 at Jefferson Ohio, the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Cora; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 23 day of June, anno Domini 1899  
 at Shannonville, Ont. Canada, and now resides at 36 William St. Ashtabula, Ohio  
 I have one child, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Marjorie Jean, born Feb. 28, 1924, at Ashtabula, Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V King of the United Kingdom, etc. of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 4 day of July, anno Domini 1919, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 2 day of April, anno Domini 1923, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I had a petition for citizenship to the Court of ... and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: ... and the cause of each denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Declaration of Intention No. 2397 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 5<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1928  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Neil A. MacQueen the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of June, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of June, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Mrs. Charles E. White (Signature of witness.)  
Mrs. Charles Ellis (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 5<sup>th</sup> day of June, anno Domini 1928 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Neil A McQueen

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed June 5, 1928

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V the King of the United Kingdom of Great Britain etc of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Neil A. MacQueen

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2 day of October, A. D. 1928

Loarnelia A. Kanner, Clerk.

NOTE-In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Neil A. McQueen, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

W. H. August, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2885754, issued on the 4 day of Sept, A. D. 1928

*Recd 5-22-28 to appear 6-4-28*

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(For use of aliens arriving in United States after June 29, 1906. To be issued immediately prior to petitioning for naturalization.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

**IMMIGRATION SERVICE**  
~~the Commissioner~~

OFFICE OF Montreal, Canada.

AT \_\_\_\_\_

May 12, 1928

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived at the port indicated, on the date and in the manner described below, viz:

Name of alien: Cora Macqueen

Port of entry: Detroit, Mich.

Date of arrival: January 4th, 1921

Name of vessel:\* G. T. R.

566-57-10

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DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO.  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

**H. R. LANDIS**

U. S. Commissioner of Immigration

(Title)

by

Inspector in Charge, Statistical Division

\*Or railroad company, or any other conveyance.



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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Cora MacQueen, aged 26 years, occupation housewife, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color white, complexion brunette, height 5 feet 4 inches, weight 129 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes brown, other visible distinctive marks none.

I was born in Shannonville, Ontario, Canada on the 23 day of June, anno Domini 1899; I now reside at 36 William St., Ashtabula, Ohio.  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Shannonville, Canada on the ~~vessel~~ Grand Trunk Railway; my last foreign residence was Shannonville, Canada; I am married; the name of my <sup>wife</sup> ~~husband~~ is Neil; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born at Baddeck, Canada and now resides at 36 William St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V., King of Great Britain & Ireland, of whom I am now a subject; I arrived at the port of Detroit, in the State of Michigan, on or about the 4th day of January, anno Domini 1921; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Cora MacQueen*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 3 day of June, anno Domini 1926

[SEAL]

*Cornelia A. Warner*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Louise S. Norris*, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Cora MacQueen hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is 36 Williams St. Ashtabula, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Housewife  
 Third. I was born on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of June, anno Domini 1899, at Shannonville Ont Canada  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Toronto Ont Canada, on or about the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of January  
 anno Domini 1921, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Detroit Michigan, on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of January  
 anno Domini 1921, on the vessel Grand Trunk Railway  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of June, anno Domini 1926,  
 at Jefferson Ohio in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Neil; <sup>he</sup> was born on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of February, anno Domini 1890  
 at Boulevard Canada, and now resides at 36 Williams St. Ashtabula Ohio  
 I have one children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Marjorie Jean born 28 day of February 1924 At Ashtabula Ohio. Resides at Ashtabula Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Her Majesty King of Great Britain & Ireland etc of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 4<sup>th</sup> day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of April, anno Domini 1923, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Cora MacQueen  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2398 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 5<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1928

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Cora MacQueen  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Mrs Charles E. White, occupation Housewife, residing at 48 W. Loren Ave Ashtabula  
 and Mrs Charles Ellis, occupation Housewife, residing at 37 Williams St. Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Cora MacQueen the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of May, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of May, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Mrs Charles E. White  
(Signature of witness.)

Mrs Charles Ellis  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 5<sup>th</sup> day of June, anno Domini 1928

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Lorna M<sup>c</sup>Queen  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed June 5, 1928

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V the King of the United Kingdom of Great Britain of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

X Lorna MacQueen

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

Louella A. Kerner, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Lorna M<sup>c</sup>Queen, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chas. T. Tarrant, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2885755, issued on the 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

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This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien:

**Binchoff, Jean Arnold**

Date of arrival for permanent admission:

**October 27, 1919**

Manner of arrival:

**La Lorraine**

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*  
Commissioner of Naturalization

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss. of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Arnold Bischoff, aged 27 years,  
occupation restaurant proprietor, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 4 inches,  
weight 148 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in St. Gallen, Switzerland  
on the 28 day of August, anno Domini 1898; I now reside  
at 6 Walnut St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Havre, France  
on the vessel Lorraine; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

foreign residence was St. Gallen Switzerland; I am un married; the name  
of my <sup>wife</sup> ~~husband~~ is Elizabeth; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born at Ashtabula, Ohio  
and now resides at 6 Walnut St., Ashtabula, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to  
THE SWISS Confederation, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York  
State of New York, on or about the 28 day  
of October, anno Domini 1919; I am not an anarchist; I am not a

polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Arnold Bischoff*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 26 day of December, anno Domini 1925

[SEAL]

*Cornelia A. Warner*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Louise S. Norris*, Deputy Clerk.



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Petition No. 1200

**AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES**

In the matter of the petition of Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula Co. O.  
Arnold Jean Buschoff to be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

J. E. Creamer, occupation Merchants, residing at Ashtabula, O.  
and \_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_

Arnold Jean Buschoff, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of Jan, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of Jan, anno Domini 1923, and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

J. E. Creamer  
(Signature of witness.)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named witnesses in the office of the clerk of said court this 2 day of October, anno Domini 1925. [SEAL.]  
Cornelia A. Kramer, Clerk,

By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

No. 1200

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Arnold Jean Bischoff hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is 15 Walnut St Ashtabula Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Restaurant Proprietor  
 Third. I was born on the 28th day of August, anno Domini 1. 898, at St Gallen, Switzerland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Lafayette, France, on or about the 18th day of October  
 anno Domini 1. 919, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 29th day of October  
 anno Domini 1. 919, on the vessel La Terraine  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 26th day of December, anno Domini 1. 925  
 at Jefferson Ohio in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Elizabeth; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 30 day of January, anno Domini 1. 904  
 at Ashtabula Ohio, and now resides at 15 Walnut St Ashtabula Ohio  
 I have no children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Swiss Confederation of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 29th day of October, anno Domini 1. 919, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 19th day of March, anno Domini 1921, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1. \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Arnold Jean Bischoff  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2363 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 12th day of June, 1928  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

H. H. Grover occupation Dep. Recorder residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and Hilbert Harmon occupation Dr. Agent residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Arnold Jean Bischoff, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of May, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of May, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

H. H. Grover  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Hilbert Harmon  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 12th day of June, anno Domini 1928. [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner Clerk.  
 By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Filed June 12, 1928

Arnold Jean Bischoff  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Swiss Confederation of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

Arnold Jean Bischoff  
Arnold Jean Bischoff  
Louella A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Arnold Jean Bischoff, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said Arnold Jean Bischoff, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to Arnold Jean Bischoff, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 896), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Wm. H. Targent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

J.E. Creamer, occupation Merchant, residing at Cecilabula Okla.  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2885756, issued on the 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

APR 26 1927

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Rigo, Terenz

Date of arrival for permanent admission: May 7, 1909

Manner of arrival: Pannonia

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:



Commissioner of Naturalization.

Issue No. 384459

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Frank Rigo, aged 34 years,  
occupation Rivetter, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 9 1/2 inches,  
weight 175 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes gray  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Lelesz Austro-Hungary  
on the 4 day of August, anno Domini 1890; I now reside  
at 483 Columbus St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Fiume, Hungary  
on the vessel Penonia; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Lelesz Hungary; I am un married; the name  
of my <sup>wife</sup> ~~husband~~ is Helen; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born at Ashtabula, Ohio  
and now resides at 483 Columbus Street, Ashtabula, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The present government  
of Hungary, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 7 day  
of May, anno Domini 1909; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Frank Rigo  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 14 day of April, anno Domini 192 5

[SEAL]

A. H. Pontius  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Louise Norris, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1201

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Frank Rigo hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is 483 Columbus St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is roofer

Third. I was born on the 4th day of August, anno Domini 1890, at Lelesz-Austro-Hungary

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Hungary, on or about the 17th day of April  
anno Domini 1909, and arrived in the United States at the port of New York, on the 7th day of May  
anno Domini 1909, on the vessel Pannonia  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 14th day of April, anno Domini 1925  
at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Helen, <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 25th day of December, anno Domini 1893  
at Ashtabula, Ohio, and now resides at 483 Columbus St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have four children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Helen, born March 30, 1914, at Ashtabula, Ohio  
Frank, born October 6, 1916, at Ashtabula, Ohio  
Anna, born January 15, 1918, at Ashtabula, Ohio  
Isabel, born February 6, 1921, at Ashtabula, Ohio  
Unis Elizabeth, born January 4, 1926, at Ashtabula, Ohio  
all residing at Ashtabula, Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The present Government of Hungary of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 7th day of May, anno Domini 1909 and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 8th day of May, anno Domini 1909, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have ~~not~~ heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio, on the 4th day of June, anno Domini 1920, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit also on May 5, 1927, reason: false testimony given by applicant, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Frank Rigo  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2317 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 14th day of June, 1928  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, ss:

Frank

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Frank Rigo  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

H. A. Candela, occupation barber, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
and Frank Zisko, occupation car repairer, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known

Frank Rigo the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

H. A. Candela  
(Signature of witness.)

Frank Zisko  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 14th day of June, anno Domini 1928.

[SEAL]

Cornelia R. Warner, Clerk.

By Helen Coy, Deputy Clerk.

Frank Rigo

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed June 14, 1928

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the present Government of Hungary of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

X Frank Rigo

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Frank Rigo, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Shus. H. August, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

, occupation, residing at, occupation, residing at

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2885757, issued on the 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

No. 2359

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, } In the common pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County

I, Anthony Savarise, aged 23 years, occupation Machinist Helper, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color white, complexion Light, height 5 feet 7 1/2 inches, weight 150 pounds, color of hair Black, color of eyes Brown, other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Liviri, Italy on the 2 day of November, anno Domini 1903; I now reside at 12 1/2 Webb street, Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy on the vessel Patatia;

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

my last foreign residence was Liviri, Italy; I am married; the name of my wife is Sadie; she was born at Ashtabula and now resides at 12 1/2 Webb street, Ashtabula, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Brooklyn, State of New York, on or about the 25 day of May, anno Domini 1906; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD.

*Anthony Savarise*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 7 day of Nov., anno Domini 1925.

[SEAL]

*Cornelia A. Warner*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Jay W. Young*, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 12021209

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Anthony Savarise hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is 29 Harbor Ave Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Machinist Helper  
 Third. I was born on the 2nd day of November anno Domini 1902 at Livori Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples Italy, on or about the        day of do not know  
 anno Domini 1906, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 25th day of May  
 anno Domini 1906, on the vessel Patalia  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 7th day of November, anno Domini 1925  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am        married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Sadie was born on the 5th day of March, anno Domini 1904  
 at Ashtabula Ohio, and now resides at Ashtabula Ohio  
 I have 2 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Ernest born 1 day of April 1925 at Ashtabula Ohio  
Frederick born 21 day of Jan. 1927 at Ashtabula Ohio both reside at Ashtabula Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 25th day of May, anno Domini 1906, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 27 day of May, anno Domini 1906, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the Court of~~  
~~at~~ ~~on the~~ ~~day of~~ ~~anno Domini~~ ~~and the~~  
~~said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit~~  
~~and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Anthony Savarise  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2359 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this none day of none, 19        
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Anthony Savarise (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
H. A. Candela occupation Barber residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and A. J. Dupay occupation R.R. residing at 48 Case St Ashtabula Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Anthony Savarise the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of May, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of May, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

A. J. Dupay (Signature of witness.)  
H. A. Candela (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 18 day of June, anno Domini 1928 [SEAL]

Conelia A. Wagner, Clerk.  
 By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Anthony Savarise  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed June 18, 1928

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Anthony Savarise

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

Leonida A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Anthony Savarise, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chas. B. Stuyvesant, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 288570-8, issued on the 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION  
CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

MAR 17 1928

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Isgro, Carmelo

Date of arrival for permanent admission: March 20, 1913

Manner of arrival: San Guglielmo

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO  
DISTRICT DIRECTOR

MAR 22 1928

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

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Commissioner of Naturalization.

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No. 2300

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

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**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Carmelo Isgro, aged 46 years,  
occupation Labor, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion Dark, height 5 feet 4 inches,  
weight 150 pounds, color of hair Dark Brown, color of eyes Brown,  
other visible distinctive marks None

I was born in S. Filippo Del Mele, Italy  
on the 5th day of June, anno Domini 1878; I now reside  
at 4 Webb St., Ashtabula, Ohio,  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Messina, Italy  
on the vessel S. Guglielmo Siculo Americana; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was S. Filippo Del Mele, Italy; I am married; the name  
of my {wife} is Rosolia; {she} was born at Pace del Mele, Italy  
{husband} and now resides at Italy,

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III,  
King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 18th day  
of May, anno Domini 1913; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Carmelo Isgro*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 9th day of February, anno Domini 1925

[SEAL]

*A. H. Pontius*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Pauline C. Style*, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

The petition of Carmelo Isgro

First. My place of residence is 18 Fifth St. Ashtabula Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Laborer

Third. I was born on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of June, anno Domini 1878, at S. Filippo Del Melle, Italy

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Messina, Italy, on or about the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of March, anno Domini 1913, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, N.Y., on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of March, anno Domini 1913, on the vessel S. Guglielmo Suda Americana  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of February, anno Domini 1925 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

Sixth. I am 2 married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Roselia; <sup>she</sup> was born on the        day of       , anno Domini 1 at Pace del Melle, Italy, and now resides at Italy  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have 2 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Josephine Isgro, born 12<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1911, at Italy  
Frank Isgro, born 16<sup>th</sup> day of Oct. 1912, at Italy, now both reside in Italy.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 18<sup>th</sup> day of March, anno Domini 1913, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 21<sup>st</sup> day of March, anno Domini 1913, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the~~ Court of        at       , on the        day of       , anno Domini 1, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit       , and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Carmelo Isgro  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2300 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 21 day of June, 1925.

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Carmelo Isgro  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Joseph Napolitano, occupation Notary Public, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
and J. A. Caudela, occupation Barber, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known

Carmelo Isgro, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

J. A. Caudela  
(Signature of witness.)  
Joseph Napolitano  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 21<sup>st</sup> day of June, anno Domini 1925 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
By       , Deputy Clerk.

Filed June 21, 1928

Carmelo Segro  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Carmelo Segro

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

Cornelia A. Harmer, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Carmelo Segro, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

W. H. Sturgis, Judge

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

, occupation, residing at

, occupation, residing at

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2585768, issued on the 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

JUN 14 1928

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien:	Rolland, William
Date of arrival for permanent admission:	March 27, 1923
Manner of arrival:	Cameronia

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

Issue No.

559033



Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, }  
Ashtabula County, } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, William Rolland, aged 23 years,  
occupation machinist, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 6 inches,  
weight 126 pounds, color of hair sandy, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Forfar, Scotland  
on the 13 day of October, anno Domini 1899; I now reside  
at 40, Erie St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Glasgow, Scotland  
on the vessel Cameronia; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Forfar Scotland; I am not married; the name  
of my wife is; she was born at  
and now resides at

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George the V, King of  
Great Britain and Ireland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 30 day  
of March, anno Domini 1923; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*William Rolland*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 2 day of April, anno Domini 1923.

[SEAL]

*A. H. Pontius*  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By *B. A. Warner*, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1204

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of William Rolland hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 7 Jefferson St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is brick layer  
 Third. I was born on the 13th day of October, anno Domini 1899, at Forfar, Scotland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Glasgow, Scotland, on or about the 17th day of March,  
 anno Domini 1923, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 27th day of March,  
 anno Domini 1923, on the vessel Cameronia  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 2nd day of April, anno Domini 1923  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Vera Rolland; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 29th day of September, anno Domini 1901  
 at Ashtabula, Ohio, and now resides at 7 Jefferson St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 I have no children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V, King of Great Britain and Ireland, etc., of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 30th day of March, anno Domini 1923, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 1st day of April, anno Domini 1923 being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

William Rolland  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2100 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 25th day of June, 1928.

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

William Rolland  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Harry Bogar, occupation foreman, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 and John Halmon, occupation plumber, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known William Rolland, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Harry Bogar  
(Signature of witness.)  
John Halmon  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 25th day of June, anno Domini 1928

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

William Rolland

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed June 25, 1928

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George the V the King of the United Kingdom of Great Britain &c of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

William Rolland

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1928

Leonida A. Hamer, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of William Rolland, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 1st day of Oct, A. D. 1928

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from Oct 2 - 1928 to Apr 1928, 19\_\_\_\_  
to from Apr 16 - 1929 to Oct 1929, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Absent  
Absent & Cow.

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 3192704, issued on the 1st day of Oct, A. D. 1928

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(For use of aliens arriving in United States after June 29, 1906. To be issued immediately prior to petitioning for naturalization.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE**

OFFICE OF COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION,

AT BOSTON, MASS: JUN 15 1928

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived at the port indicated, on the date and in the manner described below, viz:

Name of alien: **KOUSTA KOMULAINEN**

Port of entry: **BOSTON, MASS:**

Date of arrival: **MAY 24, 1911.**

Name of vessel:\* **S.S. FRANCONIA**

*Anna C. M. Tullaghan* Line **CUNARD**

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(Title) **COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION**

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No. 2377

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

NATURALIZATION SERVICE  
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CLEVELAND, OHIO  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

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## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Konsta H. Komulainen, aged 35 years,  
occupation laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 11 inches,  
weight 195 pounds, color of hair light, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Kuhmonieni, Finland  
on the 12 day of February, anno Domini 1 891; I now reside  
at 15 Superior Street, Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England  
on the vessel Franconia; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Kuhmonieni, Finland; I am not married; ~~the same~~  
~~of my~~ <sup>[wife]</sup> ~~is~~ <sup>[she]</sup> ~~is~~ <sup>[he]</sup> ~~is~~  
~~and now resides at~~

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to

The Republic of Finland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Boston, in the  
State of Massachusetts, on or about the 24 day  
of May, anno Domini 1 911; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD.

*Konsta H. Komulainen*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 11 day of March, anno Domini 1926

[SEAL]

*Cornelia A. Harner*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Louise S. Norris*, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1205

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Kousta Komulainen hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is 15 Superior St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is laborer  
 Third. I was born on the 12th day of February, anno Domini 1891, at Kuhmoniemi, Finland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool, England, on or about the 15th day of May,  
 anno Domini 1911, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Boston, Mass., on the 24th day of May,  
 anno Domini 1911, on the vessel Franconia  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 11th day of March, anno Domini 1926  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am not married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is \_\_\_\_\_; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_  
 at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 14th day of May, anno Domini 1911, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1916, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Kousta Komulainen  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2377 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 25th day of June, 1928.  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Kousta Komulainen  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

W. Wuorimaki, occupation electrician, residing at 12 Key St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
 and Emil Wiljamaa, occupation carpenter, residing at 188 Lake, Ashtabula, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Kousta Komulainen, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Walter Wuorimaki  
(Signature of witness.)  
Emil Wiljamaa  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 25th day of June, anno Domini 1928. [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
 By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

Konsta Komulainen

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed June 25, 1928

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Republic of Finland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

X Konsta Komulainen

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

Leonida A. Kramer, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Konsta Komulainen, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said Konsta Komulainen, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to Konsta Komulainen, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chas. S. Targent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2885759, issued on the 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

1A-215 [INSERT ON FOLLOWING LINES MARRIAGES AND BIRTHS OCCURRING AFTER PETITIONING AND BEFORE NATURALIZATION.]

Stanley John [Signature]



**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION  
CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

RECEIVED  
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NATURALIZATION DIVISION  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the 13th day of May 1912 and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: **Ruck, Adam**  
Date of arrival for permanent admission: **May 13, 1912**  
Manner of arrival: **George Washington**

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

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Issue No.

*Raymond F. Crist*  
Commissioner of Naturalization.

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No. 2133

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, }  
Ashtabula County } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Adam Ruck, aged 25 years,  
occupation Farmer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 4 inches,  
weight 165 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes grey  
other visible distinctive marks none  
I was born in Almas Kamaras, Hungary  
on the 12 day of May, anno Domini 1896; I now reside  
at R. F. D. #4, Geneva, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Bremen, Germany  
on the vessel George Washington; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Almas Kamaras, Hungary; I am married; the name  
of my wife is Elizabeth; she was born at Hungary  
and now resides at Geneva, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Present Government  
of Hungary, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 12th day  
of May, anno Domini 1912; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Adam Ruck*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 19th day of July, anno Domini 1923

[SEAL]

*A. J. Pontius*  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court

By *Pauline C. Styles*, Deputy Clerk.

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*[Faint, illegible handwriting]*

*[Faint, illegible handwriting]*

No. 1206

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Adam Ruck hereby filed, respectfully showeth:

First. My place of residence is R. F. D. #1, Rock Creek, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is farmer

Third. I was born on the 12th day of June, anno Domini 1896, at Almas Kamaras, Hungary

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Bremen, Germany, on or about the 4th day of May,  
anno Domini 1912, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 13th day of May,  
anno Domini 1912, on the vessel George Washington  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 19th day of July, anno Domini 1923  
at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Elizabeth Ruck, <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1897,  
at Westrem, Hungary, and now resides at R. F. D. #1, Rock Creek, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have three children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Elizabeth Ruck, born Sept. 15, 1918, at Cleveland, Ohio.  
Rosa Ruck, born Oct. 23, 1921, at Geneva, Ohio.  
Anna Marie Ruck, born Dec. 31, 1926, at Rock Creek, Ohio. all  
children reside at R. F. D. #1, Rock Creek, Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the present Government of Hungary of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 13th day of May, anno Domini 1912, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 15th day of May, anno Domini 1912, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Adam Ruck  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2133 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 21st day of June, 1928,  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Adam Ruck  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Harry R. Parker, occupation farmer, residing at Rock Creek, Ohio  
and E. L. Sutcliffe, occupation farmer, residing at Geneva, Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Adam Ruck, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Harry R. Parker  
(Signature of witness.)  
E. L. Sutcliffe  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 27th day of June, anno Domini 1928. [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

John Cox, Deputy Clerk.

Filed June 27, 1928

Adam Ruck

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Present Government of Hungary of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Adam Ruck

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2 day of October, A. D. 1928

Leonida A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Adam Ruck, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Phas. K. Sargent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2885760, issued on the 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1928

14-215 [INSERT ON FOLLOWING LINES MARRIAGES AND BIRTHS OCCURRING AFTER PETITIONING AND BEFORE NATURALIZATION.]

Stanley John G. Ho

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**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(For use of aliens arriving in United States after June 29, 1906. To be issued immediately prior to petitioning for naturalization.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE**

OFFICE OF COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION

JAN 5 1927

AT BOSTON, MASS.

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived at the port indicated, on the date and in the manner described below, viz:

Name of alien: Domenico Tabucero

NATURALIZATION SERVICE RECEIVED

Port of entry: BOSTON, MASS.

Date of arrival: March 21, 1928

MAY 22 1928

Name of vessel: \* " Celtic "

DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO.  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

(Title) W. Star  
COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION

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\*Or railroad company, or any other conveyance.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio }  
County of Ashtabula } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Domenick Palmieri, aged 23 years,  
occupation laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 5 inches,  
weight 135 pounds, color of hair dark brown, color of eyes brown  
Other visible distinctive marks None  
I was born in Marcianise, Italy  
on the 27th day of November, anno Domini 1898; I now reside  
555 Wrights Avenue, Conneaut, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy  
on the vessel Credic; my last  
foreign residence was Marcianise, Italy; I am not married; the name  
of my wife is \_\_\_\_\_; she was born at \_\_\_\_\_

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III.  
of whom I am now a subject;  
I arrived at the port of Boston, Mass., in the  
State of Massachusetts, on or about the 20th day

March, anno Domini 1920; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
HELP ME GOD.

Domenick Palmieri  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 3 day of Dec., anno Domini 1921

[SEAL]

A. H. Pontius

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Katherine M. Hummel, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio

The petition of Domenick Palmieri, hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is 539 Blair St., Conneaut, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is laborer

Third. I was born on the 27th day of November, anno Domini 1898, at Marcianisi, Italy

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples, Italy, on or about the 5th day of March,  
anno Domini 1920, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Boston, Mass, on the 20th day of March,  
anno Domini 1920, on the vessel Credic  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 3rd day of December, anno Domini 1921,  
at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Mary Palmieri; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 29th day of March, anno Domini 1905,  
at Conneaut, Ohio, and now resides at 539 Blair St., Conneaut, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have two children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Mary Josephine, born Oct. 31, 1922, at Conneaut, Ohio.  
Mary Margaret, born May 7th, 1927, at Rochester, Pennsylvania.  
Both children reside at 539 Blair St., Conneaut, Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 20th day of May, anno Domini 1920, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 4th day of April, anno Domini 1927, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have ~~not~~ heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the Common Pleas Court of Beaver City, Pa. at Beaver City, Pa., on the      day of April, anno Domini 1926, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit moved out of city & State and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Domenick Palmieri  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2009 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 28th day of June, 1928  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Domenick Palmieri  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Nicholas E. Ross, occupation store Mgr., residing at 424 Jackson St., Conneaut  
and Pietro Di Pofi, occupation laborer, residing at 524 Madison St., Conneaut

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Domenick Palmieri, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 4th day of April, anno Domini 1927; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Nicholas E. Ross  
(Signature of witness)

Pietro Di Pofi  
(Signature of witness)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 28th day of June, anno Domini 1928.

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Helena Cox, Deputy Clerk.

Domenick Palmieri  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed June 28, 1928

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Domenick Palmieri, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of Domenick Palmieri and the motion of Mrs Sautera Examiner for the United States in open Court this 30 day of Sept, 1930, it appearing that Conflict in statement & Proof

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge. ✓

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from <u>Oct 2 - 1928 to Apr</u> , 19 <u>28</u>	<u>Depositions</u>
to <u>from Apr 16 1929 to Oct</u> , 19 <u>29</u>	<u>Depositions</u>
Continued from <u>Oct 1 1929 to Apr</u> , 19 <u>30</u>	<u>Depositions</u>
<u>from April 15-1930 to Sept</u> , 19 <u>30</u>	

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Jefferson, Ohio.

I, Antonio Serice, aged 38 years,  
occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 8 1/2 inches,  
weight 175 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes brown,  
other visible distinctive marks scar on back of head,

I was born in Sperone, Italy,  
on the 16th day of October, anno Domini 1887; I now reside  
at 202 Columbus St., Ashtabula, Ohio,  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy  
on the vessel Italia;

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Sperone, Italy; I am married; the name  
of my {wife} is Amelia; {she} was born at Ashtabula, Ohio  
and now resides at Ashtabula, Ohio;

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Victor Emmanuel III,  
King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 18th day  
of May, anno Domini 1905; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Antonio Serice*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 19th day of June, anno Domini 1926

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner,

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Pauline C. Styles*, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Antonio Sorice hereby filed, respectfully showeth:

First. My place of residence is 202 Columbus St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Laborer

Third. I was born on the 16 day of October, anno Domini 1887, at Sperone, Italy

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples, Italy, on or about the 5<sup>th</sup> day of May  
anno Domini 1905, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of May  
anno Domini 1905, on the vessel Italia  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of June, anno Domini 1926,  
at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Amelia; <sup>husband's</sup> she was born on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of March, anno Domini 1898,  
at Ashtabula, Ohio, and now resides at 202 Columbus St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have 4 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Rosie Sorice born Oct 4 - 1917 at Ashtabula  
Constance Sorice born 8 Dec. 1921 at Ashtabula  
Eleanor Sorice born 5 of August 1924, at Ashtabula Ohio  
Mary Sorice born 13 day of Sept 1926, at Ashtabula Ohio  
All reside at Ashtabula

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 18 day of May, anno Domini 1905, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 15 day of September, anno Domini 1907, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1918, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit because did not pass examination, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Antonio Sorice  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2403 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this None required day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Antonio Sorice  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Nick Corrado, occupation Merchant, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
and Albert Guerini, occupation Laborer, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Antonio Sorice, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of April, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of April, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Nick Corrado  
(Signature of witness.)

Albert Guerini  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 20<sup>th</sup> day of June, anno Domini 1928

[SEAL]

Cornelia C. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Style, Deputy Clerk.

Antonio Sorice

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed June 28, 1928

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Antonio Sorice

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

Emilia A. Warner, Clerk.
By Christine C. Styles, Deputy

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Antonio Sorice, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chas. H. Sargent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from Oct 2 - 1928 to April, 1929

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

, occupation, residing at
, occupation, residing at

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2885767, issued on the 16 day of April, A. D. 1929



AFFIDAVIT OF PETITIONER.

THIS FORM TO BE USED IN EVERY CASE WHERE A PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION IS FILED UNDER THE SUBDIVISION, SECTION 4, ACT OF JUNE 29, 1906, AS AMENDED BY THE ACT OF MAY 9 1918 (PUBLIC No 144). It is required by section 4 of the act of 1906, which provides, in part, that "The petition shall set forth \* \* \* every fact material to his naturalization and required to be proved upon the final hearing of his application."  
Three copies should be made, one attached to the original petition by the clerk of court, and the other two copies forwarded to the Bureau of Naturalization for record purposes.

In the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

In the matter of the Petition of

John Joseph Redding

Petition No. 1209

To be admitted a citizen of the United States.

The petitioner above named, being first duly sworn, on oath deposes and says:

FIRST.—That on June 30, 1928, I filed a petition for naturalization in the court named above, and submit this affidavit, under the terms of section 4 of the naturalization act of 1906, to be filed with and made a part of said petition.

SECOND.—On the date indicated immediately below I was informed by the following-named person or persons that I was a citizen of the United States.

After becoming of age on July 12, 1883, I was informed by my father  
(Date as near as known.)

Michael Redding that he was a naturalized citizen, having been nat-  
(Here state the name or names of affiant's informants, their occupation at the time such information was given, address at that time, and present address,

uralized when I was a minor, and that I was a citizen. I at once vo-  
if known.)

ted and was informed by the Election officials that I was a citizen.  
(If the affiant knew he was not a citizen, but believed he could become such without a compliance with the general requirements of the naturalization laws,

This was in Allegheny Township, Westmoreland Co., Penna.  
he should state the steps he thought it necessary to take, and the reason for his impression.)

THIRD.—I continued to believe as above indicated until the date shown below when I became apprised under the following circumstances that my impression was erroneous.

I was requested by Judge Sargent to present my father's naturalization  
(Date.)

papers to him on April 17, 1928, for his inspection, as I was a wit-  
ness for an applicant for citizenship papers, and have been unable to  
locate the same.

FOURTH.—I have exercised the following rights and duties of a citizen of the United States:

I served on Grand Jury at Greensburg, Westmoreland Co., Penna at the

February Term, 1887; while residing in Montpelier Blackford Co. Ind.  
This statement should include dates and all pertinent facts. (If the affiant has held public office, served on jury, voted, or proved up on public land, all the particulars should be set forth.)

served as delegate to the Republican Congressional Convention of th  
8th District (Ind). I have always voted when time of residence per-  
mitted me to do so.

*John Joseph Redding*  
(Original signature of affiant.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of July, 19 28

[SEAL]

*Conrad A. Warner*  
Clerk of Court.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of John Joseph Redding hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is 72 Main St. Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Steel Worker  
 Third. I was born on the 12th day of July anno Domini 1862 at Wigan Lancashire England  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool England on or about the 15th day of June  
 anno Domini 1864, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York N. Y. on the 1st day of July  
 anno Domini 1864, on the vessel Do not know  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the none required day of none required, anno Domini 1  
 at \_\_\_\_\_, in the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_  
 Sixth. I am not married. My wife's name is \_\_\_\_\_; she was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1  
 at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
 I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Her King of the United Kingdom of Great Britain of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 1st day of July anno Domini 1864, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 7th day of August anno Domini 1901, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

none required

John Joseph Redding  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

Declaration of Intention No. \_\_\_\_\_ and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States on or before June 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."  
Application made under sub-division 10 of section 7 of the Act of June 29, 1906  
Because of misinformation regarding his citizenship status  
**AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES**

The State of Ohio  
County of Ashtabula ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

John Joseph Redding  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

J. F. Shellhammer occupation Steel Worker residing at Ashtabula R. 2<sup>nd</sup> Ohio  
 and J. D. Swank occupation \_\_\_\_\_ residing at 9 Aruan Ave Asht. Ohio  
 each being severally, duly and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_

John Joseph Redding the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

J. F. Shellhammer  
(Signature of witness)  
J. D. Swank  
(Signature of witness)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 30 day of June, anno Domini 1928 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Hamer, Clerk.

*John Joseph Redding*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *June 30*, 19*28*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *George the V* the *King* of the *United Kingdom of Great Britain etc* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*John Joseph Redding*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *2* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*28*

*Loonelia A. Karnes*, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *John Joseph Redding*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *2* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*28*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Shirley Sargent*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2885761*, issued on the *2* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*28*

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

**JUN 22 1928**

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien:	Laahanen, Kalle
Date of arrival for permanent admission:	October 25, 1913
Manner of arrival:	Baltic

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 DIVISION NO. 2410  
 JUN 20 1928

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

Issue No.

**562108**

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Kalle Henrik Laahnen, aged 32 years, occupation carpenter, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 7 inches, weight 145 pounds, color of hair light, color of eyes blue, other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Wutaheari, Finland on the 11 day of August, anno Domini 1893; I now reside at 331 Lake St., Ashtabula, Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England on the vessel Baltic; my last foreign residence was Wutaheari, Finland; I am married; the name of my wife Elli; she was born at Finland and now resides at 331 Lake St., Ashtabula, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the State of New York, on or about the 25 day of October, anno Domini 1913; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein: SO HELP ME GOD.

Kalle Henrik Laahnen  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 19 day of May, anno Domini 1926

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Harner

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Kalle Henrik Laasanen hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is 15 Roger St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is car repairer  
 Third. I was born on the 11th day of August, anno Domini 1893, at Wittasari, Finland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool, England, on or about the 12th day of October,  
 anno Domini 1913, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 25th day of October,  
 anno Domini 1913, on the vessel Baltic  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 19th day of May, anno Domini 1926  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Elli Laasanen; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 17th day of June, anno Domini 1897  
 at Raabe, Finland, and now resides is deceased  
 I have one child, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Elsi Laasanen, born Sept. 4, 1920 at Ashtabula, Ohio and resides  
at Ashtabula, Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 25th day of October, anno Domini 1913, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 27th day of October, anno Domini 1913, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_ and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_~~)  
 (~~and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Kalle Henrik Laasanen  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2394 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 9th day of July, 1928  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County, } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Kalle Henrik Laasanen  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

W. Wuorimaki, occupation electrician, residing at 12 Key St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
 and Anton Jussila, occupation car repairer, residing at 3 Knapp Co., Ashtabula, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Kalle Henrik Laasanen, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of July, anno Domini 1928, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of July, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Richard Wuorimaki  
 (Signature of witness.)

