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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 28, 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	1414	Onnio Kosti Niemi	
2	1416	John Lapuh	
3	1420	Harriet Helena Pelly	
4	1428	Benny Sasonkin	Benny Sonkin
5	1432	John Reginald Kirk	
6	1446	John Podges	
7	1448	Peter Gillich	
8	1449	Katherine Theresa McCarthy	
9	1450	Jessie Baine Rice	
10	1451	Frank Kish	
11	1452	Lyyli Wirtala	
12	1453	Agda Keskinen	
13	1455	Herman Stjerna	
14	1456	Anton Kuher	
15	1457	Anna Orvokki Kangas	
16	1458	Tinis Wikstrom Kellstrom	
17	1459	Matthew Frank Kangas	
18	1460	Ferdinand Fabel	
19	1461	Maria Pelyhes Esterhay	
20	1462	Lars Melvin Larson	
21	1463	Izel Alma Luella Wall	
22	1464	Assunta Napoletano	
23	1465	Louise Elizabeth Bellino	
24	1466	James Frank Shuster	
25	1467	Wilma Susanna Jokinen	
26	1468	Charles Tenenbaum	
27	1469	Jacob Hanna Karam	
28	1470	Gordon Patience	
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Prayer granted for change of name in petition No 1428

By the Court, this 16th day of April, 1935.

*[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 ) petition/  
for citizenship listed below and the motion of A. L. Barkman, 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.

**1442**

NAME OF PETITIONER

**Stefano Gandela**

CAUSE FOR DENIAL

**failure to  
establish  
good moral  
character**

By the Court, this 16th day of April, 19 35.

*Stefano Gandela*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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 24, 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	1431	John Fiorelli	
2	1454	Esther Sophia Quirke	(Shields)
3	1473	Ernest Alfred Petterson	Ernest Alfred
4	1474	Alber Williamovsky	Ben Williams
5	1475	Frank Phipps Icely	
6	1476	Kalle Viktor Jokiah	Charles Victor Aho
7	1477	Nicolaus Zigli	
8	1478	Werner Edward Keskinen	
9	1479	John DeZolt	
10	1481	Stanley Schosler	
11	1482	Arvid Mattias Vuori	Arvid Mattias Vuori
12	1483	Maria Sophia Hakundi	
13	1484	Katie Alexanderina Fraser	
14	1485	Alexander Fraser	
15	1486	Kasper Lampinen	
16	1487	Elizabeth Boros	
17	1488	Rose Stanek	
18	1489	Mary Ann Rylance	
19	1490	Mary Jalovec	
20	1491	Maria Philippe Brunacci	
21	1492	Impi Dagmar Kinnunen	
22	1494	Aina Lydia Walli	
23	1495	Wilhelmiina Hietikko	Minnie Hietikko
24	1506	Amelia Buccieri	Amelia Butcher
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Prayer granted for change of name in petition No 1473, 1474, 1476, 1482, 1495 & 1506.

By the Court, this 1st day of October 1935.

*Ernest B. Griffith*  
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 23, 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	1447	Giacomo Troiani	
2	1493	Paul Babicki	
3	1496	Herman John Diedring	
4	1497	Orazio Despenza	George P. Despenza
5	1498	Arthur Hyde	
6	1499	Edna Hyde	
7	1500	Mary Olajos	
8	1501	Stanislaw Plutnicki	
9	1502	Valentine Kodolja	
10	1503	Frank Olajos	
11	1504	Jonas Kullas	
12	1505	Jacob Soini	
13	1507	Loretta Orsuto	
14	1509	Susanna Emilia Finnila	
15	1510	Jacob August Nikula	
16	1512	Agnes Hamilton Porter	
17	1513	Wallace Hill Whyte	
18	1514	Eliina Nojonen	
19	1515	Herman Jokinen	
20	1516	Mikko Talso	
21	1517	Amelia Sorice	
22	1518	Onni Anshelm Moisio	
23	1519	Hazel Alice Goutts	
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Prayer granted for change of name in petition No 1497

By the Court, this 14th day of April 1936.

*Charles J. 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 25, 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	1508	Rosemary Foster Thompson	
2	1520	Wenny Walli	Wenny Walin
3	1521	Elizabeth Rinyo	
4	1522	Joseph Buki	
5	1523	John Molnar	(Wuori
6	1524	Kalle Wuorinen	Charles Albert
7	1525	Urho Kustaa Alanko	
8	1526	Waino Mattias Sepanmaa	Waino Mattias Maki
9	1527	Francesco Berenato	Frank Nicholas (Berenato)
10	1528	Stanislaw Czopek	
11	1529	Ernest Frabutt	
12	1531	Guido Manuppella	William Manuppella
13	1532	Alexander Zyla	Alex Zella
14	1533	Lukas Lipold	
15	1534	Rocco Pignotti	
16	1535	Anna Bell Thornton Friend	
17	1536	Mina Kantalainen	
18	1538	Orsolja Lindenmayer	
19	1539	Joseph Yudin	
20	1540	Emilio Marta	
21	1541	Hilda Maria Maki	
22	1542	Marian Irene Rawson	
23	1544	Antonio Gentile	
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Prayer granted for change of name in petition No 1520, 1524, 1526, 1527, 1531 and 1532.

By the Court, this 15th day of April, 1936.

*Charles J. Langeni*  
Judge.

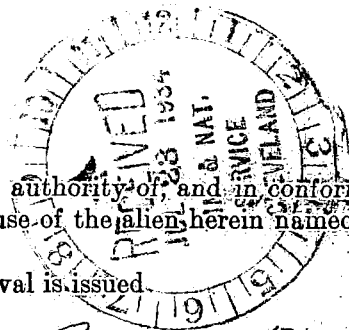
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE

No. 7 26845

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: New York, N.Y.  
Name: Tuszta, Tiure  
Date: March 27, 1907  
Manner of arrival: SS Noordam.



I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named, and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)

*Byron H. Uhl*  
BYRON H. UHL,  
District Director,  
New York District.

Esther Toben



No. 2577

7-26845

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

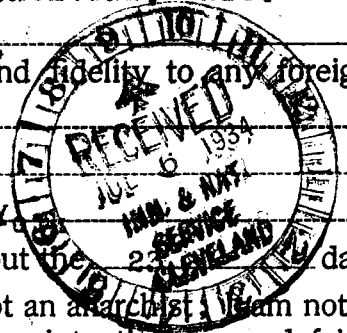
Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

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

I, James Frank Shuster, aged 40 years,  
occupation Air Brakeman, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white complexion Medium, height 5 feet 4 inches,  
weight 140 pounds, color of hair Light Brown, color of eyes Grey  
other visible distinctive marks finger nail cracked on 3rd finger of left hand  
I was born in Lelesz, Austria Hungary (now Czechoslovakia)  
on the 15th day of August, anno Domini 1888; I now reside  
at 600 Lakeview Ave., Conneaut, Ohio.  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Rotterdam, Holland  
on the vessel HARDEN; my last  
(If the alien arrived elsewhere than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Lelesz, Austria Hungary; I am un married; the name  
of my { wife } is Anna; { she } was born at Ashtabula, Ohio.  
and now resides at 600 Lakeview 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 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 23rd 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.



James Frank Shuster  
(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 1929

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Shelma Hackett Calaway Deputy Clerk.

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In the matter of the petition of :  
 JAMES FRANK SHUSTER :  
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 for citizenship in the United :  
 States of America. :  
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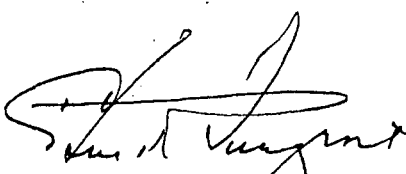
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It appearing on the representation of the petitioner, that the petition for citizenship of the above named JAMES FRANK SHUSTER erroneously states that the petition was ~~filed~~ subscribed and sworn to by the petitioner and his witnesses at Jefferson, Ohio, January 9, 1934.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the said petition be amended to read as follows: The petition was subscribed and sworn to by the petitioner and his witnesses at Jefferson, Ohio, January 9, 1935. and to include the following children: Anna, born Jan. 18, 1918 at Conneaut, Ohio. Elizabeth Shuster, born Mich. 29, 1918 in Ashtabula, Ohio; Margaret, born Aug. 14, 1921 in ~~Ashtabula~~ Conneaut, Ohio; James, born Sept. 7, 1922; in Erie, Pa.; Frank, born May 20, 1923, in Conneaut, Ohio; Ethel, ~~born~~, born May 18, 1926 in Conneaut, Ohio; Mary, born May 29, 1928; in Conneaut, Ohio Joseph, born, Mich. 28, 1930 in Conneaut, Ohio and Veronica, born July 16, 1933, in Conneaut, Ohio. All live in Conneaut, Ohio.

AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of this Court furnish the Commissioner of Immigration and Naturalization with a certified copy of this order.

Dated 4/16/35



Judge

ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1466

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

The petition of James Frank Shuster, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is R. F. D. 3, Conneaut, Ohio (2) My occupation is Air-brake Worker NYC

(3) I was born in Lelesz, Czechoslovakia on Aug. 15, 1888 My race is Magyar

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on January 26, 1929 in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my wife or ~~husband~~ is Anna Shuster, we were married on April 24, 1917 at Painesville, Ohio he was born at Ashtabula, Ohio on July 28, 1897; entered the United States

at Ashtabula, Ohio on July 28, 1897; entered the United States at Ashtabula, Ohio on July 28, 1897 for permanent residence therein, and now resides at Conneaut, Ohio R. F. D. 3 I have 9 children, and the name, date,

and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Anna, born Jan. 18, 1918 at Conneaut, Ohio, Elizabeth Shuster, born Mch. 29, 1918 in Ashtabula, Ohio; Margaret, born Aug. 14, 1921 in Conneaut, Ohio; James, born Sept. 7, 1922; in Erie, Pa.; Frank, born May 20, 1923, in Conneaut, Ohio; Ethel, born May 18, 1926 in Conneaut, Ohio; Mary, born May 29, 1928 in Conneaut, Ohio; Joseph, born Mch. 28, 1930 in Conneaut, Ohio and Veronica, born July 16, 1933, in Conneaut, Ohio. All live in Conneaut, Ohio.

(6) My last foreign residence was Lelesz, Czechoslovakia. I emigrated to the United States of America from Rotterdam, Holland My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at New York, N.Y. under the name of Tiure Tuszta on Mar. 27, 1907 the vessel SS Noordam as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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 April 23, 1907 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since June 15, 1907, being a residence within said county of at least six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to

James Frank Shuster

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~heard read~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

*James Frank Shuster*  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

G. L. Byers, occupation Farmer, residing at R. F. D. 2 Conneaut, Ohio, and

Frank Sands, occupation Switchman R. R., residing at 431 Liberty 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with James Frank Shuster, the petitioner above mentioned, since Jan. 1, 1930

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Conneaut, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Jan. 1, 1930, 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.

*G. L. Byers*  
(Signature of witness)

*Frank Sands*  
(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 at Jefferson, Ohio this 9th day of Jan., Anno Domini 1930 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-26845

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. 2577 of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By *Jay W. Young* Clerk.  
*M. H. Gibson* Deputy Clerk.

(SEAL)

No. 24973

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-20818

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

James Frank Shuster  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 16th day of April, A. D. 1935

Jay W. Young, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 24 of List No. 13 and Certificate No. 3813535 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

No. 1467

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

The petition of Wilma Susanna Jokinen Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 1730 W. 15th St., Ashtabula My occupation is housewife

(3) I was born in Ashtabula, Ohio on November 22, 1895 My race is Finnish

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on "Omitted pursuant to the act of September 22, 1922, as amended"

(5) I am married. The name of my ~~wife~~ husband is Herman Victor Jokinen we were married on March 13, 1916 at Ashtabula, Ohio; he was born at Parkano, Finland on May 15, 1887; entered the United States at New York, N. Y. on May 3, 1904 for permanent residence therein, 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 are as follows:

Norma Jane Marian, born November 24, 1924 at Ashtabula, Ohio, and now resides at Ashtabula, Ohio

(6) My last foreign residence was \_\_\_\_\_ I emigrated to the United States of America from \_\_\_\_\_ My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at \_\_\_\_\_, under the name of \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_, on the vessel \_\_\_\_\_ as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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 November 22, 1895 and in the County of Ashtabula this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since November 22, 1895, being a residence within said county of at least six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~heard~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

Wilma Susanna Jokinen  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Mrs. Ida Davis, occupation housewife residing at 1625 W. 14th St., Ashtabula, Ohio and

Mrs. Anna Pohjala occupation housewife residing at 1720 W. 14th 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Wilma Susanna Jokinen, the petitioner above mentioned, since Jan. 1, 1930

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Jan. 1, 1930 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.

Mrs. Anna Pohjala  
(Signature of witness)

Mrs. Ida Davis  
(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 at Jefferson, Ohio this 9th day of Jan., Anno Domini 1935. I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. \_\_\_\_\_

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. \_\_\_\_\_ "Omitted pursuant to the act of September 22, 1922, as amended."

By Jay W. Young Clerk. (SEAL)  
Heled Coe Deputy Clerk.

No. 24972

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2018

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Wilma Susanna Jokiaen*  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 16th day of April, A. D. 1935

*Jay W. Young*, Clerk.

By....., Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 25 of List No. 13 and Certificate No. 3813536 issued.

Petition denied: List No. ....

Petition continued from ..... to ..... Reason .....

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records of the Department of Labor show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: New York, N.Y.  
Name: Tenenbaum, Ghona  
Date: July 13, 1923  
Manner of arrival: SS Vauban

NATURALIZATION SERVICE  
RECEIVED

NOV 20 1929

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

November 26, 1929

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR.