Anton Jussila  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 9th day of July, anno Domini 1928 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

Kalle Henrik Laahanen  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed July 9, 1928

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to ..... the Republic of Finland ..... of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

x Kalle Henrik Laahanen

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929  
Loonelia A. Horned, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Kalle Henrik Laahanen, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said ..... that his name be, and hereby is, changed to ..... under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court: S. H. T. Tarrant, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of ..... and the motion of ..... for the United States in open Court this ..... day of ....., 19....., it appearing that.....

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

....., Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from....., 19.....  
to....., 19.....  
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to....., 19.....

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

....., occupation ....., residing at .....,  
....., occupation ....., residing at .....

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2885769, issued on the 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**  
 BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION  
 CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
 ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

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DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
 ELLIS ISLAND, N. Y.  
 DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Weedall, Herbert  
 Date of arrival for permanent admission: July 6, 1923  
 Manner of arrival: Maruetaia

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

Issue No.

**573392**

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

DISTRICT OFFICE OF  
CLEVELAND, OHIO.  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Herbert Weedall, aged 43 years,  
occupation Clerk, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion medium, height 5 feet 11 inches,  
weight 180 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks None

I was born in Northwich, Cheshire, England,  
on the 4th day of August, anno Domini 1880; I now reside  
at 63 Division Street, Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Southampton, England,  
on the vessel Mauretania; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Northwich, England; I am ----- married; the name  
of my ~~husband~~ <sup>wife</sup> is Kate Weedall; ~~she~~ <sup>she</sup> was born at Northwich, England,  
and now resides at 63 Division St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V. King of  
Great Britain and Ireland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 6th day  
of July, anno Domini 1923; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD.

Herbert Weedall  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 19 day of April, anno Domini 1924.

[SEAL]

Asst. Auditor  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By \_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

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No. 1211

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio

The petition of Herbert Weedall hereby filed, respectfully showeth:

First. My place of residence is 10 1/2 Valley View St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Court Clerk

Third. I was born on the 4th day of August, anno Domini 1880, at Northwich, England

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Southampton, England, on or about the 30th day of June,  
anno Domini 1923, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 6th day of July,  
anno Domini 1923, on the vessel Mauritania  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 17th day of April, anno Domini 1924  
at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Kate Weedall; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 30th day of August, anno Domini 1879  
at Northwich, England, and now resides at 10 1/2 Valley View St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have no children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V, King of Great Britain & Ireland, etc. of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 6th day of July, anno Domini 1923, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 7th day of July, anno Domini 1923, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Herbert Weedall  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2229 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 24th day of July, 1928

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Herbert Weedall  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Clara Palmer, occupation housewife, residing at 55 Division St., Ashtabula  
and George Bennett, occupation hardware dealer, residing at Jefferson, Ohio  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known

Herbert Weedall, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 15th day of July, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 15th day of July, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

G. L. Bennett  
(Signature of witness.)  
Clara C. Palmer  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 24th day of July, anno Domini 1928.

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

Herbert Keedall  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed July 24, 1928

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V the King of Great Britain and Ireland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Herbert Keedall

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929  
Loonnie A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Herbert Keedall, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court: Geo. T. Hargrett, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2885-772, issued on the 16 day of April, A. D. 1929



**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien:                      **Giurcio, Giuseppe**  
 Date of arrival for  
 permanent admission:              **March 18, 1908**  
  
 Manner of arrival:                  **Cedric**

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:



Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

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Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Giuseppe Curcio, aged 38 years,  
occupation boilermaker helper, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 6 inches,  
weight 155 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes brown,  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Marigliano, Italy  
on the 21 day of April, anno Domini 1887; I now reside  
at 51 Bancroft Street, Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy  
on the vessel Cedric; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

foreign residence was Marigliano, Italy; I am un married; the name  
of my ~~husband~~ <sup>wife</sup> is Mary; ~~she~~ <sup>he</sup> was born at Ashtabula, Ohio  
and now resides at 51 Bancroft St., Ashtabula, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to

Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 18 day

of March, anno Domini 1908; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Giuseppe Curcio  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 6 day of November, anno Domini 1925

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio

The petition of Giuseppe Curcio hereby filed, respectfully showeth:

First. My place of residence is 51 Bancroft St. Ashtabula, Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Boilermaker helper

Third. I was born on the 21st day of April, anno Domini 1887, at Marigliano, Italy

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples, Italy, on or about the 8th day of March anno Domini 1905, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 18th day of March anno Domini 1905, on the vessel Cedric (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 6th day of November, anno Domini 1925 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County,

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Maria Curcio; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 5th day of March, anno Domini 1895 at Ashtabula, Ohio, and now resides at 51 Bancroft St., Ashtabula, Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have one children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Tony Curcio, born February 25, 1925 at Ashtabula, Ohio, and now resides at 51 Bancroft St., Ashtabula, Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 18th day of March, anno Domini 1908, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 20th day of March, anno Domini 1908, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Giuseppe Curcio  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2356 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 27th day of July, 1928  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County, ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Giuseppe Curcio  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Frank S. Sheldon, occupation Sheriff, residing at Jefferson, Ohio  
and Nick Corrado, occupation merchant, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Giuseppe Curcio, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of July, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of July, anno Domini 1923, and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Frank S. Sheldon  
(Signature of witness.)

Nick Corrado  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 27th day of July, anno Domini 1928

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By John A. ..., Deputy Clerk.

*Giuseppe Lauris*

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *July 27*, 19*28*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *Victor Emmanuel III* the *King* of *Italy* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Giuseppe Lauris*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *16* day of *April*, A. D. 19*29*

*Leonida A. Farmer*, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Giuseppe Lauris*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *16* day of *April*, A. D. 19*29*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Thomas A. Sargent*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2885773*, issued on the *16* day of *April*, A. D. 19*29*

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**  
**BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION**  
**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION**  
**ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK**

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This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Wood, Elizabeth Kate  
Date of arrival for permanent admission: July 13, 1912  
Manner of arrival: Lusitania

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:



Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

Elizabeth Kate Wood, aged 41 years,  
occupation Housework, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion light, height 5 feet 2 inches,  
weight 105 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes brown,  
other visible distinctive marks none,  
I was born in Derby, England,  
on the 12th day of October, anno Domini 1884; I now reside  
at 121 Prospect St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool England,  
on the vessel Lucitania, my last  
foreign residence was Hackworth Yorkshire England; I am not married; the name  
of my {wife} is \_\_\_\_\_; {she} was born at \_\_\_\_\_  
and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V, King of  
Great Britain and Ireland, of whom I am now a subject;  
I arrived at the port of New York,  
State of New York, on or about the 13th day  
of July, anno Domini 1912; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Elizabeth Kate Wood*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 21st day of June, anno Domini 1926

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner,

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Pauline C. Styles*, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Elizabeth Kate Wood hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 175 Center St. Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Housework  
 Third. I was born on the 12 day of October anno Domini 1884, at Derby England  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool England, on or about the 6th day of July  
 anno Domini 1912, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 13th day of July  
 anno Domini 1912, on the vessel Lusitania  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 2nd day of June, anno Domini 1912  
 at Jefferson, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am not married. My wife's name is Elizabeth Kate Wood and she was born on the 12th day of October, anno Domini 1884  
 at Derby England, and now resides at 175 Center St. Ashtabula Ohio  
 I have no children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to His V. King of Great Britain & Ireland etc of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 13th day of July, anno Domini 1912, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 15th day of July, anno Domini 1912, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 19\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Elizabeth Kate Wood  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2404 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 27 day of July, 1928  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio }  
Ashtabula County } ss:  
 The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Elizabeth Kate Wood  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

and Dr. W.C. Cross, occupation Doctor, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and S. W. Crosby, occupation Retired, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Elizabeth Kate Wood, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1920, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1920; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

S. W. Crosby  
 (Signature of witness)  
W. C. Cross  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 27th day of July, anno Domini 1928 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
 By Pauline C. Steff, Deputy Clerk.

Elizabeth Kate Wood  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed July 27, 1928

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V the King of Great Britain and Ireland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

X Elizabeth Kate Wood

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1929

Cornelia A. Kramer, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Elizabeth Kate Wood, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_

for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

Ward C. Cross, occupation Attorney, residing at Astabula Ohio  
Helen M. Gallup, occupation Housewife, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 3192705, issued on the 1st day of Oct, A. D. 1929

Petition No. 1213

**AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES**

In the matter of the petition of Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula Co.  
Elizabeth Kate Wood to be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

Ward C. Cross, occupation attorney, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
and Helen M. Gallup, occupation housewife, residing at " "

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Elizabeth Kate Wood, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1920, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1920; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Ward C. Cross  
(Signature of witness.)  
Helen M. Gallup  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named witnesses in the office of the clerk of said court this 16th day of April, anno Domini 1921. [SEAL.]  
Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk,

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

NATURALIZATION SERVICE  
CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

JUL 20 1926

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

DISTRICT DIRECTOR

Name of alien:

Wood, ~~Georgia~~ CLEVELAND, OHIO.  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Date of arrival:

November 11, 1921

Manner of arrival:

Aquitania

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

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Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County

I, Georgina Wood, aged 35 years,  
occupation Telephone Operator, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion medium, height 5 feet 4 inches,  
weight 108 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes hazel  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Derbyshire, England  
on the 16th day of January, anno Domini 1891; I now reside  
at 121 Prospect St., Ashtabula, Ohio.  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Southampton  
on the vessel Aquitania; my last

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Merthyr Tydfil, South Wales; I am not married; ~~the name~~

~~of my~~ <sup>wife</sup> ~~husband~~ is \_\_\_\_\_; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born at \_\_\_\_\_  
and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V., King of Great  
Britain & Ireland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 11th day  
of November, anno Domini 1921; I am not an anarchist; I am not a

polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Georgina Wood  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 26th day of July, anno Domini 1926.

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Herman H. Chambers, Deputy Clerk.



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Petition No. 1214

**AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES**

Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula Co.

In the matter of the petition of Georgina Wood to be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County, } ss:

Ward C. Cross, occupation attorney, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
and Helen M. Gallup, occupation housewife, residing at "

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known

Georgina Wood, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously

immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1927, and in the State in which the above-

entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1927 and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Ward C. Cross  
(Signature of witness.)

Helen M. Gallup  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named witnesses in the office of the clerk of said court this 16th day [SEAL.]

of April, anno Domini 1929.

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk,

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Georgina Wood hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 175 Center St. Ashtabula Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is housework  
 Third. I was born on the 16 day of January, anno Domini 1891, at Derby England  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Southampton, on or about the 5 day of November  
 anno Domini 1921, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 11 day of November  
 anno Domini 1921, on the vessel Acquintania  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 26 day of July, anno Domini 1926  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am not married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is \_\_\_\_\_; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_  
 at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V King of Great Britain & Ireland etc of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 11 day of November, anno Domini 1921, and in the State of Ohio, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 12 day of November, anno Domini 1921, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Georgina Wood  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
 Declaration of Intention No. 2415 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 27 day of July, 1928  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss.  
 The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Georgina Wood  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
 residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
Dr. W. C. Cross, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
J. W. Crosby, occupation Retired, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Georgina Wood, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United State immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge of the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified in opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

S. W. Crosby  
(Signature of witness.)  
H. Curtis  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 27 day of July, anno Domini 1928 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
 By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Georgina Wood  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed July 27, 1928

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V the King of Great Britain and Ireland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Georgina Wood

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

Leonida A. Tramed, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Georgina Wood, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Sam. H. Argent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

Ward C. Cross, occupation Attorney, residing at Coshtabula  
Nelw M. Gallup, occupation Housewife, residing at Ohio

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2885774, issued on the 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Alessandro Bruno, aged 37 years, occupation laborer, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color white complexion dark, height 5 feet 3 inches, weight 168 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes brown, other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Cerro Al Volturno, Italy on the 14th day of May, anno Domini 1888; I now reside at 99 Harmon Road, Ashtabula, Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy on the vessel Hohenzollern; my last foreign residence was Cerro Al Volturno; I am married; the name of my wife Sabina; she was born at Pesche, Italy and now resides at 99 Harmon Road, Ashtabula, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the State of New York, on or about the 18 day of April, anno Domini 1911; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein: SO HELP ME GOD.

*Alessandro Bruno*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 28 day of January, anno Domini 1922

[SEAL]

*Cornelia A. Warner*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Louise S. Norris*, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1215

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio.  
 The petition of Alessandro Bruno hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 99 Harmon Road (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is Labourer  
 Third. I was born on the 14 day of May, anno Domini 1888, at Curs Al Volturno Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples Italy, on or about the 20 day of May,  
 anno Domini 1906, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 4th day of June,  
 anno Domini 1906, on the vessel Hohenzollern (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 23 day of January, anno Domini 1926  
 at Jefferson Ohio in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Sabbina, <sup>(she)</sup> was born on the 22nd day of July, anno Domini 1895  
 at Italy, and now resides at Ashtabula, Ohio. (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have 9 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Michele born March 31st 1912 Ralph born Nov 15, 1914 Victoria born May 29-1916  
Hilda born Jan 20, 1918 Syria born Aug 26 1920 Dora born May 26 1921  
Maria born June 21 1926 Celestino born Aug 4 1922 Josephine born 26 day of June 1928

all born and reside at Ashtabula, Ohio.  
 Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 4th day of June, anno Domini 1906, and in the State of Ohio, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 5th day of March, anno Domini 1918, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 19\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Alessandro Bruno (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
 Declaration of Intention No. 2373 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 30 day of July, 1928  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio } ss:  
Ashtabula County }  
 The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Alessandro Bruno (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
 and Joseph Napoletano, occupation Notary Public, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and H. A. Cardillo, occupation Barber, residing at " "

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Alessandro Bruno, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1920, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1920; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Joseph Napoletano (Signature of witness.)  
G. A. Cardillo (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 30th day of July, anno Domini 1928 [SEAL]

By Connelia G. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline G. Slay, Deputy Clerk.

Alessandro Bruno

Filed July 30, 1928

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Alessandro Bruno

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

Loonelia A. Farmer, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Alessandro Bruno, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929.

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 496), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Ph. T. Sargent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

, occupation, residing at, , occupation, residing at

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2885775, issued on the 16 day of April, A. D. 1929



No. 2165

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County.

I, Wilfred George Beacon, aged 24 years, occupation Lineman, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color White, complexion Dark, height 5 feet 8 inches, weight 165 pounds, color of hair Brown, color of eyes Brown, other visible distinctive marks Scar under chin.

I was born in Kent, England on the 29th day of December, anno Domini 1898; I now reside at 506 Lake St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England on the vessel White Star Line; my last foreign residence was Doddington, England; I am married; the name of my wife is Lucille N. Beacon; she was born at Saybrook, Ohio, and now resides at Ashtabula, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George the V, King of Great Britain and Ireland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Boston, Mass., in the State of Mass., on or about the 7th day of June, anno Domini 1906; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Wilfred George Beacon*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 15 day of November, anno Domini 1923.

[SEAL]

*A. H. Pontius*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Cornelia A. Turner*, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1216

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

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To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Wilfred George Beacon hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is Ashtabula Ohio 77 Jefferson St.  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is Mechanic  
 Third. I was born on the 29 day of December, anno Domini 1898, at Kent England  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool England, on or about the 29 day of May  
 anno Domini 1906, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Boston Mass, on the 7 day of June  
 anno Domini 1906, on the vessel White Star Line  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 15 day of November, anno Domini 1923  
 at Jefferson Ohio in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Lucille <sup>she</sup> was born on the 29 day of December, anno Domini 1901  
 at Ashtabula Ohio and now resides at Ashtabula Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 I have 1 child and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Kenneth George born Aug 29- 1924 At Geneva Ohio resides at Ashtabula Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to His Majesty King of the United Kingdom & Great Britain & Ireland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 7 day of June, anno Domini 1906, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 12 day of June, anno Domini 1906, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Wilfred George Beacon  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2165 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of none required  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

L. C. Kelsey, occupation Deputy Sheriff, residing at Jefferson Ohio  
 and Frank S. Sheldon, occupation Sheriff, residing at Jefferson Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Wilfred George Beacon the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 12th day of January, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

L. C. Kelsey  
(Signature of witness.)  
Frank S. Sheldon  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 31st day of July, anno Domini 1928 [SEAL]

By Conelia U. Warner, Clerk.  
Arthur C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Wilfred George Beacon  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed July 31, 1928

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V the King of Great Britain and Ireland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Wilfred George Beacon

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

Leonard Warner, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Wilfred George Beacon, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chas. T. August, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2885776, issued on the 16 day of Apr, A. D. 1929

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

RECEIVED  
JUL 30 1928

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Zumer, Roman  
 Date of arrival for permanent admission: December 9, 1907  
 Manner of arrival: Amerika

AUG 1 1928  
 DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
 CLEVELAND, OHIO.  
 DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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No. 56740

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

(The United States of America,

In the U. S. District Court, Court

NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO.

SS:

of Cleveland, Ohio.

I, Roman Schumer, aged 46 years,

occupation farmer, do declare on oath that my personal

description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 7 inches,

weight 160 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes brown

other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Marihar, Jugo Slavia

on the 28 day of Feb., anno Domini 1900; I now reside

at Abhtabula County, Oh io

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Hamburg Germany

on the vessel unknown; my last

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

foreign residence was Jugo Slavia; I am married; the name

of my <sup>wife</sup>husband is Jennie; <sup>she</sup>he was born at Jugo Slavia

and now resides at with me

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to

King of the Serbs, Croats, and Slovenes, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the

State of N.Y., on or about the 7 day

of Dec., anno Domini 1907; I am not an anarchist; I am not a

polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith

to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD.

Roman Schumer

(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 16 day of June, anno Domini 1907

[SEAL]

B. C. Miller,

U.S. District

Clerk of the

Deputy

Court.

By [Signature]

Clerk.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF

Roman Schummer

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Petition No. 1217

Court of Common Pleas

AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

M. J. Brown

residing at #2 Rock Creek, Ohio, occupation Farmer

residing at \_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known and has been acquainted in the United States with Roman Schummer the petitioner above mentioned since July 1923, and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States at Rock Creek, Ohio, in the County of Ashland State of Ohio, from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, and that he has personal knowledge that the petitioner is and during all such periods has been a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States, and that in his opinion the petitioner is in every way qualified to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

M. J. Brown (Signature of witness)

(Signature of witness)

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named witnesses at Jefferson Ohio, this 1st day of October, anno Domini 1929.

Cornelia A. Warner (Signature of attester)

By Asst. Secy. Dep. Clk. (Title of attester)

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No. 1217

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
The petition of Roman Schumer hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is Rock Creek R.F.D #2 Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Farmer

Third. I was born on the 28 day of Feb, anno Domini 1880, at Maribor Jugoslavia

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Hamburg Germany, on or about the 22nd day of November  
anno Domini 1907, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 9th day of December  
anno Domini 1907, on the vessel Amerika  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 16 day of June, anno Domini 1926  
at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio

Sixth. I am 1 married. My wife's name is Johanna, [she] was born on the 20 day of May, anno Domini 1886  
at Je. Jugoslavia, and now resides at R.F.D #2 Rock Creek Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have four children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Anna born 23rd day of June 1911 in Utah  
Ide born 27 day of Nov 1912 in Utah  
Mary born 14 day of Oct 1914 in Utah  
Rudolph born 30 day of May 1922 at Cleveland Ohio  
resides at Rock Creek R.F.D #2

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Alexander King of Serbs Croats and Slovenes of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 7 day of December, anno Domini 1907, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 15 day of February, anno Domini 1916, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the~~ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Roman Schumer  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
Declaration of Intention No. 57740 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 10 day of August, 1928  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County  
The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Roman Schumer  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
R. A. Brown occupation Farmer residing at Rock Creek R.D #2  
and George Heath occupation \_\_\_\_\_ residing at Rock Creek R.D #2  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_

Roman Schumer, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

George Heath  
(Signature of witness.)  
R. A. Brown  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 10 day of August, anno Domini 1928 [SEAL]

Cornelia C. Warner, Clerk.  
By Pauline C. Staples, Deputy Clerk.

Roman Schumer

Filed August 10, 1928

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Alexander I the King of the Serbs, the Croats and Slovenes of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Roman Schumer

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 12th day of Oct, 1929, A. D. 1929

Corneilia A. Kramer, Clerk.

NOTE-In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Roman Schumer, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 11th day of October, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

M. J. Brown, occupation Farmer, residing at Rock Creek Ohio

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 3192713, issued on the 11th day of Oct, A. D. 1929

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien:	Hajewska, Paraska
Date of arrival for permanent admission:	November 30, 1912
Manner of arrival:	Uranium

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

United States of America,  
Northern District of Ohio,

ss:

In the District Court of the United States,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

I, paraska Wene, aged 33 years,  
occupation housewife, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 0 inches,  
weight 112 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes gray  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Chmelnek, Ukraina  
on the 26 day of July, anno Domini 1890; I now reside  
at Chardon Ohio, Ohio.  
(Give number, street, and city or town.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Rotterdam Holland  
on the vessel uranium; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
foreign residence was Ukrainia; I am married; the name  
of my ~~wife~~ <sup>husband</sup> is Peter ~~she~~ <sup>he</sup>; ~~she~~ <sup>he</sup> was born at Russia  
and now resides at Chardon, with me

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to

~~the present government of Russia~~, of whom I am now a subject;  
I arrived at the port of new York, in the

State of N.Y., on or about the 30 day  
of Nov, anno Domini 1912; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Paraska Wene  
(Original signature of declarant.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court  
at Cleveland, Ohio, this 11 day of Jan  
anno Domini 19 24

[SEAL]

E. V. MILLER,  
Clerk of the District Court of the United States.  
By [Signature], Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1718

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Pasha Wene hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is Ashtaburg Ohio (R.F.D #1)  
 Second. My occupation is housewife  
 Third. I was born on the 26 day of July, anno Domini 1889, at Chmelnek, Russia  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Rotterdam, Holland, on or about the 14 day of November  
 anno Domini 1912, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, N.Y., on the 30 day of November  
 anno Domini 1912, on the vessel Iranium  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 11 day of January, anno Domini 1924  
 at Cleveland in the U.S. District Court of Northern District of Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My wife's name is Peter Wene; she was born on the 8 day of April, anno Domini 1879  
 at Romul, Russia, and now resides at Ashtaburg Ohio  
 I have 3 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
George Wene (first husband's child), born April 15, 1913  
Leo Wene born April 25, 1915  
Vera Wene born April 5, 1921 All born at Cleveland Ohio and now  
 residing at Ashtaburg Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The State of Russia of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 30 day of November, anno Domini 1912, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 2 day of December, anno Domini 1912, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the~~ Court of ~~at~~ on the ~~day of~~, anno Domini ~~1~~, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: ~~and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Pasha Wene  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 47574 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 15 day of August, 1928

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Pasha Wene  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

L. Kazersky, occupation Farmer, residing at Jefferson Ohio  
 and Mike Labeq, occupation R.R. employe, residing at Ashtaburg Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known

Pasha Wene, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of January, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of January, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

L. Kazersky  
 (Signature of witness.)

Mike Labeq  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 15 day of Aug, anno Domini 1928

Cornelia A. Kramer, Clerk.

[SEAL]

Pasha Wene

Filed Aug 15, 1928

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the State of Russia of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

X Pasha Wene

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

Connelia A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Pasha Wene, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said Pasha Wene, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to Pasha Wene, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chas. Stargent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No 2885777, issued on the 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

No. 2145

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } SS: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Petar Vucina, also known as Pete Bush, aged 36 years,  
occupation laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 6 inches,  
weight 158 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes gray  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Goljak, Austria  
on the 16 day of December, anno Domini 1886; I now reside  
at 477, Chestnut St., Conneaut, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Rotterdam, Holland  
on the vessel Nordam; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Goljak, Austria; I am married; the name  
of my wife is Paulina; she was born at Malunje, Austria  
and now resides at Malunje, Austria

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Austria,  
of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 14 day  
of July, anno Domini 1903; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Petar Vucina  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 15 day of Sept., anno Domini 1923

[SEAL]

A. H. Pontius

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

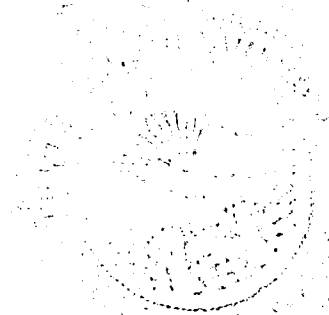
By Conelia A. Warner Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1219

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Petar Tucina hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 512 Clark St. Conneaut Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Laborer  
 Third. I was born on the 16 day of December, anno Domini 1886, at Seljak, Austria  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Rotterdam Holland, on or about the 3rd day of July  
 anno Domini 1903, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 14 day of July  
 anno Domini 1903, on the vessel Nordau  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 15 day of Sept, anno Domini 1923  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Pauline; <sup>she</sup> was born on the do not know day of do not know, anno Domini 1903  
 at Jefferson Ohio Austria and now resides at Jugoslavia  
 I have no children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Alexander King of the Serbs, Croats & Slovenes of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 14 day of July, anno Domini 1903, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 1st day of November, anno Domini 1909, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of at on the day of, anno Domini 1, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Petar Tucina  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2145 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 18 day of August, 1928  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Petar Tucina  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Boleslaw Sadowski, occupation Inspector in YC R.R., residing at Conneaut Ohio  
 and Steve N. Sebelich, occupation Car Inspector, residing at Conneaut Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Petar Tucina the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Steve N. Sebelich  
(Signature of witness)

Boleslaw Sadowski  
(Signature of witness)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 18 day of August, anno Domini 1928 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Petar Urcina

Filed August 18, 1928

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Alexander I the King of the Serbs, Croats and Slovenes of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this day of, A. D. 19

Clerk.

NOTE-In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Petar Urcina, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this day of, A. D. 19

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of Petar Urcina and the motion of L. E. Fox Examiner

for the United States in open Court this

15 day of April, 1930 it appearing that Applicant fails to prosecute

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from from April 16-1929 to Oct 1929
Continued from Oct 1-1929 to Apr 1930

for study trip OK
Absent

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

occupation, residing at
occupation, residing at

Certificate of Naturalization, No., issued on the day of, A. D. 19

No. 2418

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas, Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio,

I, Peter Guerriero, aged 53 years,  
occupation Section Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 8 inches,  
weight 235 pounds, color of hair grey, color of eyes Brown,  
other visible distinctive marks none,

I was born in Baiano, Italy,  
on the 7th day of January, anno Domini 1873; I now reside  
at 55 Auger Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples Italy,  
on the vessel do not remember; my last

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

foreign residence was Baiano, Italy; I am married; the name  
of my wife is Nellie; she was born at BAIANO, Italy,  
and now resides at Ashtabula, Ohio,

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III,  
King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York,  
State of New York, on or about the 10th

day of June, anno Domini 1900; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Pietro Guerriero*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 7th day of August, anno Domini 1926

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner,

Clerk of the Common Pleas, Court.

By *Pauline C. Styles*

Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1220

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

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To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Pietro Guerriero hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 55 Anger Ave Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Laborer  
 Third. I was born on the 7 day of January, anno Domini 1873, at Bairano Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples Italy, on or about the 24 day of May  
 anno Domini 1900, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 10 day of June  
 anno Domini 1900, on the vessel do not remember  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 7th day of August  
 at Jefferson Ohio in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Hellie; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 10 day of March, anno Domini 1872  
 at Bairano Italy, and now resides at 55 Anger Ave Ashtabula Ohio  
 I have 6 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Hellie Rozzi born 7 day of January 1899 at Bairano Italy resides at Ashtabula Ohio  
Frank born 17 day of April 1902 at Ashtabula Ohio resides at " Ohio  
Sue born 26 day of March 1905 at Ashtabula Ohio resides at " "  
Tony born 13 day of June 1911 at Ashtabula Ohio resides at " "  
Catherine born 11 day of October 1912 at Ashtabula Ohio resides at " "  
Steve born 5th of November 1913 at Ashtabula Ohio resides at " "  
 Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.  
 Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 10 day of June, anno Domini 1900, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 12 day of June, anno Domini 1900, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.  
 Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the~~ Court of ~~at~~ on the ~~day of~~, anno Domini ~~1~~, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit ~~and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Pietro Guerriero  
 Declaration of Intention No. 2418 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 22 day of August, 1925  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:  
 The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

James A. Turano, occupation Ins. Agent, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and Nick Candela, occupation Eng. Helper, residing at " Ohio  
 each being severally duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Pietro Guerriero, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

James A. Turano  
Nick Candela  
 (Signature of witness.)  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 22nd day of August, anno Domini 1925

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Filed August 27, 1929

Pietro Guerriero

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Pietro Guerriero

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 30 day of Sept, A. D. 1930

Cornelia A. Warner

Clerk.

NOTE-In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Pietro Guerriero, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 30 day of Sept, A. D. 1930

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from April 16 - 1929 to Oct 1929
to from Oct 1 - 1929 to Apr 1930
Continued from April 15 - 1930 to Sept 1930
to 19

For Study - M.A. OK
Study

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

, occupation, residing at
, occupation, residing at

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 3192772, issued on the 30 day of Sept, A. D. 1930

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

AUG 7 1928

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien:	Di Filippo, Gennaro
Date of arrival for permanent admission:	September 17, 1920
Manner of arrival:	Aquitania

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

United States of America, }  
Northern District of Ohio, } ss:

In the District Court of the United States,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

I, **Gennaro Bi filippo**, aged **24** years,  
occupation **laborer**, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color **white**, complexion **dark**, height **5** feet **5** inches,  
weight **135** pounds, color of hair **brown**, color of eyes **brown**  
other visible distinctive marks **none**

I was born in **macchiagoderro Italy**  
on the **13** day of **dec**, anno Domini **1897**, I now reside  
at **1123 Scovill Ave, Cleveland**, Ohio.

(Give number, street, and city or town.)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from **Havre, France**  
on the vessel **Aquitania**; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
foreign residence was **Italy**; I am **not** married; the name  
of my wife is \_\_\_\_\_; she was born at \_\_\_\_\_  
and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to **VICTOR EMMANUEL III, KING OF ITALY**,  
of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of **new York**, in the  
State of **N.Y.** on or about the **21** day  
of **Sept**, anno Domini **1920**; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist, nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Gennaro Bi Filippo*  
(Original signature of declarant.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court  
at Cleveland, Ohio, this **30** day of **march**  
anno Domini 19 **22** **B. C. MILLER**

[SEAL]

Clerk of the District Court of the United States.  
By *[Signature]*, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Giuseppe Di Filippo hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 132 Valley St. Conneaut Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Iron and Dock Laborer  
 Third. I was born on the 13 day of December, anno Domini 1897, at Macchiagodena Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Cherbourg France, on or about the 10th day of September  
 anno Domini 1920, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 17th day of September  
 anno Domini 1920, on the vessel Aquitania  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 30 day of March, anno Domini 1922  
 at Cleveland Ohio, in the District Court of United States  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Lu Cida; <sup>she</sup> was born on the February day of February, anno Domini 1907  
 at Conneaut Ohio, and now resides at Conneaut Ohio  
 I have one child, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Agels born 2d day of Sept. 1926 at Conneaut Ohio resides  
at Conneaut Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 17th day of September, anno Domini 1920, and in the State of Ohio, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 22nd day of July, anno Domini 1922, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of Ohio at Conneaut Ohio on the 17th day of September, anno Domini 1920, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Giuseppe Di Filippo  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 39413 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 23 day of August, 1928  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### The State of Ohio

### Ashtabula County

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

James Brown, occupation Merchant, residing at Conneaut Ohio  
 and Luigi Mucciarone, occupation Laborer, residing at Conneaut Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known

Giuseppe Di Filippo, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Luigi Mucciarone  
 (Signature of witness.)  
James Brown  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 23rd day of August, anno Domini 1928

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
 By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

*Gennaro Di Filippi*

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *August 23*, 19*28*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *Victor Emmanuel III* the *King* of *Italy* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Gennaro Di Filippi*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *16* day of *April*, A. D. 19*29*

*Leonard Warner*, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Gennaro Di Filippi*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *16* day of *April*, A. D. 19*29*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Chas. August*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2885770*, issued on the *16* day of *April*, A. D. 19*29*



**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION**

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION JUL 19 1926  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Weedall, Kate  
Date of arrival: July 6, 1923  
Manner of arrival: Mauretania

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:



Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Kate Weedall, aged 46 years,  
occupation housekeeper, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 5 inches,  
weight 140 pounds, color of hair light brown, color of eyes gray  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Northwich, Cheshire, England  
on the 30 day of August, anno Domini 1879; I now reside  
at 10 1/2 Valley View B'l'v'd, Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Southampton, England  
on the vessel Mauretania; my last

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

foreign residence was Northwich, England; I am un married; the name  
of my <sup>wife</sup> husband is Herbert Weedall; <sup>she</sup> he was born at Northwich, England  
and now resides at 10 1/2 Valley View B'l'v'd, Ashtabula, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Goerge V, King of Great  
Briatin and Ireland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 6 day  
of July, anno Domini 1923; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith

to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Kate Weedall  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 29 day of July, anno Domini 192 6

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**JUL 7 1926**  
DISTRICT OF CLEVELAND  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
By \_\_\_\_\_

Louella A. Warner  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Kate Weedall hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 10 1/2 Valley View Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is housewife  
 Third. I was born on the 30 day of August, anno Domini 1879, at Northwich, England  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Southampton, England on or about the 30 day of June  
 anno Domini 1923, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 6 day of July  
 anno Domini 1923, on the vessel Muretama  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 29 day of July, anno Domini 1926  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My wife's name is Herbert Weedall who was born on the 1 day of August, anno Domini 1880  
 at Northwich England, and now resides at 10 1/2 Valley View, Ashtabula Ohio  
 I have no children, and the name, age, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to His King of the United Kingdom & Great Britain etc of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 6 day of July, anno Domini 1923, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 70 day of July, anno Domini 1923, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the Court of~~  
~~and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes to wit:~~  
~~and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Kate Weedall  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2417 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 27 day of August, 1928  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States on or before June 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Kate Weedall  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Clara Palmer occupation Housewife residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and Ella W. Davenny occupation Housewife residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Kate Weedall the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of August, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of August, anno Domini 1923, and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Ella W. Davenny  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Clara C. Palmer  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 27 day of August, anno Domini 1928

Corndia A. Warner Clerk.  
Pauline S. Styles Deputy Clerk.