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

TRIPLICATE

No. 2630 2631

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

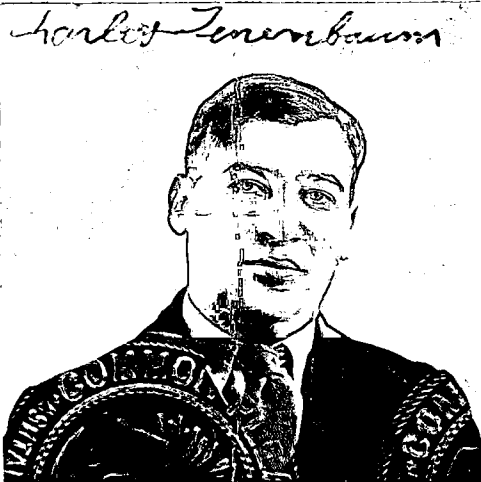
DECLARATION OF INTENTION

(Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date thereof)

The State of Ohio, In the Common Pleas Court
Ashtabula County, of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio

I, Charles Tenenbaum, now residing at 56 McGovern Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio, occupation Tailor, aged 29 years, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Sex Male, color white, complexion dark, color of eyes blue, color of hair brown, height 5 feet 5 1/2 inches; weight 154 pounds; visible distinctive marks none, race Jewish; nationality Polish. I was born in Sherishowo, Poland, on May 28, 1900. I am married. The name of my wife is Rebecca. we were married on June 1st, 1926 at New York, N. Y.; she or he was born at Weinsk, Poland, Russia, on July 11, 1901, entered the United States at New York, N. Y., on July 12, 1912, for permanent residence therein, and now resides at 56 McGovern Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio, have 1 child and the name, date and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Gertrude Lilla, Oct. 7, 1929, Ashtabula, Ohio.

I have not heretofore made a declaration of intention: Number at my last foreign residence was Buenos Aires, Argentina. I emigrated to the United States of America from Buenos Aires, Argentina. my lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at New York, N. Y. under the name of Chona Tenenbaum, on July 13, 1923.



on the vessel S. S. Vauban. I will, before being admitted to citizenship, renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly, by name, to the prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of which I may be at the time of admission a citizen or subject; 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 reside permanently therein; and I certify that the photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of me: So HELP ME GOD.

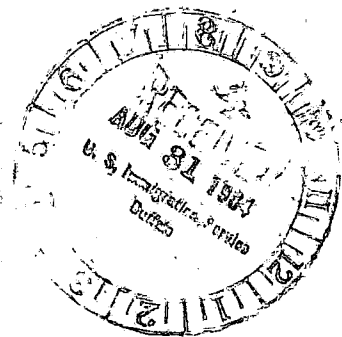
Charles Tenenbaum (Original signature of declarant without abbreviation, also alias, if used)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court, at Jefferson, Ohio this 11 day of December anno Domini 1929. Certification No. 8-1880 from the Commissioner of Naturalization showing the lawful entry of the declarant for permanent residence on the date stated above, has been received by me. The photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of the declarant.

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Arthur Stepanyuk, Deputy Clerk.





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clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

No. 1468

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

The petition of Charles Tenenbaum, Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 1512 E. 47th St., Ashtabula, Ohio My occupation is tailor

(3) I was born in Sherishowo, Poland on May 28, 1900 My race is Hebrew

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on Dec. 11, 1929 in the Common Pleas

Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my wife ~~was~~ is Rebecca Tenenbaum

we were married on June 1, 1926 at New York, N. Y.; she was

born at Meinsk, Poland on July 4, 1901; entered the United States

at New York, N. Y. on 1912 for permanent residence therein, and now

resides at Ashtabula, Ohio I have 1 child~~en~~ and the name, date,

and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows:

Gertrude Lilla Tenenbaum, born Oct. 7, 1929, at Ashtabula, Ohio,

and resides at Ashtabula, Ohio

(6) My last foreign residence was Buenos Aires, Argentine I emigrated to the United States of

America from Buenos Aires, Argentine My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at New York, N. Y. under the name of Chona Tenenbaum

on July 13, 1923 on the vessel SS Vauban

as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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

July 13, 1923 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since July 15, 1923, being a residence within said county of at least

six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the

Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~heard~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

*Charles Tenenbaum*  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

A. H. Legomsky, occupation merchant

residing at R. F. D. 4, N. Ridge E., Ashtabula, Ohio, and

Sam Schultz, occupation merchant

residing at 1703 E. 47th 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Charles Tenenbaum, the petitioner above mentioned, since Jan. 1, 1930

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a

part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Jan. 1, 1930, 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.

*A. H. Legomsky*  
(Signature of witness)

*Sam Schultz*  
(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 at Jefferson, Ohio

this 9th day of Jan., Anno Domini 1935. I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-1880

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. 2631

of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By *Jay W. Young* Clerk.  
*Helen Cox* Deputy Clerk.

(SEAL)

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No.

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2813

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Charles Lewis  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 16th day of April, A. D. 1935.

Jay Young, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 26 of List No. 13 and Certificate No. 3813537 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

92640  
Cleveland, Ohio.

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE

No. \_\_\_\_\_

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records of the Department of Labor show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: Philadelphia, Pa.  
Name: Jacob H. Caram.  
Date: January 9, 1913.  
Manner of arrival: S/S "Haverford"

American Line JAN. 18 1932

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

\_\_\_\_\_  
January 16, 1932.  
(Date)

MTG:MTG

\_\_\_\_\_  
J. L. HUGHES,  
Assistant Commissioner of Immigration,  
Philadelphia District.

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 Co. at Jefferson, Ohio.

I, Mr. Jacob Hanna Karam, now residing at 562 West 32nd St., Ashtabula, Ohio, occupation Hotel Proprietor, aged 46 years, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Sex male, color white, complexion bass dark, color of eyes brown, color of hair black, height 5 feet 7 1/2 inches; weight 185 pounds; visible distinctive marks Tattoo in right forearm, Christ on cross, St. George on horse; Birthdate race Syrian; nationality Syrian, I was born in Cubah Syria, on December 15, 1885 I am married. The name of my wife is Dewanna, Karam, we were married on at Cubah, Syria, she or he was born at Cubah, Syria, on Dec. 25, 1884, entered the United States at Philadelphia, Pa., on January 9, 1911, for permanent residence therein, 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 are as follows: S. A. Debea, Cubah, Syria, on March, 1899 Quayaguil, Ecuador, Bebezzia, born Mar. 22, 1912, Cubah, Syria, Ashtabula, Ohio, Helen, Jan. 31, 1915, Ashtabula, Ohio, Ashtabula, Ohio, Elizabeth, Mar. 19, 1919, Ashtabula, Ohio, Ashtabula, Ohio. I have not heretofore made a declaration of intention. Number on XXXXX XXXXX (Date)

my last foreign residence was Cubah, Syria, I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England, my lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at Philadelphia, Pa. under the name of Jacob H. Karam, on Jan. 9, 1913, on the vessel S/S Havanford American Line.



I will, before being admitted to citizenship, renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly, by name, to the prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of which I may be at the time of admission a citizen or subject; 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 reside permanently therein; and I certify that the photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of me: So HELP ME GOD.

Jacob Hanna Karam (Original signature of declarant without abbreviation, also alias, if used)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court, at Jefferson, Ohio this 17 day of Feb. anno Domini 1932. Certification No. 7-15128 from the Commissioner of Naturalization showing the lawful entry of the declarant for permanent residence on the date stated above, has been received by me. The photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of the declarant.

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk of the Common Pleas Court. By Pauline Vesper Zang, Deputy Clerk. 14-2022 U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1929

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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

No. 1469

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

The petition of Jacob Hanna Karam, Ashtabula, O., hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 562 West 32nd St., (2) My occupation is Hotel Proprietor

(3) I was born in Cubah, Syria on Dec. 15, 1885 My race is Syrian

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on Feb. 17, 1932 in the Common Pleas

Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my wife ~~is~~ is Dewanna Karam,

we were married on 1898 at Cubah, Syria; he was

born at Cubah, Syria, on December 25, 1884; entered the United States

at Philadelphia, Pa., on Jan. 9, 1913 for permanent residence therein, 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 are as follows: Debea, born Mar. 1899, Cubah, Syria,

Syria; now residing at Queyquil, Ecuador; Behezzia, born Mar. 22, 1912, Cubah,

1919, Ashtabula, Ohio; (The last three named reside in Ashtabula, Ohio)

Syria; Helen, born Jan. 31, 1918, Ashtabula, Ohio; Elizabeth, born Mar. 19,

1919, Ashtabula, Ohio; (The last three named reside in Ashtabula, Ohio)

(6) My last foreign residence was Cubah, Syria I emigrated to the United States of

America from Liverpool, England My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at Philadelphia, Pa., under the name of Jacob H. Karam

on Jan. 9, 1913, on the vessel S/S "Haverford" American Line

as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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

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### The present Sovereignty in Syria and the Lebanon

of whom (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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

January 9, 1913 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since Jan. 9, 1913, being a residence within said county of at least six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~signed~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

*Jacob Hanna Karam*

(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Frank Olix, occupation N. Y. Central Switchman

residing at 916 West 43rd St., Ashtabula, Ohio. and

J. J. McNamara, occupation N. Y. Central Yard

residing at 615 West 33rd St., Ashtabula, Ohio Conductor

each being 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

Jacob Hanna Karam, the petitioner above mentioned, since Jan. 1, 1930

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a

part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Jan. 1, 1930 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.

Frank Olix \_\_\_\_\_

(Signature of witness)

John J. McNamara \_\_\_\_\_

(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 at Jefferson, Ohio,

this 9th day of Jan., Anno Domini 1935 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-15188

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. \_\_\_\_\_

2690 of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

Jay W. Young \_\_\_\_\_

Clerk.

(SEAL)

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

No. 24975

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2613

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 Sovereignty in Syria and the Lebanon

of whom (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Jacob Hanna Korom*

(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 16th day of April, A. D. 1935

*Jay W. Young*, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 27 of List No. 13 and Certificate No. 3813538 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE

No. 5-42801

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: Detroit, Mich.  
Name: GORDON PATIENCE  
Date: October 2, 1919  
Manner of arrival: D. & W. Ferry

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

Oct. 31, 1934

(Date)

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H. R. LANDIS, District Director,  
Immigration and Naturalization Service,  
Newport, Vermont

By Robert S. Newton  
In charge statistical division



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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, Gordon Patience, aged 48 years,  
occupation salesman, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion light, height 5 feet 9 inches,  
weight 170 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Cookstown, Ont., Canada  
on the 29th day of January, anno Domini 1886; I now reside  
at 46 Division St., Ashtabula, Ohio.  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Toronto, Canada  
on the vessel Railway; 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 Edmonton, Canada; I am not married; the name  
of my wife is [redacted] (she)  
[redacted] (husband) (he)

and now reside 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

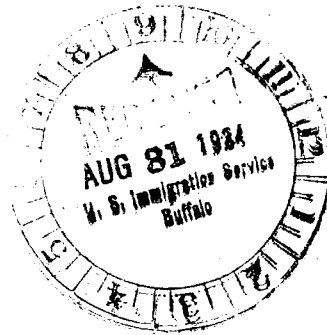
George V, King of Great Britain and Ireland, etc.  
of whom I am now a subject; I arrived at the port of Detroit  
in the State of Michigan, on or about the 17th day  
of September, anno Domini 1919; I am not an anarchist, I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside herein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Gordon Patience  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the Office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 18th day of July, anno Domini 1928.

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner,  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.



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(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1470

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

The petition of Gordon Patience Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 81 W. 44th St., Ashtabula, (2) My occupation is salesman

(3) I was born in Cookstown, Canada on January 29, 1886 my race is English

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on July 18, 1928 in the Common Pleas

Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am not married. The name of my wife or husband is \_\_\_\_\_  
we were married on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_; he was

born at \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_; entered the United States

at \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ for permanent residence therein, 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 are as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

(6) My last foreign residence was Toronto, Canada I emigrated to the United States of

America from Toronto, Canada My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at Detroit, Michigan, under the name of Gordon Patience

on October 2, 1919, on the vessel D. & W. Ferry

as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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. by the Grace

of God, of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British Dominions beyond

the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India

of whom (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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

October 2, 1919 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since December 1920, being a residence within said county of at least

six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the

Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~read~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

Gordon Patience  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

C. W. Smith, occupation farmer

residing at Jefferson, Ohio, and

J. M. Grimm, 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Gordon Patience, the petitioner above mentioned, since Jan. 1, 1930

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a

part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula & Jefferson, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Jan. 1, 1930 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.

C. W. Smith  
(Signature of witness)

J. M. Grimm  
(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 at Jefferson, Ohio

this 9th day of Jan., Anno Domini 1935. I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 5-42801

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No.

2557 of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By Jay W. Young, Clerk.  
Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

(SEAL)

No. 24971

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
MIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2613

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. by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India

of whom (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Gordon Patience  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 16th day of April, A. D. 1935

Jay W Young, Clerk.