*Kate Weedall*

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *August 27*, 19*28*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *George the V* the *King* of *Great Britain and Ireland* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Kate Weedall*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *16* day of *April*, A. D. 19*29*

*Conrad A. Warner*, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Kate Weedall*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *16* day of *April*, A. D. 19*29*

~~(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")~~

By the Court:

*Chas. W. Sargent*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2885771*, issued on the *16* day of *April*, A. D. 19*29*

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**  
**BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION**  
 CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
 ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Wojcik, Stefan  
 Date of arrival for permanent admission: November 16, 1910  
 Manner of arrival: Finland

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

 Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } SS: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Steve Wojcik, aged 39 years, occupation farmer, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color white, complexion light, height 5 feet 7 1/2 inches, weight 155 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes blue, other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Brozozow, Galicia, Austria, now Poland on the 2nd day of September, anno Domini 1886; I now reside at R. F. D. #2, E. Orwell, Ohio

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Antwerp, Belgium on the vessel Filiand; my last

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Brozozow, Galicia, Austria; I am married; the name of my <sup>wife</sup> ~~husband~~ is Lizzie; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born at Brozozow, Galicia, Austria and now resides at R. F. D. #2, E. Orwell, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Poland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the State of New York, on or about the 17th day of November, anno Domini 1910; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Steve Wojcik*  
(Original signature of declarant)

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 16 day of June, anno Domini 1926

*Cornelia A. Warner*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Helen Cox*, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio

The petition of Steve Wojcik hereby filed, respectfully showeth:

First. My place of residence is Coybrook Sp. East Orwell, Ohio.  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Farmer

Third. I was born on the 2nd day of September anno Domini 1886 at Bronzow, Galicia, Austria

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Antwerp, Belgium, on or about the 8 day of November anno Domini 1910, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 16 day of November anno Domini 1910, on the vessel Finland  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 16 day of June, anno Domini 1926 at Jefferson in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Lizzie <sup>(she)</sup> was born on the 2 day of October, anno Domini 1885 at Jefferson Austria, and now resides at East Orwell Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have 5 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Walter born 24 day of Sept. 1914 at Pittsburg Pa.  
Josephine Wojcik born 10 day of March 1916 at E. Orwell  
John born 24 day of May 1918 at E. Orwell, Ohio  
Leont born 10 day of April 1920 at E. Orwell, Ohio  
Stella born 31 day of July 1925 at E. Orwell Ohio all reside at E. Orwell Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Poland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 17 day of November, anno Domini 1910, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 24 day of June, anno Domini 1915, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the Court of ... on the ... day of ... anno Domini 1... and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: ... and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Steve Wojcik  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2402 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 29 day of August, 1928  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Steve Wojcik  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

P. V. Shoemaker, occupation Farmer, residing at E. Orwell Ohio  
and Leon Domross, occupation LL, residing at E. Orwell, Ohio

each being severally, duly and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Steve Wojcik, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Leon Domross  
(Signature of witness.)  
P. V. Shoemaker  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 29 day of August, anno Domini 1928

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Steve Wojcik  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed August 29, 1928

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Republic the of Poland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Steve Wojcik

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

Leonella A. Warren, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Steve Wojcik, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chas. H. Sargent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

, occupation, residing at, occupation, residing at

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2885780, issued on the 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

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(For use of aliens arriving in United States after June 29, 1906. To be issued immediately prior to petitioning for naturalization.)  
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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

IMMIGRATION SERVICE

Commissioner of Immigration

OFFICE OF ~~Philadelphia Immigration Station,~~

AT ~~Gloucester City, N. J.~~

Aug. 11, 1926

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived at the port indicated, on the date and in the manner described below, viz:

Name of alien: Heinrich Hoge

Port of entry: Phila., Pa.,

Date of arrival: July 2, 1921

Name of vessel: \* Samland

Adm. Perm. Jugo-Slav. quota.

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DISTRICT DIRECTOR Star Line  
CLEVELAND, OHIO.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

(Title) COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION.

*[Handwritten signature]*

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, In the Common Pleas Court
Ashtabula County, ss: of Jefferson, Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Henry Hoge, aged 23 years,
occupation farmer, do declare on oath that my personal
description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 8 inches,
weight 150 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes blue
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Neulag, Austria, (now Jugo-Slavia)
on the 6th day of January, anno Domini 1903; I now reside
at Rock Creek, Ohio, R. F. D. #2, Box 90.

I emigrated to the United States of America from Antwerp
on the vessel Samland; my last
foreign residence was Neulag, Austria; I am not married;
[Illegible crossed-out text]

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to
Kingdom of the Serbs, Croats, and Slovenes, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Philadelphia
State of Pennsylvania, on or about the 2nd day
of July, anno Domini 1921; I am not an anarchist; I am not a
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:
SO HELP ME GOD.

Henry Hoge
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of
said Court this 20th day of August, anno Domini 1921.

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1224

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Henry Hoge hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 4 Ruth Ave, Geneva Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is Laborer  
 Third. I was born on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of January, anno Domini 1903, at Neulag, Austria  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Antwerp, Belgium, on or about the 28<sup>th</sup> day of June  
 anno Domini 1921, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Philadelphia, on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of July  
 anno Domini 1921, on the vessel Red Star Line Samland  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of August, anno Domini 1926  
 at Jefferson, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Sophie Hoge <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of September, anno Domini 1901  
 at Kuchlarn, Austria, and now resides at 4 Ruth Ave, Geneva, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 I have no children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Kingdom of the Serbs, Croats and Slovenes, of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of July, anno Domini 1921, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 4<sup>th</sup> day of July, anno Domini 1921, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Henry Hoge  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2421 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 31<sup>st</sup> day of August, 1928  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

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### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Henry Hoge  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Louis Koschar, occupation Farmer, residing at R.R. #2 Geneva Ohio  
 and John Pittine, occupation Farmer, residing at R.R. #23 Geneva Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known

Henry Hoge, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Louis Koschar  
(Signature of witness.)

John Pittine  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 31<sup>st</sup> day of August, anno Domini 1928

Leamelia A. Harned, Clerk.

[SEAL]

Henry Hoge

Filed August 31, 1928

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Ferdinand I the King of the Serbs, Croats and Slovenes of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

X Henry Hoge

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

Connelia A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Henry Hoge, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chas. H. Argent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

, occupation, residing at, occupation, residing at

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2885781, issued on the 16 day of Apr, A. D. 1929

[INSERT ON FOLLOWING LINES MARRIAGES AND BIRTHS OCCURRING AFTER PETITIONING AND BEFORE NATURALIZATION.]

Freda born Feb 12 1929 at Geneva Ohio

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION****CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK****OCT 14 1925**

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien:                   Derubato, Gabriele  
Date of arrival:                 June 20, 1920  
Manner of arrival:             France

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

Issue No.

**60737**

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

State of Pennsylvania } In the Common Pleas Court  
County of Cumberland } ss: of Cumberland County

3, Gabriele Derubato, aged 22 years,  
occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color White, complexion Fair, height 5 feet - inches,  
weight 128 pounds, color of hair Light Brown, color of eyes Blue  
other visible distinctive marks None

I was born in Loreto Aprutino, Italy  
on the 22nd day of November, anno Domini 1900; I now reside  
at Summerdale Camp, Enola, Pa.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Havre, France  
on the vessel France; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Loreto Aprutino, Italy; I am not married; the name  
of my wife is -----; she was born at -----  
and now resides at -----

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King  
of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 21st day  
of June, anno Domini 1920; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Gabriele Derubato  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 23rd day of May, anno Domini 1923

[SEAL]

H. L. Struck, Party  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk.

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*Prof. J. H. ...*

on

*9/25/24*

by

*J. H. ...*

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No. 1225

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Gabriele Perubato hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 34 Elmer St, Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Laborer  
 Third. I was born on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of November, anno Domini 1900, at Loreto, Apertino, Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from France, on or about the 12<sup>th</sup> day of June  
 anno Domini 1920, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 20 day of June  
 anno Domini 1920, on the vessel France  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of May, anno Domini 1923  
 at Carlisle Pa., in the Common Pleas Court of Cumberland County  
 Sixth. I am not married. My wife's name is \_\_\_\_\_; she was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_  
 at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
 I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Nector Emmanuel II, King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 21<sup>st</sup> day of June, anno Domini 1920, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 27 day of May, anno Domini 1923, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. ~~I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court.~~ (I made petition for citizenship to the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio, on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of December, anno Domini 1925, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit Depositions and Study, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Gabriele Perubato  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 127 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of October, 1928  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:  
 The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Gabriele Perubato  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Joseph Napolitano, occupation Notary Public, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 and Nick Canada, occupation Storekeeper, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Gabriele Perubato, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 27<sup>th</sup> day of May, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 27<sup>th</sup> day of May, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Joseph Napolitano  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Nick Canada  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of October, anno Domini 1928 [SEAL]

(Seal)  
Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
 By Shelma Shackleton, Deputy Clerk.

Filed October 2, 1928

Gabriele Derubato  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to His Majesty Emmanuel III the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929  
Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Gabriele Derubato, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court: Charles H. Sargent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.  
\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2885782, issued on the 16 day of April, A. D. 1929



**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

**BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION**

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION**

**ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK**

**OCT 18 1927**

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: **Pisarcik, Karol**

Date of arrival for permanent admission: **January 26, 1910**

Manner of arrival: **Grosser Kurfurst**

**NATURALIZATION SERVICE RECEIVED**

**OCT 20 1927**

**DISTRICT DIRECTOR CLEVELAND, OHIO. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

**BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:**

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Issue No.

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Carl Aluis Writer, aged 33 years, occupation Millwright foreman, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 10 1/2 inches, weight 175 pounds, color of hair dark brown, color of eyes gray-blue, other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Hanusovec, Austria-Hungary, on the 16 day of November, anno Domini 1892; I now reside at 105 Michigan Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Bremen, Germany on the vessel Grose Curfust; my last foreign residence was Hanusovec, Austrian-Hungary; I am married; the name of my wife is Agnes; she was born at Ashley, Pennsylvania and now resides at Ashtabula, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Czechoslovak Republic, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the State of New York, on or about the 10 day of February, anno Domini 1910; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD.

*Carl Aluis Writer*  
Carl Aluis  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 17 day of Dec., anno Domini 1925

[SEAL]

*Loonelia A. Warner*  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk.

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CLEVELAND, OHIO  
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No. 1226

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Karol alias Pisarcik hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is 50 Maple Ave Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Millwright Foreman  
 Third. I was born on the 16 day of November, anno Domini 1 892, at Haussove Austria Hungary  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Bremen Germany, on or about the 16 day of January  
 anno Domini 1 910, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 26 day of January  
 anno Domini 1 910, on the vessel Grosser Kurfurst  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 11th day of December, anno Domini 1 925  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am not married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Agnes; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 10 day of November, anno Domini 1 902  
 at Jefferson Ohio, and now resides at Ashtabula Ohio  
 I have one child, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Carl alias born April 17 - 1921 at Cambridge Ohio and resides at Ashtabula Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Czechoslovak Republic of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 10 day of February, anno Domini 1 910, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 2 day of January, anno Domini 1 921, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have ~~not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court~~ (I made petition for citizenship to the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio at Jefferson Ohio, on the 21st day of December, anno Domini 1 927, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit witness not qualified, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America. and that my name be changed to Carl alias  
Karol alias Pisarcik  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. \_\_\_\_\_ and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Karol alias Pisarcik  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Arnold Jean Bischoff occupation Restaurant Proprietor, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and John Joseph Redding, occupation Steel Worker, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Karol alias Pisarcik, the petitioner above mentioned; to have resided in the United States immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of October, anno Domini 1 923, and in the State in entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of October, anno Domini 1 923; and that he has personal opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Arnold Jean Bischoff  
 (Signature of witness.)  
John Joseph Redding  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 2nd day of October, anno Domini 19 28 [SEA]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Petition No. 1226

**AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES**

Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula

In the matter of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ to be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

J. F. Shellhammer, occupation Steel Worker, residing at Ashtabula Ohio

and \_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_

Karl Alos Pisarski, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously

immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 12<sup>th</sup> day of October, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-

entitled petition is made continuously since the 12<sup>th</sup> day of October, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that

the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

J. F. Shellhammer  
(Signature of witness.)

(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named witnesses in the office of the clerk of said court this 16 day

of April, anno Domini 1929

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk,

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

[SEAL.]

*Karel Alous Pisarcik*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *October 2*, 19*28*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *the Czechoslovak Republic* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Carl Alous Writter*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *16* day of *April*, A. D. 19*29*

By *Cornelia A. Wagner*, Clerk.  
*Pauline C. Styles*, Deputy

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Karel Alous Pisarcik*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *16* day of *April*, A. D. 19*29*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said *Karel Alous Pisarcik*, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to *Carl Alous Writter*, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court: *Wm. T. Furgent*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

*L. I. Shulhamer*, occupation *steel worker*, residing at *Ashtabula Ohio*  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2885766*, issued on the *16* day of *April*, A. D. 19*29*

No. 2185

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

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**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas, Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Timothy Ryan, aged 45 years,  
occupation Boiler maker, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 6 inches,  
weight 150 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes grey  
other visible distinctive marks Scar under right eye

I was born in Tipperary, Ireland,  
on the 23 day of April, anno Domini 1878; I now reside  
at 22 Parson, St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Queenstown, Ireland,  
on the vessel Campaignia; my last  
foreign residence was Tipperary, Ireland; I am married; the name  
of my wife is Mary Ryan, she was born at Brooklyn N. Y.,  
and now resides at 22 Parson, St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V. King of Great  
Britain & Ireland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 2nd day  
of September, anno Domini 1900; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Timothy Ryan*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 17 day of December, anno Domini 1923

[SEAL]

*A. H. Postis*  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Pauline C. Styles*, Deputy Clerk.

NOTE.—Figures in lower left-hand corner of this sheet are the Department's issue number.

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REQUEST MADE FOR CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL

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AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

Court of Common Pleas, Ashtabula Co., Court of \_\_\_\_\_

In the matter of the petition of Timothy Ryan to be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

James Dunlavy, occupation Salesman, residing at Ashtabula Co.,  
and \_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_

Timothy Ryan, the petitioner above mentioned, to be a resident of the United States for a period of at least 5 years continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, and of the <sup>State</sup> Territory in which the above-entitled application is made for a period of 5 years immediately preceding the date of filing his petition; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that he is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

James Dunlavy

[AFFIX SEAL.]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of Jan., anno Domini 1929

Corradina A. Kramer, Clerk,

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No. 1227

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Timothy Ryan hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is 22 Parsons St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

Second. My occupation is Pipe Fitter, Aetna Rubber Co., Ashtabula, Ohio.

Third. I was born on the 23rd day of April, anno Domini 1878, at Rossouty, Tipperary, Ireland

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Queentown, Ireland, on or about the 22nd day of August anno Domini 1900, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 1st day of September anno Domini 1900, on the vessel Campaigna, Cunard Line  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 17th day of December, anno Domini 1923 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Mary Ryan; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 14th day of August, anno Domini 1883 at Brooklyn, New York, and now resides at 22 Parsons St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have seven children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Helen, born July 5, 1905, Madison, Ohio. Mary, born April 24, 1908, Madison, Ohio. Margaret, born May 24, 1911, at Ashtabula, Ohio. John, born Aug 31, 1913, at Ashtabula, Ohio. Kathryn, born Jan. 10, 1918, at Madison, Ohio. Timothy, born Aug 30, 1921, at Ashtabula, Ohio. George, born April 30, 1923, at Ashtabula, Ohio. All reside in Ashtabula, Ohio, except Helen, who resides in Cleveland, Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V, King of Great Britain & Ireland, etc of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 1st day of September, anno Domini 1900, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 18th day of December, anno Domini 1900, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_ and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Timothy Ryan  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2185 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 8th day of Oct, 1928  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Timothy Ryan  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

W. J. Hoggan, occupation attorney, residing at 9 Summer St., Ashtabula,  
and John M. Zaback, occupation funeral director, residing at 7 Progress St., Ashtabula,  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known

Timothy Ryan, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of October, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of October, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

W. J. Hoggan  
(Signature of witness.)

J. M. Zaback  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 8th day of October, anno Domini 1928.

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

Filed October 8, 1928

Timothy Ryan  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George the V the King of Great Britain and Ireland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Timothy Ryan

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

Loonika A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Timothy Ryan, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Wm. H. Tugent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

James Dunbar, occupation Salesman, residing at Astatabula  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2885783, issued on the 16 day of April 1929, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION  
CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK  
MARCH 14 1912  
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This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Gocsak, Josef

Date of arrival for permanent admission: March 14, 1912

Manner of arrival: Alice

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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No. 2283

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Joseph Godzsak, aged 31 years, occupation Brick Layer, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 5 1/2 inches, weight 140 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes blue, other visible distinctive marks None.

I was born in Perbenvik, Hungary, Now Czechoslovakia, on the 21st day of Feb., anno Domini 1893; I now reside at 972 Day St., Conneaut, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Trieste Austria, now Italy, on the vessel Austria; my last

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

foreign residence was Perbenvik, Hungary; I am married; the name of my wife is Louise; she was born at Kiraly Helmatcz, and now resides at Conneaut, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Czechoslovak Republic, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the State of New York, on or about the 13th day of March, anno Domini 1912; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein: SO HELP ME GOD.

*Joseph Godzsak*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 8th day of December, anno Domini 1924

[SEAL]

*A. H. Poutius*  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Pauline C. Styles*, Deputy Clerk.



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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Joseph Godysak hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is 878 Briard St., Conneaut, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is brick layer  
 Third. I was born on the 21st day of February, anno Domini 1893, at Perbenyik, Czechoslovakia  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Trieste, Italy, on or about the 24th day of February  
 anno Domini 1912, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 14th day of March  
 anno Domini 1912, on the vessel Alice

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 8th day of December, anno Domini 1924  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Louise; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 31st day of June, anno Domini 1903  
 at Kivaly, Helmatz, Czechoslovakia, and now resides at 878 Broad St., Conneaut, Ohio  
 I have two children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Alexander, born Sept. 26, 1923, at Conneaut, Ohio.  
Louise, born April 1, 1927, at Conneaut, Ohio.  
Both children reside at Conneaut, Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Czechoslovak Republic of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 14th day of March, anno Domini 1912, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 16th day of March, anno Domini 1912, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Joseph Godysak  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No 2283 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 18th day of October, 1928.  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Joseph Godysak  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Fred Butler, occupation merchant, residing at 486 Harbor St., Conneaut  
 and Stephen Stofko, occupation police man, residing at 870 Broad St., Conneaut  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Joseph Godysak, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of October, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of October, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Fred Butler  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Stephen Stofko  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 18th day of October, anno Domini 1928.

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

Filed October 18, 1929

Josef Godzszak  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Czechoslovak Republic of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Joseph Godzszak

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 1 day of October, A. D. 1929

Bernice A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Josef Godzszak, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 1<sup>st</sup> day of October, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 3192706, issued on the 18 day of Oct, A. D. 1929

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION  
CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

MAY 25 1928

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Henriksson, Henning  
Date of arrival for permanent admission: April 4, 1923  
Manner of arrival: Frederik VIII

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DIRECTOR OF IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

 Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Henning Axel Teador Henrickson, aged 34 years,  
occupation Machinist, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion medium, height 5 feet 6<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> inches,  
weight 164 pounds, color of hair dark Brown, color of eyes Gray  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Oland, Sweden  
on the 16th day of January, anno Domini 1889; I now reside  
at 448 Main St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Copenhagen, Denmark  
on the vessel Fredrick VIII,; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Kalmar, Sweden; I am        married; the name  
of my wife is Syster; she was born at Kalmar, Sweden  
and now resides at Kalmar, Sweden

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Gustavus V, King of Sweden  
of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 4th day  
of April, anno Domini 1923; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith

to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Henning Axel Teador Henrickson*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 29 day of September, anno Domini 1923

[SEAL]

*R. D. Goutier*  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By \_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Henning Axel Teodor Henrickson hereby filed, respectfully showeth:

First. My place of residence is 36 Station St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is machinist

Third. I was born on the 16th day of January, anno Domini 1889, at Oland, Sweden

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Copenhagen, Denmark, on or about the 22nd day of March  
anno Domini 1923, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 4th day of April  
anno Domini 1923, on the vessel Fredrick VIII  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 29th day of September, anno Domini 1923  
at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Syster, <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 1st day of July, anno Domini 1885  
at Kalmar, Sweden, and now resides at 36 Station St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have seven children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Catherine, born Sept. 9, 1910 at Kalmar, Sweden. Eric, born June 5, 1916, at Kalmar, Sweden. Elizabeth, born June 30, 1918, at Kalmar, Sweden.  
Bertha, born Jan. 7, 1920, at Kalmar, Sweden. Lillian, born June 5, 1923, at Kalmar, Sweden. Kurt, born April 5, 1923, at Kalmar, Sweden.  
Mildred, born Sept. 20, 1925, at Ashtabula, Ohio. All children reside in Ashtabula, Ohio, except Catherine, who resides at Cleveland, Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Gustavus V, King of Sweden of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 4th day of April, anno Domini 1923, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 6th day of April, anno Domini 1923, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Henning Axel Teodor Henrickson  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2149 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 19th day of Oct., 1928.

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio.  
Ashtabula County, } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Henning Axel Teodor Henrickson  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Albert Brockhurst, occupation machinist, residing at 110 South St., Ashtabula  
and August Beckman, occupation patrolman, residing at 48 Division St., Ashtabula

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Henning Axel Teodor Henrickson, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of October, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of October, anno Domini 1923 and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Albert Brockhurst  
(Signature of witness.)  
August Beckman  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 19th day of October, anno Domini 1928.

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

[SEAL]



*Henning Axel Teodor Henriksen*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *October 18*, 19*28*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *Amstarnus V* the *King* of *Sweden* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *16* day of *April*, A. D. 19*29*  
*Henning Axel Teodor Henriksen*  
*Loomelia A. Warner*, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Henning Axel Teodor Henriksen*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *16* day of *April*, A. D. 19*29*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said *Henning Axel Teodor Henriksen*, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to *Henning Axel Theodore Hendrickson* under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court: *Charles Stagent*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.  
\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2885784*, issued on the *16* day of *April*, A. D. 19*29*

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

**OCT 4 - 1928**

**BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION**

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION**

**ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK**

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Zienkiewicz, Zygmund

Date of arrival for permanent admission: June 27, 1911

Manner of arrival: Ryndam

**NATURALIZATION DIVISION**  
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**OCT 6 1928**  
**DISTRICT DIRECTOR**  
**ELLIS ISLAND**  
**DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio } Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } of Ashtabula County, Ohio

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT  
ASHTABULA, OHIO

I, Zygmunt Zenkewicz, aged 37 years,  
occupation Farmer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white complexion light, height 6 feet inches,  
weight 165 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks none,

I was born in Wilno Poland,  
on the 3rd day of November, anno Domini 1888; I now reside  
at New Lyme, Ohio

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Rotterdam, Holland,  
on the vessel Rendam;

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

foreign residence was Narchie, Poland; I am married; the name  
of my {wife} is Augusta; {she} was born at Poland,  
and now resides at New Lyme, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Poland,  
of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York,  
State of New York, on or about the 15th day  
of May, anno Domini 1911; I am not an anarchist; I am not a

polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Zygmunt Zenkewicz  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 12th day of April, anno Domini 1922

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Pauline C. Slight, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Zygmunt Gunkiewicz hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is New Lyme Ohio R.D. #3  
 Second. My occupation is Farmer  
 Third. I was born on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of November, anno Domini 1. 888, at Wilno Poland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Rotterdam Holland, on or about the 1<sup>st</sup> day of June  
 anno Domini 1. 911, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 27 day of June  
 anno Domini 1. 911, on the vessel Ryan saw  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 12 day of April, anno Domini 1. 926  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> husband's name is Augusta; <sup>she</sup> was born on the do not know day of do not know, anno Domini 1. do not know  
 at Poland, and now resides at New Lyme Ohio R.D. #3  
 I have 4 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Joe born 29 day of May 1911 at Poland, resides at New Lyme Ohio  
Walter born 5 day of May 1913 at Cleveland resides at New Lyme Ohio  
Vernice born 11 day of Dec 1914 at Barberton resides at New Lyme Ohio  
Frank born 31 day of Jan 1916 at Akron resides at New Lyme Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Poland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 27 day of June, anno Domini 1. 911, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 28 day of June, anno Domini 1. 911, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of at on the day of anno Domini 1 and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Declaration of Intention No. 2384 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 25th day of October, 1928  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County Ohio ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Jay Nelson occupation Farmer residing at New Lyme Ohio  
 and J. G. Cornish occupation Atty at Law residing at Jefferson Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Zygmunt Gunkiewicz the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January, anno Domini 1. 923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January, anno Domini 1. 923, and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

J. G. Cornish  
 (Signature of witness.)  
J. J. Nelson  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 25th day of October, anno Domini 1928  
Cornelius A. Warner Clerk.  
Pauline C. Siles Deputy Clerk.

Filed October 25, 1928

Zygmunt Zerkowicz  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Republic of Poland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929  
Zygmunt Zerkowicz  
Leonard A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Zygmunt Zerkowicz, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said Zygmunt Zerkowicz, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to Zygmunt Zerkowicz, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court: Chas. K. Tarrant, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2885785, issued on the 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR****JUL 17 1928****BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION****CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION****ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK**

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien:                   Badar, Gyula  
Date of arrival for  
permanent admission:       June 23, 1912  
Manner of arrival:           Kaiserin Auguste Victoria

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

Issue No.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Julius Badar, aged 42 years,  
occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 5 1/2 inches,  
weight 140 pounds, color of hair Brown, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Szatmar Megye, Hungary  
on the 5 day of July, anno Domini 1884; I now reside  
at E. Pacific St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Hamburg, Germany  
on the vessel Kaiser Wilhelm; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Magyar Bod, Hungary; I am un married; the name  
of my <sup>wife</sup> ~~husband~~ is Lizzie; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born at Australe, Hungary  
and now resides at E. Pacific St. Ashtabula, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to  
The Present Government of Hungary, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 29 day  
of June, anno Domini 1912; I am not an anarchist, I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Julius Badar  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 6th day of November, anno Domini 1926.

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio at Jefferson, Ohio

The petition of Julius Badar hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is 7 East Pacific St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is laborer

Third. I was born on the 5th day of July, anno Domini 1884, at Magyar Bood, Hungary

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Hamburg, Germany, on or about the 15th day of June,  
anno Domini 1912, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 23rd day of June,  
anno Domini 1912, on the vessel Kaiserin Auguste Victoria  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 6th day of November, anno Domini 1926  
at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Elizabeth; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 24th day of June, anno Domini 1896  
at Magyar Bood, Hungary and now resides at 7 East Pacific St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have four children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Elizabeth, born June 22, 1912, at Hungary. Helen, born Oct. 19, 1914,  
at Conneaut, Ohio. Julius, born Oct. 8, 1916, at Ashtabula, Ohio.  
Irene, born July 10, 1924, at Ashtabula, Ohio. All children  
reside at Ashtabula, Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The present Government of Hungary of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 23rd day of June, anno Domini 1912, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 10th day of February, anno Domini 1913, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Julius Badar  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2427 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 7th day of November, 1928.

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States on or before June 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Julius Badar  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

John Wisnyai occupation pressman, Actna Rubber Co., 56 Sibley St., Ashtabula  
and Gust Hathy occupation city policeman, residing at 19 Sibley St., Ashtabula

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Julius Badar, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of November, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of November, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

John Wisnyai  
(Signature of witness.)

Gust Hathy  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 7th day of November, anno Domini 1928.

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

*Julius Badar*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *November 7*, 19*28*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *the Present Government of Hungary* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Julius Badar*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of *Julius Badar* and the motion of *P. C. Joy Examiner* for the United States in open Court this *15* day of *April*, 19*30*, it appearing that *applicant fails to prosecute*

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

		REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE
Continued from	<i>from Apr 16 - 1929 to Oct 29, 1929</i>	<i>for study - not OK</i>
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Continued from	_____, 19____	<i>absent</i>
to	_____, 19____	

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

No. 3052

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**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**  
OCT 24 1928  
DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County,

I, James Spirides Zaffers, aged 36 years,  
occupation Clerk, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color White, complexion Dark, height 5 feet 5 inches,  
weight 170 pounds, color of hair Black, color of eyes Hazel  
other visible distinctive marks None

I was born in Agios-Georges, Greece  
on the 16 day of February, anno Domini 1886; I now reside  
at No. 56 Park St., Ashtabula, Ohio.  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Piraeus, Greece  
on the vessel Do not know name; Hamburg-American Line.; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Agios-Georges, Greece; I am not married; ~~the name~~  
~~of my wife is~~; ~~she was born at~~  
~~and now resides at~~

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The present Government of Greece, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the ----- day  
of March, anno Domini 1902; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

James Spirides Zaffers  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 13 day of June, anno Domini 19 22.

[SEAL]

[Signature]  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of James Spirides Zaffers hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 108 Orchard Ave Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Clerk in store  
 Third. I was born on the 16 day of February anno Domini 1886 at Agios Georges, Greece  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Greece Bologne, on or about the 1 day of March  
 anno Domini 1902, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 1 day of March  
 anno Domini 1902 on the vessel do not know Hamburg American Line  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 15 day of June anno Domini 1928  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am not married. My wife's name is \_\_\_\_\_; she was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_  
 at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
 I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty; and particularly to The Present Government of Greece of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 1 day of March anno Domini 1902, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 1 day of February anno Domini 1917, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Declaration of Intention No. 2052 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 8 day of November 1928  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### THE STATE OF OHIO } ASHTABULA COUNTY } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Donald Reed occupation Clothier residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and Paul Crosby occupation Real Estate residing at Ashtabula Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known James Spirides Zaffers the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Paul Crosby  
 (Signature of witness)  
Donald Reed  
 (Signature of witness)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 8<sup>th</sup> day of November, anno Domini 1928

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
 By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.



*James Spirides Gaffers*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Nov. 8*, 19*28*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Greek Republic of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *16* day of *April*, A. D. 19*29*  
*Conrad A. Kameel*, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *James Spirides Gaffers*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *16* day of *April*, A. D. 19*29*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said *J*, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to *J*, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Chas. H. Targent*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2885786*, issued on the *16* day of *April*, A. D. 19*29*

No. 2140

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas, Court  
AShtabula County, } ss: of AShtabula County, Ohio

I, John Edward Rauha, aged 28 years,  
occupation Wagon Salesman, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion light, height 5 feet 8 inches,  
weight 145 pounds, color of hair light brown, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Ylistaro, Finland,  
on the 30th day of March, anno Domini 1895; I now reside  
at 1009 Wrights Ave., Conneaut, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Helsingfors, Finland,  
on the vessel (do not remember) Conard Line; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Ylistaro, Finland; I am married; the name  
of my wife is Fanny; she was born at Iron Belt, Wisconsin,  
and now resides at 1009 Wrights Ave., Conneaut, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland,  
of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 24 day  
of December, anno Domini 1899; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*John Edward Rauha*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 15 day of Aug., anno Domini 1923

[SEAL]

*A. H. Pontius*

Clerk of the Common Pleas, Court.

By *Pauline C. Styles*, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of John Edward Rauha hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 1029 Wrights Ave, Conneaut, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Salesman  
 Third. I was born on the 30 day of March, anno Domini 1. 895, at Helsinki, Finland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Helsinki, Finland on or about the 12th day of December  
 anno Domini 1. 899, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 24th day of December  
 anno Domini 1. 899, on the vessel Do not remember (Cunard Line)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 15 day of Aug, anno Domini 1. 1923  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Fanny; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 4 day of Sept, anno Domini 1. 896  
 at Wisconsin, and now resides at Conneaut Ohio  
 I have 2 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Viola born Sept 20, 1917 at Conneaut Ohio  
Ruth born Aug. 15, 1921, at Conneaut, Ohio, both resides at  
Conneaut Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 24 day of December, anno Domini 1. 899, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 26 day of December, anno Domini 1. 899, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_ and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

John Edward Rauha  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2140 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 14 day of November, 1928

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

John Edward Rauha  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Fred Butler, occupation Merchant, residing at Conneaut Ohio  
 and Alexander Coultts, occupation Hewlett Operator, residing at Conneaut, Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known John Edward Rauha, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1. 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1. 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Fred Butler  
 (Signature of witness.)

Alexander Coultts  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 14th day of November, anno Domini 1928 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
 By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

*John Edward Pauha*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Nov. 14*, 19*28*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Republic of *Ireland* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *16* day of *April*, A. D. 19*29*  
*John Edward Pauha*  
*Connelia A. Farmer*, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *John Edward Pauha*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *16* day of *April*, A. D. 19*29*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court: *Chas. F. August*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED. \_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

*William Lature*, occupation *Tug Captain*, residing at *Conneaut B*  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2885787*, issued on the *16* day of *April*, A. D. 19*29*

CARL W. DEWEY  
DOCTOR OF HOMEOPATHIC MEDICINE  
CONNEAUT, OHIO

Mr Alex Counts, 38 3/4 Beaver  
St. Conneaut, O., is under  
my professional care, and  
confined to the house.

Carl W. Dewey,

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**AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES**

Com. Pleas Court of Ashland Co. Ohio

In the matter of the petition of John Edward Ranka to be admitted a citizen of the United States of America

The State of Ohio  
Ashland Co.

ss:

William Laituri, occupation Truck Captain, residing at Bonneton O.  
and \_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_

John Edward Ranka, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of Jan., anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the entitled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of January, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge of the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his own opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Wm Laituri

(Signature of witness.)

(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named witnesses in the office of the clerk of said court this 16 day of April, anno Domini 1929

[SEAL.]

Gertrude A. Kramer, Clerk,

By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.



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**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**  
**BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION**  
**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION**  
**ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK**

NOV 2- 1928

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Jongen, Willem  
Date of arrival for permanent admission: July 14, 1922  
Manner of arrival: Rotterdam

**NATURALIZATION DIVISION RECEIVED**  
**NOV 5 1928**  
**DISTRICT DIRECTOR**  
**BOSTON, MASS.**  
**RECEIVED BY MAIL**

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

State of Ohio, }  
Cuyahoga County, } ss: In the Common Pleas Court of Cuyahoga County.

I, William Jongen aged 22 years,  
occupation Carpenter, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color White, complexion Fair, height 5 feet 4 inches,  
weight 150 pounds, color of hair Blond, color of eyes Gray  
other visible distinctive marks None

I was born in Voorendaal, Netherlands  
on the 13 day of August, anno Domini 1 900; I now reside  
at 12316 Auburndale Ave., Cleveland, Ohio.  
(Give number, street, and city or town.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Rotterdam Holland  
on the vessel Rotterdam; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
foreign residence was Netherlands; I am Not married; the name  
of my wife is \_\_\_\_\_; she was born at \_\_\_\_\_  
and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to \_\_\_\_\_  
WILHELMINA, QUEEN OF THE NETHERLANDS, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Hoboken, in the  
State of N.J., on or about the 14 day

of July, anno Domini 1 922; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*William Jongen*  
(Original signature of declarant.)