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

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

Petition granted: Line No. 28 of List No. 13 and Certificate No. 3813539 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

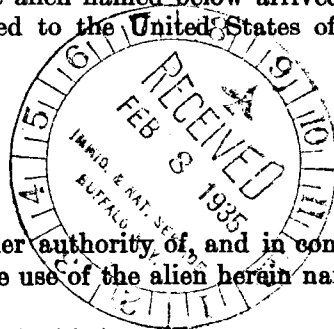
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE

No. 5 49114

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: New York, NY  
Name: Magyari, Jozsef  
Date: September 16, 1909  
Manner of arrival: SS Ultonia



I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

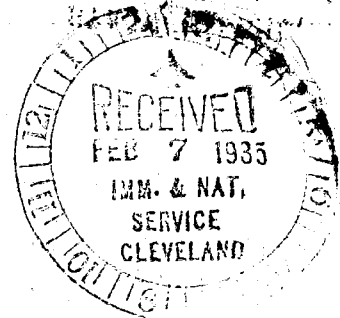
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

February 6, 1935

(Date)

*Byron H. Dhl.*  
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BYRON H. DHL,  
District Director  
New York District  
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NON SOLI PROLETAR  
PROLETAR PROLETAR



*John W. Johnson*

No. 78799

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

5 49114

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

STATE OF OHIO } In the COMMON PLEAS Court  
CUYAHOGA COUNTY } ss: of CUYAHOGA COUNTY

I, JOSEPH MAGYARI, aged 35 years, occupation Trucking Business, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color white, complexion fair, 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 Galvacs Borsod Megye Hungary on the 18 day of April, anno Domini 1892; I now reside at 4934 E. 84th St. Cleveland, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Fiume Italy on the vessel Ultonia; my last foreign residence was Hungary; I am married; the name of my { wife } is Susie; { she } was born at Hungary and now resides at with me here

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 N Y, on or about the 16 day of Sept., 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.

*Joseph Magyari*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 20 day of Feb., anno Domini 1928  
GEORGE WALLACE

[SEAL]

By *George Wallace* COMMON PLEAS Court.  
DEPUTY Clerk.



(1) 3/25/35 - 3:00 pm  
(2) 4/22/35 - 2:00 pm

NOTE FOR CLERK OF COURT.—This form should be sent to the District Director of Naturalization for the District in which your court is located.

Form 2220-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE

(3) 6-25-35 - 3:00 pm  
(4) 7-22-35 - 3:00 pm

NOTICE TO TAKE DEPOSITIONS UNDER THE FOURTH SUBDIVISION OF SECTION 4  
ACT JUNE 29, 1906, AS AMENDED

(5) Schon req. by tele 9/24/35  
(6) Schon req. to call 1-3-36

(For use where the petitioner has not resided in the county for five years)

In the Columbus County Court of Coshocton  
County at Jefferson, Ohio

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF

Joseph Magyar  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES  
OF AMERICA

NOTICE.

Divisional  
To the District Director of Naturalization, Cleveland, Ohio

My petition for Naturalization, No. 1471, filed in the above-named court on  
Feb 18, 1935, has been set for hearing approximately on Oct. 1, 1935

Take notice, that in accordance with the fourth subdivision of Section 4 of the Naturalization Act of  
June 29, 1906, as amended, I, the above-named petitioner in the above-entitled proceeding now pending in

the above-entitled court, request that the depositions be taken of John Myer  
by occupation bookkeeper, residing at Ohio Foundry

Quincy Ave. Cleveland and Philip Gagan, by occupation  
manager, residing at Ohio Foundry Co. Cleveland  
who are both citizens of the United States, in support of said petition before the officer, and at such time  
and place as may be designated by the District Director of Naturalization, for the District in which said  
deponents reside.

The said depositions are to be taken for the purpose of establishing by the testimony of two citizens of  
the United States my character and residence in the County of Cuyahoga, State of  
Ohio, from the 1st day of February

1930 to and including the 1st day of September, 1931

Alternates:-  
\*Philip Goodman and  
Albert Goodman.  
Goodman Inc.  
57 Euclid Ave.  
Cleveland.

Joseph Magyar  
(Petitioner must sign his name here in full and without abbreviation)



Address: Box 111  
(Number) (Street)

Windsor, Ohio  
(City or town) (State)



## INTERROGATORIES IN DEPOSITIONS OF WITNESSES

TO PROVE RESIDENCE AND OTHER QUALIFICATIONS OF AN ALIEN PETITIONER FOR NATURALIZATION  
UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE FOURTH SUBDIVISION OF SECTION 4 OF THE ACT OF JUNE 29, 1906,  
AS AMENDED.

In the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_

In the Matter of the Petition No. \_\_\_\_\_

of \_\_\_\_\_

To Be Admitted a Citizen of the United States of America

### DEPOSITIONS

Filed

8/18/36 - Depo. R.H. - L.E.J.

Clerk.

By \_\_\_\_\_

Deputy Clerk.

State of OHIO, County of CUYAHOGA, ss:

PHILIP GEOGHEGAN  
(Name of first witness)

, being first duly sworn by me,

deposed, testified, and said as follows:

- 1. Q. State your full name. A. PHILIP GEOGHEGAN
- 2. Q. Residence? A. 2230 Bellfield Road, Cleveland Heights, Cuyahoga Ohio  
(Number and street) (City) (County) (State)
- 3. Q. Your occupation? A. Foundry Manager 4. Q. Your age? A. 61 years
- 5. Q. Are you a citizen of the United States? A. Yes 6. Q. Where born? A. England
- 7. Q. If you are a naturalized citizen, state WHEN and WHERE and in WHAT COURT you were naturalized and the number, if any, of your naturalization certificate. A. Naturalized thru the naturalization of my father in the Probate Court, Cuyahoga Cty., Cleveland, Ohio on June 3, 1886

8. Q. State the period of your residence in the County of Cuyahoga, State of Ohio in which you know the petitioner for naturalization, Joseph Magyari to have resided. A. Fifty two years

9. Q. State fully and particularly WHEN and WHERE and UNDER WHAT CIRCUMSTANCES you first met the petitioner in the United States. (Give year, month, and day of the month as nearly as you can.) A. I met the party in connection with his work in June 1920 and knew him to resided in Cleveland until late in the fall of 1931

10. Q. State the period during which he has resided continuously in the United States. (Give dates as nearly as you can.) A. From June 15, 1920 to September 1, 1931

11. Q. Since you first met the petitioner in the United States, in what County and State has he lived to your personal knowledge? A. Cuyahoga County Ohio

12. Q. How often did you see the petitioner while he was in the County and State mentioned in the preceding question? A. Every day

13. Q. Since you first met him in the United States has he ever been absent from the United States? A. No

14. Q. When did he remove from the County of Cuyahoga, State of Ohio? A. September 1931

15. Q. During the time you knew him, or at any time, was he ever arrested or engaged in any unlawful occupation? (If so, give full particulars.) A. No

16. Q. During all the time you have known the petitioner, has he conducted himself as a person of good moral character? A. Yes

17. Q. Has the petitioner ever been an anarchist or a polygamist, a believer in anarchy or in the practice of polygamy, or affiliated in any way with any persons opposed to or teaching disbelief in organized government? A. No

18. Q. Do you believe from your personal knowledge of the petitioner that during all the time you have known him he has been 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 do you recommend that he be admitted to citizenship? A. Yes

Philip Geoghegan  
(Signature of first witness)

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Cleveland O. this 22nd day of April, 19 35

James P. Wetheimer  
(Official character of attestor)  
Acting Naturalization Examiner

Note to officer.—If witness is a naturalized citizen, did he exhibit to you his certificate of naturalization? Yes

State of Ohio, County of Cuyahoga, ss:

John Pataky, being first duly sworn by me, (Name of second witness)

deposed, testified, and said as follows:

- 1. Q. State your full name. A. John Pataky
- 2. Q. Residence? A. 12010 Hamilin Ave., Cleveland, Cuyahoga Ohio  
(Number and street) (City) (County) (State)
- 3. Q. Your occupation? A. Moulder 4. Q. Your age? A. 52
- 5. Q. Are you a citizen of the United States? A. Yes 6. Q. Where born? A. Hungary
- 7. Q. If you are a naturalized citizen, state WHEN and WHERE and in WHAT COURT you were naturalized and the number, if any, of your naturalization certificate. A. 2/17/28, in U. S. District Court, Cleveland, Ohio. Cert. No. 2757615

8. Q. State the period of your residence in the County of Cuyahoga, State of Ohio in which you know the petitioner for naturalization, Joseph Magyari to have resided. A. Since 1912

9. Q. State fully and particularly WHEN and WHERE and UNDER WHAT CIRCUMSTANCES you first met the petitioner in the United States. (Give year, month, and day of the month as nearly as you can.) A. 1921, February. He was a neighbor of mine on Holton Ave., & 79th St., Cleveland, Ohio for about 2 years from 1921.

10. Q. State the period during which he has resided continuously in the United States. (Give dates as nearly as you can.) A. February 1921 to September 1931.

11. Q. Since you first met the petitioner in the United States, in what County and State has he lived to your personal knowledge. A. Cuyahoga County, State of Ohio

12. Q. How often did you see the petitioner while he was in the County and State mentioned in the preceding question? A. Almost every week.

13. Q. Since you first met him in the United States has he ever been absent from the United States? A. No.

14. Q. When did he remove from the County of Cuyahoga State of Ohio? A. September 1931.

15. Q. During the time you knew him, or at any time, was he ever arrested or engaged in any unlawful occupation? (If so, give full particulars.) A. No.

16. Q. During all the time you have known the petitioner, has he conducted himself as a person of good moral character? A. Yes.

17. Q. Has the petitioner ever been an anarchist or a polygamist, a believer in anarchy or in the practice of polygamy, or affiliated in any way with any persons opposed to or teaching disbelief in organized government? A. No.

18. Q. Do you believe from your personal knowledge of the petitioner that during all the time you have known him he has been 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 do you recommend that he be admitted to citizenship? A. Yes.

John Pataky  
(Signature of second witness)

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Cleveland, Ohio this 15th day of August, 1936.

May B. Hunt

Naturalization Examiner

(Official character of attestor)

Note to officer.—If witness is a naturalized citizen, did he exhibit to you his certificate of naturalization? Yes

ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

No. 1471

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

The petition of Joseph Magyari, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is Box 111, Windsor, Ohio (2) My occupation is Farmer

(3) I was born in Galvaos, Hungary, on April 18, 1892 My race is Magyar

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on Feb. 20, 1928 in the Common Pleas

Court of Cuyahoga County, at Cleveland, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my wife or husband is Susie,

we were married on June 14, 1915 at Passaic, New Jersey She was

born at Nyir Tura, Hungary on Feb. 17, 1894; entered the United States

at New York, N. Y. on July 26, 1912 for permanent residence therein, and now

resides at Windsor, Ohio I have two children, and the name, date,

and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows:

Margaret, born Feb. 28, 1916, Cleveland, Ohio, now residing at  
Windsor, Ohio;

Elizabeth, born April 24, 1920, Cleveland, Ohio, now residing at  
Windsor, Ohio

(6) My last foreign residence was Galvaos, Hungary I emigrated to the United States of

America from Fiume, Italy My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at New York, N. Y. under the name of Jozsef Magyari,

on September 16, 1909 on the vessel SSUtonia

as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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

September 16, 1909 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since September 1, 1931 being a residence within said county of at least

six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the

Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~signed~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

*Joseph Magyari*  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

U. G. Mock, occupation Farmer

residing at Windsor, Ohio, and

William Higley, occupation Farmer

residing at Windsor, 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Joseph Magyari, the petitioner above mentioned, since Feb. 1, 1930,

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a

part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Windsor, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Feb. 1, 1930 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.

*U. G. Mock* (Signature of witness)

*W. H. Higley* (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 at Jefferson, Ohio

this 18th day of February, Anno Domini 1935. I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 5-49114

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No.

78799 of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By *Jay H. Young*  
*Alma Klide*  
Deputy Clerk.

(SEAL)

No. 24976

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2613

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Joseph Magyars*  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this *29th* day of *Sept*, A. D. *1936*

*Jay W. Young*, Clerk.

By *Helen Cox*, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. *1* of List No. *17* and Certificate No. *4066187* issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from *Oct 1, 1935* to *April 14, 1936* Reason *depositions & better information of witnesses*  
*April 14, 1936 to Sept. 29, 1936* for *Cleveland depositions.*

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE

No. 7-53346

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

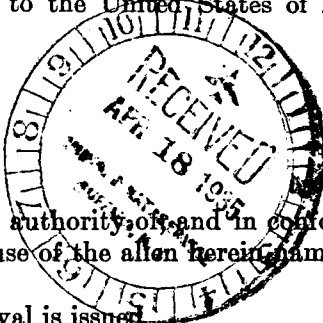
Port of entry: New York, NY  
Name: Catapano, Anna  
Date: February 17, 1924  
Manner of arrival: SS Conte Rosso

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

April 17, 1935

(Date)

  
*Byron H. Uhl*  
BYRON H. UHL  
District Director  
New York District



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No. 2543

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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~~ } ss. In the ~~Common Pleas~~ Court  
~~Ashtabula County~~ } of ~~Ashtabula County~~

I, Anna Guastaferrro, aged 31 years,  
occupation Housewife, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color White complexion Dark, height 5 feet 2 inches,  
weight 125 pounds, color of hair Black, color of eyes Dark Brown  
other visible distinctive marks None

I was born in St. Giuseppe Vesuviano, Italy  
on the 22 day of April, anno Domini 1897; I now reside  
at 161 Dean Ave., Conneaut, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples  
on the vessel Conte Rosso; 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 Terzigno, Italy; I am un married; the name  
of my wife {husband} is Enrico Guastaferrro; {she} was born at Terzigno, Italy  
and now resides at 161 Dean 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

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 17th day  
of February, 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.

Anna Guastaferrro  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 25th day of April, anno Domini 1928

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Thelma Hackett, Common Pleas Deputy Clerk.

ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1472

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Anna Guastaferra, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 783 Harbor St., Conneaut, Ohio My occupation is housewife

(3) I was born in St. Giuseppe, Vesuviano, Italy on April 22, 1897 My race is Italian South

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on April 26, 1928 in the Common Pleas  
Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am not married. The name of my ~~now~~ husband is Enrico Guastaferra  
we were married on August 1, 1920 at Terzigno, Italy; he was  
born at Terzigno, Italy on December 14, 1897; entered the United States  
at New York, N. Y. on Sept. 1, 1922 for permanent residence therein, and now  
resides at 783 Harbor St., Conneaut, Ohio I have five children, and the name, date,  
and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Frank, born at Terzigno, Italy on

July 10, 1921; Salvatore, born at Brooklyn, N.Y. on Sept. 19, 1924; Mary, born  
at Brooklyn, N. Y. on Nov. 3, 1926; Carmela, born at Conneaut, Ohio on July  
29, 1929; Enrico, born at Conneaut, Ohio on April 8, 1933; all children reside  
at Conneaut, Ohio

(6) My last foreign residence was Terzigno, Italy I emigrated to the United States of  
America from Naples, Italy My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States  
was at New York, N. Y. under the name of Anna Capatano  
on February 17, 1924 on the vessel SS Conte Rosso  
as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.  
(9) 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

February 17, 1924 and in the County of Ashtabula  
this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since February 12, 1928, being a residence within said county of at least  
six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_  
at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the  
Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.  
Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~made~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of  
my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition  
is signed by me with my full, true name.

Anna Guastaferra  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Nicola Musacchio, occupation shoe repairman  
residing at 392 Bliss Ave., Conneaut, Ohio, and

Nicola Chicatelli, occupation insurance agent  
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 and has been  
acquainted in the United States with

Anna Guastaferra, the petitioner above mentioned, since April 1, 1930  
and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a  
part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Conneaut, Ohio in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since April 1, 1930, and that he has personal knowledge that the  
petitioner is and during all said periods has been a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and well dis-  
posed 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.

Nick Chicatelli  
(Signature of witness)

Nick 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 at Jefferson, Ohio  
this 25th day of April, Anno Domini 1935. I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-53346  
from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No.  
2543 of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By Jay W. Young Clerk. (SEAL)  
Helen Cole Deputy Clerk.

24977

No.

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Anna Guastafiero  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 28th day of Sept, A. D. 1937

Jay W. Young, Clerk.

By J. J. J., Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 1 of List No. 23 and Certificate No. 4273457 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from Oct. 1, 1935 to April 14, 1936 Reason study & correction  
" " " April 14, 1936 to Sept. 29, 1936 for of Immigration Record.  
" " " Sept 29, 1936 to April 1937 for study.  
" " " April 20, 1937 to Sept. 29, 1937

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

7-5233

DECLARATION OF INTENTION

(Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof)

The State of Ohio, In the Common Pleas Court
Ashtabula, County of Ashtabula at Jefferson, Ohio

I, Ernest Alfred Peterson, now residing at 518 Lake St., Ashtabula, Ohio, occupation Machine Operator, aged 51 years, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Sex Male, color white, complexion fair, color of eyes brown, color of hair brown, height 5 feet 10 inches; weight 145 pounds; visible distinctive marks none. race Scandinavian, nationality Swedish. I was born in Norrkoping Sweden, on July 1, 1878. I am married. The name of my wife or husband is Selma Cecilia. we were married on April 6, 1921, at Ashtabula, Ohio; she or he was born at Hallstaden, Sweden, on April 3, 1883, entered the United States at New York, N. Y., on August 1893, for permanent residence therein, and now resides at Ashtabula, Ohio. I have one children, and the name, date and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Agada Dagmar Peterson, born, July 12, 1908, Ashtabula, Ohio, Ashtabula, Ohio.

I have heretofore made a declaration of intention: Number 1933, on March 8, 1921 at Jefferson, Ohio, Common Pleas Court, my last foreign residence was Bremyra, Sweden, I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool England, my lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at New York, N. Y., under the name of Emil A. Peterson, on February 24, 1901



Ernest Alfred Peterson

on the vessel Ss Etruria, I will, before being admitted to citizenship, renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly, by name, to the prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of which I may be at the time of admission a citizen or subject; 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 reside permanently therein; and I certify that the photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of me: SO HELP ME GOD.

Ernest Alfred Peterson (Original signature of declarant without abbreviation, also alias, if used)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court, at Jefferson, this 11 day of June, anno Domini 1930. Certification No. 7-5233 from the Commissioner of Naturalization showing the lawful entry of the declarant for permanent residence on the date stated above, has been received by me. The photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of the declarant.

Cornelia A. Warner, Clerk of the Common Pleas Court. By Eulene Pyle Gungg, Deputy Clerk.

ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1473

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

The petition of Ernest Alfred Petterson Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 3704 Lake Ave., Ashtabula, (2) My occupation is machine operator

(3) I was born in Norrkoping, Sweden on July 1, 1878 My race is Scandinavian

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on June 11, 1930 in the Common Pleas

Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am        married. The name of my wife ~~is~~ is Selma Cecilia

we were married on April 6, 1921 at Ashtabula, Ohio; she was

born at Prollhatan, Sweden on April 3, 1883; entered the United States

at New York, N. Y. on August, 1893 for permanent residence therein, 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 are as follows:

Agada, born July 12, 1908 at Ashtabula, Ohio, and resides at

Ashtabula, Ohio,

(6) My last foreign residence was Bremyra, Sweden I emigrated to the United States of

America from Liverpool, England My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at New York, N. Y. under the name of Emil A. Paterson

on February 24, 1901 on the vessel SS Etruria

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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

February 24, 1901 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since February 25, 1901, being a residence within said county of at least six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number       , on

at        and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to

### Ernest Alfred Shields

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~heard~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

*Ernest Alfred Petterson*  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Geo. A. Sweet, occupation foreman

residing at R. D. 3, Ashtabula, Ohio, and

Gust Erikson, occupation patcher

residing at 106 W. 43rd 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Ernest Alfred Petterson, the petitioner above mentioned, since June 1, 1930

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a

part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, Ohio in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since June 1, 1930, 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.

*Geo. A. Sweet* *Gust Erikson*

(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 at Jefferson, Ohio

this 1st day of July, Anno Domini 1935 I hereby certify that

declaration of intention No. 2642

of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date. 7-5233

By Jay W. Young Clerk. (SEAL)  
Helen Cox Deputy Clerk.

24978

No.

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2613

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, King of Sweden

of whom (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Ernest Alfred Shierck  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1935

Jay W. Young, Clerk.

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

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

Petition granted: Line No. 3 of List No. 14 and Certificate No. 3852256 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

DECLARATION OF INTENTION  
(Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof)

7 X 3422

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

I, Ben Williams, correct name Alter Williamovsky  
now residing at 713 N. Broadway, Geneva, Ohio.  
occupation Shoemaker, aged 45 years, do declare on oath that my personal description is:  
Sex male, color white, complexion medium dark, color of eyes brown,  
color of hair brown, height 5 feet 4 inches; weight 160 pounds; visible distinctive marks  
none.

race Hebrew; nationality Russian,  
I was born in Brest Litovsk, Russia, on January, 1887  
I am married. The name of my wife is Eva Vinograd Williamovsky,  
we were married on June 15, 1909, at Cleveland, Ohio;  
born at Russia, Simatich, on July 15, 1884, entered the United States  
at New York, N. Y., on June, 1906, for permanent residence therein, and now  
resides at Geneva, Ohio. I have 2 children, and the name, date and place of birth,  
and place of residence of each of said children are as follows:

Nathan, born, April 12, 1914 at Cleveland, Ohio,  
Lillian Bessie, born, Dec. 1, 1915, at Cleveland, Ohio; both reside  
at Geneva, Ohio,

I have heretofore made a declaration of intention: Number 505067, on Nov. 20, 1914  
at Cleveland, Ohio, Federal Court,  
my last foreign residence was London, England,  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Southampton, England,  
my lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at New York, New York,  
under the name of Alter Wielmovsky, on June 24, 1906



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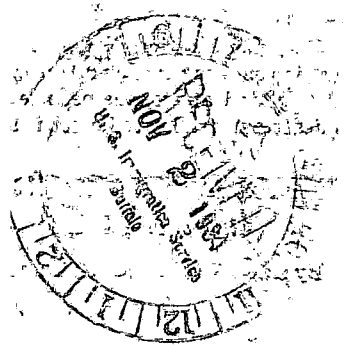
on the vessel St. Louis  
I will, before being admitted to citizenship, renounce forever all allegiance and  
fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly,  
by name, to the prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of which I may be at  
the time of admission a citizen or subject; 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 reside  
permanently therein; and I certify that the photograph affixed to the duplicate  
and triplicate hereof is a likeness of me: So HELP ME GOD.

Alter Williamovsky  
(Original signature of declarant without abbreviation, also alias, if used)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court,  
at Jefferson, O. this 5 day of November  
anno Domini 1932. ~~Signature Notary~~ from the Commis-  
sioner of Naturalization showing the lawful entry of the declarant for permanent  
residence on the date stated above, has been received by me. The photograph  
affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of the declarant.

Cornelia A. Warner,  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By Pauline Dyer, Deputy Clerk.





ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

No. 1474

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

The petition of Alter Williamovsky, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 713 N. Broadway, Geneva, Ohio (2) My occupation is Shoemaker

(3) I was born in Brest Litovsk, Bobats on Jan. 6, 1887 My race is Hebrew

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on Nov. 5, 1932 in the Common Pleas

Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am un married. The name of my wife ~~xxxxxx~~ is Eva Williams

we were married on June 15, 1909 at Cleveland, Ohio; she was

born at Simyatich, Russia on July 15, 1884; entered the United States

at New York, N. Y. on June, 1906 for permanent residence therein, and now

resides at Geneva, Ohio I have 2 children, and the name, date,

and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Nathan, born Apr. 12, 1914, Cleveland,

Ohio; Lillian Bessie, born Dec. 1, 1915, Cleveland, Ohio.

Both children now residing at Geneva, Ohio.

(6) My last foreign residence was London, England I emigrated to the United States of

America from Southampton, England My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at New York, N. Y. under the name of Alter Wielmovsky

on June 24, 1906 on the vessel St Louis

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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

June 28, 1906 and in the County of Ashtabula,

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since October 1, 1919, being a residence within said county of at least six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to

Ben Williams

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~signed~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

*Alter Williamovsky*  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

R. A. Gilbert, occupation Merchant

residing at 18 N. Broadway, Geneva, Ohio, and

Julius Orkin, occupation Contractor

residing at R. F. D. 1, 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Alter Williamovsky, the petitioner above mentioned, since June 1, 1930

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Geneva, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula,

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since June 1, 1930, 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.

*R. A. Gilbert*  
(Signature of witness)

*Julius Orkin*  
(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 at Jefferson, Ohio

this 1st day of July, Anno Domini 1935 I hereby certify that ~~the above~~

~~declaration of intention~~ declaration of intention No. 2700

of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date. 7X 3422

*Jay W. Young* Clerk.  
*Alma Kline* Deputy Clerk. (SEAL)

No. 24980

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Ben Williams*

(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1935

*Jay Wyring*

, Clerk.

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

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

Petition granted: Line No. 4 of List No. 14 and Certificate No. 3852259 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

# 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 at Jefferson, Ohio

I, Frank Phipps Ieely,  
now residing at 728 West 58th St., Ashtabula, Ashtabula Co., Ohio  
occupation Linotype Operator on daily paper, do declare on oath that my personal description is:  
Sex Male, color White, complexion Fair, color of eyes Blue  
color of hair Dark Brown, height 5 feet 8 inches; weight 145 pounds; visible distinctive marks  
None  
race English; nationality English (Note - Lived in Canada since  
I was born in London, England, on August 15, 1901 (Six years old)  
I am married. The name of my wife or husband is Evelyn Margaret Ieely  
we were married on Jan. 14, 1922 at Hamilton, Ont., Canada; she or he was  
born at Ancaster, Ont., Canada, on February 7, 1903, entered the United States  
at Detroit, Michigan, on July 23, 1923, for permanent residence therein, and now  
resides at Ashtabula, Ohio. I have three children, and the name, date and place of birth,  
and place of residence of each of said children are as follows:  
Dorothy Frances - Date and place of Birth  
Sept. 14, 1922, at Ancaster, Ont., Canada  
Now residing at Ashtabula, Ohio; Richard William - Oct. 21, 1924,  
Ashtabula, Ohio. Now residing at Ashtabula, O.; Harold Roy, Oct.  
14, 1926, Ashtabula, Ohio. Now residing at Ashtabula, Ohio.  
I have never heretofore made a declaration of intention: Number \_\_\_\_\_  
at \_\_\_\_\_  
my last foreign residence was Hamilton, Ontario, Canada  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Hamilton, Canada  
my lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at Detroit, Michigan  
under the name of Frank Ieely, on May 24, 1923



on the vessel D. & W. Ferry  
I will, before being admitted to citizenship, renounce forever all allegiance and  
fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly,  
by name, to the prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of which I may be at  
the time of admission a citizen or subject; 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 reside  
permanently therein; and I certify that the photograph affixed to the duplicate  
and triplicate hereof is a likeness of me: So HELP ME GOD.

Frank Phipps Ieely  
(Original signature of declarant without abbreviation, also alias, if used)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court,  
at Jefferson, Ohio, this 3rd day of April,  
anno Domini 1933. Certification No. 7-19159 from the Commis-  
sioner of Naturalization showing the lawful entry of the declarant for permanent  
residence on the date stated above, has been received by me. The photograph  
affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of the declarant.

Jay H. Young, Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By Alma Klunt, Deputy Clerk.

## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

IMMIGRATION SERVICE

No. 7 19159**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records of the Department of Labor show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: Detroit, Michigan  
Name: Frank Icely  
Date: May 24, 1923  
Manner of arrival: D. & W. Ferry

MAR 23 1933

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

March 22, 1933

(Date)



W.R. Brooks

Inspector in Charge.

ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1475

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
 The petition of Frank Phipps Icely, Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:  
 (1) My place of residence is 728 W. 58th St., Ashtabula, (2) My occupation is linotype operator  
 (3) I was born in London, England on August 15, 1901 My race is English  
 (4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on April 3, 1933 in the Common Pleas  
 Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio  
 (5) I am not married. The name of my wife is Evelyn Margaret Icely  
 we were married on Jan. 14, 1922 at Hamilton, Ontario, Canada s he was  
 born at Ancaster, Ont., Canada on Feb. 7, 1903; entered the United States  
 at Detroit, Michigan on July 23, 1923 for permanent residence therein, and now  
 resides at Ashtabula, Ohio I have 3 children, and the name, date,  
 and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Dorothy Frances, born Sept. 14, 1922  
at Ancaster, Ont., Canada; Richard William, born Oct. 21, 1924, at  
Ashtabula, Ohio; Harold Roy, born Oct. 14, 1926, at Ashtabula, Ohio;  
all children reside at Ashtabula, Ohio.

(6) My last foreign residence was Hamilton, Ontario, Canada I emigrated to the United States of  
 America from Hamilton, Canada My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States  
 was at Detroit, Michigan, under the name of Frank Icely  
 on July 23, 1923, on the vessel \_\_\_\_\_  
 as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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., by the Grace of  
God, of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British Dominions beyond the  
Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India  
 of whom (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.  
 (9) 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  
May 24, 1923 and in the County of Ashtabula  
 this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since July 1, 1924, being a residence within said county of at least  
 six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_  
 at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the  
 Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.  
 Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have {read} this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of  
 my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition  
 is signed by me with my full, true name.  
Frank Phipps Icely  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Glenn Leggett, occupation business manager-Star-Beacon  
 residing at 324 W. 41st St., Ashtabula, Ohio and  
Howard Healy, occupation mechanical superintendent  
 residing at 4300 Valleyview Blvd., 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 and has been  
 acquainted in the United States with  
Frank Phipps Icely, the petitioner above mentioned, since June 1, 1930  
 and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a  
 part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, Ohio in the County of Ashtabula  
 this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since June 1, 1930, 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 dis-  
 posed 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.

Glenn Leggett (Signature of witness) Howard Healy (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 at Jefferson, Ohio  
 this 1st day of July, Anno Domini 1935. I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-19159  
 from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. \_\_\_\_\_  
2706 of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By Jay W. Young Clerk. (SEAL)  
Eileen Cox Deputy Clerk.

No. 24981

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE  
14-2013

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., by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India~~ of whom (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Frank Phipps Jcey*  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1935

*Jay Wiggins*, Clerk.

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

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

Petition granted: Line No. 5 of List No. 14 and Certificate No. 3813545 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

No. 5 51029

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

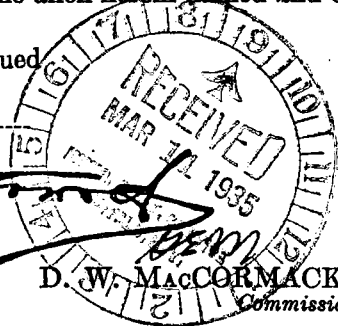
Name: Kalle Viktor Jokiahho  
Port of entry: New York, N. Y.  
Date: March 20, 1929  
Manner of arrival: SS Lancastria

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

March 8, 1935

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D. W. MACCORMACK,  
Commissioner.



1476

Naturalization:  
Amendment of Petition

In the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabul County  
at Jefferson, Ohio.

In the matter of the petition of :  
Kalle Viktor Jokiahho :  
to be admitted a Citizen of the : Petition No. 1476  
United States of America. :

It appearing on the representation of the petitioner, that the petition for citizenship of the above named Kalle Viktor Jokiahho erroneously states the petitioner's name as Kalle Viktor Jokialo

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the said petition be amended to read as follows:

"The petition of Kalle Viktor Jokiahho"

AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of this Court furnish the Commissioner of Immigration and Naturalization with a certified copy of this Order.

Dated: October 1, 1935.

*Wm B. Guffey*  
Judge

ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

No. 1476

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

The petition of Kalle Viktor Jokiaho Ashtabula, Ohio hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 1209 West 9th Street, (2) My occupation is Laborer

(3) I was born in Alajarvi, Finland on August 7, 1905 My race is Finnish

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on Petition filed under Sec. 2 act of  
9/22/22 as amended, at \_\_\_\_\_

(5) I am \_\_\_\_\_ married. The name of my wife or husband is Lempi Mary Aho.

we were married on June 22, 1934 at Ashtabula, Ohio; he was

born at Ashtabula, Ohio on December 31, 1902; entered the United States

at \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ for permanent residence therein, and now

resides at 1209 West 9th Street, Ashtabula, Ohio I have NO children, and the name, date,

and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

(6) My last foreign residence was Alajarvi, Finland I emigrated to the United States of

America from Hanko, Finland My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at New York, N. Y., under the name of Kalle Viktor Jokiaho

on March 20, 1929, on the vessel SS Lancastria

as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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

March 20, 1929 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since June 16, 1934, being a residence within said county of at least

six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the

Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

**Charles Victor Aho**

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> <sub>heard read</sub> this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of

my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to these matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition

is signed by me with my full, true name.

*Kalle Viktor Jokiaho*  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Noah A. Potti occupation Funeral Director

residing at 635 Lake Ave., Ashtabula Ohio, and

Walter V. Sarcel occupation N. Y. C. R. R. Brakeman

residing at 1213 W. 9th 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 and has been

acquainted in the United States with ~~XXXXXX~~ Kalle Viktor Jokiaho, the petitioner above mentioned, since June 1, 1932

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a

part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since June 16, 1934, 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 dis-

posed 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,

*Noah A. Potti* (Signature of witness)

*Walter V. Sarcel* (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 at Jefferson, Ohio

this 1st day of July, Anno Domini 1935 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 5-51029

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. \_\_\_\_\_

none of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By *Jay Young* Clerk. (SEAL)  
*Martha Gibson* Deputy Clerk.

No. 24982

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2818

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Charles Victor Aho*

(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1935.

*Jay W. Young*, Clerk.

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

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

Petition granted: Line No. 6 of List No. 14 and Certificate No. 3852260 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

No. 6774

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records of the Department of Labor show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: New York, N. Y.  
Name: Nicolaus Neubacker  
Date: February 11, 1904.  
Manner of arrival: Vaderland

NATURALIZATION DIVISION  
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DIRECTOR

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

June 24, 1930.

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR.

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

# 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 Co. at Jefferson Ohio

I, Nicolaus Zigli, (Full true name, without abbreviation, and any other name which has been used, must appear here)  
 now residing at Windsor, Ashtabula County, Ohio (City or town) (State)  
 occupation Farmer, aged 42 years, do declare on oath that my personal description is:  
 Sex male, color white, complexion fair, color of eyes blue  
 color of hair brown, height 5 feet 10 inches; weight 150 pounds; visible distinctive marks  
none  
 race German, nationality Hungarian,  
 I was born in Sandorfalu, Hungary, (City or town) (Country) on Dec. 6, 1887 (Month) (Day) (Year)  
 I am married. The name of my wife Gertrude  
 we were married on June 29, 1908 (Month) (Day) (Year), at Cleveland, Ohio (City or town) (State or country); she or he was  
 born at Meseteran, Hungary (City or town) (Country), on Mar. 17, 1884 (Month) (Day) (Year), entered the United States  
 at New York, N. Y. (City or town) (State), on May 14, 1905 (Month) (Day) (Year), for permanent residence therein, and now  
 resides at Windsor, Ohio (City or town) (State or country). I have six children, and the name, date and place of birth,  
 and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Gertrude, Feb. 12, 1911, at Cleveland  
Tony, Jan. 1, 1914, at Cleveland, Joe Mar. 30, 1915, at Cleveland,  
Maggie, June 11, 1917, Pauline Apr. 27, 1919, Paul Mar. 15, 1924  
at Windsor, Ohio. All reside at Windsor, Ohio.  
 I have heretofore made a declaration of intention: Number 2551, on June 26, 1923  
 at Cleveland, Ohio, Common Pleas Court. (City or town) (State) (Name of court)  
 my last foreign residence was Sandorfalu, Hungary (City or town) (Country)  
 I emigrated to the United States of America from Antwerp, Belgium (City or town) (Country)  
 my lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at New York, N. Y. (City or town) (State)  
 under the name of Nicolaus Neubacker, on February 11, 1904 (Month) (Day) (Year)



on the vessel Vaderland, (If other than by vessel, state manner of arrival)  
 I will, before being admitted to citizenship, renounce forever all allegiance and  
 fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly,  
 by name, to the prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of which I may be at  
 the time of admission a citizen or subject; 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 reside  
 permanently therein; and I certify that the photograph affixed to the duplicate  
 and triplicate hereof is a likeness of me: So HELP ME GOD.

Nicolaus Zigli  
(Original signature of declarant without abbreviation, also alias, if used)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court,  
 at Jefferson, Ohio, this 21 day of July,  
 anno Domini 1930. Certification No. 6774 from the Commis-  
 sioner of Naturalization showing the lawful entry of the declarant for permanent  
 residence on the date stated above, has been received by me. The photograph  
 affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of the declarant.

[SEAL]

Gornelia A. Warner,  
 Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
 By Paulino Rife Gungg, Deputy Clerk.  
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(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1477

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

The petition of Nicolaus Zigli, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is Box 83, Windsor, Ohio (2) My occupation is farmer

(3) I was born in Sandorfalu, Rumania on Dec. 6, 1887 My race is German

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on July 21, 1930 in the Common Pleas

Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my wife ~~and husband~~ is Gertrude Zigli

we were married on June 29, 1908 at Cleveland, Ohio; she was

born at Meseteran, Hungary on March 17, 1884; entered the United States

at New York, N. Y. on May 14, 1905 for permanent residence therein, and now

resides at Windsor, Ohio I have 6 children, and the name, date,

and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Gertrude, born Feb. 12, 1911, at

Cleveland, Ohio; Tony, born Jan. 1, 1914, at Cleveland, Ohio; Joe, born March

30, 1915 at Cleveland, Ohio; Maggie, born June 11, 1917, at Windsor, Ohio;

Pauline, born April 27, 1919, at Windsor, Ohio; Paul, born March 15, 1924 at

Windsor, Ohio; all children reside at Windsor, Ohio

(6) My last foreign residence was Sandorfalu, Rumania I emigrated to the United States of

America from Antwerp, Belgium My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at New York, N. Y. under the name of Nicolaus Neubaeker

on February 11, 1904 on the vessel Vanderland

~~and that I have never before been a citizen of the United States~~

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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

### Carol II, King of Rumania

of whom (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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

Feb. 11, 1904 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since Apr. 27, 1918, being a residence within said county of at least

six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~read~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

Nicolaus Zigli

(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Velorus W. Bellows, occupation laborer

residing at Windsor, Ohio, and

Henry Weber, occupation farmer

residing at Windsor, 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Nicolaus Zigli, the petitioner above mentioned, since June 1, 1930

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a

part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Windsor, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since June 1, 1930, 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.

Velorus W. Bellows Henry Weber

(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 at Jefferson, Ohio

this 1st day of Feb. July Anno Domini 19 35 I hereby certify that ~~the facts stated in~~

~~the above-entitled petition are true and correct and that the petitioner is 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.~~ declaration of intention No. 2645

of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date. 7-6774.

Jay W. Young

Clerk.

(SEAL)

By Helen Cox

Deputy Clerk.

No. 24983

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2613

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 Carol II, King of Rumania

of whom (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Nicolaus Gigli  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1935

Gay W. Young, Clerk.

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

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

Petition granted: Line No. 1 of List No. 14 and Certificate No. 3852251 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

No. \_\_\_\_\_

26575

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: **New York, N. Y.**  
Name: **Keskinen, Verner**  
Date: **May 7, 1913**  
Manner of arrival: **SS "G. F. Tietgen"**

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

\_\_\_\_\_  
**June 6, 1934.**  
(Date)

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Pyron H. Hill*

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NEW YORK DISTRICT



Charlotte Ottenstein

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(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1478

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

The petition of Werner Edward Keskinen, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 1711 West 14th St., Ashtabula, Ohio (2) My occupation is Machinist

(3) I was born in Alavus, Finland on Oct. 10, 1894 My race is Finnish

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on Petition filed under Sec. 2, Act of 9/22/22 as amended. at \_\_\_\_\_

(5) I am \_\_\_\_\_ married. The name of my wife ~~is~~ is Agda Maria Keskinen we were married on Oct. 16, 1920 at Ashtabula, Ohio he was born at Ashtabula, Ohio on April 16, 1935; entered the United States at \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ for permanent residence therein, and now resides at Ashtabula, Ohio, I have 3 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Aino Maria, born Dec. 23, 1921;

Esther Kaarina, born Feb. 8, 1923; Elsie Gloria, born Sept. 6, 1928;  
All children were born at Ashtabula, Ohio, and reside at Ashtabula, Ohio.  
My Wife was naturalized, on April 16, 1935, at Jefferson, Ohio  
Certificate No. 3813524 issued.

(6) My last foreign residence was Alavus, Finland I emigrated to the United States of America from Copenhagen, Denmark My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at New York, N. Y. under the name of Werner Keskinen, on May 7, 1913, on the vessel SS "G. F. Tietgen" as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language. (9) 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 May 7, 1913, and in the County of Ashtabula, this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since May 11, 1913, being a residence within said county of at least six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law. Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~signed~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

Werner Edward Keskinen  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Francis J. Lehtinen, occupation Carpenter residing at 1717 West 15th St., Ashtabula, Ohio, and

Arne J. Lacksonen, occupation Railroad Worker residing at 1707 West 14th 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Werner Edward Keskinen, the petitioner above mentioned, since June 1, 1938 and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since June 1, 1932, 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.

Francis J. Lehtinen (Signature of witness) Arne J. Lacksonen (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 at Jefferson, Ohio this 1st day of July, Anno Domini 1935 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-26575 from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. 2814 of such petitioner, has been by me read with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

Jay W. Young, Clerk. (SEAL)  
Alma Kline, Deputy Clerk.

24984

No.

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-3013

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Harner Edward Keskinen*  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1935

*Jay Young*, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 8 of List No. 14 and Certificate No. 3852255 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

No. 5 48055

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Name: **De Zolt, Giovanni**  
Port of entry: **New York, NY**  
Date: **May 15, 1909**  
Manner of arrival: **SS La Savoie**

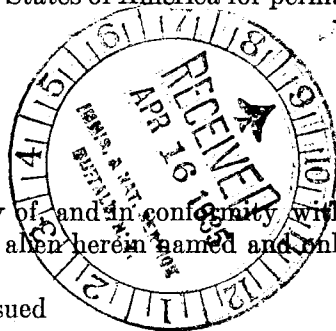
I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued  
**April 6, 1935**

(Date)

*Byron H. Uhl*

**BYRON H. UHL**  
**District Director**  
**New York District**



Nath Dubois

No. 2697

# 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 De Zolt, aged 46 years,  
occupation carpenter, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white complexion dark, height 6 feet — inches,  
weight 190 pounds, color of hair grey, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Campologgo, Italy  
on the 25th day of October, anno Domini 1882; I now reside  
at 79 Pacific Street, Ashtabula, Ohio,  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Havre, France  
on the vessel 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 Campologgo, Italy; I am — married; the name  
of my <sup>wife</sup> ~~husband~~ is Linda Grandelis; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born at Campologgo, Italy  
and now resides at 79 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 9th 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.

*John De Zolt*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 25th day of April, anno Domini 1929

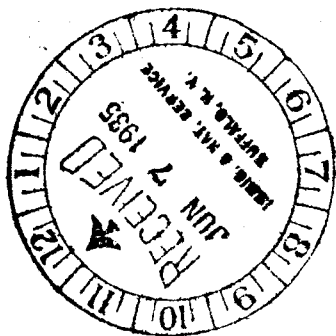
[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner,

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

Apr. 15, 1936



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(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1479

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

(1) My place of residence is 729 East 15th Street, (2) My occupation is carpenter  
(3) I was born in Campolongo, Italy on October 25, 1882 My race is Italian-North  
(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on April 16, 1929 in the Common Pleas  
Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
(5) I am married. The name of my wife ~~of record~~ is Linda Grandelis  
we were married on Nov. 12, 1922 at Ashtabula, Ohio; She was  
born at Campolongo, Italy on March 14, 1888; entered the United States  
at New York, N. Y. on 1895 for permanent residence therein, and now  
resides at Ashtabula, Ohio I have 6 children, and the name, date,  
and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Joseph, born Aug. 23, 1914; Rose, born  
May 6, 1916; James born Aug. 9, 1917; Clara, born Feb. 19, 1919; Ernest,  
born Feb. 7, 1921; Molly; born Sept. 11, 1926; all born in Ashtabula,  
Ohio; and reside in Ashtabula, Ohio.

(6) My last foreign residence was Campolongo, Italy I emigrated to the United States of  
America from Havre, France My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States  
was at ~~New York~~ New York, under the name of Giovanni De Zolt  
on May 15, 1909, on the vessel SS La Savoie  
as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.  
(9) 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  
May 15, 1909 and in the County of Ashtabula  
this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since May 15, 1909, being a residence within said county of at least  
six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_  
at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the  
Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

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I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have { read / heard read } this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of  
my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition  
is signed by me with my full, true name.

John DeZolt  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Guy Consolini occupation carpenter  
residing at East 11th Street, Ashtabula, Ohio, and  
Joe Colucci, occupation Insurance Agent  
residing at East 15th Street, 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 and has been  
acquainted in the United States with

John DeZolt, the petitioner above mentioned, since June 1, 1930  
and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a  
part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, Ohio in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since June 1, 1930, 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 dis-  
posed 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,

Guy Consolini (Signature of witness)  
Joe 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 at Jefferson, Ohio  
this 1st day of July, Anno Domini 1935 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 5-48055  
from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. 2697  
of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By Walter Wilson Clerk.  
Walter Wilson Deputy Clerk. (SEAL)

No. 24986



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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

John De Zolt  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1935

Jay Weising, Clerk.

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

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

Petition granted: Line No. 9 of List No. 14 and Certificate No. 3852254 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

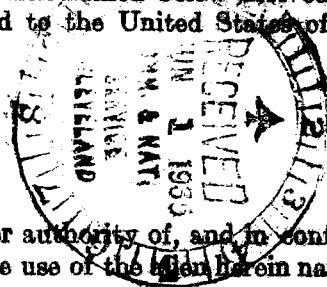
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

No. 7-22530

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Name: Tummineri, Vincenzo  
Port of entry: New York, NY  
Date: May 15, 1935  
Manner of arrival: SS Regina d' Italia

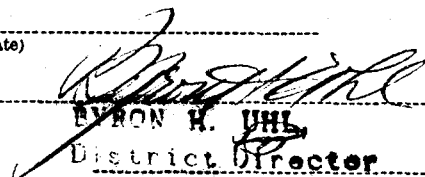


I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

May 28, 1935

(Date)

  
BYRON H. UHL  
District Director  
New York District

Samuel Johnson

No. 2567

7 22570

# 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, Vincent Timonere, aged 27 years,  
occupation tanner, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white complexion dark, height 5 feet 2 inches,  
weight 135 pounds, color of hair dk. brown, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Licata, Italy  
on the 15 day of February, anno Domini 1900; I now reside  
at 129 Sibley 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 Queen of 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 Licata, Italy; I am married; the name  
of my { wife } is Jennie; { she } was born at Ashtabula, Ohio  
{ husband } { her }  
and now resides at 129 Sibley 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 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 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.

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Vincent Timonere  
(Original signature of declarant)

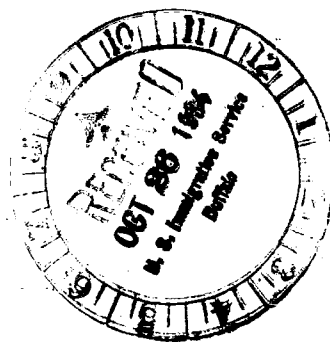
Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 12 day of October, anno Domini 1928

Cornelia A. Warner  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

CLEVELAND, OHIO  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR



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



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(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1480

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

The petition of Vincent Timonere, Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 3623 Lake Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio, (2) My occupation is leather worker

(3) I was born in Liate, Italy on February 15, 1901 my race is Italian South

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on October 12, 1928 in the Common Pleas

Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my wife Jennie Timonere

we were married on August 20, 1925 at Ashtabula, Ohio; she was

born at Ashtabula, Ohio on April 24, 1906; entered the United States

at 3623 Lake Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio for permanent residence therein, and now

resides at 3606 Lake Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio I have 3 children, and the name, date,

and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Joseph, born March 20, 1927;

Vincent, born Feb. 25, 1929; Steve, born Jan. 8, 1931; all children

were born at Ashtabula, Ohio and reside at Ashtabula, Ohio

(6) My last foreign residence was Liate, Italy I emigrated to the United States of

America from Palermo, Italy My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at New York, N. Y., under the name of Vincenzo Tumminesi

on May 15, 1914, on the vessel \_\_\_\_\_

as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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

May 15, 1914 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since Dec. 1, 1920, being a residence within said county of at least

six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

Vincent Timonere  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Frank Morell, occupation dock worker

residing at 1003 Harmon Rd., Ashtabula, Ohio, and

John Izzi, occupation barber

residing at 1415 Columbus Ave., 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Vincent Timonere, the petitioner above mentioned, since June 1, 1930

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a

part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since June 1, 1930 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 Izzi  
(Signature of witness)

Frank Morell  
(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 at Jefferson, Ohio

this 1st day of July, Anno Domini 1935 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-22530

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No.

2567 of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By Jay W. Young, Clerk. (SEAL)  
Helen Corp. Deputy Clerk.

No. 24985

No.

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2618

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Vincent Timonze  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 29th day of Sept., A. D. 1936

Jay W. Young, Clerk.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 2 of List No. 17 and Certificate No. 4066195 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from Oct. 1, 1935 to April 14, 1936 Reason absent witness  
April 14, 1936 to Sept. 29, 1936 for study.

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records of the Department of Labor show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: New York, NY  
Name: Schossler, Stanislaw  
Date: February 20, 1913  
Manner of arrival: SS Finland

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I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

November 24, 1930

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR.

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.



TRIPLICATE

No. \_\_\_\_\_

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

(Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof)

The United States of America

In the District \_\_\_\_\_ Court

Northern District of Ohio

ss:

of United States Cleveland, Ohio

I, Stanley Schossler

now residing at 7016 Lansing Ave., Cleveland, Cuyahoga, Ohio

occupation Drug Clerk, aged 21 years, do declare on oath that my personal description is:

Sex male, color white, complexion fair, color of eyes brown

color of hair brown, height 5 feet 9 1/2 inches; weight 145 pounds; visible distinctive marks

race German; nationality Poland

I was born in Rudnik Poland, on Sept 14, 1909

I am not married. The name of my wife or husband is \_\_\_\_\_

we were married on \_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_; she or he was

born at \_\_\_\_\_, entered the United States

at \_\_\_\_\_, for permanent residence therein, and now

resides at \_\_\_\_\_ I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date and place of birth,

and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

I have not heretofore made a declaration of intention: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_

my last foreign residence was Rudnik, Poland

I emigrated to the United States of America from Antwerp Belgium

my lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at New York

under the name of Stanislaw Schossler, on Feb 20 1913

on the vessel Finland

I will, before being admitted to citizenship, renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly, by name, to the prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of which I may be at the time of admission a citizen or subject; 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 reside permanently therein; and I certify that the photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of me: So HELP ME God.



Stanley Schossler  
(Original signature of declarant without abbreviation, also alias, if used)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court, Cleveland, Ohio this 26 day of March

anno Domini 1931. Certification No. 8832 from the Commissioner of Naturalization showing the lawful entry of the declarant for permanent residence on the date stated above, has been received by me. The photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of the declarant.

Stanley Schossler

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F. J. Denzler  
Clerk of the U.S. District Court.

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

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Buffalo

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NOTE FOR CLERK OF COURT.—This form should be sent to the District Director of Naturalization for the District in which your court is located.

Form 2220-A  
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE

NOTICE TO TAKE DEPOSITIONS UNDER THE FOURTH SUBDIVISION OF SECTION 4,  
ACT JUNE 29, 1906, AS AMENDED

(For use where the petitioner has not resided in the county for five years)

In the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County  
at Jefferson, Ohio

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF

Stanley Schosler  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES  
OF AMERICA

NOTICE.

Divisional  
To the ~~District~~ Director of Naturalization, Cleveland, Ohio

My petition for Naturalization, No. ~~2577-1147~~, filed in the above-named court on

July 1, 1935, has been set for hearing approximately on Oct. 1, 1935.

Take notice, that in accordance with the fourth subdivision of Section 4 of the Naturalization Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, I, the above-named petitioner in the above-entitled proceeding now pending in

the above-entitled court, request that the depositions be taken of John Huszgo

by occupation Laborer, residing at 8109

Sowinski Av. Clev. O., and Martin Degitzrecki, by occupation Drghlo

residing at 3002 Edg Park Drive Clev. O.

who are both citizens of the United States, in support of said petition before the officer, and at such time and place as may be designated by the District Director of Naturalization, for the District in which said deponents reside.

The said depositions are to be taken for the purpose of establishing by the testimony of two citizens of the United States my character and residence in the County of Cuyahoga, State of

Ohio, from the 1<sup>st</sup> day of October

1930, to and including the 1<sup>st</sup> day of May, 1931

Stanley Schosler  
(Petitioner must sign his name here in full and without abbreviation)

Address: P.O. 3  
(Number) (Street)

Jefferson, Ohio  
(City or town) (State)

## INTERROGATORIES IN DEPOSITIONS OF WITNESSES

TO PROVE RESIDENCE AND OTHER QUALIFICATIONS OF AN ALIEN PETITIONER FOR NATURALIZATION UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE FOURTH SUBDIVISION OF SECTION 4 OF THE ACT OF JUNE 29, 1906, AS AMENDED.

In the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_

In the Matter of the Petition No. \_\_\_\_\_

of \_\_\_\_\_

To Be Admitted a Citizen of the United States of America

### DEPOSITIONS

Filed

— 81435-Depo. of N. L. G.

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

By \_\_\_\_\_

Deputy Clerk.

State of Ohio, County of Cuyahoga, ss:  
JOHN HUSZCZO, being first duly sworn by me,

(Name of first witness)  
deposed, testified, and said as follows:

1. Q. State your full name. A. JOHN HUSZCZO

2. Q. Residence? A. 8109 Sowinski Avenue Cleveland Cuyahoga Ohio

3. Q. Your occupation? A. Ice Man 4. Q. Your age? A. 53 years

5. Q. Are you a citizen of the United States? A. Yes 6. Q. Where born? A. Russia

7. Q. If you are a naturalized citizen, state WHEN and WHERE and in WHAT COURT you were naturalized and the number, if any, of your naturalization certificate. A. Naturalizaed in U.S. Distirct Court at Cleveland, Ohio on March 5, 1926. Certificate # 2264912

8. Q. State the period of your residence in the County of Cuyahoga, State of Ohio in which you know the petitioner for naturalization, STANLEY SCHOSSLER to have resided. A. Since 1910

9. Q. State fully and particularly WHEN and WHERE and UNDER WHAT CIRCUMSTANCES you first met the petitioner in the United States. (Give year, month, and day of the month as nearly as you can.) A. I met him when he came to live at my home on Sowinski Avenue Cleveland Ohio in September 1930. He was a boarder.