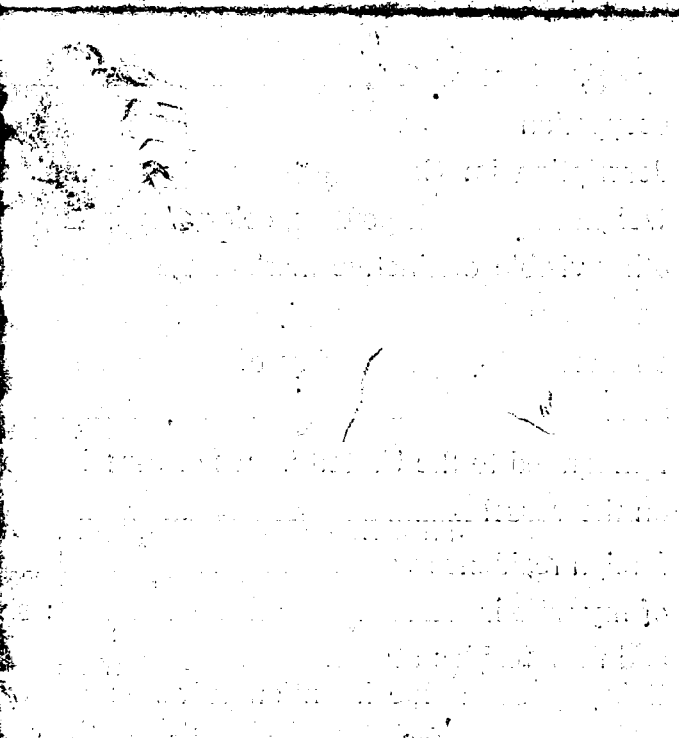
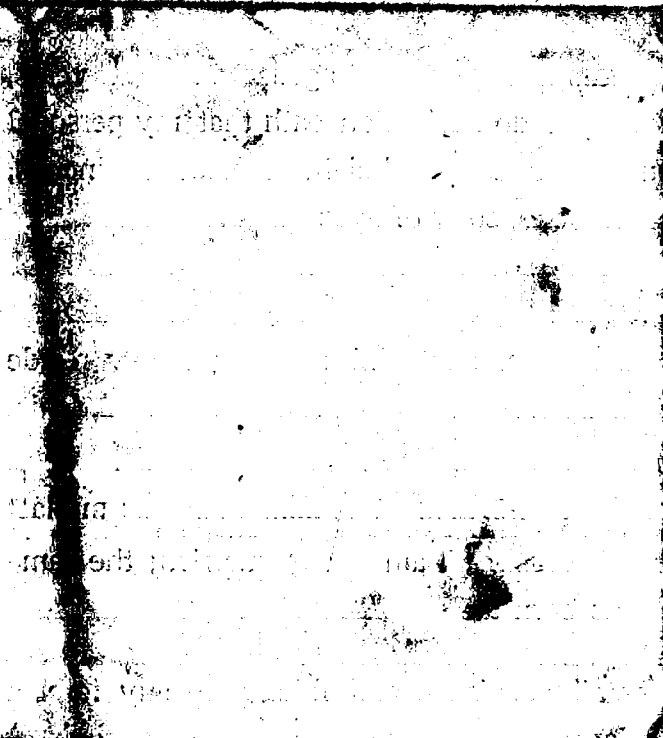
Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court  
at Cleveland, Ohio, this JAN 27 1923 day of \_\_\_\_\_  
anno Domini 19 \_\_\_\_\_

[SEAL]

GEORGE WALLACE

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By Leonard Dulant, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of William Jorgen hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is P. F. D. #3, Geneva, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Carpenter  
 Third. I was born on the 13th day of August, anno Domini 1900, at Volrendaal, Netherlands  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Rotterdam, Netherlands, on or about the 4th day of July,  
 anno Domini 1922, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Hoboken, N. J., on the 14th day of July,  
 anno Domini 1922, on the vessel Rotterdam  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 2nd day of January, anno Domini 1923  
 at Cleveland, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Cuyahoga County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am not married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is \_\_\_\_\_; <sup>she</sup> was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_  
 at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
 I have no children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Wilhelmina, Queen of the Netherlands of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 14th day of July, anno Domini 1922, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 2nd day of September, anno Domini 1922, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

William Jorgen  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 57106 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 20th day of November 1928  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

William Jorgen  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Bernardus de Melker, occupation machinist, residing at P. F. D. #3, Geneva, Ohio  
 and F. W. von Besler, occupation business, residing at W. Main, Geneva, Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known William Jorgen, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of November, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of November, anno Domini 1923 and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

B de Melker  
 (Signature of witness.)  
F. W. von Besler  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 20th day of November, anno Domini 1928.

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

*William Jorgen*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Nov 20*, 19*28*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *Wilhelmina* the *Queen* of the *Netherlands* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *16* day of *April*, A. D. 19*29*  
*William Jorgen*  
*Loonelia A. Warner*, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *William Jorgen*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *16* day of *April*, A. D. 19*29*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court: *Chas. S. Targent*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.  
\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2885788*, issued on the *16* day of *Apr*, A. D. 19*29*

No. 154501

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

District of Massachusetts, ss:

In the District Court of the United States.

I, Lester Alexander Norman, aged 25 years, occupation Chef, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 10 inches, weight 150 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes blue, other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Lunenburg County Nova Scotia on the 25th day of September, anno Domini 1891 now reside at 995 Chestnut Street Newton Upper Falls, Massachusetts.  
(Give number, street, and city or town.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Yarmouth Nova Scotia on the vessel from Yarmouth on The Prince Arthur; my last foreign residence was Halifax Canada; I am un married; the name of my wife is Edith; she was born at England and now resides at Newtown Lower Falls

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V King of Great Britain and Ireland whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Boston, in the State of Massachusetts, on or about the 27th day of June, anno Domini 1921 am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Lester Alexander Norman  
(Original signature of declarant.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court at Boston, Mass., this 5th day of April anno Domini 1924

[SEAL]

Richard Sanderson  
Deputy Clerk of the District Court of the United States.



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CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(For use of aliens arriving in United States after June 29, 1906. To be issued immediately prior to petitioning for naturalization.)

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR IN CHARGE  
Yarmouth, N. S.  
AT \_\_\_\_\_

NOV 14 1928

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NOV 19 1928  
DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived at the port indicated, on the date and in the manner described below, viz:

Name of alien: Lester Alexander  
Boston, Mass.

Port of entry: Yarmouth, N. S.  
via June 26, 1928

Date of arrival:

Name of vessel:\* Druid Arthur B. & Y. S. S. Co. Line

J. E. Luther  
(Title) INSPECTOR IN CHARGE

\*Or railroad company, or any other conveyance.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Lester Alexander Norman hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is R. F. D. #2, Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Cook

Third. I was born on the 26th day of September, anno Domini 1898, at West LaHave, Lunenburg Co., Nova Scotia

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Yarmouth, Nova Scotia, on or about the 26th day of June,  
anno Domini 1923, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Boston, Mass., on the 21st day of June,  
anno Domini 1923, on the vessel Prince Arthur  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 8th day of April, anno Domini 1924  
at Boston, Mass., in the District Court of The United States

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Edith May Norman <sup>(she)</sup> was born on the 2nd day of August, anno Domini 1901  
at Beigate Surrey, England and now resides at R. F. D. #2, Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have two children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Marjorie Kathleen, born July 22, 1922 at Halifax, Nova Scotia.  
Arthur Warren, born Jan. 27, 1925, at Boston, Mass. Both  
children reside at Ashtabula, Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V, King of Great Britain, Ireland, etc. of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 27th day of June, anno Domini 1923, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 21st day of April, anno Domini 1925, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Lester Alexander Norman  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 154501 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 28th day of November, 1928.

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Lester Alexander Norman  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Harrison Stetson, occupation engineer, residing at Hillcrest Ave., Ashtabula  
and George Abbey, occupation automobile dealer, residing at 121 Prospect St., Ashtabula  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known

Lester Alexander Norman, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 21st day of April, anno Domini 1925, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 21st day of April, anno Domini 1925; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Harrison Stetson  
(Signature of witness.)  
George Abbey  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 28th day of November, anno Domini 1928.

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Helena Coy, Deputy Clerk.

Lester Alexander Norman  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed Nov. 28, 1928

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George the V the King of Great Britain and Ireland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Lester Alexander Norman

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

Connelia A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Lester Alexander Norman, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chas. B. Sargent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2885789, issued on the 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

MAY 29 1928

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Taskinen, Emil

Date of arrival for permanent admission: April 19, 1913

Manner of arrival: Adriatic

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MAY 1 1928  
DIRECTOR  
ELLIS ISLAND, N.Y.  
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Emil Taskinon, aged 34 years, occupation laborer, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color white, complexion light, height 5 feet 10 1/2 inches, weight 162 pounds, color of hair light brown, color of eyes blue, other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Manninen, Finland, on the 14th day of May, anno Domini 1892; I now reside at Saybrook, R. F. D. 3, Ashtabula, Ohio.  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Hango, Finland on the vessel Adriatik; my last foreign residence was Manninen, Finland; I am married, the name of my wife is Hilda; she was born at Finland and now resides at Saybrook, R. F. D. 3, Ashtabula, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the State of New York, on or about the 19th day of April, anno Domini 1913; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein: SO HELP ME GOD.

*Emil Taskinon*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 3rd day of December, anno Domini 1926.

[SEAL]

*Cornelia A. Warner*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Helen Cox*, Deputy Clerk.



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## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio,  
The petition of Emil Taskinen hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is R. F. D. #3, Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is farmer

Third. I was born on the 17th day of May, anno Domini 1892, at Manninen, Finland

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool, England, on or about the 11th day of April  
anno Domini 1913, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 19th day of April  
anno Domini 1913 on the vessel Adriatic  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 3rd day of December, anno Domini 1926  
at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Helda Taskinen, <sup>she</sup> was born on the 9th day of September, anno Domini 1900  
at Finland, and now resides at R. F. D. #3, Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have two children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Reino, born November 26, 1917, at Daisytown, Pa.  
Lillian, born November 18, 1922, at Saybrook, Ohio. Both  
children reside at R. F. D. #3, Ashtabula, Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 19th day of April, anno Domini 1913, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1919, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Emil Taskinen  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2439 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 5th day of December, 1928.

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Emil Taskinen  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

C. F. Slocum, occupation farmer, residing at R. D. 3, Ashtabula, Ohio  
and H. B. Jeffers, occupation farmer, residing at R. D. 5, Ashtabula, Ohio  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_

Emil Taskinen, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of December, anno Domini 1925, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of December, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

C. F. Slocum  
(Signature of witness.)  
H. B. Jeffers  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 5th day of December, anno Domini 1928.

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

Emil Taskinen

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed Dec. 5, 1928

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Republic of Finland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Emil Taskinen

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

Cornelia A. Harner, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Emil Taskinen, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chas. S. Targett, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2885790, issued on the 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

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No. 2012

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Victor Puhakka, aged 38 years,  
occupation Shipbuilder, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion Fair, height 5 feet 9 1/2 inches,  
weight 185 pounds, color of hair Sandy, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks None

I was born in Sippola, Finland  
on the 22 day of March, anno Domini 1883; I now reside  
at 984 Day St., Conneaut, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England  
on the vessel New England; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Sippola, Finland; I am un married; the name  
of my wife is Katie; she was born at Kalvia, Finland  
and now resides at Conneaut, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of  
Finland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Boston, in the  
State of Massachusetts, on or about the 25 day  
of September, anno Domini 1903; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD.

Victor Puhakka  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 10 day of Dec., anno Domini 1921

[SEAL]

A. H. Pontius

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By Katherine M. Hunnevell, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Victor Puhakka, hereby filed, respectfully showeth:

First. My place of residence is 1012 Buffalo St, Conneaut, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Blacksmith, Helper

Third. I was born on the 22 day of March anno Domini 1883, at Sippola, Finland

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool, England, on or about the 17th day of September  
anno Domini 1903, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Boston, Mass, on the 25th day of September  
anno Domini 1903, on the vessel New England  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 10 day of Dec, anno Domini 1921  
at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Keeti Laina; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 1st day of November, anno Domini 1892  
at Finland, and now resides at Conneaut, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have one children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Aino Virginia, born 9th day of March, 1921, at Baltimore, Md., resides at Conneaut, Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 25 day of September, anno Domini 1903, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 16th day of August, anno Domini 1921, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Victor Puhakka  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2012 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 10 day of December, 1928.

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Victor Puhakka  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

J. K. Holkko, occupation Switchman, residing at Conneaut, Ohio  
and Kusta Naykki, occupation Laborer, residing at Conneaut, Ohio  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Victor Puhakka, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

J. K. Holkko  
(Signature of witness.)

Kusta Naykki  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 10th day of December, anno Domini 1928

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Victor Puhakka

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed Dec 10, 1928

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Republic of Finland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Victor Puhakka

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 16 day of Apr, A. D. 1929

Cornelia A. Barnes, Clerk.

NOTE-In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Victor Puhakka, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Charles T. Sargent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

, occupation, residing at, occupation, residing at

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2885791, issued on the 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOP

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK OCT 1 1926

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Karsikas, Arvid

Date of arrival: May 22, 1913

Manner of arrival: Olympic

NATURALIZATION SERVICE  
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BY DIRECTION OF THE DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
SECRETARY OF LABOR:  
CLEVELAND, OHIO:  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio } Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } of Ashtabula County, Ohio

NATURALIZATION SERVICE  
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DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

I, Arvid Karsikas, aged 35 years,  
occupation machinist, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 6 inches,  
weight 160 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Raahé, Finland  
on the 7 day of May, anno Domini 1891; I now reside  
at 354 Lake St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Southampton, England  
on the vessel Olympic; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Raahé, Finland; I am married; the name  
of my wife is Mary; she was born at Finland  
husband and now resides at 354 Lake St., Ashtabula, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to  
The Republic of Finland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 27 day  
of May, anno Domini 1913; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Arvid Karsikas  
(Original signature of declarant)

SEP 14 1926

DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 25 day of August, anno Domini 1926

Cornelia A. Warner

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

REQUEST MADE FOR CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL

NATURALIZATION SERVICE  
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CLEVELAND, OHIO.  
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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Arvid Paul Karsikas hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 354 Lake St., Ashtabula  
 Second. My occupation is Machinist  
 Third. I was born on the 7 day of May, anno Domini 1891, at Raske, Finland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Southampton, England, on or about the May day of 1913, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 22 day of May anno Domini 1913, on the vessel Olympic  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 23 day of August, anno Domini 1926 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Mary; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 16 day of December, anno Domini 1889 at Laukas, Finland, and now resides at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 I have 2 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Viens Helen, born 10th day of December, 1913 at Jersey City, N. J. Legally adopted Aug. 25, 1926. Reins Arvid Karsikas, born 16 day of December, 1916, at Ashtabula, Ohio, both reside at Ashtabula, Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 27 day of May, anno Domini 1913, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the day of, anno Domini 1916, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the Court of at on the day of, anno Domini 1, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Arvid Paul Karsikas  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2422 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 11 day of December, 1928  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Arvid Paul Karsikas  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

John J. Koski, occupation attly, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 and Oscar Ylitalo, occupation grocer, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Arvid Paul Karsikas, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Oscar Ylitalo  
(Signature of witness.)  
John J. Koski  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 11th day of December, anno Domini 1928

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Arvid Paul Karsikas  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed Dec 11, 1928

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Republic of Finland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929  
Loonetta A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Arvid Paul Karsikas, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Chas. S. Tugwell, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2885-792, issued on the 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION  
CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK**

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APR 4 1922  
DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO.  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
APR 2 1928

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: **Bischoff, Werner**  
Date of arrival for permanent admission: **September 4, 1922**  
Manner of arrival: **Frederik VIII**

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*  
Commissioner of Naturalization

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

United States of America,  
Northern District of Ohio, } ss:

In the District Court of the United States,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

I, Werner Bischoff, aged 23 years,  
occupation prop., do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 6 inches,  
weight 145 pounds, color of hair blonde, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks no

I was born in St. Gallen, Switzerland  
on the 13 day of oct., anno Domini 1902; I now reside  
at 15 Mc Govern, Ave Ashtabula, Ohio.  
(Give number, street, and city or town.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Copenhagen, Denmark  
on the vessel Frederi VIII; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
foreign residence was Switzerland; I am not married; the name  
of my wife is \_\_\_\_\_; she was born at \_\_\_\_\_  
and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, of whom I am now a subject;  
I arrived at the port of The Swiss Confederation  
New York, in the

State of N. Y., on or about the 4 day  
of Sept, anno Domini 1922; I am not an anarchist; I am not a

polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Werner Bischoff*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court  
at Cleveland, Ohio, this 23 day of Jan.  
anno Domini 1926

[SEAL]

H. C. MILLER  
Clerk of the District Court of the United States.  
By *[Signature]*, Deputy Clerk.



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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio

The petition of Werner Erwin Bischoff hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is 18 Mc Govern Ave, Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is restaurant proprietor

Third. I was born on the 13th day of October, anno Domini 1902, at St. Gallen, Switzerland

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Copenhagen, Denmark on or about the 24th day of August,  
anno Domini 1922, and arrived in the United States, at the port of West Hoboken, N.J. on the 4th day of September,  
anno Domini 1922, on the vessel Frederic VII  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 23rd day of January, anno Domini 1926  
at Cleveland, Ohio, in the District Court of United States

Sixth. I am not married. My wife's name is \_\_\_\_\_, she was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_  
at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Swiss Confederation of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 4th day of September, anno Domini 1922, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 5th day of September, anno Domini 1922, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have ~~not~~ heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio, on the 17th day of April, anno Domini 1928, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit that one witness was not qualified, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Werner Erwin Bischoff  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 55433 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 13th day of December, 1928.

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Werner Erwin Bischoff  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

James Collins, occupation electrician, residing at 11 Linden Ave. Ashtabula  
and L. B. Lockwood, occupation Capt. of Lakes, residing at Prospect St., Ashtabula

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Werner Erwin Bischoff, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of December, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of December, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

L. B. Lockwood  
(Signature of witness.)  
J. G. Collins  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 13th day of December, anno Domini 1929.

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

Filed Dec 13, 1929

Ernest Erwin Bischoff  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Swiss Confederation of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Ernest Erwin Bischoff

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929  
Lorena A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Ernest Erwin Bischoff, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said Ernest Erwin Bischoff, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to Ernest Erwin Bischoff, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court: Charles H. Tarrant, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

Howard M. Wagoner, occupation Pros Atty, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2885793, issued on the 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

Petition No. 1239

**AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES**

Leon Pleas Court of Ashtabula Co., O.

'n the matter of the petition of Kerner Erwin Bischoff to be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

The State of Ohio }  
Ashtabula Co. } ss:

Howard M. Nazor, occupation Pres. City, residing at Ashtabula  
and \_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_

Kerner Erwin Bischoff the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of January, anno Domini 1923 and in the State in which the above-titled petition is made continuously since the 1 day of January, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Howard M. Nazor  
(Signature of witness.)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named witnesses in the office of the clerk of said court this 16 day

of April, anno Domini 1924. Loonilia A. Warner, Clerk,

By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1240

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Fanny Rauha hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 1009 Wrights Ave. Conneaut Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Housewife  
 Third. I was born on the 11 day of September, anno Domini 1896, at Wisconsin  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from was born in Wisconsin, on or about the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
 anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_, and arrived in the United States, at the port of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
 anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_, on the vessel \_\_\_\_\_

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of April because of both in the United States  
 at \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_  
 Sixth. I am married. My ~~wife's~~ <sup>husband's</sup> name is John Rauha; ~~she~~ <sup>he</sup> was born on the 30 day of March, anno Domini 1895  
 at Fairland, and now resides at Conneaut Ohio  
 (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have 2 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Viola born 20 day of Sept. 1917 at Conneaut Ohio  
Ruth born 15 day of Aug 1921 at Conneaut Ohio both reside in Conneaut Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of Can't remember, anno Domini 1898, and in the State of Ohio, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of Can't remember, anno Domini 1900, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Fanny Rauha  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. \_\_\_\_\_ and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_\_  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Fanny Rauha  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Mrs Wm. Laituri, occupation Housewife, residing at Conneaut Ohio  
 and Wm. Laituri, occupation Captain, residing at Conneaut Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Fanny Rauha, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Mrs Wm Laituri  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Wm Laituri  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 14th day of December, anno Domini 1928

Cornelia G. Warner, Clerk.  
 By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Fanny Rauha  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed Dec. 14, 1928

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Republic of Finland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929  
Fanny Rauha  
Loonelia A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Fanny Rauha, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said Fanny Rauha, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to Fanny Rauha, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court: Wm. D. Fayant, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2885794, issued on the 16 day of April 1929 A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

**BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION**

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION**

**ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK**

**DEC 4 1928**

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: **Vogler, Crescens**

Date of arrival for permanent admission: **October 12, 1923**

Manner of arrival: **Berengaria**

**DEC 8 1928**  
**L. SPRIGG DIRECTOR**  
**CLEVELAND, OHIO**  
**DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

**BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:**

**633933**

Issue No.

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.



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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Kreszentia Vogler, aged 39 years,  
occupation housework, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 3 inches,  
weight 135 pounds, color of hair medium brown, color of eyes gray-blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Cusmarshausen, Bavaria, Germany  
on the 18 day of April, anno Domini 1887; I now reside  
at Austinburg, Ashtabula County, Ohio

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Hamburg, Germany  
on the vessel Berengaria; my last

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Augsburg, Bavaria, Germany; I am not married; the name  
of my <sup>wife</sup> ~~husband~~ is \_\_\_\_\_; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born at \_\_\_\_\_  
and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The German Empire  
\_\_\_\_\_, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 12 day  
of October, anno Domini 1923; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Kreszentia Vogler  
(Original signature of declarant)

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 13 day of Nov., anno Domini 1926

Louelia A. Harner  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By \_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Mrs. Meszmentia Vogler hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is Austintown Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is Housewife  
 Third. I was born on the 18 day of April, anno Domini 1889, at Husumarchhausen Germany  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Hamburg Germany, on or about the 2 day of October  
 anno Domini 1923, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 12 day of October  
 anno Domini 1923, on the vessel Berengard (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 13 day of November, anno Domini 1926  
 at Jefferson Ohio in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio.  
 Sixth. I am not married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is George Kimmert <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_  
 at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at is deceased (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have one children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Anna Vogler born 16 day of June 1912 at Bayreuth  
resides at Germany

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The German Reich of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 12 day of October, anno Domini 1923, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 14 day of October, anno Domini 1923, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Meszmentia Vogler  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2431 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 17 day of December, 1928  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### The State of Ohio

### Ashtabula County ss:

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Florence French occupation Retired, residing at Austintown Ohio  
 and A. S. French occupation Retired, residing at Austintown

Meszmentia Vogler  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Meszmentia Vogler, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of November, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of November, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Florence G. French  
 (Signature of witness.)  
A. S. French  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 17 day of December, anno Domini 1928 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline G. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

*Kressentia Vogler*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Dec 17*, 19*28*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *the German Reich* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Kressentia Vogler*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *16* day of *April*, A. D. 19*29*

*Conrad A. Warner*, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Kressentia Vogler*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *16* day of *April*, A. D. 19*29*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said *Kressentia Vogler*, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to *Kressentia Vogler*, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Wm. H. Sargent*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2885-796*, issued on the *16* day of *April*, A. D. 19*29*

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION  
CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

DEC 8 - 1928

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Panoff, Paul  
Date of arrival for permanent admission: July 11, 1920  
Manner of arrival: La Touraine

DEC 10 1928  
DIVISION OF NATURALIZATION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County } SS: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Paul Andrew Panoff, aged 22 years,  
occupation Restaurant keeper, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion medium, height 5 feet 9 1/2 inches,  
weight 160 pounds, color of hair dark brown, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks None

I was born in Buff, Turkey (now Greece)  
on the 22 day of June, anno Domini 1899; I now reside  
at 86 Bridge St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Havre  
on the vessel La Touraine;  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Sofia, Bulgaria; I am not married; the name  
of my wife is \_\_\_\_\_; she was born at \_\_\_\_\_  
and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The present government of  
Greece, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 12 day  
of July, anno Domini 1920; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Paul Andrew Panoff  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 29 day of Mar., anno Domini 1922

[SEAL]

A. H. Pontius,  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By Katherine M. Hunnewell Deputy Clerk.



The undersigned, Clerk of the Court,  
 do hereby certify that the within and  
 above described  
 and  
 (one to four) years, since  
 the  
 date of the  
 filing of the  
 same.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Paul Andrew Paroff hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 393 Lake St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is baker  
 Third. I was born on the 22nd day of June, anno Domini 1899, at Buff, Turkey (now Greece)  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Havre, France, on or about the 3rd day of July,  
 anno Domini 1920, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York City, N. Y., on the 11th day of July,  
 anno Domini 1920, on the vessel La Saurane  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 27th day of March, anno Domini 1922  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am not married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is \_\_\_\_\_ <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_  
 at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
 I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Greek Republic of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 11th day of July, anno Domini 1920, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 13th day of July, anno Domini 1920, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Paul Andrew Paroff  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2034 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 26th day of December, 1928.  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, ss:  
 The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Paul Andrew Paroff  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Peter Bernardo, occupation groceryman, residing at 391 Lake St., Ashtabula,  
 and W. B. Coleman, occupation draughtman, residing at 544 Lake St., Ashtabula,  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_  
Paul Andrew Paroff, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of December, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of December, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Peter Bernardo  
 (Signature of witness.)  
W. B. Coleman  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 26th day of December, anno Domini 1928.

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Helen Coy, Deputy Clerk.

[SEAL]

Paul Andrew Panoff  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed December 26, 1928

**OATH OF ALLEGIANCE**

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Greek Republic of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Paul Andrew Panoff

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

Loonelia A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

**ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER**

Upon consideration of the petition of Paul Andrew Panoff, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L. pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Wm. H. Tugent, Judge.

**ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION**

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

**MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES**

**REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE**

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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

**NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES**

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2885795, issued on the 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

Petition No. 1243

**AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES**

In the matter of the petition of Luigi Mustafiero <sup>County of Lehigh City of Lehigh</sup> Lehigh to be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

The State of Ohio  
Ashland County } ss:

James Brown, occupation Merchant, residing at Lebanon, O.  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Luigi Mustafiero, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1 day of January, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-mentioned petition is made continuously since the 1 day of January, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

James Brown  
(Signature of witness.)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named witnesses in the office of the clerk of said court this 16 day of April, anno Domini 1924. Leonida A. Tanner, Clerk, [SEAL.]

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No. 1243

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio

The petition of Luigi Guastaferra hereby filed, respectfully showeth:

First. My place of residence is 849 Broad St., Conneaut, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Carpenter

Third. I was born on the 21st day of November, anno Domini 1897, at Terzigno, Italy

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples, Italy, on or about the 12th day of April anno Domini 1914, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 27 day of April anno Domini 1914, on the vessel Calabria  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 21st day of December, anno Domini 1926 at Brooklyn, N. Y., in the District Court of United States

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Carmela; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the do not remember anno Domini 1904 at Jorie Annunziata, Italy, and now resides at Jorie Annunziata, Italy  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have one children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Carmela Guastaferra, born Dec., 1926 at Jorie Annunziata, and resides in Italy.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 27th day of April, anno Domini 1914, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 16th day of January, anno Domini 1927, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Luigi Guastaferra  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 127057 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 31st day of December, 1928.  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Luigi Guastaferra  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Dominic Anthony, occupation bus manager, residing at 107 Harden St., Conneaut  
and Mrs. Louise Di Placido, occupation housewife, residing at 178 Broad St., Conneaut  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_

Luigi Guastaferra, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of September, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 28th day of January, anno Domini 1927; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Dominic Anthony  
(Signature of witness.)  
Mrs. Louise Di Placido  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 31st day of December, anno Domini 1928. [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

Luigi Guastaferra  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed December 31, 1928

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Luigi Guastaferra, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:  
1929, May 25. Leave granted to withdraw declaration & certificate. \_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of Luigi Guastaferra and the motion of J. C. Fox Examiner

for the United States in open Court this 16 day of April, 1929 it appearing that Witness not qualified failure to prove continuous res. since June

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

James Brown, occupation Merchant, residing at Conneaut O.  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

DEC 26 1928

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Ferlan, Neza

Date of arrival for permanent admission: May 15, 1910

Manner of arrival: New York

NATURALIZATION DIVISION  
RECEIVED

DEC 29 1928

DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

Issue No.

**643123**

*Raymond J. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.



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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Agnes Berkopec hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is R. F. D # 3 Geneva Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is Housewife  
 Third. I was born on the 8 day of September, anno Domini 1892, at Rann Austria  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Haare France, on or about the 9 day of May  
 anno Domini 1910, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 15th day of May  
 anno Domini 1910, on the vessel Ferlan Mesa (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the None required day of None required, anno Domini 1910  
 at Admitted under act of Sept 22 1902, husband's Cert. Court of 2017 60 Dates 4-15-24  
 Sixth. I am married. My husband's name is Joseph, she was born on the 19 day of April, anno Domini 1886  
 at Lopce Austria, and now resides at Geneva Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 I have 4 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Joseph born 30 day of Oct. 1911 at Cleveland Ohio  
Christians born 15 day of July 1913 at Cleveland Ohio  
Edward born 1 day of Dec. 1916 at Cleveland Ohio  
Fred born 28 day of April 1919 at Unionville Ohio  
all reside at Geneva Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Kingdom of the Serbs, Croats & Slovenes of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 15th day of May, anno Domini 1910, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 17 day of May, anno Domini 1910, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

none required

Mrs Agnes Berkopec  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. \_\_\_\_\_ and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Mrs Agnes Berkopec  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Mr. Upton, occupation Farmer, residing at Unionville Ohio  
 and Mrs Bertha Karran, occupation Housewife, residing at Geneva R. D # 3  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_

Agnes Berkopec, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

F. F. Upton  
(Signature of witness.)

Bertha Karran  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 15 day of January, anno Domini 1924

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

Pauline C. Sipes, Deputy Clerk.

*Agnes Berkovic*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *January 15*, 19*29*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to ~~the Ferdinand and I King of the Serbs, the Croats and the Slovenes~~ of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*+ Agnes Berkovic*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *16* day of *April*, A. D. 19*29*

*Leonida A. Warner*, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Agnes Berkovic*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *16* day of *April*, A. D. 19*29*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

*Shes. T. Fungert*, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2885 797*, issued on the *16* day of *April*, A. D. 19*29*

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

NOV. 9 1928

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Nastasi, Domenico Gius.

Date of arrival for  
permanent admission: August 25, 1920

Manner of arrival: Providence

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

Issue No.

623290



Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Joseph Nastasi (Giuseppe) hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 18 Van Epps Ave. Geneva Ohio  
 (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is Laborer  
 Third. I was born on the 18 day of March anno Domini 1897, at Bovellino Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples Italy, on or about the 11th day of August  
 anno Domini 1920, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 25 day of August  
 anno Domini 1920, on the vessel Providence  
 (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 25 day of July anno Domini 1925  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am not married. My husband's name is \_\_\_\_\_; she was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_  
 at \_\_\_\_\_ and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 28 day of August anno Domini 1920, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 2nd day of September, anno Domini 1920, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Declaration of Intention No. 2337 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 24 day of January 1929  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

Joseph Nastasi (Giuseppe)  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

### The State of Ohio AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

Ashtabula County

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Fred Pucci, occupation Sailor, residing at Geneva Ohio  
 and Bruno Pucci, occupation Laborer, residing at Geneva, Ohio

Joseph Nastasi (Giuseppe)  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Joseph Nastasi, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Fred Pucci  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Bruno Pucci  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 24 day of January, anno Domini 1929

Cornelia C. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.



Joseph Nastasi  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed January 24, 1929

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Nicola Emmanuel III the King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 15 day of April, A. D. 1930

Joseph Nastasi

Cornelia R. Murray Clerk.  
by Assistant Dep. Clk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Joseph Nastasi, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 3192741, issued on the 15 day of April, A. D. 1930

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION**

**NATURALIZATION SERVICE RECEIVED FEB 6 1929**  
**DISTRICT DIRECTOR U.S. DEPT. OF LABOR**

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, N. Y.

Name of alien: Hedwig Gessler

Date of arrival for permanent admission: Sept. 27, 1927

Manner of arrival: SS. Caronia

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond J. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization

Issue No. 143294

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Hedwig Paula Gessler hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 2 Linden Ave Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Housewife  
 Third. I was born on the 11th day of November, anno Domini 1904, at Vienna Austria  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Southampton England, on or about the 21st day of September  
 anno Domini 1927, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 29th day of September  
 anno Domini 1927, on the vessel S.S. Caronia  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 22nd day of Sept anno Domini 1927  
 at Ashtabula Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County  
 Sixth. I am married. My husband's name is William Gessler; he was born on the 16 day of August, anno Domini 1893  
 at Marion Indiana U.S.A., and now resides at 2 Linden Ave Ashtabula Ohio  
 I have one child, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Garnette Cecile Gessler born 4th day of March 1928 At Ashtabula Ohio.  
Sept 1929

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Austria of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of one years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 29th day of September, anno Domini 1927, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 2nd day of October, anno Domini 1927, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

mitted under act of Sept 22, 1922 Mrs. Hedwig Paula Gessler  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. \_\_\_\_\_ and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1908, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### The State of Ohio

### Ashtabula County

#### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Mrs. Hedwig Paula Gessler  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

and Mrs. Phebe Hubbard occupation Housewife residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
Miss Marian Ullman occupation Teacher residing at Ashtabula Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Hedwig Paula Gessler the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1928, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1928; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Mr. Phebe H. Hubbard  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Miss Marian Ullman  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 18th day of January, anno Domini 1929

Cornelius A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

*Hedwig Paula Gessler*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Feb 18*, 19*29*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *The Republic of Austria* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Hedwig Paula Gessler*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *12* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*

*Leonida A. Warner*, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Hedwig Paula Gessler*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *12* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*

~~(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")~~

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *3192701*, issued on the *12* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*

No. 2424

4498

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Jefferson, Ohio,

I, Sam Reda, aged 30 years,  
occupation factory employee, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion medium, height 5 feet 6 inches,  
weight 156 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Pietrafitta, Provincia Di Cosenza, Italy  
on the 20th day of August, anno Domini 1896; I now reside  
at Orange Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio,  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy  
on the vessel cannot remember; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Pietrafitta, Italy; I am un married; the name  
of my <sup>wife</sup> ~~husband~~ is Lucy Reda; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born at Ashtabula, Ohio,  
and now resides at Orange Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio,  
It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King  
of Italy of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on about the 13th day  
of April, anno Domini 1903; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Sam Reda  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 18 day of September, anno Domini 1926.

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1247

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Sam Rada hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is 4 Hanger Ave Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Laborer  
 Third. I was born on the 20 day of August anno Domini 1. 896 at Pietrafitta, Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples Italy on or about the --- day of April  
 anno Domini 1. 1903, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York on the --- day of April  
 anno Domini 1. 1903, on the vessel Can not remember  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 18 day of September anno Domini 1. 1903  
 at Jefferson Ohio in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am --- married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Lucy <sup>(she)</sup> was born on the 21 day of May anno Domini 1. 1905  
 at Ashtabula Ohio and now resides at Ashtabula Ohio  
 I have --- children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Frank born 20 day of October 1922 at Ashtabula Ohio  
resides at Ashtabula

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the --- day of April anno Domini 1. 1903, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the --- day of April anno Domini 1. 1903, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the --- Court of --- on the --- day of --- anno Domini 1. --- and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit --- and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Sam Rada  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2424 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 20 day of Feb, 1929  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

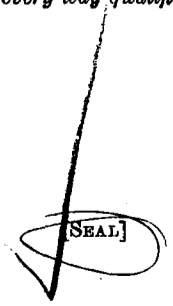
Pietro R. Fiori, occupation Auto Salesman, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and James A. Turano, occupation Ins Agent, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Sam Rada

the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January anno Domini 1. 1923, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January anno Domini 1. 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Pietro R. Fiori  
 (Signature of witness.)  
James A. Turano  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 20 day of February, anno Domini 1929

Cornelia G. Warner, Clerk.  
 By Caroline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.