10. Q. State the period during which he has resided continuously in the United States. (Give dates as nearly as you can.) A. From September 1930 to May 1931

11. Q. Since you first met the petitioner in the United States, in what County and State has he lived to your personal knowledge? A. Cuyahoga County Ohio

12. Q. How often did you see the petitioner while he was in the County and State mentioned in the preceding question? A. Once a day

13. Q. Since you first met him in the United States has he ever been absent from the United States? A. No

14. Q. When did he remove from the County of Cuyahoga, State of Ohio? A. May 1931

15. Q. During the time you knew him, or at any time, was he ever arrested or engaged in any unlawful occupation? (If so, give full particulars.) A. No

16. Q. During all the time you have known the petitioner, has he conducted himself as a person of good moral character? A. Yes

17. Q. Has the petitioner ever been an anarchist or a polygamist, a believer in anarchy or in the practice of polygamy, or affiliated in any way with any persons opposed to or teaching disbelief in organized government? A. No

18. Q. Do you believe from your personal knowledge of the petitioner that during all the time you have known him he has been 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 do you recommend that he be admitted to citizenship? A. Yes

John Huszczo  
(Signature of first witness)

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Cleveland Ohio this 29th day of July, 1935

James R. Wetnaman  
Acting Naturalization Examiner  
(Official character of attester)

Note to officer.—If witness is a naturalized citizen, did he exhibit to you his certificate of naturalization? Yes  
14-2501

State of Ohio, County of Cuyahoga, ss:

MARTIN DZIEDZICKI

(Name of second witness)

, being first duly sworn by me,

deposed, testified, and said as follows:

- 1. Q. State your full name. A. MARTIN DZIEDZICKI
- 2. Q. Residence? A. 5002 Edge Park Drive Cleveland Ohio Cuyahoga  
(Number and street) (City) (County) (State)
- 3. Q. Your occupation? A. Chauffer
- 4. Q. Your age? A. 27 years
- 5. Q. Are you a citizen of the United States? A. Yes
- 6. Q. Where born? A. Cleveland, Ohio
- 7. Q. If you are a naturalized citizen, state WHEN and WHERE and in WHAT COURT you were naturalized and the number, if any, of your naturalization certificate. A. \_\_\_\_\_

8. Q. State the period of your residence in the County of Cuyahoga, State of Ohio in which you know the petitioner for naturalization, STANLEY SCHOSSLER to have resided. A. since 1908

9. Q. State fully and particularly WHEN and WHERE and UNDER WHAT CIRCUMSTANCES you first met the petitioner in the United States. (Give year, month, and day of the month as nearly as you can.)  
A. I met him at the home of John Huszczo on Sowinski Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio in September 1930 in a social way

10. Q. State the period during which he has resided continuously in the United States. (Give dates as nearly as you can.) A. September 1930 to May 1931

11. Q. Since you first met the petitioner in the United States, in what County and State has he lived to your personal knowledge. A. Cuyahoga County Ohio

12. Q. How often did you see the petitioner while he was in the County and State mentioned in the preceding question? A. Once a week

13. Q. Since you first met him in the United States has he ever been absent from the United States? A. No

14. Q. When did he remove from the County of Cuyahoga State of Ohio? A. May 1931

15. Q. During the time you knew him, or at any time, was he ever arrested or engaged in any unlawful occupation? (If so, give full particulars.) A. No

16. Q. During all the time you have known the petitioner, has he conducted himself as a person of good moral character? A. Yes

17. Q. Has the petitioner ever been an anarchist or a polygamist, a believer in anarchy or in the practice of polygamy, or affiliated in any way with any persons opposed to or teaching disbelief in organized government? A. No

18. Q. Do you believe from your personal knowledge of the petitioner that during all the time you have known him he has been 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 do you recommend that he be admitted to citizenship? A. Yes

Martin Dziedzicki  
(Signature of second witness)

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Cleveland, Ohio 29th day of July, 1935

James A. Kethuman  
Acting Naturalization Examiner  
(Official character of attester)

Note to officer.—If witness is a naturalized citizen, did he exhibit to you his certificate of naturalization? Not

ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

No. 1481

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Stanley Schosler, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is R.F. D. #3, Jefferson, Ohio (2) My occupation is Farming

(3) I was born in Rudnik, Poland on Sept. 14, 1909 My race is German

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on March 26, 1931 in the District  
Court of United States, at Cleveland, Ohio

(5) I am not married. The name of my wife or husband is \_\_\_\_\_  
we were married on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_; he was  
born at \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_; entered the United States  
at \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ for permanent residence therein, and now  
resides at \_\_\_\_\_ I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date,  
and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

(6) My last foreign residence was Rudnik, Poland I emigrated to the United States of  
America from Antwerp, Belgium My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States  
was at New York, N. Y. under the name of Stanislaw Schosler,  
on Feb. 20, 1913 on the vessel Finland  
as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States: (8) I am able to speak the English language.  
(9) 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  
Feb. 20, 1913, and in the County of Ashtabula,  
this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since May 1, 1931, being a residence within said county of at least six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_  
at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~signed~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

Stanley Schosler  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Joseph Nezinkeveg, occupation Laborer  
residing at Jefferson, Ohio, R.F.D. #3 and

George Eastman, occupation Laborer  
residing at Jefferson, Ohio, R. F. 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Stanley Schosler, the petitioner above mentioned, since June 1, 1930

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Jefferson, in the County of Ashtabula,

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since May 1, 1931 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.

Joseph Nezinkeveg  
(Signature of witness)

George Eastman  
(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 at Jefferson, Ohio,  
this 1st day of July, Anno Domini 1935. I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-8832  
from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. 58764  
of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

Jay W. Young, Clerk.  
Alma Klueh, Deputy Clerk.

(SEAL)

No. 24979

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2013

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Stanley Schlessel  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1935

Jay W. Young, Clerk.

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

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

Petition granted: Line No. 10 of List No. 14 and Certificate No. 3813544 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_



U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

No. 7-4941

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records of the Department of Labor show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: New York, N.Y.  
Name: Wuori, Arvve  
Date: August 6, 1923  
Manner of arrival: SS Frederik VIII

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

April 28, 1930

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR.

*Raymond J. Crist*  
Commissioner of Naturalization.

# 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 Co., at Jefferson, Ohio

I, Arvid Mattias Vuori,  
 now residing at 101 Oak St., Ashtabula, Ashtabula County, Ohio  
 occupation Pipe Fitter, aged 29 years, do declare on oath that my personal description is:  
 Sex male, color white, complexion fair, color of eyes blue  
 color of hair Blond, height 6 feet          inches; weight          pounds; visible distinctive marks  
none,  
 race Finnish; nationality Finnish.  
 I was born in Waasa Finland, on Nov. 23, 1900  
 I am          married. The name of my wife or husband is Alma  
 we were married on July 29, 1926, at Ashtabula, Ohio; she or he was  
 born at Wittasari, Finland, on Oct. 8, 1898, entered the United States  
 at New York, N. Y. on Sept. 14, 1923, for permanent residence therein, 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 are as follows:

I have not heretofore made a declaration of intention: Number         , on          (Date)  
 at          (City or town) (State) (Name of court)  
 my last foreign residence was Helsingfors, Finland, (Country)  
 I emigrated to the United States of America from Copenhagen, Denmark, (Country)  
 my lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at New York, N. Y. (City or town) (State)  
 under the name of Arve Vuori, on Aug. 6, 1923 (Date) (Year)



on the vessel SS Frederik VIII  
 I will, before being admitted to citizenship, renounce forever all allegiance and  
 fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly,  
 by name, to the prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of which I may be at  
 the time of admission a citizen or subject; 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 reside  
 permanently therein; and I certify that the photograph affixed to the duplicate  
 and triplicate hereof is a likeness of me: So HELP ME GOD.

Arvid Mattias Vuori  
 (Original signature of declarant without abbreviation, also alias, if used)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court,  
 at Jefferson, this 9 day of May  
 anno Domini 1930. Certification No. 7-4941 from the Commis-  
 sioner of Naturalization showing the lawful entry of the declarant for permanent  
 residence on the date stated above, has been received by me. The photograph  
 affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of the declarant.

Cornelia A. Warner,  
 Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
 By Paula M. Hayes, Deputy Clerk.  
 14-1023 U. S. DEPARTMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1928

ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1482

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

The petition of Arvid Mattias Vuori, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is R.F.D.1, Ashtabula, Ohio (2) My occupation is Pipe fitter

(3) I was born in Waasa Finland on Nov. 23, 1900 My race is Finnish

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on May 9, 1930 in the Common Pleas

Court of Ashtabula Co., Ohio, at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am        married. The name of my wife or husband is Alma

we were married on July 29, 1926 at Ashtabula, Ohio; she was

born at Wittassari, Finland on Oct. 8, 1898; entered the United States

at New York, N. Y. on Sept. 14, 1923 for permanent residence therein, and now

resides at R.F.D.1, Ashtabula, Ohio I have no children, and the name, date,

and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows:

(6) My last foreign residence was Helsingfors, Finland I emigrated to the United States of

America from Copenhagen, Denmark My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at New York, N. Y., under the name of Arvid Mattias Vuori

on Aug. 6, 1923, on the vessel Frederik VIII

as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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

August 23, 1923 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since Aug. 6th 1923, being a residence within said county of at least

six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number       

at        to wit:

Attached hereto and made a part of this, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to

Arvid Mattias Vuori

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

Arvid Mattias Vuori  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Walfred Hakundi, occupation car repairer

residing at R.F.D.1, Ashtabula, Ohio, and

Simon Aho, occupation carpenter

residing at 1430 W. 9th 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Arvid Mattias Vuori, the petitioner above mentioned, since Sept. 1, 1928

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a

part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Sept. 1, 1928, 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.

Walfred Hakundi (Signature of witness)

Simon Aho (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 at Jefferson, Ohio

this 1 day of July, Anno Domini 1935. I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-4941

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. 2626

of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

May 7 Young Clerk.  
By Lucretia A. Farmer Deputy Clerk.

(SEAL)

24987

No.

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-3613

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Aavid Mattias Nuori

(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1935.

Jay W Young, Clerk.

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

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

Petition granted: Line No. 11 of List No. 14 and Certificate No. 3813548 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE

No. 5 46622

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: New York, NY  
Name: Renko, Maria  
Date: April 16, 1911  
Manner of arrival: SS St. Louis

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

March 12, 1935

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(Date)

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*Byron H. Uhl*

BYRON H. UHL  
District Director  
New York District  
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Walter Dubson



ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No.1483

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

The petition of María Sophia Hakundi, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is R. D. 1, Ashtabula, Ohio (2) My occupation is housewife

(3) I was born in Isokyro, Finland on Dec. 11, 1898 My race is Finnish

~~(4) I was born in [REDACTED] on [REDACTED] My race is [REDACTED]~~

(5) I am un married. The name of my ~~wife~~ or husband is Karl Hakundy  
we were married on June 28, 1916 at Ashtabula, Ohio; he was

born at Kalyia, Finland on Aug. 25, 1891; entered the United States  
at New York, N. Y. on April 19, 1912 for permanent residence therein, and now

resides at R. D. 1, Ashtabula, Ohio I have 2 children, and the name, date,  
and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Arline, born Dec. 3, 1922;

Norma, born Sept. 15, 1924; all children were born at Ashtabula,  
Ohio and reside at Ashtabula, Ohio, R. D. 1.

My husband was naturalized, on April 14, 1931, at Jefferson, Ohio,  
certificate No. 3192787 issued, Petition No. 1338.

(6) My last foreign residence was Isokyro, Finland I emigrated to the United States of  
America from London, England My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at New York, N. Y., under the name of María Renko  
on April 18, 1911, on the vessel SS St. Louis

as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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  
April 17, 1911 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since April 17, 1911, being a residence within said county of at least  
six months next preceding the date of this petition.

Petition filed under Sec. 2, Act. of 9/22/28

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_  
at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the  
Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~signed~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of  
my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition  
is signed by me with my full, true name.

María Sophia Hakundi  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Mrs. Ida Karhulahti, occupation housewife

residing at West 5th St., Ashtabula, Ohio, and

Simon Aho, occupation carpenter

residing at 1450 West 9th 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 and has been  
acquainted in the United States with \_\_\_\_\_

María Sophia Hakundi, the petitioner above mentioned, since June 1, 1930

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a  
part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, Ohio, R. D. 1, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since June 1, 1930, 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 dis-  
posed 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.

Mrs. Ida Karhulahti Simon Aho  
(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 at Jefferson, Ohio

this 1st day of July, Anno Domini 19 35 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 5-46622

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with \_\_\_\_\_

of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

Jay W. Young, Clerk. (SEAL)  
By Ellen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

N<sup>o</sup>: 24989

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2615

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Maria Sophia Hakundi  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1935

Jay W. Young, Clerk.

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

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

Petition granted: Line No. 12 of List No. 14 and Certificate No. 3813549 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_



U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

No. 5 48370

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

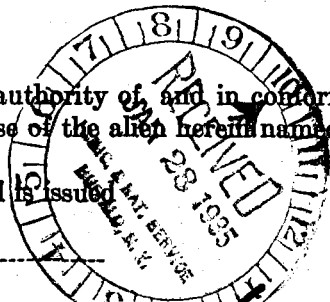
I HEREBY CERTIFY that the immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: Niagara Falls, N. Y.  
Name: Katie Alexanderina Fraser  
Date: Feb. 9, 1929  
Manner of arrival: C. N. R. R.

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

Jan. 24, 1935



*[Handwritten signature]*

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D. W. MacCORMACK,  
*[Handwritten signature]*  
Commissioner.