Filed Feb 20, 1929

Sam Reda

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III of King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Sam Reda

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 15th day of Sept April, A. D. 1929

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE--In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title) an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Sam Reda, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

occupation, residing at

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 3192746, issued on the 15th day of April, A. D. 1930

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

FEB 20 1929

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION SERVICE

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Lachej, Matvey  
 Date of arrival for permanent admission: April 8, 1909

Manner of arrival: Cleveland

DISTRICT DIRECTOR

CLEVELAND, OHIO  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

Issue No.

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Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Matvey Lachey, aged 40 years,  
occupation Farming, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion Fair, height 5 feet 8 inches,  
weight 155 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none  
I was born in Lubiszcz, Poland,  
on the 12th day of December, anno Domini 1883; I now reside  
at Route 1, Austinburg, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Hamburg, Germany  
on the vessel Can not remember; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Lubiszcz, Poland; I am un married; the name  
of my wife is Antonina; she was born at Lutovichy, Russia  
and now resides at Austinburg, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Poland  
of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 10th day  
of April, anno Domini 1909; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Matvey Lachey  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 19 day of November, anno Domini 192 3

[SEAL]

A. H. Pontius

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1248

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio

The petition of Matvey Lachey hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is R. F. D. Austenburg, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is farmer

Third. I was born on the 12th day of December, anno Domini 1883, at Lubiszcz, Poland

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Hamburg, Germany, on or about the 16th day of March anno Domini 1909, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 8th day of April anno Domini 1909, on the vessel Cleveland  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 19th day of November, anno Domini 1923 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Antonina; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the date not known anno Domini 1909 at Lutovichy, Russia, and now resides at R. F. D. Austenburg, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have two children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Sophia, born Oct. 16, 1914 at Illinois Fred, born June 23, 1927,  
at Austenburg, Ohio. Both children reside at R. F. D.,  
Austenburg, Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Poland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 8th day of April, anno Domini 1917, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 16th day of May, anno Domini 1920, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Matvey Lachey  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No 2169 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 6th day of March, 1929.

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States on or before June 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County, ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Matvey Lachey  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Harold Nordquest, occupation laborer, residing at Austenburg, Ohio  
and George Faerber, occupation farmer, residing at Austenburg, Ohio  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known

Matvey Lachey, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of March, anno Domini 1924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of March, anno Domini 1924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

George Faerber  
(Signature of witness.)  
Harold Nordquest  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 6th day of March, anno Domini 1929.

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

*Matvey Lachey*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Mar 6*, 19*29*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *The Republic of Poland* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*x Matvey Lachey*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *1<sup>st</sup>* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*

*Conrad A. Kramer*, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Matvey Lachey*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *1<sup>st</sup>* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*

~~(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")~~

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *3192707*, issued on the *1<sup>st</sup>* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

RECEIVED  
FEB 21 1929  
DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
ELLIS ISLAND, N. Y.  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: **Iorizzo, Raffaele**

Date of arrival for permanent admission: **November 12, 1912**

Manner of arrival: **Duca di Genova**

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

Issue No.

**666256**



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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County

I, Ralph Eurez, aged 33 years,  
occupation employe N. Y. C. & H. R. Co., do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white complexion dark, height 5 feet 0 inches,  
weight 135 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Villanova, Del Battista, Italy  
on the 24 day of September, anno Domini 1893; I now reside  
at 28 Gary St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy  
on the vessel Duk Digenave; my last

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Villanova Del Battista, Italy I am unmarried; the name  
of my { wife } is Cuziglia; { she } was born at Italy  
{ husband } and now resides at 28 Gary St., Ashtabula, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to

Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy  
of whom I am now a subject; I arrived at the port of New York

in the State of New York, on or about the 13 day  
of November, anno Domini 1913; I am not an anarchist; I am not a

polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside there  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Ralph Eurez  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 10<sup>th</sup> day of March, anno Domini 192 7

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner

No. 31674

By Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio

The petition of Ralph Eurez hereby filed, respectfully showeth:

First. My place of residence is 17 Camp St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is leather worker

Third. I was born on the 24th day of September, anno Domini 1893, at Villa Nova, Del Battista, Italy

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples, Italy, on or about the 1st day of November, anno Domini 1913, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 12th day of November, anno Domini 1913, on the vessel Duk Digenere  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 1st day of March, anno Domini 1927 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Auziglio; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 1st day of April, anno Domini 1901 at Baiano, Italy, and now resides at 17 Camp St. Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have four children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Mary, born November 28, 1919, at Ashtabula; Ana, born October 4, 1921, at Ashtabula; Rose, born August 7, 1923, at Ashtabula; Anthony, born June 6, 1925, at Ashtabula; Giovanni, born Feb. 13, 1927, at Ashtabula, Ohio. All children reside at 17 Camp St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 12th day of November, anno Domini 1913, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 15th day of November, anno Domini 1915, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Ralph Eurez  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2456 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 7th day of March, 1929.

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Ralph Eurez  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Carmine Di Gennaro, occupation laborer, residing at Humphrey St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
and Joe Sandello, occupation laborer, residing at Punkle St., Ashtabula, Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Ralph Eurez, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of March, anno Domini 1924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of March, anno Domini 1924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Joe Sandello  
(Signature of witness.)

Carmine Di Gennaro  
(Signature of witness.)

*See Cash  
BR 2355*  
[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 7th day of March, anno Domini 1929.

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

Ralph Eures

Filed Mar 7, 1929

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel the III King Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 15th day of April, A. D. 1929

Ralph Eures

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Ralph Eures, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 12th day of Oct, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1912, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from Oct 1 - 1929 to Apr 30, 1930
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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

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Certificate of Naturalization, No. 3192742, issued on the 15th day of April, A. D. 1930

Form 145-V

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**  
**BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION**

FEB 16 1929

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, N. Y.

Name of alien:	Giuseppina Biafora Piccolo
Date of arrival for permanent admission:	Nov. 8, 1926
Manner of arrival:	SS. Conte Biancamano

RECEIVED  
 FEB 20 1929  
 DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
 CLEVELAND, OHIO  
 DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond J. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization

Issue No. 148070

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Josephine Piccolo (Giuseppina Biafore Piccolo) hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 13 1/2 High St, Ashtabula Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is Housewife  
 Third. I was born on the 24 day of September, anno Domini 1893, at Pietrafitta Cosenza Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples Italy, on or about the 29 day of October  
 anno Domini 1926, and arrived in the United States at the port of New York, on the 8th day of November  
 anno Domini 1926, on the vessel Conte Biancamano  
 (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 22 day of Sept anno Domini 1922  
 at Ashtabula Ohio in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County  
 Sixth. I am married. My ~~wife's~~ <sup>husband's</sup> name is Rasquale Piccolo ~~she~~ <sup>he</sup> was born on the 16 day of February, anno Domini 1891  
 at Pietrafitta Cosenza Italy and now resides at Ashtabula Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 I have 3 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Anthony born 28 day of August 1914 at Pietrafitta Cosenza Italy  
Mario born 30 day of October 1916 at Pietrafitta Cosenza Italy  
Michael born 13 day of August 1919 at Pietrafitta Cosenza Italy

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 10th day of November, anno Domini 1926, and in the State of Ohio, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 12th day of November, anno Domini 1926, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~Under petition for citizenship to the~~ Court of Ashtabula Ohio, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: none and the basis of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Giuseppino Biafore Piccolo  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
 Declaration of Intention No. none required omitted under Act of Sept 22 1922 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 22 day of Sept, 1922  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:  
 The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Giuseppino Biafore Piccolo  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
 Mrs. Anna Fiori, occupation Housewife, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and Mr. Ralph Buona, occupation Coal Dealer, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Giuseppina Biafore Piccolo, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1927, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1927; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Ralph Buona  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Anna Fiori  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 8th day of March, anno Domini 1929

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Juline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.



*Josephine Piccolo*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Mar 8*, 19*29*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *Victor Emmanuel the Third King of Italy* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Josephine Piccolo*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *1* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*

*Louella A. Farmer*, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Josephine Piccolo*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *1st* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *3192720*, issued on the *1st* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION  
CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

**FEB 13 1929**  
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**FEB 15 1929**  
DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: **Vayanacos, Constantinos**  
Date of arrival for permanent admission: **March 18, 1910**  
  
Manner of arrival: **Paris**

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond J. Criss*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
Vagiakakos  
6983

DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County

I, Constantine Michael Vagiakos, aged 34 years,  
occupation Candy Maker, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color White, complexion Dark, height 5 feet 8 3/4 inches,  
weight 154 pounds, color of hair Black, color of eyes Brown,  
other visible distinctive marks Small scar at base of right forefinger.

I was born in Gethion, Greece,  
on the 3rd day of March, anno Domini 1898; I now reside  
at No. 56 Park Street, Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Gethion, Greece  
on the vessel Patris; my last  
foreign residence was Gethion, Greece; I am not married; the name  
of my wife is; she was born at  
and now resides at

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to  
The present Government of Greece, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the day  
of March, anno Domini 1909; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

+ Constantine Michael Vagiakos.  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 13 day of June, anno Domini 1922.

[SEAL]

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Clerk.

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J. M. VIAN, PROB.

Phone 255  
15 N. Broadway  
Geneva, Ohio

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Clerk of Court  
Jefferson O.

Dear Sir

I am very sorry again that I can not  
appear to morrow for my final Citizenship papers  
examination as my witnesses notify me the last  
minute that they can not come over to morrow  
both being out the town I guess I have to get new  
ones next time

and oblige

Sincerely yours

Constantine Michall  
Vagiatkacos.

25 Woodlawn av  
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for court.

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Constantine Michael Vagiakakos hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 25 Woodlawn St Ashtabula County Geneva Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Candy maker  
 Third. I was born on the 3rd day of March, anno Domini 1. 898, at Sethion Greece  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Sethion Greece, on or about the --- day of March  
 anno Domini 1. 910, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 18 day of March  
 anno Domini 1. 910, on the vessel Patris  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 2 day of June, anno Domini 1. 922  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am not married. My wife's name is ---; she was born on the --- day of ---, anno Domini 1. ---  
 and now resides at ---  
 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Greek Republic of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 18th day of March, anno Domini 1. 910, and in the State of Ohio, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the --- day of April, anno Domini 1. 919, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the Court of --- at --- on the --- day of ---, anno Domini 1. ---, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: ---, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America. and that his name be changed to his view  
Constantine Michael Vagiakakos  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
 Declaration of Intention No. 2050 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 29 day of March, 1929

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Constantine Michael Vagiakakos  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

J. A. Buck, occupation none, residing at Cornreant Ohio  
 and J. D. Kissel, occupation Electrician, residing at Geneva Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Constantine Michael Vagiakakos, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1. 924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1. 924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

J. A. Buck  
 (Signature of witness.)  
J. D. Kissel  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 29th day of March, anno Domini 1929

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.



Constantine Michael Vagianakos  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed Mar 29, 1929

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Greek Republic of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Gus Vian

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 30 day of Sept, A. D. 1930

Corelia A. Warner Clerk.  
by Assistant Dep. Clk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Constantine Michael Vagianakos, and affidavits in support thereof and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 12th day of Oct, A. D. 1929.

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said Constantine Michael Vagianakos, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to Gus Vian, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court: \_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED. \_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from Oct 1 - 1929 to Apr 30, 1930  
to April 1930 to Sept 30, 1930  
Reasons: Absent, unable to get photos, absent

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 3192758, issued on the 30 day of Sept, A. D. 1930

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(For use of aliens arriving in United States after June 29, 1906. To be issued immediately prior to petitioning for naturalization.)

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE

OFFICE OF COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION

AT BOSTON, MASS. JAN 20 1925

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived at the port indicated, on the date and in the manner described below, viz:

Name of alien: *Costantino Gappitella*

Port of entry: PROVIDENCE RI

Date of arrival: *Sept. 11-'23*

Name of vessel\*: *Patria*

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MAR 16 1925  
DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
NEW YORK, N. Y.  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

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*John P. Johnson*  
(Title) COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION  
*F. G. V.*

*D. S. 18*

\* Or railroad company, or any other conveyance.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Costantino Zappitelli, aged 25 years,  
occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion medium, height 5 feet 6 inches,  
weight 175 pounds, color of hair Brown, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in San. Angelo In Grotte, Italy  
on the 14th day of April, anno Domini 1900; I now reside  
at 182 Bridge St., Conneaut, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy  
on the vessel Patria; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

foreign residence was San. Agnele in Grotte, Italy; I am \_\_\_\_\_ married; the name  
of my <sup>wife</sup> ~~husband~~ is Maria Giaccia; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born at San. Angelo, In Grotte, Italy  
and now resides at Italy

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III,  
King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Boston, in the  
State of Mass., on or about the 11th day  
of September, anno Domini 1923; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Costantino Zappitelli  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 26th day of January, anno Domini 1925

[SEAL]

U. H. Gortius

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1252

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Costantino Zappitelli hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is 182 Bridge St. Conneaut Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Labour  
 Third. I was born on the 14 day of April, anno Domini 1900, at San Angelo Du Grotte Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples Italy, on or about the 28 day of August  
 anno Domini 1923 and arrived in the United States, at the port of Boston Mass, on the 11 day of September  
 anno Domini 1923 on the vessel Patna  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 26 day of January, anno Domini 1925  
 at Jefferson in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Maria; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 8 day of September, anno Domini 1899  
 at San Angelo Du Grotte, and now resides at San Angelo Du Grotte Italy  
 I have 3 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Nicola Zappitelli born the 1st day of June, 1920 at San Angelo Du Grotte Italy  
Antonio Zappitelli born 18 day of May, 1922 at San Angelo Du Grotte Italy  
Giuseppe Zappitelli born 21st day of December, 1923 at " " " " " "  
All reside Du Italy

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 13 day of September, anno Domini 1923, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 15 day of September, anno Domini 1923, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Declaration of Intention No. 2298 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 2nd day of April, 1929  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States on OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:  
 The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Costantino Zappitelli (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
 and Alex Arp, occupation Carpenter, residing at Conneaut Ohio  
Biagio Armento, occupation Merchant, residing at Conneaut Ohio,  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Costantino Zappitelli, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Biagio Armento (Signature of witness.)  
Alex Arp (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 2nd day of April, anno Domini 1929

Cornelia A. Warner Clerk.  
Faulline C. Styles Deputy Clerk.

*Constantino Zappitelli*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Apr 2*, 19*29*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Constantino Zappitelli*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *1* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*

*Isabella A. Warner*, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Constantino Zappitelli*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *1st* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from *April 29 to April 30*, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *3192708*, issued on the *1st* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

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**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

**BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION**

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION**

**ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK**

DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien:	Giannettino, Pietro
Date of arrival for permanent admission:	April 8, 1907
Manner of arrival:	Madonna

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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Form 2203  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE

TRIPPLICATE  
[To be given to the person making  
the Declaration]

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

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**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Peter Samuel Gentene, aged 37 ~~35~~ years,  
occupation Car Inspector, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 1 inches,  
weight 135 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes brown,  
other visible distinctive marks none,

I was born in Lausdomini, Italy,  
on the 29th day of November, anno Domini 1889; I now reside  
at 52 Cook St., Ashtabula, Ohio,

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy,  
on the vessel Madonna; my last  
foreign residence was Lausdomini, Italy, was un married; the name  
of my { wife } is Fulman; { he } was born at Ashtabula, Ohio,  
and now resides at Ashtabula, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III,  
King of Italy

of whom I am now a subject; I arrived at the port of New York,  
in the State of New York, on or about the 13th day  
of April, anno Domini 1907; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein.  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Peter Samuel Gentene*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 1st day of April, anno Domini 1927

[SEAL]

Cornelia W. Warner,

No 31675

By Pauline C. Styles, Clerk of the Common Pleas, Court.  
Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Pietro Giannettino also known as Peter Samuel Gentile hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 52 Cook St. Ashtabula, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Freight Car Inspector & repairman  
 Third. I was born on the 29th day of November, anno Domini 1889, at Lus domini Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples Italy, on or about the 27 day of March  
 anno Domini 1907, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 13th day of April  
 anno Domini 1907, on the vessel Madonna  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 13th day of April, anno Domini 1927  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Fulman; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 18 day of February, anno Domini 1902  
 at Ashtabula Ohio, and now resides at Ashtabula Ohio  
 I have 2 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Matthew born April 16, 1924 at Ashtabula, Ohio  
Clement born Sept 8th 1927 at Ashtabula, Ohio  
both reside at Ashtabula, Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever ~~my allegiance and fidelity~~ to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 13 day of April, anno Domini 1907, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 26 day of February, anno Domini 1916, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula Co at Jefferson Ohio on the 16 day of April, anno Domini 1921, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit Claimed exemption as alien, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Declaration of Intention No. 2461 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 2nd day of April, 1929  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

Pietro Giannettino  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

F. M. Sespico, occupation Passcar Inspector, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and Frank Balog, occupation Owner, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Pietro Giannettino also known as Peter Samuel Gentile, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

F. M. Sespico  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Frank Balog  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 2nd day of April, anno Domini 1929

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
 By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

*Pietro Giannettino*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Apr 2<sup>nd</sup>*, 19*29*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *Victor Emmanuel III of King of Italy* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Pietro Giannettino*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *1<sup>st</sup>* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*

*Leonida A. Kramer*, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Pietro Giannettino*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *1<sup>st</sup>* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said *Pietro Giannettino*, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to *Peter Samuel Gentene*, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *31927(0)*, issued on the *1<sup>st</sup>* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*

No. 2341

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } SS: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Austin Ralph, Hedlund, aged 22 years,  
occupation R. R. Clerk, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion light, height 5 feet 8 inches,  
weight 120 pounds, color of hair light brown, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Halmstad, Sweden,  
on the 11th day of December, anno Domini 1902; I now reside  
at 20 Erie St., Ashtabula, Ohio,

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England,  
on the vessel Cedric, Cunard Line,; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Halmstad, Sweden,; I am not married; ~~the name~~  
of ~~my wife is~~; ~~she was born at~~

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to

Gustavus V, King of Sweden,, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the ----- day  
of June, anno Domini 1903; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

NATURALIZATION SERVICE

Austin Ralph Hedlund  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 10 day of August, anno Domini 192 5

[SEAL]

Ernest W. Warner  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1254

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Austin Ralph Hedlund hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 29 Erie St Ashtabula Ohio  
 (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is Bus agent  
 Third. I was born on the 11 day of December, anno Domini 1902, at Halmstad, Sweden  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool England, on or about the --- day of June  
 anno Domini 1903, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the --- day of June  
 anno Domini 1903, on the vessel Cedric  
 (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 10 day of August, anno Domini 1905  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Sarah; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 4 day of December, anno Domini 1905  
 at Ashtabula Ohio, and now resides at Ashtabula  
 (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 I have no children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Kustavus King of Sweden of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the --- day of June, anno Domini 1903, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the --- day of Nov, anno Domini 1905, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the Court of --- at --- on the --- day of --- anno Domini 1--- and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit --- and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. With before your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America. and that his name be changed to Austin Ralph Hedlund  
X Austin Ralph Hedlund  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2341 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 4th day of April, 1929  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Wm. Stevenson, occupation Carpenter, residing at Ashtabula Ohio,  
 and Victor Diamond, occupation Salesman, residing at Ashtabula Ohio,  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Austin Ralph Hedlund, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Wm. Stevenson  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Victor Diamond  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 4th day of April, anno Domini 1929

Cornelia G. Warner, Clerk.  
Murline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

[SEAL]



*Austin Ralph Hedlund*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *Apr 4*, 19*29*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *Gustavus* the *Fifth* ~~of~~ *King of Sweden* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Austin Ralph Hedlund*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *1st* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*

*Conelia A. Farmer*, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Austin Ralph Hedlund*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said *Austin Ralph Hedlund*, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to *Austin Ralph Hedlund*, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court: \_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *3192711*, issued on the *1st* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION  
CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK**

**FEB 1 1929**

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: **Schleim, Herman**  
Date of arrival for permanent admission: **November 10, 1922**  
Manner of arrival: **Mount Clay**

~~NATURALIZATION SERVICE~~  
This Alien Admitted for Permanent Residence and Head Tax paid November 10, 1922.  
Member of Crew

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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NATURALIZATION SERVICE  
**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**  
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DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO.  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
**DECLARATION OF INTENTION**

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**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

State of New Jersey, }  
County of Hudson, } ss: In the Court of Common Pleas of Hudson County

I, Hermann Schlein, aged 21 years,  
occupation Seaman, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color White, complexion Fair, height 5 feet 8 inches,  
weight 165 pounds, color of hair Brown, color of eyes Blue  
other visible distinctive marks None

I was born in Hanover Germany  
on the 6th day of June, anno Domini 1901; I now reside  
at 65 Third Street Hoboken, New Jersey.

(Give number, street, and city or town)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Hamburg Germany  
on the vessel Eastern Crown; my last  
foreign residence was Hamburg Germany; I am not married; the name  
of my wife is \_\_\_\_\_; she was born at \_\_\_\_\_

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to \_\_\_\_\_

THE GERMAN EMPIRE, of whom I am now a subject;  
I arrived at the port of Norfolk, in the

State of Virginia, on or about the 6th day  
of May, anno Domini 1922; I am not an anarchist; I am not a

polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Hermann Schlein  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court  
at Jersey City, N. J., this 15th day of November  
anno Domini 1922

[SEAL]

JOHN J. MCGOVERN,  
Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas.

By [Signature] Clerk.  
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SAILOR AFFIDAVIT \* MERCHANT VESSEL \* TWNETY TONS OR MORE;

In re Petition for Naturalization

of Herman Schlein, # 1255, Common Pleas Court, Ashtabula County, Ohio,  
at Jefferson, Ohio;

The statements contained herein constitute the record of the examination of the applicant and his witnesses made by in accordance with the requirements of the Act of May 9, 1918, section four, subdivision seven, as amended.

I served "for three years on board of merchant vessels of the United States of more than twenty tons burden", as follows:

Steamer Ashtabula \_\_\_\_\_ May 1, 1923 \_\_\_\_\_ to March 12, 1929.

Certificate for the said service is exhibited herewith.

I made declaration of intention in the Common Pleas Court, Hudson County, New Jersey, at Jersey City on November 15, 1922.

April 16, 1929.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
U.S. Naturalization Examiner.

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No. 1255

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Herman Schlein hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is 7 Walnut St Ashtabula Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is Sailer  
 Third. I was born on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of June, anno Domini 1901, at Hannover Germany  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Hamburg Germany, on or about the 1<sup>st</sup> day of November  
 anno Domini 1922, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 10 day of November  
 anno Domini 1922, on the vessel Mount Clay  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of November, anno Domini 1922  
 at Hudson County, New Jersey, in the Common Pleas Court of Hudson County  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Lilyan; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 7 day of May, anno Domini 1909  
 at Washington, Pa., and now resides at Ashtabula Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 I have no children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The German Reich of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 10<sup>th</sup> day of May, anno Domini 1922, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 16<sup>th</sup> day of April, anno Domini 1923, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the~~ Court of ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~ at ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~, on the ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~ day of ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~, anno Domini ~~1~~, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Herman Schlein  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 57910 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 16 day of April, 1929  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio } ss:  
Ashtabula County }  
 The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Herman Schlein  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Harold A. Pace, occupation Fireman, residing at Carpenter Ashtabula  
 and Peter Kapsaris, occupation Merchant, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Herman Schlein, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of April, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of April, anno Domini 1923; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Peter J. Kapsaris +  
(Signature of witness.)  
Harold A. Pace L  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 16 day of April, anno Domini 1929 [SEAL]

Cornelia C. Warner, Clerk.  
 By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.



Herman Schlein  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed Apr 16, 1929

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Herman Rensch of \_\_\_\_\_ of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929  
Loonelia A. Kamm, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Herman Schlein, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court: Chas. T. Sargent, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.  
\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2885798, issued on the 16 day of April, A. D. 1929

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

JUL 30 1926

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date, and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: **Lalli, Michelangelo**

Date of arrival: **December 15, 1920**

Manner of arrival: **Ferdinando Palasciano**

RECEIVED

JUL 31 1926

DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO.  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

Issue No. **232865**

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE

TRIPLICATE  
[To be given to the person making  
the Declaration]

JUN 11 1926

No. 2213

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Michael Lalli, aged 20 years, occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 5 inches, weight 140 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes blue, other visible distinctive marks none.

I was born in Bonefro, Italy, on the 15th day of June, anno Domini 1903; I now reside at 16 Ford St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy, on the vessel Ferdinando Palasciano; my last foreign residence was Bonefro, Italy; I am not married; ~~the name of my wife is~~ ~~and now resides at~~

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject; I arrived at the port of New York, in the State of New York, on or about the day of November, anno Domini 1920; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein: SO HELP ME GOD.

*Michael Lalli*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 19th day of February, anno Domini 1924

[SEAL]

*AS Goutier*  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk.

REQUEST MADE FOR CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL

JUN 12 1928

24 Ferrington St  
Ashtabula, O.

Cash checked  
w/ him

No. 1256

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Michael Falli hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is 14 Fred St. Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is laborer  
 Third. I was born on the 15th day of June, anno Domini 1908, at Benevento Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples Italy, on or about the 19 day of November  
 anno Domini 1920, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 15th day of December  
 anno Domini 1920, on the vessel Ferdinando Palasciano  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 19th day of February, anno Domini 1924  
 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am not married. My wife's name is Carmel; she was born on the 16 day of January, anno Domini 1908  
 at Italy, and now resides at Ashtabula Ohio  
 I have one child, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Michael born September 14, 1928, resides at Ashtabula Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 15th day of December, anno Domini 1920, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 14th day of May, anno Domini 1921, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio, on the 6th day of August, anno Domini 1926, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit I was convicted of violation of the law against carrying concealed weapon, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Michel Falli  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2213 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 16th day of April, 1929  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1900, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:  
 The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Michel Falli  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Joseph Napolitano, occupation Notary Public, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and J. A. Syrano, occupation Ins. Agent, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 each being severally duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known

Michael Falli, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 12th day of January, anno Domini 1924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 12th day of January, anno Domini 1924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Joseph Napolitano  
(Signature of witness.)  
James Thrane  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 16 day of April, anno Domini 1929

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Michael Lalli  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed Apr 16, 1929

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel Third of King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 16th day of Oct, A. D. 1929

Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of Michael Lalli and the motion of L. E. Fox Examiner

for the United States in open Court this

14 day of April, 1931, it appearing that Applicant fails to prosecute.

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from Oct 1 - 1929 to Apr. 1930  
from April 1930 to Sept 1930  
Continued from Sept - 1930 to Apr 1931  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_\_

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Study  
Absent

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_\_

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No. 2290

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Dominic Marano, aged 26 years,  
occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion light, height 5 feet 2 inches,  
weight 130 pounds, color of hair flaxen, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks None

I was born in St. Angelo in Grotte, Italy  
on the 15 day of April, anno Domini 1898; I now reside  
at 121 Hiler St., Conneaut, Ohio,  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy  
on the vessel Pecei; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

foreign residence was St. Angelo in Grotte, Italy; I am unmarried; the name  
of my {wife} is Opal; {she} was born at Pennsylvania  
{husband} and now resides at 554 Buffalo St., Conneaut, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, the  
King of Italy,  
of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 15 day  
of February, anno Domini 1905; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Dominic Marano  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 22 day of December, anno Domini 1924.

[SEAL]

A. H. Pontius  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Emma A. Miller, Deputy Clerk.



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No. 1257

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Dominic Marano hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is 121 Miller Ave., Conneaut, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is laborer

Third. I was born on the 15th day of April, anno Domini 1898, at St. Angelo in Grotte, Italy

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples, Italy, on or about the do not remember day of do not remember anno Domini 1905, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the --- day of February anno Domini 1905, on the vessel Pacci  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 22nd day of December, anno Domini 1924 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am not married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name was Opal; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the --- day of divorced, anno Domini --- at Pennsylvania, and now resides at 418 Harbor St. Conneaut, Ohio, but is divorced  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have one child, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Sony Marano, born June 9, 1923, at Conneaut, Ohio, and resides at Conneaut, Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the --- day of February, anno Domini 1915, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the --- day of February, anno Domini 1905, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the --- Court of --- at ---, on the --- day of ---, anno Domini --- and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit --- and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Dominic Marano  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2290 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 2nd day of May, 1929.

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Dominic Marano  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

James Brown, occupation merchant, residing at Conneaut, Ohio  
and M. R. Smith, occupation attorney, residing at Conneaut, Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Dominic Marano, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

James Brown  
(Signature of witness.)

M. R. Smith  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 2nd day of May, anno Domini 1929.

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

Dominic Marano  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed May 2, 1929

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Dominic Marano

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 15 day of April, A. D. 1930

Annalia A. Warner, Clerk.  
by A. J. Santos Dep. Clk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title) an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Dominic Marano, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 15 day of April, A. D. 1930

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from Oct 1 - 1929 to April, 1930  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

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Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 3192743, issued on the 15th day of April, A. D. 1930

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION  
CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

APR 29 1923  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on March 6, 1923 date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: **Andersson, Nils Ivar**

Date of arrival for permanent admission: **March 6, 1923**

Manner of arrival: **Drottningholm**

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

APR 19 1923

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

STATE OF MINNESOTA } In the DISTRICT Court  
MEeker COUNTY } ss: of MEeker COUNTY

I, Nils Ivar Anderson, aged 18 years, occupation FARM LABORER, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color White, complexion Fair, height 5 feet 8 inches, weight 175 pounds, color of hair Light, color of eyes Blue, other visible distinctive marks None.

I was born in Langarod, Sweden on the 30th day of March, anno Domini 1905; I now reside at Grove City, Minnesota, Route 1-

(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Langarod, Sweden on the vessel Drottningholm; my last foreign residence was Langarod, Sweden; I am not married; the name of my wife is -----; she was born at ----- and now resides at -----

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to GUSTAVUS V King of Sweden, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the State of New York, on or about the 5th day of March, anno Domini 1923; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein: SO HELP ME GOD.

*Nils Ivar Anderson*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 19 day of July, anno Domini 1923

[SEAL]

*Carney Norman*  
Clerk of the District Court.

By \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk.

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE  
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

1929 July 27  
Deposition filed 208  
ORIGINAL

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Nils Ivar Anderson hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
First. My place of residence is Ashtabula Coast Guard Station, Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
Second. My occupation is Surfman, U.S. Coast Guard  
Third. I was born on the 30th day of March, anno Domini 1905, at Longared, Sweden  
Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Guttenberg, Sweden, on or about the 24th day of February  
anno Domini 1923, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 6th day of March,  
anno Domini 1923, on the vessel Drottningholm  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 19th day of July, anno Domini 1923  
at Sitchfield, Minnesota, in the District Court of Meeker County, Minnesota  
Sixth. I am not married. My wife's name is \_\_\_\_\_; she was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_  
at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
I have no children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Gustavus V, King of Sweden of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 6th day of March, anno Domini 1923, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 15th day of April, anno Domini 1928, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Nils Ivar Anderson  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 428 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 10th day of May, 1929.  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Nils Ivar Anderson  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

F. J. Hull, occupation chemist, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
and S. S. Hoffman, occupation engineer, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known

Nils Ivar Anderson, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 15th day of April, anno Domini 1928, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 15th day of April, anno Domini 1928; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

F. J. Hull  
(Signature of witness.)

S. S. Hoffman  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 10th day of May, anno Domini 1929.

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Helen Coy, Deputy Clerk.



*Nils Ivan Anderson*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *May 10*, 19*29*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *Gustavus V* the *King* of *Sweden* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Nils Ivan Anderson*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *1<sup>st</sup>* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*

*Lonelia A. Hamer*, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Nils Ivan Anderson*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *1<sup>st</sup>* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court: \_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED. \_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *3192712*, issued on the *1<sup>st</sup>* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION  
CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

APR 23 1929

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

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Name of alien: Castiglia, Giuseppe  
Date of arrival for permanent admission: October 1, 1913  
Manner of arrival: Canada

APR 24 1929

NOT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO.  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

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*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICETRIPLICATE  
(To be given to the person making  
the Declaration)No. 2459

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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APR 12, 1929

DISTRICT OF OHIO  
DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, ss: of Ashtabula County,  
Jefferson, Ohio,

I, Giuseppe Castiglia, aged 30 years,  
occupation laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white complexion light, height 5 feet 4 inches,  
weight 169 pounds, color of hair dark brown, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Montemaggiore, Italy  
on the 17 day of March, anno Domini 1896; I now reside  
at 30 Pacific St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Palermo, Italy,  
on the vessel Canada; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Montemaggiore, Italy; I am un married; the name  
of my { wife } is Annes Castiglia; { she } was born at Ashtabula, Ohio  
{ husband } and now resides at 30 Pacific St., Ashtabula, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to  
Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy

of whom I am now a subject; I arrived at the port of New York  
in the State of New York, on or about the 29th day  
of September, anno Domini 1913; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Giuseppe Castiglia  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 12th day of March, anno Domini 192 9

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF

*Giuseppe Castiglia*

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Petition No. 1259

Court Common Pleas  
Ashtabula County

AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

*H. A. Candela*

residing at \_\_\_\_\_, occupation Barber  
(Number and street) Ashtabula (City or town) Ohio (State), and  
\_\_\_\_\_ , occupation \_\_\_\_\_

residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
(Number and street) \_\_\_\_\_ (City or town) \_\_\_\_\_ (State)

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known and has been acquainted in the United States with \_\_\_\_\_

the petitioner above mentioned since \_\_\_\_\_, and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner

has resided in the United States at Jan 1st 1929, in the County of Ashtabula

State of Ohio from Ashtabula (City or town) \_\_\_\_\_, to \_\_\_\_\_, and

that he has personal knowledge that the petitioner is and during all such periods has been a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States, and that in his opinion the petitioner is in every way qualified to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

*H. A. Candela*

(Signature of witness)

(Signature of witness)

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named witnesses at Jefferson, this 1st day of October anno Domini 1929

*Cornelia A. Warner*

(Signature of attester)

*Pauline C. Styles Deputy*  
Clerk. (Title of attester)

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Giuseppe Castiglia hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 36 1/2 Elmer St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is laborer  
 Third. I was born on the 17 day of March, anno Domini 1896, at Montemaggiore, Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Palmero, Italy, on or about the 17th day of September  
 anno Domini 1913, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 1st day of October  
 anno Domini 1913, on the vessel Canada  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 12th day of March, anno Domini 1927  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Agnes Castiglia; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 15th day of March, anno Domini 1902  
 at Ashtabula, Ohio, and now resides at 36 1/2 Elmer St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have 2 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Steven Edward Castiglia, born 23rd day of November, 1924 at Ashtabula, Ohio, and now resides at Ashtabula, Ohio.  
Loretta Dorothy Castiglia, born 17th day of September, 1927 at Ashtabula, Ohio, and now resides at Ashtabula, Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 1st day of October, anno Domini 1913, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 5th day of April, anno Domini 1921, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that his name be changed to Joseph Castiglia.

Giuseppe Castiglia  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2459 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 10 day of May, 1929.  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Giuseppe Castiglia  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Frank Olix, occupation switchman, residing at 4 Oliver St., Ashtabula, O.  
 and Nick Corrado, occupation City Councilman, residing at Columbus St., Ashtabula, O.  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known

Giuseppe Castiglia, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Nick Corrado  
(Signature of witness.)

Frank Olix  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 10 day of May, anno Domini 1929.

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.



*Giuseppe Castiglia*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *May 10*, 19*29*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *Victor Emmanuel the III King of Italy* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Giuseppe Joseph Castiglia*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *15<sup>th</sup>* day of *April*, A. D. 19*30*.

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Giuseppe Castiglia*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *15* day of *April*, A. D. 19*30*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said *Giuseppe Castiglia*, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to *Joseph Castiglia*, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from *Oct 1 - 1929* to *Apr 15*, 19*30*

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

*G. A. Candela*, occupation *Barber*, residing at *Ashtabula, Ohio*

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *3192744*, issued on the *15* day of *April*, A. D. 19*30*

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL--FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION  
CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK**

MAY 1 - 1929

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Kottnig, Josef  
Date of arrival for permanent admission: October 8, 1911  
Manner of arrival: La Lorraine

MAY 1 1929  
DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
DEPT. OF LABOR  
ELLIS ISLAND, N.Y.

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**  
**DECLARATION OF INTENTION**

APR 18 1929

DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
OF IMMIGRATION  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Joseph Kotnik, aged 33 years,  
occupation farmer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion medium, height 5 feet 8 inches,  
weight 155 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Blagorodovic, Jugoslavia  
on the 29th day of September, anno Domini 1893; I now reside  
at Pierpont, Ohio

(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Havre, France  
on the vessel La Loraine; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

foreign residence was Blagorodovic, Jugoslavia; I am married; the name  
of my {wife} is Rose Kotnik; {she} was born at Blagorodovic, Jugoslavia  
{husband} {her}

and now resides at Pierpont, Ohio  
It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to  
Kingdom of the Serbs, Croats, & Slovenes

of whom I am now a subject; I arrived at the port of New York  
in the State of New York, on or about the 5th day  
of October, anno Domini 1911; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD.

*Joseph Kotnik*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 8th day of February, anno Domini 1929.

[SEAL]

*Cornelia A. Warner*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Helen Cox*, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio.

The petition of Joseph Kotnik hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is Pierpont Ohio P.F.D #27 (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Farmer

Third. I was born on the 29th day of September, anno Domini 1893, at Blagrodovic Jugoslavia

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Havrre, France, on or about the 28th day of September anno Domini 1911, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 8th day of October anno Domini 1911, on the vessel Laorraine (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 5th day of February, anno Domini 1927 at Jefferson Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio.

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Rose; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 20 day of September, anno Domini 1895 at Blagrodovic Jugoslavia and now resides at Pierpont Ohio. (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have 4 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
John Kotnik born 1 day of August, 1915 at Freeport Ill resides at Pierpont Ohio  
Mary Kotnik " 1 day of Dec, 1916 at Conway Ia " "  
Pauline Kotnik " 28 day of Oct 1921 at Pierpont resides at " "  
Joseph Kotnik " 8 day of May 1925 at " " " " " "

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Kingdom of the Serbs, Croats & the Slovenes of whom at this time I am a subject; and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 5th day of October, anno Domini 1911, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 8th day of May, anno Domini 1927, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Joseph Kotnik  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2450 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 23 day of May, 1929

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

John Carr  
Andrew Brewer

occupation Farmer, residing at Pierpont Ohio  
and occupation ", residing at Pierpont Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Joseph Kotnik, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Andrew Brewer  
(Signature of witness.)

J. A. Carr  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 23 day of May, anno Domini 1929

Cornelia A. Warner  
Pauline C. Styles  
Deputy Clerk.

Joseph Kotnik

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed May 23, 1929

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Kingdom of the Serbs, the Croats & Slovenes of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Joseph Kotnik

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1929

Leonida A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Joseph Kotnik, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

, occupation, residing at, occupation, residing at

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 3192714, issued on the 1st day of Oct, A. D. 1929

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

MAY 4 - 1929

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Esposito, Raffaele

Date of arrival for permanent admission: March 27, 1909

Manner of arrival: Cedric

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DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
NEW YORK

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond J. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
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DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Raffaele Penna, aged 32 years,  
occupation laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 6 inches,  
weight 140 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Marigliano, Italy  
on the 20 day of January, anno Domini 1893; I now reside  
at 278 Columbus Street, Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy  
on the vessel Cedric; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Marigliano, Italy; I am married; the name  
of my ~~wife~~ <sup>husband</sup> is Mary; ~~she~~ <sup>he</sup> was born at Ashtabula, Ohio  
and now resides at 278 Columbus Street, Ashtabula, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to

Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 26 day

of March, anno Domini 1909; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Raffaele Penna  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 12 day of August, anno Domini 192 5

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Louise P. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1261

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio,  
The petition of Raffaele Penna, hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is 278 Columbus St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is laborer

Third. I was born on the 20th day of January, anno Domini 1893, at Marigliano, Italy

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples, Italy, on or about the 13th day of March,  
anno Domini 1909, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 2nd day of March  
anno Domini 1909, on the vessel Cedric  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 12th day of August, anno Domini 1925  
at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Mary Penna; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 11th day of July, anno Domini 1898  
at Ashtabula, Ohio, and now resides at 278 Columbus St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have four children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Theresa Penna, born Oct. 1, 1918, at Ashtabula, Ohio. Louise Penna, born Oct. 1, 1918, at Ashtabula, Ohio. Louis Penna, born Nov. 19, 1920, at Ashtabula, Ohio. Genevieve Penna, born Sept. 19, 1926, at Ashtabula, Ohio. All children reside at Ashtabula, Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 21st day of March, anno Domini 1909, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 10th day of February, anno Domini 1915, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Raffaele Penna  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2342 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 23rd day of May, 1929.  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Raffaele Penna  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

James A. Serena, occupation N. Y. C. Clerk, residing at 10 Webb St. Ashtabula, Ohio  
and Steve Guarino, occupation store keeper, residing at 420 1/2 Columbus St. Ashtabula  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known

Raffaele Penna, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of May, anno Domini 1927, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of May, anno Domini 1927; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

James A. Serena  
(Signature of witness.)  
Steve Guarino  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 23rd day of May, anno Domini 1929.

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

Raffaele Penna  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed May 23, 1929

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel the III King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Raffaele Penna

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1929

Joseph P. Kramer, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Raffaele Penna, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

, occupation, residing at, occupation, residing at

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 3192715, issued on the 1st day of Oct, A. D. 1929

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION  
CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK**

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This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Pabarakopoulos, Dimitrios  
Date of arrival for permanent admission: August 7, 1916  
Manner of arrival: Vasilefz Constantinos

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County

I, Demetrios P. Lampracopoulos, aged 32 years,  
occupation merchant, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color ~~white~~ complexion dark, height 5 feet 9 inches,  
weight 150 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Vasta, Greece  
on the 10 day of March, anno Domini 1895; I now reside  
at 38 Tyler Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Piraeus, Greece  
on the vessel King Constantine; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Vasta, Greece; I am un married; the name  
of my <sup>wife</sup> ~~husband~~ is Panagoula; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born at Greece  
and now resides at 38 Tyler Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio  
It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to

The Greek Republic  
of whom I am now a subject; I arrived at the port of New York  
in the State of New York, on or about the 15 day  
of August, anno Domini 1916. I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Demetrios P. Lampracopoulos*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 25 day of April, anno Domini 1927

[SEAL]

*Cornelia A. Warner*

No. 31683

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By *Louise S. Norris*, D. Clerk.



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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Demetrios Peterson Lampracosopoulos hereby filed, respectfully showeth:

First. My place of residence is 38 Tyler Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is merchant

Third. I was born on the 10th day of March, anno Domini 1895, at Usta, Megalopolis, Greece

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Piraeus, Greece, on or about the 25th day of July

anno Domini 1916, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 7th day of August,

anno Domini 1916, on the vessel King Constantine  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 25th day of April, anno Domini 1927

at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Paragoula; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the date not remembered anno Domini 1

at Tsiva, Tegea, Greece, and now resides at 38 Tyler Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have four children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Peter, born Oct. 24, 1923, at Ashtabula, Ohio. Alexanders, born

Jan. 7, 1925, at Ashtabula, Ohio. Constantine, born Oct. 16, 1926,

at Ashtabula, Ohio. Christos, born Jan. 9, 1928, at Ashtabula, Ohio.

All children reside at 38 Tyler Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Greek Republic of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 7th day of August, anno Domini 1916, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 20th day of November, anno Domini 1922, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made a petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to Demetrios Peterson Lambros  
Demetrios Peterson Lampracosopoulos  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2465 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 28th day of May, 1929.  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Demetrios Peterson Lampracosopoulos  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Walter Sheldon, occupation merchant, residing at 114 State Rd., Ashtabula  
and Ralph H. Osman, occupation drayman, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Demetrios Peterson Lampracosopoulos, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of May, anno Domini 1924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of May, anno Domini 1924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Walter Sheldon  
(Signature of witness.)  
Ralph H. Osman  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 28th day of May, anno Domini 1929.

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Helen Coy, Deputy Clerk.

*Dimitrios Peterson Lampracos*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Filed *May 28*, 19*29*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *The Greek Republic* of \_\_\_\_\_ of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Dimitrios Peterson Lampracos*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *12th* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*

*Loonika A. Kramer*, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Dimitrios Peterson Lampracos*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *12th* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said *Dimitrios Peterson Lampracos*, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to *Dimitrios Peterson Lambros*, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *3192716*, issued on the *11th* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

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**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION**

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

APR 2 1925

This is to certify that the following-named alien was legally admitted into the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York

Name of alien: **Magnussen, Arnt O.**

Date of arrival: **August 1, 1923**

Manner of arrival: **Bergensfjord**

**NATURALIZATION RECEIVED**  
**MAY 20 1925**  
**DISTRICT DIRECTOR**  
**OLYMPIA, WASH.**  
**DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*  
Commissioner of Naturalization

By *J. C. Shuster*  
Chief of Division

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

MAY 17 1923

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio } In the Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: Common Pleas  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Arnt Oskar Magnussen, aged 35 years,  
occupation car repairer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion blonde, height 5 feet 7 inches,  
weight 168 pounds, color of hair light, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks scar on back of right hand

I was born in Fredrikstad, Norway  
on the 14 day of May, anno Domini 1889; I now reside  
at 462 West St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Bergen, Norway  
on the vessel Bergensfiord; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Odda, Norway; I am married; the name  
of my wife is Marie; she was born at Norway  
and now resides at 462 West St., Ashtabula, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to

King Haakon VII King of Norway, of whom I am now a subject;  
I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 1st day

of August, anno Domini 1923; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Arnt Oskar Magnussen  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 18 day of January, anno Domini 1923

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Harner  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1263

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Arnt Oskar Magnusen hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is 522 Madison St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is heater at American Fork & Ice Co.  
 Third. I was born on the 14th day of May, anno Domini 1889, at Fredrikstad, Norway  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Bergen, Norway, on or about the 22nd day of July,  
 anno Domini 1923, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 1st day of August  
 anno Domini 1923, on the vessel Bergensfjord  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 18th day of January, anno Domini 1926  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Marie; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 11th day of September, anno Domini 1890  
 at Sarpsborg, Norway, and now resides at 522 Madison St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
 I have four children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Ejorn Anker, born Dec. 9, 1911, at Norway, Mary, born Feb. 10, 1913,  
at Norway, Gertrude, born June 21, 1914, at Norway  
Helvina, born July 4, 1916 at Norway. All children reside  
at Ashtabula, Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Haakon VII, King of Norway of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 1st day of August, anno Domini 1923 and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 2nd day of August, anno Domini 1923 being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of ... on the ... day of ... anno Domini 1... and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit ... and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Arnt Oskar Magnusen  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2372 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 29th day of May, 1929.

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
 Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Arnt Oskar Magnusen  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Harry Elton Warren, occupation foreman, residing at R. D. 1, Geneva, Ohio  
 and Edward Elias Webster, occupation laborer, residing at Jefferson, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Arnt Oskar Magnusen, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of May, anno Domini 1924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of May, anno Domini 1924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Harry E. Warren  
 (Signature of witness.)

E. E. Webster  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 29th day of May, anno Domini 1929.

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.



Arnt Oskar Magnusen  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed May 29, 1929

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Haakon VIII the King of Norway of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Arnt Oskar Magnusen

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 1<sup>st</sup> day of October, A. D. 1929

Louella A. Farmer, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Arnt Oskar Magnusen, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 1<sup>st</sup> day of October, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 3192717, issued on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of Oct, A. D. 1929

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

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**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION**

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

MAR 27 1925

This is to certify that the following-named alien was legally admitted into the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Magnussen, Marie K.

Date of arrival: November 2, 1923

Manner of arrival: Stavangerfjord

RECEIVED  
MAY 20 1925  
DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization

By *J. C. Olmsted*

Chief of Division.

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
MAY 17 1928  
DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO  
DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Mrs. Marie Kaspars Magnussen, aged 34 years,  
occupation housewife, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Colowhite, complexion light, height 5 feet 4 inches,  
weight 158 pounds, color of hair red, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Tune Sarpsborg, Norway  
on the 11th day of September, anno Domini 890; I now reside  
at 462 West St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Christiania, Norway  
on the vessel Slavangerfjord; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Odda, Norway; I am married; the name  
of my husband is Arnt Oskar Magnussen; she was born at Robvsoy Fredriksted  
and now resides at 462 West St., Ashtabula, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to King Haakon VII, The  
Kingdom of Norway, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, N. Y., in the  
State of New York, on or about the 1st day  
of November, anno Domini 923; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Marie Kaspars Magnussen  
(Original signature of declarant)

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 18th day of January, anno Domini 1928

Cornelia A. Warner

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1264

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Mrs Marie Kaspara Magnusen hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is 52 1/2 Madison St Ashtabula, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Housewife  
 Third. I was born on the 11 day of September, anno Domini 1. 890 at Sarpsborg, Norway  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Christiania Norway on or about the 23 day of October  
 anno Domini 1. 923 and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York N.Y. on the 2nd day of November  
 anno Domini 1. 923, on the vessel Stavangerfjord  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 16th day of January anno Domini 1. 926  
 at Jefferson Ohio in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My wife's name is Arne Oskar; she was born on the 14 day of May, anno Domini 1. 889  
 at Fredrickstad, Norway, and now resides at Ashtabula Ohio  
 I have 4 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Born Arne born 7th day of December, 1911 at Norway resides at Ashtabula Ohio  
Mary born 14th day of Feb, 1913 at Norway resides at Ashtabula Ohio  
Bertrude born 21 day of June, 1914 at Norway resides at "  
Helene born 4 day of July, 1916 at Norway resides at "

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to King Haakon VII the King of Norway of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 1st day of November, anno Domini 1. 923 and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 15th day of November, anno Domini 1. 923, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1. \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Mrs Marie Kaspara Magnusen  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2371 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 29th day of May, 1929  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County  
Ohio

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Mrs Marie Kaspara Magnusen  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
 occupation Housewife residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 and Mrs S. Farrow occupation " residing at Ashtabula, Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Mrs Marie Kaspara Magnusen, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of May, anno Domini 1. 924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of May, anno Domini 1. 924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Mrs Harry Smith  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Mrs S. Farrow  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 29th day of May, anno Domini 1929

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
 By Estelene C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

*Mrs Marie Kaspara Magnussen*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *May 29*, 19*29*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *King Haakon the VII King dom of Norway* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Marie Kaspara Magnussen*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *1<sup>st</sup>* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*

*Loonelia A. Kanner*, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Mrs Marie Kaspara Magnussen*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *1<sup>st</sup>* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *3192718*, issued on the *1<sup>st</sup>* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION  
CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

RECORDED  
MAY 23 1929  
DIRECTOR OF IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION  
5751

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Laurelli, Cosmo

Date of arrival for permanent admission: January 21, 1921

Manner of arrival: Patria

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**  
MAY 15 1929  
DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
**DECLARATION OF INTENTION**

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**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Cosmo Laurello, aged 18 years,  
occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 6 1/2 inches,  
weight 137 pounds, color of hair light brown, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks None

I was born in Isenio, Italy  
on the 20th day of Feb., anno Domini 1908; I now reside  
at 241 West St., Ashtabula, Ohio,

(Give number, street, city or town, and State)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy,  
on the vessel Patria, ; my last  
foreign residence was Isenio, Italy; I am not married; the name

of my wife was [redacted] [redacted]  
[redacted] [redacted] was born at [redacted]

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to  
Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy,

of whom I am now a subject; I arrived at the port of New York,  
in the State of New York, on or about the 21st day  
of Jan., anno Domini 1921; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Cosmo Laurello*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 8th day of Feb., anno Domini 1927

[SEAL]

*Cornelia A. Warner*

No 31667

By *Pauline C. Styles*, Deputy Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
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IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF

Cosmo Ravello

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Petition No. 1265

Cour. Common Pleas  
Ashtabula County, Ohio

AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Hercule Paulino

residing at 5 Audrey Court  
(Number and street)

Ashtabula  
(City or town)

occupation Attorney at Law

Ohio  
(State)

residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
(Number and street)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(City or town)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(State)

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America;

that he has personally known and has been acquainted in the United States with Cosmo Ravello

the petitioner above mentioned since June, 1921, and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner

has resided in the United States at Ashtabula, in the County of Ashtabula

State of Ohio, from June, 1921 to October 1, 1929, and that he has personal knowledge that the petitioner is and during all such periods has been a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States, and that in his opinion the petitioner is in every way qualified to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Hercule Paulino

(Signature of witness)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of witness)

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named witnesses at Jefferson, Ohio, this 1<sup>st</sup> day of October, anno Domini 1929.

Asst. Recorder

(Signature of attester)

Deputy Clerk of Court

(Type of attester)

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No. 1265

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Cosmo Laurelli hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 241 West St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
 (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 Second. My occupation is laborer  
 Third. I was born on the 20th day of February, anno Domini 1908, at Isernia, Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples, Italy, on or about the 8th day of January  
 anno Domini 1921, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 21st day of January  
 anno Domini 1921, on the vessel Patria  
 (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 8th day of February, anno Domini 1927  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am not married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is \_\_\_\_\_; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_  
 at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
 I have no children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 21st day of January, anno Domini 1921, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 6th day of February, anno Domini 1921, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and cause, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Cosmo Laurelli  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2449 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 31st day of May, 1929.  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States on or before June 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Cosmo Laurelli  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Nick Corrado, occupation merchant, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 and James A. Surans, occupation Ins. Agt., residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_

Cosmo Laurelli, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of May, anno Domini 1924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of May, anno Domini 1924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Nick Corrado  
 (Signature of witness.)  
James A. Surans  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 31st day of May, anno Domini 1929.

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Turner, Clerk.  
 By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

*Cosmo Laurello*

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *May 31*, 19*29*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *Victor Emmanuel the III King Italy* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Cosmo Laurello*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *1* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*

*Connelin A. Harner*, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Cosmo Laurello*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *1<sup>st</sup>* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court: \_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED. \_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

*Herc Paulino*, occupation *atty*, residing at *Ashtabula Ohio*  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *3192719*, issued on the *1<sup>st</sup>* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

 CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
 ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Nikulainen, Martha

Date of arrival for permanent admission: April 29, 1912

Manner of arrival: Caronia

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:



Commissioner of Naturalization.

Issue No.

709723

 MAY 21 1912  
 ELLIS ISLAND, N. Y.  
 DEPARTMENT OF LABOR



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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Martha Hakola hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 947 Sandusky St. Conneaut, Ashtabula County, Ohio.  
 Second. My occupation is Housewife  
 Third. I was born on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of Sept, anno Domini 1888, at Kangasniemi Finland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool England, on or about the 20 day of April  
 anno Domini 1912, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 29 day of April  
 anno Domini 1912, on the vessel Caronia, Cunard Line  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 22 day of Sept, anno Domini 1922  
 at 1922 in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County  
 Sixth. I am no married. My wife's name is Rustas; she was born on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of Feb, anno Domini 1891  
 at Finland, and now resides at 947 Sandusky St. Conneaut Ohio  
 I have no children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 29<sup>th</sup> day of April, anno Domini 1912, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 30 day of April, anno Domini 1912, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Martha Hakola  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
 Declaration of Intention No. \_\_\_\_\_ and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 31 day of May, 1929  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County  
 The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Martha Hakola  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
Mary Saarela occupation Housewife residing at Conneaut Ohio  
 and Justino Helander occupation Housewife residing at Conneaut Ohio  
 each being severally duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Martha Hakola the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of April, anno Domini 1927, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of April, anno Domini 1927; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Mary Saarela  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Justino Helander  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 31<sup>st</sup> day of May, anno Domini 1929

Cornelia A. Warner Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles Deputy Clerk.

*Martha Hakola*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *May 31<sup>st</sup>*, 19*29*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *The Republic* the *Finland* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Martha Hakola*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*

*Loonela A. Kanner*, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Martha Hakola*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *3192724*, issued on the *2* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

MAY 21 1929

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION  
CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Brunacci, Aristodemo

Date of arrival for permanent admission: September 13, 1920

Manner of arrival: New York

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DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK  
MAY 23 1929

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond J. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

NATURALIZATION SERVICE

DISTRICT DIRECTOR OF NATURALIZATION  
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CLEVELAND, OHIO

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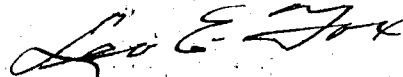
February 25, 1930.

Clerk, Common Pleas Court,  
Jefferson,  
Ohio.

Dear Sir:

Mr. Aristodemo Brunacci, 50 Bell St., Ashtabula, Ohio claims to have filed a petition in your court, and same was dismissed for not being able to establish good moral character. He now desires to file another petition, and it will be appreciated if you will detach the declaration from the petition and forward to this office.

very truly yours,



Leo. E. Fox  
Acting District Director.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Aristodemo Brunacci hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 50 Bell St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is laborer  
 Third. I was born on the 5th day of August, anno Domini 1897, at St. Paul, Brazil,  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Cherbourg, France, on or about the 20th day of August  
 anno Domini 1920, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 13th day of September  
 anno Domini 1920, on the vessel New York  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 5th day of October, anno Domini 1923  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Mary; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 2nd day of May, anno Domini 1898  
 at Collecornino, Italy, and now resides at 50 Bell St., Ashtabula, Ohio.  
 I have no children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The United States of Brazil of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 13th day of September, anno Domini 1920, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 15th day of September, anno Domini 1920, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Aristodemo Brunacci  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2158 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 31st day of May, 1929.  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Aristodemo Brunacci  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

G. A. Candela, occupation barber, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 and James A. Swans, occupation Ins. Agt., residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Aristodemo Brunacci, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of May, anno Domini 1924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of May, anno Domini 1924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

G. A. Candela  
 (Signature of witness.)

James A. Swans  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 31st day of May, anno Domini 1929.

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.



Aristodemus Brunacci  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed May 31, 1929

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The United State of Brazil of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 1<sup>st</sup> day of October, A. D. 1929

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Aristodemus Brunacci, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of Aristodemus Brunacci and the motion of L. E. Fox Examiner for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1929, it appearing that

the Character of the Applicant has not been Established  
May file after Nov 21 1929

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_\_

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION  
CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

MAY 18 1929

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Niedzielski, Adolf  
Date of arrival for permanent admission: October 30, 1912  
Manner of arrival: Zeeland

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MAY 21 1929  
DIRECTOR OF IMMIGRATION  
ELLIS ISLAND, N.Y.

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ELLIS ISLAND, N.Y.

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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Form 2203  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE

TRIPLICATE  
(To be given to the person making  
the Declaration)

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas, Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: Ashtabula County, Ohio,  
of \_\_\_\_\_

I, Adolf Neidzielski,, aged 39 years,  
occupation Farmer,, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion fair,, height 5 feet 6 inches,  
weight 150 pounds, color of hair dark brown, color of eyes brown,  
other visible distinctive marks none,  
I was born in Dydno, Austria,  
on the 18th day of January,, anno Domini 1888; I now reside  
at Colebrook,

(Give number, street, city or town, and State)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Bremen, Germany,  
on the vessel Kaiser Wilhelm Der Grosse,; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Brzozow, Austria,; I am not married; the name  
of my { wife } Catherine, (she) was born at Austria,  
~~and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_ as deceased~~

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to \_\_\_\_\_  
: The Republic of Poland,  
of whom I am now a subject; I arrived at the port of New York,  
in the State of New York,, on or about the 30th day  
of October,, anno Domini 1912; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Adolf Neidzielski  
(Original signature of declarant)

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 23 day of May,, anno Domini 1917  
Cornelia A. Warner,

No. 22916

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.  
Clerk of the Common Pleas, Court.  
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No. 1268

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Adolf Niedzielski hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is East Orwell, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is farmer  
 Third. I was born on the 18th day of January, anno Domini 1888, at Dydno, Austria (now Poland)  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Bremen, Germany, on or about the 18th day of October  
 anno Domini 1912, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 30th day of October  
 anno Domini 1912, on the vessel Kaiser Wilhelm Der Grosse  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 23rd day of May, anno Domini 1927,  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Catherine; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the ... day of September, anno Domini 1892  
 at Dydno, Austria (now Poland), and now resides at is deceased  
 I have five children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Nellie, born March 2, 1916 at Cleveland, Ohio. Edward, born Jan. 24, 1918, at Cleveland, Ohio. Mike, born June 10, 1920, at Cleveland, Ohio.  
Mary, born Dec. 8, 1922, at Colebrook, Ohio. Jddy, born July 2, 1924, at Colebrook, Ohio. All reside at East Orwell, Ohio.  
 Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Poland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.  
 Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 30th day of October, anno Domini 1912, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the ... day of July, anno Domini 1913, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.  
 Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the ... Court of ... at ... on the ... day of ... anno Domini 1 ... and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit ... and the cause of each denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Adolf Niedzielski  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2472 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 5th day of June, 1929,  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:  
 The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Adolf Niedzielski  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Joseph Gladak, occupation farmer, residing at East Orwell, Ohio  
 and Steve Wojcik, occupation farmer, residing at East Orwell, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Adolf Niedzielski, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Joseph Gladak  
(Signature of witness.)  
Steve Wojcik  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 5th day of June, anno Domini 1929

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

*Adolf Niedzielski*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *June 5*, 19*29*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Republic Poland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Adolf Niedzielski*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *12* day of *April*, A. D. 19*32*.

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Adolf Niedzielski*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *12* day of *April*, A. D. 19*32*.

~~(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 20, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")~~

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from *Oct 1 - 1929 to Apr*, 19*30*  
to *April 1930 to Sept*, 19*30*  
Continued from *Sept 30 - 1930 to Apr*, 19*31*  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

*Study - Not OK*  
*absent.*  
*Absent.*

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *2520318*, issued on the *12* day of *April*, A. D. 19*32*.

Form 145

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

**BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION**

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION**

**ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK**

**MAY 2 1929**

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Kauppinen, Maria

Date of arrival for permanent admission: September 1, 1907

Manner of arrival: New York

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

Issue No.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio

The petition of Mary Sandstrom hereby filed, respectfully showeth:

First. My place of residence is 992 Mill St, Conneaut Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Housewife

Third. I was born on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of October, anno Domini 1887, at Witarsasi, Finland

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Southampton England, on or about the 24<sup>th</sup> day of August anno Domini 1907, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of September anno Domini 1907, on the vessel American  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the Announced under act of Sept. 22, 1922 anno Domini 1922 at Witarsasi, Finland, in the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Gust Sandstrom <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of May, anno Domini 1887 at Newark, Indiana and now resides at 992 Mill St, Conneaut Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.) He was Naturalized Sept 21 - 1922, Certificate # 163976 Common Pleas Court Ashtabula Ohio

I have 3 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Ida Marie Sandstrom born 21 day of May 1909 at Conneaut Ohio and now resides Conneaut Ohio

Nellie Elizabeth Sandstrom born 16<sup>th</sup> day of July 1910 at Conneaut Ohio and now resides at Conneaut Ohio

Helia Edith Sandstrom born the 19<sup>th</sup> day of October 1915 at Conneaut Ohio and now resides at Conneaut Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of September, anno Domini 1907, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of September, anno Domini 1927, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Mary Sandstrom  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. Announced under Act of September 22 - 1922 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 5<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1929

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Mary Sandstrom  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Mary Saarela, occupation Housewife, residing at 883 Harbor St Conneaut Ohio  
and Justina Kleander, occupation Housewife, residing at 992 Mill St Conneaut Ohio  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_

Mary Sandstrom, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of June, anno Domini 1924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of June, anno Domini 1924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Mary Saarela  
(Signature of witness.)

Justina Kleander  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 5<sup>th</sup> day of June, anno Domini 1929

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Thelma Wickett Calaway Deputy Clerk.

Mary Sandstrom  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed June 5, 1929

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic the Finland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Mary Sandstrom

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2nd day of October, A. D. 1929

Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Mary Sandstrom, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 2nd day of October, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

, occupation, residing at, occupation, residing at

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 3192726, issued on the 2nd day of Oct, A. D. 1929

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF

*Edith Mazzola*

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Petition No. 1270

Court Com. Pleas

AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

*Hercule Paulino*, occupation Atty at Law  
residing at Ashtabula, Ohio

residing at \_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America;

that he has personally known and has been acquainted in the United States with Edith Mazzola  
the petitioner above mentioned since January 1, 1928, and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner

has resided in the United States at Ashtabula, in the County of Ashtabula  
State of Ohio, from January 1, 1928 to October 21, 1929, and

that he has personal knowledge that the petitioner is and during all such periods has been a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States, and that in his opinion the petitioner is in every way qualified to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

*Hercule Paulino*

(Signature of witness)

(Signature of witness)

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named witnesses  
at Jefferson, O., this 2 day of October,  
anno Domini 1929.

*Cornelia A. Warner*  
Clerk, Court of Common Pleas  
By *A. J. Paulino*, Dep. Clk.  
(Title of attester)

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio,  
 The petition of Edith Mazzola hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 72 Harmon Rd Ashtabula Ohio.  
 Second. My occupation is Housewife.  
 Third. I was born on the 15 day of Feb, anno Domini 1899, at Ashtabula, Ohio.  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from born in U.S.A., on or about the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
 anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and arrived in the United States, at the port of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
 anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, on the vessel \_\_\_\_\_.

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_  
 at omitted under the act of Sept 22 1922  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Louis; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 22 day of June, anno Domini 1898  
 at Italy, and now resides at 72 Harmon Rd Ashtabula Ohio.

I have two children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Pasquale born April 16, 1922 at Ashtabula both reside at  
Carl born April 16, 1922 at Ashtabula Ashtabula

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 15 day of Feb, anno Domini 1899, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 15 day of Feb, anno Domini 1899, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

omitted under act of Mrs. Edith Mazzola  
 Declaration of Intention No. \_\_\_\_\_ and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 22 day of Sept, 1922  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner)

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Nick Corrado occupation Merchant residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and Pasquale Barone occupation Bus. Agent residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Edith Mazzola, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 10th day of January, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Pasquale C. Barone  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Nick Corrado  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 10th day of June, anno Domini 1929

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
 By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

*Edith Mazzola*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *June 11*, 19*29*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *Victor Emmanuel The Third King of Italy* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Edith Mazzola*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*

*Lonnie A. Farmer*, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Edith Mazzola*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

*Hercule Paulus*, occupation *Atty at Law*, residing at *Ashtabula Ohio*  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *319272/*, issued on the *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF  
Carmella Di Michel  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Petition No. 1271

Court Crim. Pleas

AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Hercule Paulino, occupation Atty at Law  
residing at Ashtabula, Ohio, and  
Ashtabula, Ohio, occupation \_\_\_\_\_  
residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known and has been acquainted in the United States with Carmella Di Michel the petitioner above mentioned since January 1, 1928, and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States at Ashtabula, in the County of Ashtabula State of Ohio, from Jan. 1, 1928 to Oct. 2, 1929, and that he has personal knowledge that the petitioner is and during all such periods has been a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States, and that in his opinion the petitioner is in every way qualified to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Hercule Paulino  
(Signature of witness)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of witness)

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named witnesses at Jefferson, O., this 2 day of October, anno Domini 1929.

Cornelia A Warner  
(Signature of attester)  
Clerk, Court of Common Pleas  
By Asst. Attorneys, Dep. Clerk.



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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Carmella De Michel hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 373 Columbus St. Ashtabula Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Housewife  
 Third. I was born on the 10 day of October, anno Domini 1900, at Ashtabula Ohio  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Wassora in Ohio, on or about the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
 anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_, and arrived in the United States, at the port of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
 anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_, on the vessel \_\_\_\_\_

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_  
 at Ashtabula Ohio admitted under act of Sept 22 - 1914  
 Sixth. I am \_\_\_\_\_ married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Paul; <sup>he</sup> was born on the 9th day of June, anno Domini 1896  
 at Italy, and now resides at 373 Columbus St. Ashtabula Ohio  
 I have 3 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Arthur De Michel born the 17th day of October 1925 at Ashtabula Ohio, now resides at Ashtabula Ohio  
Ronald De Michel born 9th day of July 1928 at Ashtabula Ohio, now resides at Ashtabula Ohio  
Renaldo De Michel born 9th day of July 1928, at Ashtabula Ohio, now resides at Ashtabula Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Rector Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 10th day of October, anno Domini 1900, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 10th day of October, anno Domini 1900, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Mrs Carmella De Michel  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. now required and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this now day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_\_  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio }  
Ashtabula Ohio } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Mrs Carmella De Michel  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Nick Carrado, occupation Merchant, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and Pasquale Barone, occupation Insurance Agent, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_

Carmella De Michel, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1922; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Pasquale E. Barone  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Nick Carrado  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 11th day of June, anno Domini 1929

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
 By Thelma Hackett Colony, Deputy Clerk.

Carmella De Michel  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed June 11, 1929

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel the III King Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Mrs Carmella De Michel

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of October, A. D. 1929

Lornelia A. Frank, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Carmella De Michel, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of October, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

Hercule Paulino, occupation Atty, residing at Jefferson Ohio  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 3192722 issued on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of October, A. D. 1929

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**  
 BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION  
 CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
 ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

MAY 27 1929  
 RECEIVED

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Cebaschek, Tomas  
 Date of arrival for permanent admission: May 20, 1914  
 Manner of arrival: Bremen

MAY 24 1929  
 DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
 CLEVELAND, OHIO  
 DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Thomas Cebasck, aged 37 years,  
occupation Car Repairer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion light, height 5 feet 8 inches,  
weight 170 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes brown,

other visible distinctive marks none,

I was born in Slovenien, Austria, now Yugoslavia,

on the 21 st day of Dec., anno Domini 1888; I now reside

at 657 Lake Erie St., Conneaut, Ohio,

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Bremen Germany,

on the vessel Bremen; my last

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

foreign residence was Slovenien, Austria; I am un married; the name

of my { wife } is Julia; { she } was born at Austria now Yugoslavia,  
{ husband } is 657 Lake Erie St., Conneaut, Ohio,  
and now resides at 657 Lake Erie St., Conneaut, Ohio,

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Kingdom of the Serbs,

Croats, and Slovenes, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the

State of New York, on or about the 22 day

of May, anno Domini 1914; I am not an anarchist; I am not a

polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein

SO HELP ME GOD.

Thomas Cebasck  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 20th day of August, anno Domini 1926

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner,

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Pauline C. Styles Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of Common Pleas Ashtabula Co. Jefferson Ohio hereby filed, respectfully showeth:

The petition of Thomas Cebasek

First. My place of residence is 657 Lake Erie St Conneaut Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Car Repairer

Third. I was born on the 21 day of December anno Domini 1 889, at Trbole, Austria

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Bremen, Germany, on or about the 11th day of May anno Domini 1 914, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 20 day of May anno Domini 1 914, on the vessel Bremen (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 20 day of August anno Domini 1 926 at Jefferson Ohio in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Julia Cebasek; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 24 day of February, anno Domini 1 895 at Dobropolje Jugoslavia, and now resides at 657 Lake Erie Street Conneaut Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have one children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
July Cebasek born 20 day of February 1922 at Conneaut Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Kingdom of the Serbs Croats & Slovenes of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 20th day of May, anno Domini 1 914, and in the State of Ohio, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the July day of July, anno Domini 1 918, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of each denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Thomas Cebasek  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2420 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 11th day of June, 1929  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Thomas Cebasek  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

John Mc Guire, occupation Foreman, residing at 527 State St. Conneaut Ohio  
and William J. Metcalf, occupation Car Repairer, residing at 734 Millard Ave. "  
each being severally duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Thomas Cebasek, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1 924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1 924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

John Mc Guire  
(Signature of witness.)  
William J. Metcalf  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 11th day of June, anno Domini 1929

Cornelia G. Werner, Clerk.  
By Pauline C. Stiles, Deputy Clerk.



Thomas Cebasek

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed June 11, 1929

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Kingdom of the Serbs Croats & Slovenes of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Thomas Cebasek

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2nd day of October, A. D. 1929

Loonelia A. Harner, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Thomas Cebasek, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 2nd day of October, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

, occupation, residing at, occupation, residing at

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 3192 727, issued on the 2nd day of Oct, A. D. 1929

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF

Laura Viornis

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Petition No. 1273

Court Com. Pleas

AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Hercule Paulino

occupation

atty at Law

residing at

Ashtabula Ohio

(Number and street)

(City or town)

(State)

occupation

residing at

(Number and street)

(City or town)

(State)

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known and has been acquainted in the United States with Laura Viornis

the petitioner above mentioned since Jan. 1, 1928, and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States at Ashtabula, in the County of Ashtabula

State of Ohio, from Jan. 1, 1928 to Oct. 2, 1929, and

that he has personal knowledge that the petitioner is and during all such periods has been a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States, and that in his opinion the petitioner is in every way qualified to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Hercule Paulino

(Signature of witness)

(Signature of witness)

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named witnesses at Jefferson, Ohio, this 7th day of October, anno Domini 1929.

Cornelia A. Warner
Clerk, Court of Common Pleas
Ray A. ... Dep. Clk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Congress Pleas Court of Ashtabula, Ohio at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Laura Viounis hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
First. My place of residence is 375 Columbus St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
Second. My occupation is housewife  
Third. I was born on the 7th day of January, anno Domini 1896, at Ashtabula, Ohio  
Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Born in United States or about the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and arrived in the United States, at the port of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, on the vessel \_\_\_\_\_  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the Omitted day of Omitted under provisions of Act in Sept. 22, 1922  
in the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_  
Sixth. I am \_\_\_\_\_ married. My ~~wife's~~ <sup>husband's</sup> name is Sam Viounis; ~~she~~ <sup>he</sup> was born on the 12th day of March, anno Domini 1888  
at Naples, Italy, and now resides at 375 Columbus St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)  
I have six children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Rosie, born June 18, 1912 at Ashtabula, Ohio; Louise, born March 26, 1914 at Ashtabula, Ohio; Sam, born Dec. 5, 1916 at Ashtabula, Ohio; Violet, born Jan 5, 1918 at Ashtabula, Ohio; Harold, born May 2, 1921 at Ashtabula, Ohio; Gloria, born Dec. 22, 1922 at Ashtabula, Ohio. All <sup>children</sup> reside at Ashtabula, Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 7th day of January, anno Domini 1896, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 7th day of January, anno Domini 1896, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are ~~my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law.~~ Wherefore your petitioner prays that she may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America. Omitted under provisions of Act in Sept. 22, 1922.  
Laura Viounis  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. None Required and ~~certificate of arrival from Department of Labor~~ filed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_.  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, } ss:  
The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Laura Viounis  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
and Nick Corrado, occupation Merchant, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
and Pasquale Barone, occupation Ins. Agt., residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Laura Viounis, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Nick Corrado  
(Signature of witness.)  
Pasquale C. Barone  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 11th day of June, anno Domini 1929.

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

[SEAL]

Laura Viornis

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed June 11, 1929

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Laura Viornis, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of Laura Viornis and the motion of Mrs. Van Lura Examiner for the United States in open Court this 30 day of Sept, 1930 it appearing that Applicant fails to prosecute

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

Continued from Oct 2-1929 to Apr 1930
from to April 1930 Sept 1930
Continued from Sept 30-1930 to Apr 1931
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_\_

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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Absent
Absent

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

Hercule Paulino, occupation atty, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_\_

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**  
**BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION**  
**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION**  
**ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK**

MAY 31 1929

NATURALIZATION DIVISION  
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DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: **Sedmak, Giuseppe**  
 Date of arrival for permanent admission: **February 1, 1921**  
 Manner of arrival: **Roussillon**

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

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*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

State of Pennsylvania } In the Common Pleas Court  
County of Washington } ss: of Washington County

I, Joe Sedmak, aged 22 years, occupation miner, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color white complexion dark, height 5 feet 11 1/2 inches, weight 190 pounds, color of hair dark brown, color of eyes gray, other visible distinctive marks none.

I was born in Nadanje Selo, Austria, on the 19th day of April, anno Domini 1902; I now reside at Box 575 Meadowlands, Pa.  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Havre France on the vessel Rusillion; my last foreign residence was Nadanje Selo, Austria; I am married; the name of my wife is Mary; she was born at Austria and now resides at Meadowlands.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Republic of Austria, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the State of New York, on or about the 1st day of February, anno Domini 1921; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein: SO HELP ME GOD.

*Joe Sedmak*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 9th day of May, anno Domini 1924

[SEAL]

Harry E. Pollock,  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *R. M. Barkley*, Deputy Clerk.



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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Joe Sedmak hereby filed, respectfully sheweth  
 First. My place of residence is 417 Depot St. Conneaut Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Laborer  
 Third. I was born on the 19 day of April, anno Domini 1. 902, at Naburge Sls, Russia  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Havre France, on or about the 19th day of January  
 anno Domini 1. 921, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 1st day of February  
 anno Domini 1. 921, on the vessel Russell  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 9th day of May, anno Domini 1. 924  
 at Washington Pennsylvania in the Common Pleas Court of Washington County  
 Sixth. I am married. My wife's name is Mary; she was born on the 12 day of July, anno Domini 1. 904  
 at Austria, and now resides at Conneaut Ohio.

I have four children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Benny Sedmak born 17 day of October 1921 at Trieste Italy resides Italy  
Theodore Mary Sedmak born 9th day of November 1924 at Meathland England  
Joseph David Sedmak born 21st day of April 1926 at Conneaut Ohio  
Ronald Frank Sedmak born 14th day of January 1928 at Conneaut Ohio  
Ohio all but Benny reside at Conneaut Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiances and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 12th day of February, anno Domini 1. 921, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 14 day of May, anno Domini 1. 924, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1. \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit: \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Declaration of Intention No. 3047-2027 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 12 day of June, 1929  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States on or before June 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Steve N. Lubetich occupation Gas Inspector residing at Conneaut Ohio  
 and Randall K. Karal occupation Laborer residing at Conneaut Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Joe Sedmak the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1. 924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1. 924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Steve N. Lubetich  
(Signature of witness.)  
Randall K. Karal  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 12 day of June, anno Domini 1929

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Caroline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

*Joe Sedmak*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *June 12*, 19*29*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *Victor Emmanuel III King Italy* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*  
*Joe Sedmak*  
*Bonnie A. Warner*, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Joe Sedmak*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court: \_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.  
\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *3192728*, issued on the *7<sup>th</sup>* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*

No. 2188

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio }  
Ashtabula } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Stanley Jozefczyk, aged 42 years,  
occupation farming, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion light, height 5 feet 8 inches,  
weight 145 pounds, color of hair light brown, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks mole on right forehead

I was born in Haczaw, Galicia, Poland,  
on the 8 day of May, anno Domini 1881; I now reside  
at RFD #4, Jefferson, Ohio.  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Bremen, Germany,  
on the vessel (German Line); my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Haczaw, Poland; I am married; the name  
of my wife is Katharine; she was born at Maynard, Belmont Co. Ohio.  
and now resides at RFD # 4, Jefferson, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to  
The Republic of Poland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Baltimore, in the  
State of Maryland, on or about the 8 day  
of September, anno Domini 1904; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Stanley Jozefczyk*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 19 day of December, anno Domini 1923.

[SEAL]

*A. S. Gaultier*  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk.

REQUEST MADE FOR CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL

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IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF  
*Stanley Jozefczyk*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Petition No. 1275  
Court Leon Pleas

AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

*John M. Miller*, occupation Merchant  
residing at Jefferson, (City or town) \_\_\_\_\_, (State) \_\_\_\_\_, and  
residing at \_\_\_\_\_, (Number and street) \_\_\_\_\_, (City or town) \_\_\_\_\_, (State) \_\_\_\_\_,  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America;

that he has personally known and has been acquainted in the United States with Stanley Jozefczyk  
the petitioner above mentioned since June 1, 1920, and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner  
has resided in the United States at Jefferson Twp, in the County of Ashland  
State of Ohio from June 1, 1920 to Oct 2, 1929, and  
that he has personal knowledge that the petitioner is and during all such periods has been a person of good moral character,  
attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the  
United States, and that in his opinion the petitioner is in every way qualified to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

*John M. Miller*  
(Signature of witness)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of witness)

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named witnesses  
at Jefferson, this 2 day of Oct,  
anno Domini 1929

*Bornelia A. Warner*  
(Signature of attester)  
clerk court of Leon Pleas  
(Title of attester)

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No. 1275

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Stanley Jozefczyk hereby filed, respectfully showeth:

First. My place of residence is Jefferson, Ohio, R.F.D. No. 1.  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is farmer

Third. I was born on the 8th day of May, anno Domini 1881, at Haczaw, Galicia, Poland

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Bremen, Germany, on or about the 26th day of August  
anno Domini 1904, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Baltimore, Md., on the 8th day of September  
anno Domini 1904, on the vessel (German Line)  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 19 day of December, anno Domini 1923  
at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Katherine; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 18th day of July, anno Domini 1897  
at Maynard, Ohio, and now resides at Jefferson, Ohio, R.F.D. No. 1.  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have one children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
anna Jozefczyk, born July 15, 1914, at Maynard, Ohio, resides at Jefferson, Ohio, R.D. 1.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Poland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 8th day of September, anno Domini 1904, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 10th day of September, anno Domini 1904, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have ~~not~~ heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio, on the 18th day of January, anno Domini 1926, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit that witnesses had not known the applicant for five years, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Stanley Jozefczyk  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2188 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 17th day of June, 1929.

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Stanley Jozefczyk  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Glenn Smith, occupation clerk in hardware store, residing at Jefferson, Ohio  
and H. F. Miller, occupation Ins. Agt, residing at Jefferson, Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Stanley Jozefczyk, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Glenn Smith  
(Signature of witness.)

H. F. Miller  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 17th day of June, anno Domini 1929.

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.



Filed June 17, 1929

Stanley Jozefczyk  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Poland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Stanley Jozefczyk

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2nd day of Oct, A. D. 1929

Louella A. Kramer, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Stanley Jozefczyk, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 2nd day of Oct, A. D. 1929.

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

John M. Miller, occupation Merchant, residing at Jefferson Ohio.  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 3192729, issued on the 2nd day of Oct, A. D. 1929

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

JUN 4 - 1923

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Zappitello, Emilio

Date of arrival for permanent admission: March 20, 1920

Manner of arrival: Italia

NATURALIZATION SERVICE  
RECORDED

JUN 5 1923

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:  
DISTRICT OFFICE  
ELLIS ISLAND, N. Y.

*Raymond F. Crist*  
Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

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**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Emilio Zappitelle, aged 31 years,  
occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 6 inches,  
weight 145 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes brown,  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Santa Maria Egiacomo, Italy,  
on the 2nd day of November, anno Domini 1892; I now reside  
at 125 Hiler St., Conneaut, Ohio.  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples Italy,  
on the vessel Italia; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Sante Maria Egiacomo, Italy; I am un married; the name  
of my ~~husband~~ <sup>wife</sup> is Adolarato; ~~he~~ <sup>she</sup> was born at Santa Maria Egiacomo, Italy  
and now resides at Santa Maria Egiacomo, Italy.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King  
of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 18th day  
of March, anno Domini 1920; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD.

Emilio Zappitelle  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 7th day of July, anno Domini 192 4

[SEAL]

A. H. Pontius  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Emilio Zappitelle hereby filed, respectfully showeth:

First. My place of residence is 705 Harbor St., Conneaut, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is laborer

Third. I was born on the 2nd day of November, anno Domini 1892, at San Angelo in Grotte, Italy

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples, Italy, on or about the 2nd day of March  
anno Domini 1920, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 20th day of March  
anno Domini 1920, on the vessel Italia  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 7th day of July, anno Domini 1924  
at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Adolorato; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 11th day of September anno Domini 1901  
at San Angelo in Grotte, Italy, and now resides at Italy  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have one child, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Michele Anthony born April 8, 1924, at Italy and now resides in Italy.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 9th day of November, anno Domini 1923, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 10th day of November, anno Domini 1923, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Emilio Zappitelle  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 9258 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 18th day of June, 1929.

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Emilio Zappitelle  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Sant Arpi, occupation Carpenter, residing at Conneaut, Ohio  
and Girolamo Carlucci, occupation laborer, residing at Conneaut, Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Emilio Zappitelle, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Sant Arpi  
(Signature of witness.)  
Girolamo Carlucci  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 18th day of June, anno Domini 1929.

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

*Emilio Zappitelle*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *June 18*, 19*29*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *Victor Emmanuel the III King of Italy* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Emilio Zappitelle*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *1<sup>st</sup>* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*

*Conelia A. Farmer*, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Emilio Zappitelle*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *1<sup>st</sup>* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *3192709*, issued on the *1<sup>st</sup>* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*

*Recd 6-14-29 appear 6-18-29*  
**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(For use of aliens arriving in United States after June 29, 1906. To be issued immediately prior to petitioning for naturalization.) *S.P.M.*

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE**

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR IN CHARGE

AT YARMOUTH, N. S.

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived at the port indicated, on the date and manner described below, viz:

Name of alien: **Norman, Edith May**

Port of entry: **Boston, Mass.,  
via**

Date of arrival: **Yarmouth, N. S.  
Sept. 18, 1923**

Name of vessel:\* **Prince George**

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**DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
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IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF

*Edith May Norman*

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Petition No. 1277

Court Cour. Pleas

AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

*Edith M. Clevery* occupation Housewife  
residing at 120 Dunbar Ave. Ashtabula Ohio, and  
(Number and street) (City or town) (State)  
residing at \_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_  
(Number and street) (City or town) (State)

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known and has been acquainted in the United States with Edith May Norman the petitioner above mentioned since June 1, 1925, and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States at Ashtabula, in the County of Ashtabula State of Ohio, from June 1, 1928 to Oct. 2, 1929, and that he has personal knowledge that the petitioner is and during all such periods has been a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States, and that in his opinion the petitioner is in every way qualified to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

*Edith M. Clevery*  
(Signature of witness)

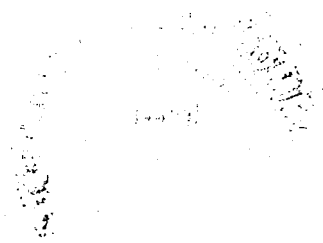
(Signature of witness)

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named witnesses at Jefferson, O., this 7 day of October, anno Domini 1929.

*Cornelia A. Warner*  
(Signature of notary)  
Clerk, County of Ashtabula, Ohio.  
*By Asst. Notary, Dep. Clerk*

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No. 1277

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Edith May Norman hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is Box 149 Rf 2 Ashtabula Ohio.  
 Second. My occupation is Housewife  
 Third. I was born on the 2 day of August, anno Domini 1901, at Reigate, England  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Yarnouth, Canada, on or about the 17th day of September  
 anno Domini 1923, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Boston Mass., on the 18th day of September  
 anno Domini 1923, on the vessel Prince George  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the omitted under act of Sept 22, 1922  
 at \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_

Sixth. I am not married. My ~~wife's~~ <sup>husband's</sup> name is Lester <sup>she</sup> was born on the 26 day of Sept, anno Domini 1898  
 at West La Salle, England, and now resides at Box 149 Rf 2 Ashtabula, Ohio. He was  
 I have two children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Margorie Kathleen born 22 day of July, 1922 at Canada  
Arthur Warren born 27 day of January, 1925 at Boston Mass.  
Both reside at Ashtabula, Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Govt King of Great Britain & Ireland etc of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 18 day of Sept, anno Domini 1923, and in the State of Ohio, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 20 day of April, anno Domini 1925, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

omitted under act of Sept 22, 1922 Edith May Norman  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
 Declaration of Intention No. \_\_\_\_\_ and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 18 day of June, 1929  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County  
 The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Mrs Henry Lane occupation Housewife, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and Mrs Arthur Armstrong occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_ the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1925, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1925; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Mrs Henry Lane (Signature of witness.)  
Mrs Arthur Armstrong (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 18 day of June, anno Domini 1929

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

*Edith May Norman*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *June 18*, 19*29*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *Geo V King of Great Britain & Ireland* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*+ Edith May Norman*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *2nd* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*

*Wm A. Kramer*, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Edith May Norman*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *2nd* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

*Edith W. Cleversy*, occupation *Housewife*, residing at *120 Dunsmuir Ave*, *Ashtabula, Ohio*  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *3192731*, issued on the *2nd* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*

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TRIPLICATE  
(To be given to the person making  
the Declaration.)

No. 2361

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } SS: of Ashtabula County.

I, Ivan Kovacevic, aged 35 years, occupation barber, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color white, complexion light, height 5 feet 7 inches, weight 178 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes brown, other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Jaska, Croatia, Austria on the 21st day of May, anno Domini 1890; I now reside at 442 Washington St., Conneaut, Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Hamburg, Germany on the vessel unknown; my last foreign residence was Jaska, Austria; I am married; the name of my wife is Katie; she was born at Duljena, Austria and now resides at 442 Washington St., Conneaut, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Kingdom of the Serbs, Croats, and Slovenes, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, New York, in the State of New York, on or about the 22nd day of December, anno Domini 1905; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein: SO HELP ME GOD.

Ivan Kovacevic  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 2nd day of December, anno Domini 1925

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio

The petition of Ivan Kovacevic hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is 442 Washington St Conneaut Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is Barber

Third. I was born on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of May anno Domini 1890, at Pisarovnik, Austria

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Hamburg Germany, on or about the --- day of Dec anno Domini 1905, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Dec anno Domini 1905, on the vessel Unknown (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of Dec anno Domini 1925 at Jefferson Ohio in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Katie; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 25 day of Nov anno Domini 1894 at Kale Austria and now resides at 442 Washington St Conneaut Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have 7 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Margaret born in Cleveland, Ohio 4<sup>th</sup> 1911 Frank born in Conneaut  
Steve " " " " Dec 23 1912 Apr. 27-1922  
Ivan " " " " Oct 30 1914  
Anna " " " " Apr 27 1917 All reside in Conneaut  
Joe " " " " May 12 1919  
Thildred " " Conneaut Sept 12 1920

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Alexander the 1<sup>st</sup> King of Serbs Croats & Slovenes of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January anno Domini 1909, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January anno Domini 1909, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~I made petition for citizenship to the~~ Court of --- on the --- day of --- anno Domini 1--- and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit --- and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition <sup>is</sup> my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America. applicant asks that his name be changed to John Kovacevic  
Ivan Kovacevic (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2361 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 18<sup>th</sup> day of June 1929  
NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Ivan Kovacevic  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

and C. W. Appleby, occupation Lawyer, residing at Conneaut Ohio  
and John F. Walsh, occupation Banker, residing at ---

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Ivan Kovacevic, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

C. W. Appleby  
(Signature of witness.)

John F. Walsh  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 18<sup>th</sup> day of June anno Domini 1929

Cornelia A. Hanna, Clerk.

[SEAL]



*Joan Kovacevic*

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *June 18*, 19*29*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *Alexander* the *1<sup>st</sup>* King of *The Serbs Croats & Slovenes* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Joan Kovacevic*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*

*Conelia J. Farmer*, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Joan Kovacevic*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*.

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said *Joan Kovacevic*, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to *Joan Kovacevic*, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court: \_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *3192730*, issued on the *2* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

NOV 19 1921

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien:                      Gabriele, Francesco

Date of arrival for  
permanent admission:            November 25, 1921

Manner of arrival:                America

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

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Issue No.



Commissioner of Naturalization

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

~~Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof~~

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Gabriele Francesco, aged 37 years,  
occupation shoemaker, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 11 inches,  
weight 159 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks scar on forehead

I was born in Gioia Tauro, Italy  
on the 1 day of January, anno Domini 1888; I now reside  
at 43 Auburn St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy  
on the vessel America; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

foreign residence was Gioia Tauro, Italy; I am unmarried; the name  
of my <sup>wife</sup> ~~husband~~ is Carmela; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born at Sprungoli, Italy  
and now resides at 43 Auburn St., Ashtabula, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to

Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 27 day

of November, anno Domini 1921; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Gabriele Francesco  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 2 day of October, anno Domini 1921

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Louise S. Norris, Deputy Clerk.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Gabriele Francesco hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 33 Elmer St. Ashtabula, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Pressman in rubber box factory  
 Third. I was born on the 1st day of January, anno Domini 1888, at Gioia Tauro, Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples, Italy, on or about the 13th day of November  
 anno Domini 1921, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 25th day of November  
 anno Domini 1921, on the vessel America  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 2nd day of October, anno Domini 1925  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Carmela; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 16th day of July, anno Domini 1897  
 at Strangola, Italy, and now resides at 33 Elmer St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have two children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Paul, born Nov. 14, 1921, at Gioia Tauro, Italy. Rolando  
born May 24, 1925 at Ashtabula, Ohio. Both children  
reside at Ashtabula, Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 25th day of November, anno Domini 1921, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 15th day of May, anno Domini 1922, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_ and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Gabriele Francesco  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2353 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 21st day of June, 1929.  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Gabriele Francesco  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Joseph Napoletano, occupation Notary Public, residing at 17 Williams St., Ashtabula  
 and Pasquale Gentile, occupation laborer, residing at 30 Elmer St., Ashtabula  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known

Gabriele Francesco, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1924, and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Joseph Napoletano  
(Signature of witness.)  
Pasquale Gentile  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 21st day of June, anno Domini 1929. [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

*Gabriele Francescos*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *June 21*, 19*29*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *Victor Emmanuel III King Italy* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Gabriele Francescos*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*

*Conelia A. Kramer*, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Gabriele Francescos*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *3192740*, issued on the *Oct 2* day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19*29*

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(For use of aliens arriving in United States after June 29, 1906. To be issued immediately prior to petitioning for naturalization.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE**

OFFICE OF ~~COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION,~~  
AT BOSTON. DEC 16 1927

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived at the port indicated on the date and in the manner described below, viz:

Name of alien: GIOVANNA DI MATTEO

Port of entry: BOSTON.

Date of arrival: MAY 6, 1910

Name of vessel:\* S. S. SANNIO

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*Anna C. M. Tillinghast*  
Line N. C. 1st  
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(Title) **COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION,**

NATURALIZATION SERVICE  
RECEIVED  
DEC 16 1927  
District Director  
CLEVELAND, OHIO.  
BRANCH OFFICE



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No. 2367

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Giovannina Di Matteo, aged 56 years,  
occupation housewife, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 4 inches,  
weight 200 pounds, color of hair dark brown, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Colleciovino, Italy  
on the 20 day of March, anno Domini 1890; I now reside  
at 22 Edwin St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy  
on the vessel Sanio; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

foreign residence was Colleciovino, Italy; I am not married; the name  
of my wife is ~~xxxxxx~~ was born at ~~xxxxxx~~  
and now resides at ~~xxxxxx~~

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to

Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Boston, in the  
State of Massachusetts, on or about the 6 day  
of May, anno Domini 1910; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD.

*Giovannina Di Matteo*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 11 day of January, anno Domini 1928

[SEAL]

*Cornelia A. Barnes*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Louise S. Norris* Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1240

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Mrs. Giovannina Di Matteo Giello hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 22. Edwina St. Ashtabula Ohio.  
 Second. My occupation is Housewife  
 Third. I was born on the 20 day of March anno Domini 1889 at Collecorno Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples Italy on or about the 18 day of April  
 anno Domini 1910, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Boston Mass on the 6 day of May  
 anno Domini 1910, on the vessel S.S. Sante  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 11 day of January anno Domini 1926  
 at Jefferson Ohio in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My husband's name is Mike Giello husband was born on the 15 day of Oct anno Domini 1878  
 at Italy and now resides at Ashtabula Ohio.  
 I have 7 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Sylvester Colletto born 1 day of March 1911 David Giello born Feb 18, 1923  
Mamie Colletto born 15 day of Oct. 1912 all born & reside at  
Mary Giello born 13 day of April 1915 Ashtabula, Ohio.  
Samuel Giello born 28 day of March 1917  
Frances Giello born 3 day of June 1919  
Antonio born 5 day of May 1921  
 Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel II King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.  
 Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 6 day of May anno Domini 1910, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 7 day of May anno Domini 1910, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.  
 Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of at on the day of anno Domini 1 and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.  
Giovannina Di Matteo Giello  
 (Complete and type signature of petitioner.)  
 Declaration of Intention No. 2367 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 26 day of June, 1929  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County  
 The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.  
Chas Sawyer occupation Atty residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and J. A. Muto occupation Trucking residing at Ashtabula, Ohio.  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Giovannina Di Matteo Giello the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of April anno Domini 1924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of April anno Domini 1924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.  
E. J. ... (Signature of witness.)  
J. A. Muto (Signature of witness.)  
 Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 26th day of June, anno Domini 1929  
Cornelia A. Warner Clerk.  
Dorline C. Styles Deputy Clerk.

Mrs. Giovannina Di Matteo Giello  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed June 26, 1929

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Mrs. Giovannina Di Matteo Giello, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of Mrs. Giovannina Di Matteo Giello and the motion of J. E. Fox Examiner

for the United States in open Court this

2nd day of October, 1929, it appearing that Violation of the Liquor Law (may file after Apr 30-1934)

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_\_

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE

TRIPLICATE  
(To be given to the person making  
the Declaration)

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**  
JUN 14 1929  
DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
**DECLARATION OF INTENTION**

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO

In the U. S. DISTRICT COURT,  
CLEVELAND, OHIO. Court  
of \_\_\_\_\_

I, Adam Helinski, aged 40 years,  
occupation Farmer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white complexion fair, height 5 feet 6 inches,  
weight 145 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Kalisz, Busata Poland  
on the 29 day of Aug, anno Domini 1886; I now reside  
at Route #1 Colebroke Village, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Hamburg, Germany  
on the vessel unknown; my last  
foreign residence was Poland; I am \_\_\_\_\_ married; the name  
of my <sup>wife</sup> ~~husband~~ is Kazmira; {she} was born at Rochester, N. Y.  
and now resides at Colebroke Village, with me

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to  
The Republic of Poland

of whom I am now a subject; I arrived at the port of New York  
in the State of N. Y., on or about the 6 day  
of April, anno Domini 1906; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Adam Helinski  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 16 day of April, anno Domini 1927

[SEAL]

B. C. Miller  
Clerk of the U. S. District Court.  
By [Signature] Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1281

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Adam Helinski hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is Colebrook, Ohio, New Lyme  
 Second. My occupation is Farmer  
 Third. I was born on the 29 day of August, anno Domini 1886, at Kalitz, Poland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Haniburg Germany, on or about the 19th day of March  
 anno Domini 1906, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Rochester N. Y., on the 6th day of April  
 anno Domini 1906, on the vessel Hamburg  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 16 day of April, anno Domini 1927  
 at Cleveland Ohio, in the U. S. District Court of Cleveland Ohio, Cuyahoga Co.  
 Sixth. I am married. My wife's name is Kathryn; [she] was born on the 29 day of Oct, anno Domini 1893  
 at Rochester N. Y., and now resides at Colebrook Sp. New Lyme, Ohio  
 I have five children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Lauretta born 7 day of Aug 1913 at Cleveland, Ohio  
Frances born 18 day of Aug 1915 at Cleveland, Ohio  
Sylvester born 25 day of May 1918 at Colebrook, Ohio  
Thressa born Aug 20, 1920 at Colebrook, Ohio  
Emily born May 6, 1922 at Colebrook, Ohio  
Henry born Oct 3, 1924 at Colebrook, Ohio All reside at Colebrook Ohio  
 Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Republic of Poland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.  
 Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 6th day of April, anno Domini 1906, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 1st day of March, anno Domini 1917, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.  
 Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the Court of~~ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Adam Helinski  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 57247 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 26 day of June, 1929  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States on or before June 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:  
 The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

James Maxwell occupation Farmer residing at Colebrook, Ohio  
 and John Hague occupation Farmer residing at Colebrook, Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Adam Helinski, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of April, anno Domini 1924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of April, anno Domini 1924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

James Maxwell  
(Signature of witness.)  
John Hague  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 26 day of June, anno Domini 1929 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.



Adam Helinski  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed June 26, 1929

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Poland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Adam Helinski

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 15 day of April, A. D. 1930

Corulia A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Adam Helinski, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 15 day of April, A. D. 1930

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said Adam Helinski, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to Adam Helinski, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

Judge

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

Judge

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from Oct 9-1929 to Apr 15, 1930  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 3192745, issued on the 15 day of April, A. D. 1930

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK JAN 19 1927

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Gal, Matyas

Date of arrival for permanent admission: June 23, 1910

Manner of arrival: Blucher

NATURALIZATION SERVICE  
RECEIVED

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

JAN 21 1927

RESPECT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO.  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR*Crist*  
Commissioner of Naturalization

Issue No.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

JAN 15 1927  
DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

**Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof**

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula, County } ss: of Ashtabula County

I, Motty Gall also known as Matyas Gall, aged 38 years,  
occupation Farmer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion medium, height 5 feet 7 inches,  
weight 150 pounds, color of hair dk brown, color of eyes dk gray,  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Regoce, Jugo Slavia  
on the 24th day of February, anno Domini 1886; I now reside  
at Dorset Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Hamburg, Germany  
on the vessel Blucher; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Regoce, Jugo Slavia; I am un married; the name  
of my wife is Mary; she was born at Regoce Hungary  
and now resides at Dorset, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Kingdom of the Serbs,  
Croats and Slovenes, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 27th day  
of June, anno Domini 1910; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Matty Gall*

(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 14 day of May, anno Domini 1924

[SEAL]

*A. H. Pontus*

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Pauline C. Styles*

Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1282

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Matyas Gall, also known as Matty Gall hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is Dorset, Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is farmer

Third. I was born on the 24th day of February, anno Domini 1886, at Regoce, Jugoslavia

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Hamburg, Germany, on or about the 14th day of June anno Domini 1910, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 23rd day of June anno Domini 1910, on the vessel Blucher

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 14th day of May, anno Domini 1924 at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Mary; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born on the 5th day of February, anno Domini 1892 at Regoce, Jugoslavia, and now resides at Dorset, Ohio (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have ten children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows: Matty, born Nov. 22, 1910, at Jugoslavia, resides at Dorset, Ohio; Margaret, born Dec. 5, 1913, at Cleveland, Ohio, resides at Dorset, Ohio; Mary, born Feb. 22, 1915, at Cleveland, Ohio, resides at Dorset, Ohio; Helen, born Aug. 16, 1916, at Cleveland, Ohio, resides at Dorset, Ohio; Steve, born Oct. 9, 1917, at Cleveland, Ohio, resides at Dorset, Ohio; Kate, born in April, 1920, at Cleveland, Ohio, resides at Dorset, Ohio; Alex, born April 5, 1921, at Cleveland, Ohio, resides at Dorset, Ohio; Joseph, born Feb. 22, 1923, at Dorset, resides at Dorset, Ohio; Tropea, born Oct. 5, 1924, at Dorset, resides at Dorset, Ohio; Dorothy, born Jan. 7, 1927, at Dorset, resides at Dorset, Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Kingdom of the Serbs, Croats and Slovenes of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 27th day of June, anno Domini 1910, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 1st day of May, anno Domini 1922, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to Matty Gall.

Matyas Gall  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2243 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 26th day of June, 1929.

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Matyas Gall  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Roy Runyan, occupation farmer, residing at Dorset, Ohio  
and Glenn Russell, occupation farmer, residing at Dorset, Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Matyas Gall, also known as Matty Gall, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Lo B Runyan  
(Signature of witness.)

G. L. Russell  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 26th day of June, anno Domini 1929.

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

*Matyas Gall*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *June 26*, 19*29*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *Kingdom of the Serbs Croats & the Slovenes* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Matyas G. Gall*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*

*Leonida A. Karnes*, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Matyas Gall*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said *Matyas Gall*, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to *Matty Gall*, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *3192732*, issued on the *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*

No. 2392

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County, Ohio.

I, Mike Kovach, aged 48 years,  
occupation Railroad man, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 4 inches,  
weight 175 pounds, color of hair grey & black, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Noszlop, Hungary  
on the 12th day of September, anno Domini 1878; I now reside  
at 429 Beaver St., Conneaut, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Antwerp, Belgium,  
on the vessel Nederland; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Noszlop, Hungary; I am un married; the name  
of my ~~husband~~ <sup>wife</sup> is Rosie Kovach; ~~she~~ <sup>he</sup> was born at Noszlop, Hungary  
and now resides at 429 Beaver St., Conneaut, Ohio

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to  
The Present Government of Hungary, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, in the  
State of Pennsylvania, on or about the 30th day  
of October, anno Domini 1902; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Mike Kovach  
(Original signature of declarant)

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 3rd day of May, anno Domini 192 6

Cornelia A. Warner  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Helena Cox, Deputy Clerk.



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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Agnes Cecilia Writter hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
First. My place of residence is 15 Maple Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio,  
Second. My occupation is housewife  
Third. I was born on the 10th day of November anno Domini 1901, at Ashley, Pennsylvania  
Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from born in United States day of  
anno Domini 1....., and arrived in the United States, at the port of....., on the..... day of  
anno Domini 1....., on the vessel.....

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the Omitted of under act of Sept. 22, 1922  
at....., in the..... Court of.....  
Sixth. I am..... married. My ~~wife's~~ <sup>husband's</sup> name is Carl Writter; ~~she~~ <sup>he</sup> was born on the 16th day of November, anno Domini 1892  
at Czechoslovakia, and now resides at 15 Maple Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio  
I have one children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Carl, born April 17, 1921 at Ashtabula, Ohio, and now resides at Ashtabula, Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Czechoslovak Republic of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 12th day of November, anno Domini 1901, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 15th day of April, anno Domini 1920, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the..... Court of....., on the..... day of....., anno Domini 1....., and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit..... and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Omitted under act of Sept. 22, 1922  
Agnes Cecilia Writter  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
Declaration of Intention No. .... and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this..... day of....., 19.....

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States on or before June 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Agnes Cecilia Writter  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Goldie Mead, occupation housewife, residing at 48 Whitlam St., Ashtabula  
and Frances Soderman, occupation housewife, residing at 38 Ore St., Ashtabula,  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Agnes Cecilia Writter the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Goldie Mead  
(Signature of witness.)  
Frances Soderman  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 27th day of June, anno Domini 1929.

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
By Helen Coy, Deputy Clerk.

*Agnes Cecilia Writer*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *June 27*, 19*29*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *The Czechoslovak Republic* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Agnes Cecilia Writer*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*

*Conelia A. Karmes*, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Agnes Cecilia Writer*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *3192123*, issued on the *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(For use of aliens arriving in United States after June 29, 1906. To be issued immediately prior to petitioning for naturalization)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

**IMMIGRATION SERVICE**

OFFICE OF  
COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION

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This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived at the port indicated, on the date and in the manner described below, viz:

Name of alien: Schmetzer, Gustav

Port of entry: New York, N. Y.

Date of arrival: Dec 14, 09

Name of vessel:\* Finland R Star

~~For the Commissioner:~~

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*Robert C. ...*  
Commissioner

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No. 2475

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County } SS: of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Gustav Schmelzer, aged 41 years,  
occupation machinist, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white complexion fair, height 5 feet 8 inches,  
weight 170 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes gray  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Bogdanky, Russia  
on the 28 day of September, anno Domini 1886; I now reside  
at Kingsville, R. F. D. Sheffield Township  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Antwerp, Belgium  
on the vessel Finland; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Baulkan, Germany; I am un married; the name  
of my { wife } is Matilda; { she } was born at Troschen, Poland  
and now resides at Kingsville, R. F. D. Sheffield Township

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to

The State of Russia  
of whom I am now a subject; I arrived at the port of New York

in the State of New York, on or about the 14 day  
of December, anno Domini 1909; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Gustav Schmelzer  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 25 day of June, anno Domini 1927

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner

No. 22919

By Louise S. Norris, Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
Deputy Clerk.

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No. 1284

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Gustav Schmeltzer hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
First. My place of residence is Kingville, R.F.D., Sheffield Township  
Second. My occupation is machinist  
Third. I was born on the 23rd day of September, anno Domini 1. 886, at Bogdaneky, Russia  
Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Antwerp, Belgium, on or about the 4th day of December  
anno Domini 1. 909, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 14th day of December  
anno Domini 1. 909, on the vessel Finland

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 25th day of June, anno Domini 1. 927  
at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio  
Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Matilda; <sup>she</sup> was born on the 30th day of April, anno Domini 1. 884  
at Troschen, Poland, and now resides at Kingville, R.F.D., Sheffield Township

I have three children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Waldemar, born Feb. 22, 1911, at Cleveland, Ohio.  
Albert, born Oct. 1, 1917, at Harpersfield, Ohio.  
Otto, born Feb. 4, 1919, at Harpersfield, Ohio. Albert + Otto reside  
at Kingville, R.F.D., Sheffield Township. Waldemar resides  
in Hawaii.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely, and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The State of Prussia Republic of Poland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 14th day of December, anno Domini 1. 909, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 15th day of December, anno Domini 1. 909, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of ... on the ... day of ... anno Domini 1. ... and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit ... and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Gustav Schmeltzer  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2475 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 27th day of June, 1929.

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County, ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Gustav Schmeltzer  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

H. A. Long, occupation farmer, residing at Sheffield, Ohio  
and Mary Long, occupation housewife, residing at Sheffield, Ohio  
each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Gustav Schmeltzer, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1. 924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1. 924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

H. A. Long  
(Signature of witness.)

Mary Long  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 27th day of June, anno Domini 1929

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

Amended Oct 7, 1929

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Gustav Schmelzer  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed June 27, 1929

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to the Republic of Poland of Poland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

X Gustav Schmelzer

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2nd day of October, A. D. 1929

Loonelia A. James, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Gustav Schmelzer, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 2nd day of October, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 3192733, issued on the 2nd day of October, A. D. 1929

No. 1285

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Miklos Kovacs sometimes known as Mike Kovach hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is 429 Beaver St Conneaut Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Car Repairer  
 Third. I was born on the 12 day of September, anno Domini 1878, at Nagylos Hungary  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Antwerp Belgium, on or about the 14 day of October  
 anno Domini 1902, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Philadelphia Pa, on the 30 day of October  
 anno Domini 1902 on the vessel Nederland  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 1st day of May, anno Domini 1926  
 at Jefferson Ohio in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> ~~husband's~~ name is Rosie <sup>(she)</sup> was born on the 4th day of August, anno Domini 1878  
 at Doba Hungary, and now resides at 429 Beaver St Conneaut Ohio  
 I have four children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Melvin born Aug 27 1907 at New Jersey  
Joseph born Apr 24 1909 at New Jersey  
Frank born Jul 3 1916 at Conneaut Ohio  
Arnold born Feb 5 1927 at Conneaut Ohio  
All reside at Conneaut Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Present Government of Hungary of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 30 day of October, anno Domini 1902, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 10 day of October, anno Domini 1910, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~Made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_ and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Miklos Kovacs  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2392 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 27 day of June, 1929  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States on OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Miklos Kovacs (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
John W. Paull occupation Bus. residing at Conneaut Ohio  
 and Walter W. Paull occupation Bus. residing at Conneaut Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Miklos Kovacs the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of April, anno Domini 1924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of April, anno Domini 1924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

John W. Paull (Signature of witness.)  
Walter W. Paull (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 27 day of June, anno Domini 1929 [S.E.]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
 By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Miklos Kovacs

Filed June 27, 1929

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Present Government of Hungary of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Miklos Kovacs

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 2nd day of October, A. D. 1929

Louella A. Warner, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Miklos Kovacs, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 2nd day of October, A. D. 1929

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

, occupation, residing at, occupation, residing at

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 3192734, issued on the 2 day of Oct, A. D. 1929

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(For use of aliens arriving in United States after June 29, 1906. To be issued immediately prior to petitioning for naturalization.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

**IMMIGRATION SERVICE**

**COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION**

OFFICE OF .....

AT ..... **BOSTON, MASS. JAN 28 1927**

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived at the port indicated, on the date and in the manner described below, viz:

Name of alien: *Selma Makela*

Port of entry: **BOSTON, MASS.**

Date of arrival: *Aug. 7, 1913*

Name of vessel:\* *Cymric*

Line *U.S.*  
**F. S. ABERCROMBIE**

**Acting** (Title) ..... **COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION**

*Y-2*

\*Or railroad company, or any other conveyance.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio.  
 The petition of Selma Makela hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 30 Superior St. Ashtabula Ohio.  
 Second. My occupation is Housewife  
 Third. I was born on the 3 day of December, anno Domini 1881, at Bjorneborg Finland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool England, on or about the 23rd day of July  
 anno Domini 1913, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Boston Mass., on the 7th day of August  
 anno Domini 1913, on the vessel Cymric  
 (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_  
 at mitted under act of Sept 22 - 1922 Court of \_\_\_\_\_

Sixth. I am \_\_\_\_\_ married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Antti <sup>she</sup> was born on the 6 day of February, anno Domini 1886  
 at Finland, and now resides at Ashtabula Ohio He was naturalized  
 I have 1 child, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Henry born 28 day of November 1908 at Finland and now resides  
in New York City

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 7th day of August, anno Domini 1913, and in the State of Ohio, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1913, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Declaration of Intention No. \_\_\_\_\_ and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 27 day of June, 1929  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States on or before June 29, 1900, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio }  
Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Sanni Ross, occupation Housewife, residing at 3 Key St. Ashtabula Ohio  
 and Anton Jussila, occupation Carpenter, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Selma

Makela, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of April, anno Domini 1924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of April, anno Domini 1924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

X Sanni Ross  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Anton Jussila  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 2th day of June, anno Domini 1929 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

Selma Makela

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed June 27, 1929

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic the of Finland of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Selma Sofia Makela

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 7th day of October, A. D. 1929

Leonida A. Kanner, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Selma Makela, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 2nd day of October, A. D. 1929.

It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor."

By the Court:

Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of and the motion of for the United States in open Court this day of 19, it appearing that

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from, 19, to, 19, Continued from, 19, to, 19,

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

, occupation, residing at, , occupation, residing at

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 3692735, issued on the 7 day of October, A. D. 1929

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

SEP 17 1926

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Luhllassari, Alma

Date of arrival: Nov. 11, 1910

Manner of arrival: Lusitania

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

Issue No.

261066

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.



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No. 1287

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Alma Louisa Myllymaki (Tuhlasari) hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is 72 Oak St. Ashtabula, Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Housewife  
 Third. I was born on the 15 day of May, anno Domini 1894 at Persainenajoki Finland  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool England, on or about the 4th day of November  
 anno Domini 1910, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York N.Y., on the 11th day of November  
 anno Domini 1910, on the vessel Tutania  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the omitted under act of Sept 22 1922 day of omitted anno Domini 1922

Sixth. I am married. My husband's name is John she was born on the 23 day of April, anno Domini 1887  
 at Helsinki Finland and now resides at 72 Oak St. Ashtabula Ohio  
 I have one child, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Milton born 25 day of March 1917 at Ashtabula Ohio. Resides at Ashtabula Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 10 day of November, anno Domini 1910, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 11 day of November, anno Domini 1910, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the Court of~~  
~~at~~, on the ~~day of~~, anno Domini ~~1~~, and the  
~~said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit~~  
~~and the cause of each denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

omitted under act of Sept 22 1922 Alma Louisa Myllymaki  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner)  
 Declaration of Intention No. 28 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 28 day of June, 1929

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

John Hendrickson, occupation Car Inspector, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and Saima Hendrickson, occupation Housewife, residing at Ashtabula Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Alma Louisa Myllymaki the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of April, anno Domini 1924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of April, anno Domini 1924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

John Hendrickson  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Saima Hendrickson  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 28 day of June, anno Domini 1929

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Tulvine C. Stys, Deputy Clerk.

[SEAL]

*Alma Louisa Myllymaki*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *June 28*, 19*29*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *The Republic of Finland* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Clerk

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*

*Looneha A. Warner, Clerk*

*Alma Louisa Myllymaki, Clerk.*

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Alma Louisa Myllymaki*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_\_

~~(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")~~

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *3192736*, issued on the *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*

No. 2082

RECEIVED  
JUN 5 1929  
DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
**DECLARATION OF INTENTION**  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**

7997

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, }  
Ashtabula County, } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County

I, Matt Toukonen, aged 32 years,  
occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color White, complexion light, height 5 feet 7 inches,  
weight 148 pounds, color of hair light brown, color of eyes Blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Waasa, Imajaki, Finland  
on the 21st day of December, anno Domini 1890; I now reside  
at 16 Utica St., Ashtabula, Ohio

(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Hanko, Finland  
on the vessel Atreatak, White Star Line; my last  
foreign residence was Waasa, Imajaki, Finland; I am married; the name  
of my wife is Mary; she was born at Conneaut, Ohio  
and now resides at 16 Utica St., Ashtabula, Ohio

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to

The Republic of Finland, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 6th day  
of May, anno Domini 1910; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith

to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD.

Matt Toukonen  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 5th day of Jan., anno Domini 19 23

[SEAL]

A. H. Pontius

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.



**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION  
CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK**

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JUN 12 1929

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Toukonen, Matti

Date of arrival for permanent admission: May 3, 1910

Manner of arrival: Arabic

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

719914

Issue No.

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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No. 1288

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio

The petition of Matt Loukonen hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is 30 Utica St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is laborer

Third. I was born on the 21st day of December, anno Domini 1890, at Waasa, Imajaki, Finland

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Hanko, Finland, on or about the 15th day of April,  
anno Domini 1910, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 3rd day of May,  
anno Domini 1910, on the vessel Atreatak  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 2th day of January, anno Domini 1923  
at Jefferson, Ohio, in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, Ohio

Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Mary Loukonen, <sup>she</sup> was born on the 5th day of June, anno Domini 1897  
at Conneaut, Ohio, and now resides at 30 Utica St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have one child, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Edith Schwartz, step-daughter, born April 5, 1917, at Conneaut, Ohio, and now resides at Ashtabula, Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Republic of Finland of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 3rd day of May, anno Domini 1910, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 6th day of May, anno Domini 1910, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Matt Loukonen  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2082 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 28th day of June, 1929.

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County, ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Matt Loukonen  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Emil Alkula, occupation mechanic, residing at 459 Lake St., Ashtabula  
and Filus Keskinen, occupation steam fitter, residing at 45 Hubbard St., Ashtabula

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Matt Loukonen, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of June, anno Domini 1924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Emil Alkula  
(Signature of witness.)

Filus Keskinen  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 28th day of June, anno Domini 1929.

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.



*Matt Loukoneu*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *June 28*, 19*29*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *The Republic of Finland* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Matt Loukoneu*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *2nd* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*

*Lonnie L. Kramer*, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Matt Loukoneu*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *2nd* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*

~~(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")~~

By the Court: \_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *3192737*, issued on the *2* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*

No. 1289

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Ethel May Stoops hereby filed, respectfully showeth:  
 First. My place of residence is North Kingville Ohio.  
 Second. My occupation is Housewife.  
 Third. I was born on the 20 day of August, anno Domini 1902, at Montreal, Canada.  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Montreal, Canada, on or about the --- day of Oct  
 anno Domini 1902, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Burlington, Vt, on the --- day of Oct  
 anno Domini 1902 on the Grand Trunk Railroad.  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the --- day of ---, anno Domini 1---  
 at omitted under act of Sept 22, 1922 Court of ---  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> husband's name is Merle; <sup>she</sup> he was born on the 11 day of March, anno Domini 1890  
 at Natrons Pa, and now resides at North Kingville, Ohio.  
 I have 2 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Richard Albert born Feb 2, 1922 Boston Mass. resides at North Kingville Ohio (adopted)  
Sherman Lloyd born Oct 18, 1924 at Ashtabula Ohio resides at North Kingville Ohio

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to His Majesty King of Great Britain & Ireland etc of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the --- day of ---, anno Domini 1902, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the --- day of Aug, anno Domini 1923, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of --- on the --- day of ---, anno Domini 1---, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit ---, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

omitted under act of Sept 22, 1922 Ethel May Stoops  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
 Declaration of Intention No. --- and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 22 day of Sept, 1922  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Miss Emily G Head, occupation Retired, residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and Mrs E. D. Daniels, occupation Housewife, residing at Ashtabula, Ohio

each being severally duly and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Ethel May Stoops, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of April, anno Domini 1924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of April, anno Domini 1924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Miss Emily G Head  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Mrs E. D. Daniels  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 28th day of June, anno Domini 1929 [SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

*Ethel May Stoops*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *June 28*, 19*29*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *His V King* the of *Great Britain & Ireland* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*  
*Ethel May Stoops*  
*Louella A. Hamid*, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Ethel May Stoops*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*

~~(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")~~

By the Court: \_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.  
\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *3192738*, issued on the *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION  
CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

JUN 22 1929

RECEIVED  
JUN 23 1929  
DIRECTOR  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Di Donato, Filomena  
Date of arrival for permanent admission: October 19, 1915  
Manner of arrival: Dante Alighieri

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**  
**PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION**

1290

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Filomena Di Donato hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 13 State Street, Ashtabula Ohio.  
 Second. My occupation is Housewife  
 Third. I was born on the 24th day of April, anno Domini 1. 897, at Isernia, Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples, Italy, on or about the 5th day of October  
 anno Domini 1. 915, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 19th day of October  
 anno Domini 1. 915, on the vessel Santa Alighieri  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1. \_\_\_\_\_  
 at omitted under Act of Sept 22, 1922 Court of \_\_\_\_\_  
 Sixth. I am \_\_\_\_\_ married. My ~~wife's~~ <sup>husband's</sup> name is Ackille; ~~she~~ <sup>he</sup> was born on the 15 day of November, anno Domini 1. 890  
 at Isernia, Italy and now resides at 13 State St. Ashtabula, Ohio He was  
 I have one child, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Ackille Junior born 19th day of April, 1926 at Ashtabula, Ohio  
Resides at Ashtabula, Ohio.

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 19th day of October, anno Domini 1. 915, and in the State of Ohio, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 21 day of October, anno Domini 1. 915, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (~~I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1. \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.~~)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

omitted under Act of Sept 22, 1922 Filomena Di Donato (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
 Declaration of Intention No. \_\_\_\_\_ and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 28th day of June, 1929  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

**AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES**

The State of Ohio,  
Ashtabula County ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Mrs Anthony Baffa occupation Housewife residing at Ashtabula Ohio  
 and Mrs Jennie Cimopelli occupation Housewife residing at Ashtabula, Ohio  
 each being severally ~~and~~ <sup>and</sup> respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Filomena Di Donato

Filomena Di Donato, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of April, anno Domini 1. 924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of April, anno Domini 1. 924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Mrs. Anthony Baffa  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Mrs. Jennie Cimopelli  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 28th day of June, anno Domini 1929

Bernice A. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.

*Filomena Di Dowato*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *June 28*, 19*29*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *Victor Emmanuel III. King of Italy* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Filomena Di Dowato*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

~~(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")~~

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of *Filomena Di Dowato* and the motion of *Mrs Ventura Examiner*

for the United States in open Court this

*30* day of *Sept*, 19*30* it appearing that *Applicant fails to prosecute*

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from *Oct 2 - 1929 to Apr*, 19*30*  
to *April 1930 to Sept*, 19*30*  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

*Study & Investigation about writ. OK.*

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

No. 2473

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

The State of Ohio, }  
Ashtabula County, } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
of Ashtabula County, Ohio

I, Percy Cave Grand, aged 45 years,  
occupation Janitor, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 10 inches,  
weight 160 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes hazel  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in London, England  
on the 31 day of December, anno Domini 1881; I now reside  
at New Lyme Township, Ashtabula County, Ohio.

(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England  
on the vessel Saxonia; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was London, England; I am un married; the name  
of my <sup>wife</sup> ~~husband~~ is Martha; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born at Scranton, Penna.  
and now resides at New Lyme Township, Ohio.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V. King of  
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland

of whom I am now a subject; I arrived at the port of Boston,  
in the State of Massachusetts, on or about the 1 day  
of August, anno Domini 1902; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Percy Cave Grand  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 28 day of May, anno Domini 1927

[SEAL]

Loumelia A. Farmer

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

No. 22917

By \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk.



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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Percy Cave Grand hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is New Lyme, Ashtabula, Ohio.  
 Second. My occupation is Janitor  
 Third. I was born on the 31 day of December anno Domini 1881 at London, England  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Liverpool, England, on or about the 21 day of July  
 anno Domini 1902 and arrived in the United States, at the port of Boston, Mass, on the 1st day of August  
 anno Domini 1902, on the vessel S.S. Savonia  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 28th day of May anno Domini 1927  
 at Jefferson, Ohio in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County Ohio  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Martha was born on the 21 day of April anno Domini 1878  
 at Taylor, Va U.S.A. and now resides at New Lyme, Ohio  
 I have no children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Her Majesty Queen of Great Britain & Ireland &c of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 1st day of August anno Domini 1902, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 10 day of August anno Domini 1902, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. ~~(I made petition for citizenship to the Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_ and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)~~

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Percy Cave Grand  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. 2473 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 29th day of June 1929  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States on or before June 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio }  
 Ashtabula County } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

E. F. Clark occupation Engineer  
E. B. Hall occupation Banker

Percy Cave Grand  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
 residing at Jefferson Ohio

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_ the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 1st day of April anno Domini 1924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 1st day of April anno Domini 1924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

E. F. Clark  
(Signature of witness.)  
E. B. Hall  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 29th day of June anno Domini 1929

Cornelia G. Warner, Clerk.  
Julius C. Style, Deputy Clerk.

*Percy Cave Grand*  
TO BE ADMITTED CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *June 29*, 19*29*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *His King of Great Britain & Ireland* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

*Percy Cave Grand*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*

*Louella A. Kramer*, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Percy Cave Grand*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *3192725*, issued on the *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*

Form 145

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES**

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION  
CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION  
CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION  
ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK  
JUN 28 1924

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Guastferro, Luigi  
Date of arrival for permanent admission: June 28, 1924 Verified for permit.  
Manner of arrival: Giulio Cesare

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

*Raymond J. Crist*  
Commissioner of Naturalization.

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

~~is~~ <sup>HP</sup> Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

State of New York,  
Eastern District of New York } ss:

In the District Court of the United States.

I, LUIGI GUASTAFERRO aged 39 years,  
occupation carpenter  
do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 5 inches,  
weight 155 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Fersigno, Italy  
on the 21 day of Nov., anno Domini 1897; I now reside  
at 2964 Atlantic Ave., Brooklyn, New York.  
(Give number, street, and city or town.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples  
on the vessel Calabria; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
foreign residence was Fersigno, Italy; I am un married; the name  
of my  wife  husband } is Carmela, {she } was born at Italy  
and now resides at Italy

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emanuel III, King of Italy

of whom I am now a subject; I arrived at the port of New York  
in the State of NY, on or about the 28 day  
of Apr., anno Domini 1914; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

*Luigi Guastaferrro*  
(Original signature of declarant.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court  
at Brooklyn, N. Y., this 31 day of Dec.  
anno Domini 1914

[SEAL]

*Charles E. Spencer*  
Deputy  
Clerk of the District Court of the United States.

By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson Ohio  
 The petition of Luigi Guastaferra hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 849 Broad St. Conneaut Ohio  
 Second. My occupation is Pipe Fitting Pittsburg Conneaut Dock Co  
 Third. I was born on the 21 day of November, anno Domini 1897, at Terzigno, Italy  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Naples, Italy, on or about the 18th day of June  
 anno Domini 1924, and arrived in the United States, at the port of New York, on the 28th day of June  
 anno Domini 1924, on the vessel Giulio Cesare  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 31 day of December, anno Domini 1926  
 at Eastern District of New York in the District Court of United States  
 Sixth. I am married. My <sup>wife's</sup> name is Carmela; [she] was born on the 10 day of Feb,  
 at Torre Annunziata Italy, and now resides at Italy  
 I have one children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:  
Carmela born 3rd day of January, 1927 at Italy and  
now resides in Italy

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Victor Emmanuel III King of Italy of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.  
 Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 28th day of June, anno Domini 1924, and in the State of Ohio continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 28th day of June, anno Domini 1924, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula Co. at Jefferson Ohio, on the 15 day of Jan, anno Domini 1929, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit witness failed to qualify & to prove continuous Res. and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Luigi Guastaferra  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
 Declaration of Intention No. 127057 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 29 day of June, 1929  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

The State of Ohio  
Ashtabula County ss:  
 The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Luigi Guastaferra  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
James Brown, occupation Merchant, residing at Conneaut Ohio  
 and Dominick Anthony, occupation Manager Bus Line, residing at Conneaut Ohio  
 each being severally, duly and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Luigi Guastaferra, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the 28th day of June, anno Domini 1924, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the 28th day of June, anno Domini 1924; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

James Brown  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Dominick Anthony  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 29th day of June, anno Domini 1929

By Cornelia G. Warner, Clerk.  
Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.



*Luigi Guastaferra*  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Filed *June 29*, 19*29*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to *Victor Emmanuel III King of Great Britain & Ireland* of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *Oct*, A. D. 19*29*  
*Luigi Guastaferra*  
*Conelia A. Kerner*, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of *Luigi Guastaferra*, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court: \_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. *3192 739*, issued on the *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *October*, A. D. 19*29*

No. ....

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the ..... Court of ..... at .....

The petition of ..... hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is ..... (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is .....

Third. I was born on the ..... day of ....., anno Domini 1....., at .....

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from ....., on or about the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1....., and arrived in the United States, at the port of ....., on the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1..... (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the ..... day of ....., anno Domini 1..... at ....., in the ..... Court of .....

Sixth. I am ..... married. My {wife's / husband's} name is .....; {she / he} was born on the ..... day of ....., anno Domini 1..... at ..... (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have ..... children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows: .....

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to ..... of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the ..... day of ....., anno Domini 1....., and in the State of ..... continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the ..... day of ....., anno Domini 1....., being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the ..... Court of ..... at ..... on the ..... day of ....., anno Domini 1....., and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit ....., and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. .... and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this ..... day of ....., 19.....

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

..... } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

....., occupation ..... residing at ..... and ..... occupation ..... residing at .....

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known ..... the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the ..... day of ....., anno Domini 1....., and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the ..... day of ....., anno Domini 1.....; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

(Signature of witness.)

(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this ..... day of ..... anno Domini 19..... [SEAL]

....., Clerk.  
By ..... Deputy Clerk.

Filed \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_

The petition of \_\_\_\_\_ hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is \_\_\_\_\_  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is \_\_\_\_\_

Third. I was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from \_\_\_\_\_, on or about the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and arrived in the United States, at the port of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, on the vessel \_\_\_\_\_  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_, in the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_

Sixth. I am \_\_\_\_\_ married. My {wife's / husband's} name is \_\_\_\_\_; {she / he} was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to \_\_\_\_\_ of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and in the State of \_\_\_\_\_ continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. \_\_\_\_\_ and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_ } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
and \_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

(Signature of witness.)

(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 19 \_\_\_\_\_ [SEAL]

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

No. ....

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the ..... Court of ..... at .....

The petition of ..... hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is ..... (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is .....

Third. I was born on the ..... day of ....., anno Domini 1....., at .....

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from ..... on or about the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1....., and arrived in the United States, at the port of ..... on the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1....., on the vessel ..... (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1..... at ..... in the ..... Court of .....

Sixth. I am ..... married. My {wife's / husband's} name is .....; {she / he} was born on the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1..... at ..... and now resides at ..... (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have ..... children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to ..... of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1....., and in the State of ..... continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1....., being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the ..... Court of ..... at ..... on the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1....., and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit ..... and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. .... and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this ..... day of ....., 19.....

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

..... } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

....., occupation ..... residing at ..... and ..... occupation ..... residing at .....

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known ..... the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1....., and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1.....; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

(Signature of witness.)

(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this ..... day of ..... anno Domini 19..... [SEAL]

....., Clerk.

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF.

Filed \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_

The petition of \_\_\_\_\_ hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is \_\_\_\_\_ (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is \_\_\_\_\_

Third. I was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from \_\_\_\_\_, on or about the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and arrived in the United States, at the port of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, on the vessel \_\_\_\_\_ (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, in the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_

Sixth. I am \_\_\_\_\_ married. My {wife's / husband's} name is \_\_\_\_\_; {she / he} was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_ (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to \_\_\_\_\_ of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and in the State of \_\_\_\_\_ continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. \_\_\_\_\_ and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_ } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_ the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

(Signature of witness.)

(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 19 \_\_\_\_\_ [SEAL]

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

No. ....

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the ..... Court of ..... at .....

The petition of ..... hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is ..... (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is .....

Third. I was born on the ..... day of ....., anno Domini 1....., at .....

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from ..... on or about the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1....., and arrived in the United States, at the port of ..... on the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1....., on the vessel ..... (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1.....

at ..... in the ..... Court of .....

Sixth. I am ..... married. My {wife's / husband's} name is .....; {she / he} was born on the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1.....

at ..... and now resides at ..... (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have ..... children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to ..... of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1....., and in the State of ..... continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1....., being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the ..... Court of ..... at ..... on the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1....., and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit ..... and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. .... and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this ..... day of ....., 19.....

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

..... } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

....., occupation ..... residing at ..... and ..... occupation ..... residing at .....

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known ..... the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1....., and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1.....; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

(Signature of witness.)

(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this ..... day of ..... anno Domini 19..... [SEAL]

....., Clerk.  
By ..... Deputy Clerk.



Filed \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_

DUPLICATE  
[To be forwarded to the  
Bureau of Naturalization]

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_

The petition of \_\_\_\_\_ hereby filed, respectfully showeth:

First. My place of residence is \_\_\_\_\_  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is \_\_\_\_\_

Third. I was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from \_\_\_\_\_, on or about the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_, and arrived in the United States, at the port of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_, on the vessel \_\_\_\_\_

(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_,  
at \_\_\_\_\_, in the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_

Sixth. I am \_\_\_\_\_ married. My {wife's / husband's} name is \_\_\_\_\_; {she / he} was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_,  
at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to \_\_\_\_\_ of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_, and in the State of \_\_\_\_\_ continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. \_\_\_\_\_ and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_.

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_ } ss:  
\_\_\_\_\_ }

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
and \_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1\_\_\_\_\_; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

(Signature of witness.)

(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 19\_\_\_\_.

[SEAL]

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

No. ....

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the ..... Court of ..... at .....

The petition of ..... hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is ..... (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is .....

Third. I was born on the ..... day of ....., anno Domini 1....., at .....

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from ..... on or about the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1....., and arrived in the United States, at the port of ..... on the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1....., on the vessel ..... (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1..... at ..... in the ..... Court of .....

Sixth. I am ..... married. My {wife's / husband's} name is .....; {she / he} was born on the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1..... at ..... and now resides at ..... (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have ..... children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows: .....

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to ..... of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1....., and in the State of ..... continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1....., being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the ..... Court of ..... at ..... on the ..... day of .....; anno Domini 1....., and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit ..... and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. .... and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this ..... day of ....., 19.....

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

..... } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

....., occupation ..... residing at ..... and ..... occupation ..... residing at .....

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known ..... the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1....., and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1.....; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

(Signature of witness.)

(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this ..... day of ..... anno Domini 19.....

[SEAL]

....., Clerk.

By ..... Deputy Clerk.

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF

Filed \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_

The petition of \_\_\_\_\_ hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is \_\_\_\_\_ (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is \_\_\_\_\_

Third. I was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from \_\_\_\_\_, on or about the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and arrived in the United States, at the port of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, on the vessel \_\_\_\_\_ (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_, in the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_

Sixth. I am \_\_\_\_\_ married. My {wife's / husband's} name is \_\_\_\_\_; {she / he} was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_ (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to \_\_\_\_\_ of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and in the State of \_\_\_\_\_ continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. \_\_\_\_\_ and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
and \_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_ the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

(Signature of witness.)

(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 19 \_\_\_\_\_

[SEAL]

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

No. ....

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the ..... Court of ..... at .....

The petition of ..... hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is ..... (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is .....

Third. I was born on the ..... day of ....., anno Domini 1....., at .....

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from....., on or about the ..... day of.....  
anno Domini 1....., and arrived in the United States, at the port of ....., on the ..... day of.....  
anno Domini 1....., on the vessel .....  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the ..... day of....., anno Domini 1.....  
at ....., in the ..... Court of.....

Sixth. I am ..... married. My {wife's / husband's} name is .....; {she / he} was born on the ..... day of....., anno Domini 1.....  
at ....., and now resides at .....  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have ..... children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows: .....

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to ..... of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the ..... day of....., anno Domini 1....., and in the State of..... continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the ..... day of....., anno Domini 1....., being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the ..... Court of..... at....., on the ..... day of....., anno Domini 1....., and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit....., and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

.....  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. .... and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this ..... day of....., 19.....

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

..... } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

.....  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

....., occupation ....., residing at .....

and ..... occupation ....., residing at .....

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known ..... the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the ..... day of....., anno Domini 1....., and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the ..... day of....., anno Domini 1.....; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

.....  
(Signature of witness.)

.....  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this ..... day ..... of....., anno Domini 19..... [SEAL]

....., Clerk.

By ..... Deputy Clerk.

Filed \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE--In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_

The petition of \_\_\_\_\_ hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is \_\_\_\_\_  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is \_\_\_\_\_

Third. I was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from \_\_\_\_\_, on or about the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and arrived in the United States, at the port of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, on the vessel \_\_\_\_\_  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_  
at \_\_\_\_\_, in the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_

Sixth. I am \_\_\_\_\_ married. My {wife's / husband's} name is \_\_\_\_\_; {she / he} was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_  
at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to \_\_\_\_\_ of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and in the State of \_\_\_\_\_ continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. \_\_\_\_\_ and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
and \_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_ the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

(Signature of witness.)

(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 19\_\_\_\_ [SEAL]

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.  
\_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.



No. \_\_\_\_\_

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_

The petition of \_\_\_\_\_ hereby filed, respectfully showeth:

First. My place of residence is \_\_\_\_\_  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is \_\_\_\_\_

Third. I was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from \_\_\_\_\_, on or about the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and arrived in the United States, at the port of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, on the vessel \_\_\_\_\_  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_  
at \_\_\_\_\_, in the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_

Sixth. I am \_\_\_\_\_ married. My {wife's / husband's} name is \_\_\_\_\_; {she / he} was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_  
at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to \_\_\_\_\_ of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and in the State of \_\_\_\_\_ continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. \_\_\_\_\_ and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_ } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
and \_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

(Signature of witness.)

(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 19 \_\_\_\_\_ [SEAL]

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF

Filed \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1918, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_

The petition of \_\_\_\_\_ hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is \_\_\_\_\_ (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is \_\_\_\_\_

Third. I was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from \_\_\_\_\_, on or about the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and arrived in the United States, at the port of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, on the vessel \_\_\_\_\_ (If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, in the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_

Sixth. I am \_\_\_\_\_ married. My {wife's / husband's} name is \_\_\_\_\_; {she / he} was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_ (Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to \_\_\_\_\_ of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and in the State of \_\_\_\_\_ continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. \_\_\_\_\_ and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_ } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

(Signature of witness.)

(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 19 \_\_\_\_\_ [SEAL]

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

No. ....

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the ..... Court of ..... at .....

The petition of ..... hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is .....  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is .....

Third. I was born on the ..... day of ....., anno Domini 1....., at .....

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from ..... on or about the ..... day of .....  
anno Domini 1....., and arrived in the United States, at the port of ....., on the ..... day of .....  
anno Domini 1....., on the vessel .....  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1.....  
at ....., in the ..... Court of .....

Sixth. I am ..... married. My {wife's / husband's} name is .....; {she / he} was born on the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1.....  
at ....., and now resides at .....  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have ..... children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows: .....

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to ..... of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1....., and in the State of ..... continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1....., being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the ..... Court of ..... at ..... on the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1....., and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit ..... and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. .... and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this ..... day of ....., 19.....

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

..... } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

....., occupation ..... residing at .....  
and ..... occupation ..... residing at .....

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known ..... the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1....., and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the ..... day of ..... anno Domini 1.....; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

(Signature of witness.)

(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this ..... day of ..... anno Domini 19..... [SEAL]

....., Clerk.  
By ..... Deputy Clerk.

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF

Filed \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

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Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

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Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

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By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

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REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_
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NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. \_\_\_\_\_, issued on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

To the Honorable the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_

The petition of \_\_\_\_\_ hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:

First. My place of residence is \_\_\_\_\_  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

Second. My occupation is \_\_\_\_\_

Third. I was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_

Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from \_\_\_\_\_, on or about the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_

anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and arrived in the United States, at the port of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_

anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, on the vessel \_\_\_\_\_  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_, in the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_

Sixth. I am \_\_\_\_\_ married. My {wife's / husband's} name is \_\_\_\_\_; {she / he} was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_, and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to \_\_\_\_\_ of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and in the State of \_\_\_\_\_ continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court. (I made petition for citizenship to the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and the said petition was denied by the said Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit \_\_\_\_\_, and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.)

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

Declaration of Intention No. \_\_\_\_\_ and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_ } ss:

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner.)

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
and \_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known \_\_\_\_\_ the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 1 \_\_\_\_\_; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of witness.)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_, anno Domini 19\_\_\_\_ [SEAL]

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF

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