No. 83333

5-48370

# 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  
CUYAHOGA COUNTY } ss: of CUYAHOGA COUNTY

I, ~~XXXX~~ KATE FRASER, aged 56 years, occupation Housewife, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color white, complexion fair, 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 Broadford Isle of Skye Scotland on the 29 day of January, anno Domini 1893; I now reside at 2004 Denison Ave. Cleveland, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Toronto Canada on the vessel C N Ry; my last foreign residence was Canada (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 Alexander; he was born at Scotland and now resides at with me here

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. by the grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India of whom I am now a subject; I arrived at the port of Niagara Falls in the State of N Y, on or about the 9 day of Feb., anno Domini 1929; 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 Fraser

(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 4 day of March 1929 anno Domini 192

[SEAL]

GEORGE WALLACE

Clerk of the COMMON PLEAS Court.

By Edward DEPUTY Clerk.

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(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

No. 1484

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

The petition of Katie Alexanderina Fraser Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 298 Swan Street, Geneva, Ohio (2) My occupation is housewife

(3) I was born in Broadford, Skye, Scotland, on Jan. 29th, 1893 My race is Scotch

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on March 1, 1929 in the Common Pleas

Court of ~~Common Pleas~~ Cuyahoga County Cleveland, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my ~~wife~~ husband is Alexander Fraser

we were married on Sept. 7, 1925 at Scotland Montreal, Canada; he was

born at Petty, Inverness-Shire, Scotland on Nov. 25, 1895; entered the United States

at Niagara Falls, N. Y. on Feb. 9, 1929 for permanent residence therein, and now

resides at Geneva, Ohio I have 1 child~~en~~ and the name, date,

and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Alexander Fraser, born Sept. 14,

1931, Geneva, Ohio resides in Geneva, Ohio

(6) My last foreign residence was Toronto, Canada I emigrated to the United States of

America from Toronto, Canada My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at Niagara Falls, N. Y. under the name of Katie Alexanderina Fraser

on Feb. 9, 1929 on the vessel C. N. R. R.

as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British India

ish Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of

(8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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 Feb. 9, 1929 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since May 16, 1929, being a residence within said county of at least six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

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I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have { read / heard read } this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

Katie Alexanderina Fraser  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Paul A. Porter, occupation Sub-Station Operator

residing at 821 West Main St. Geneva, Ohio, and

Annette Porter, occupation housewife

residing at 821 West Main 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Katie Alexanderina Fraser, the petitioner above mentioned, since June 1, 1930

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Geneva, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since June 1, 1930, 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,

Paul A. Porter (Signature of witness)

Annette Porter (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 at Jefferson, Ohio

this 1st day of July, Anno Domini 1935 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 5-48370

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. 83333

of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By W. J. Young Clerk.  
W. J. Young Deputy Clerk.

(SEAL)

No. 24990

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, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India of whom (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Ratie Alexandrine Fraser  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1935

Jay W Young, Clerk.

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

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

Petition granted: Line No. 13 of List No. 14 and Certificate No. 3813542 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

No. 5 48369

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

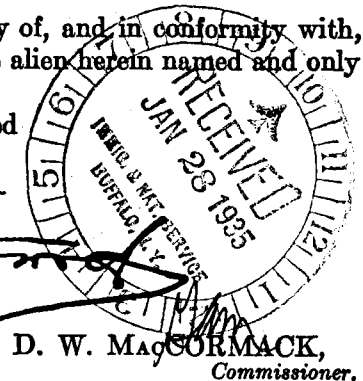
Port of entry: Niagara Falls, N. Y.  
Name: Alexander Fraser  
Date: Feb. 9, 1929  
Manner of arrival: C. N. R. R.

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

Jan. 24, 1935

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No. 83332

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

5-48369

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

STATE OF OHIO } In the COMMON PLEAS Court  
CUYAHOGA COUNTY } ss: of CUYAHOGA COUNTY

I, ALEX FRASER, aged 33 years,  
occupation Hydro Lineman, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 8 inches,  
weight 161 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Petty Inversess Shire Scotland  
on the 25 day of Nov., anno Domini 1895; I now reside  
at 2004 Denison Ave Cleveland, Ohio  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Torono Canada  
on the vessel C N 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 Canada; I am married; the name  
of my { wife } is Zatie; { she } was born at Scotland  
{ husband } is Zatie; { he } was born at Scotland  
and now resides at with me here

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<sup>o</sup> by the grace of  
God, of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the  
Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India  
of whom I am now a subject; I arrived at the port of Niagara Falls  
in the State of N Y, on or about the 9 day  
of Feb., anno Domini 1929; 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.

Alex Fraser  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 4 day of March 1929, anno Domini 192

[SEAL]

GEORGE WALLACE

Clerk of the COMMON PLEAS Court.  
By [Signature] DEPUTY Clerk.

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clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1485

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

The petition of Alexander Fraser, Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 298 Swan St., Geneva, Ohio. (2) My occupation is Electric Lineman

(3) I was born in Petty Inverness Shire, Scotland, on Nov. 25, 1895 My race is Scotch

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on March 4, 1929 in the Common Pleas

Court of Cuyahoga County, at Cleveland, Ohio.

(5) I am married. The name of my wife Katie A. Fraser,

we were married on Sept. 7, 1925 at Montreal, Canada She was

born at Broadford, Skye, Scotland on Jan. 29, 1893 entered the United States

at Niagara Falls, N. Y. on Feb. 9, 1929 for permanent residence therein, and now

resides at Geneva, Ohio. I have one child and the name, date,

and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Alexander Fraser, born Sept. 14th,

1931, Geneva, Ohio, resides in Geneva, Ohio

(6) My last foreign residence was Toronto, Canada I emigrated to the United States of

America from Toronto, Canada My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at Niagara Falls, N. Y., under the name of Alexander Fraser,

on Feb. 9, 1929 on the vessel C. N. R. R.

as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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., by the Grace

of God, of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British Dominions beyond-

the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India,

of whom (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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

Feb. 9th, 1929, and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since May 16th, 1929, being a residence within said county of at least

six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~signed~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

*Alexander Fraser*  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Paul Porter, occupation Electrical Worker

residing at 821 West Main St., Geneva, Ohio and

Anette Porter, occupation Housewife

residing at 821 West Main 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Alexander Fraser, the petitioner above mentioned, since June 1, 1930,

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a

part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Geneva, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula,

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since June 1, 1930 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,

*Paul A. Porter*  
(Signature of witness)

*Anette Porter*  
(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 at Jefferson, Ohio,

this 1st day of July, Anno Domini 1935 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 5-48369

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. 83332

of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

*Jay W. Young* Clerk.  
*Alma Reine* Deputy Clerk. (SEAL)

No. 24988

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2613

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, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India,

of whom (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Alexander Fraser  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1935

Jay W. Young, Clerk.

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

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

Petition granted: Line No. 14 of List No. 14 and Certificate No. 3813549 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_



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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, of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio

I, Mr. Kasper Lampinen, now residing at 949 Broad St., Ashtabula, Ohio, occupation laborer, aged 65 years, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Sex male, color white, complexion fair, color of eyes blue, color of hair lt. brown, height 5 feet 6 inches, weight 150 pounds; visible distinctive marks none

race Finnish; nationality Finnish; I was born in Kangasniemi M. L. Finland, on Feb. 1, 1868; I am married. The name of my wife or husband is Maria (Pajala) Lampinen; we were married on about Feb. 10, 1900, at Virginia, Minnesota; she or he was born at Isakyro V. L. Finland, on August 9, 1873, entered the United States at Boston, Mass., on about Dec. 5, 1895, for permanent residence therein, 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 are as follows:

Hilla Dagmar Lampinen, Date and place of Birth, July 4, 1910, Place of Birth, Centralia, Washington

Now residing at Ashtabula, Ohio; I have heretofore made a declaration of intention: Number 7-X-983, on Nov. 29, 1932 at Jefferson, Ohio, my last foreign residence was Kangasniemi M. L. Finland, I emigrated to the United States of America from Hanko, Finland, my lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at Boston, Mass., under the name of Mr. Kasper Lampinen, on May 20, 1896



Kasper Lampinen

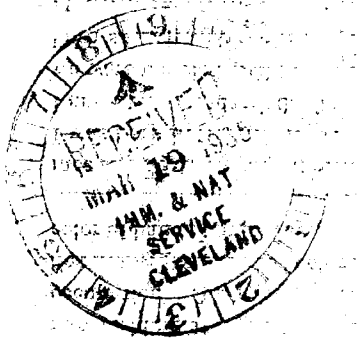
on the vessel Unpria; I will, before being admitted to citizenship, renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly, by name, to the prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of which I may be at the time of admission a citizen or subject; 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 reside permanently therein; and I certify that the photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of me: So HELP ME GOD.

Original signature of declarant without abbreviation, also alias, if used

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court, at 15th Jefferson, Ohio, this 15th day of March, anno Domini 1933. Certification No. from the Commissioner of Naturalization showing the lawful entry of the declarant for permanent residence in the United States, approved by the Clerk of said Court. This photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of the declarant.

[SEAL]

Jay W. Young, Clerk of the Common Pleas Court, By Almeda Kline, Deputy Clerk.



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clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

No. 1486

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

The petition of Kasper Lampinen, Conneaut, Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 949 Broad St., Conneaut, Ohio (2) My occupation is pipe fitter

(3) I was born in Kangasniemi, M. L. Finland on Feb. 1, 1868 My race is Finnish

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on March 15, 1933 in the Common Pleas

Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my wife ~~Anna~~ is Maria Pojala Lampinen

we were married on Feb. 10, 1900 at Virginia, Minnesota; She was

born at Isokyro, V. L. Finland on August 9, 1873; entered the United States

at Boston, Mass. on December 5, 1895 for permanent residence therein, and now

resides at Conneaut, Ohio I have 1 children and the name, date,

and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows:

Mrs. Harriet A. Skippon, born July 4, 1910 at Centralia, Washington,

and resides at 949 Broad St., Conneaut, Ohio

(6) My last foreign residence was Kangasniemi, M. L. Finland I emigrated to the United States of

America from Liverpool, England My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at Boston, Mass., under the name of Mr. Kasper Lampinen

on May 20, 1896, on the vessel Umpria

~~on the vessel Umpria~~

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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

May 20, 1896 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since November 2, 1917, being a residence within said county of at least

six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the

Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~read~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

*Kasper Lampinen*  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Jacob Helberg, occupation boiler-maker

residing at 1017 Buffalo St., Conneaut, Ohio, and

Urho W. Kitinoja, occupation policeman

residing at 895 Bay 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Kasper Lampinen, the petitioner above mentioned, since June 1, 1930

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a

part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Conneaut, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since June 1, 1930, 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.

*Jacob Helberg* (Signature of witness)

*Urho W. Kitinoja* (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 at Jefferson, Ohio

this 1st day of July, Anno Domini 19 35 I hereby certify that ~~certification~~

~~from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.~~ declaration of intention No. 2705

of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By Jay W. Young Clerk. (SEAL)  
Helen Cox Deputy Clerk.

24991

No.

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2013

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Kasper Sumpinen*  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1935

*Jay W. Young*, Clerk.

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

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

Petition granted: Line No. 15 of List No. 14 and Certificate No. 3852253 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

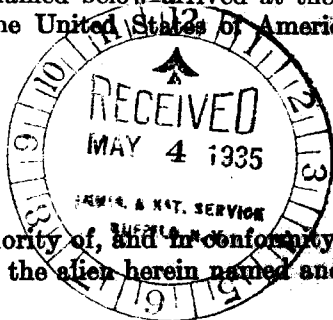
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE

No. 5-46781

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: **New York NY**  
Name: **Mircsa, Erzsa**  
Date: **November 12, 1913**  
Manner of arrival: **SS Kaiser Wilhelm II**



I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

May 3, 1935 (Date)

*Byron H. Uml*  
BYRON H. UML  
District Director  
New York District

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No. 216

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

5 46781

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

STATE OF OHIO } In the Common Pleas Court  
GEAUGA COUNTY } ss: of Geauga County, Ohio

I, Elizabeth Boros, aged 47 years,  
occupation housewife, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion medium, height 5 feet -- inches,  
weight 155 pounds, color of hair Dr. Brown, color of eyes Brown  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Bensenyó, Hungary  
on the 27 day of December, anno Domini 1880; I now reside  
at Chesterland, Geauga County, 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 Parta, Roumania; I am married; the name  
of my <sup>{ wife }</sup>husband is Ferencz Boros; <sup>{ she }</sup>he was born at Gyanta, Roumania  
and now resides at Chesterland, Geauga County, 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 Mihai I, King of Rumania

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 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.

Elizabeth Boros  
(Original signature of declarant)

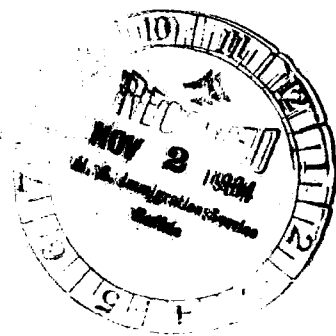
Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 20th day of December, anno Domini 192 8

Arlene Waters  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

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

No. 38396

[SEAL]





ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1487

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Elizabeth Boros, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is New Lyme, Ohio (2) My occupation is housewife  
(3) I was born in Bensenyo, Hungary on Dec. 27, 1880 My race is Magyar  
(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on Dec. 20, 1928 in the Common Pleas  
Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
(5) I am married. The name of ~~wife~~ or husband is Ferencz Boros  
we were married on Sept. 16, 1918 at Dyer Indiana; he was  
born at Gyanta, Roumania on June 9, 1887; entered the United States  
at New York, N. Y. on ~~XXXX~~ Aug. 1, 1912 for permanent residence therein, 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 are as follows:

(6) My last foreign residence was Parta, Roumania I emigrated to the United States of  
America from Bremen Germany My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States  
was at New York, N. Y. under the name of Erzsa Mircsa  
on November 12, 1913 on the vessel SS Kaiser Wilhelm 11  
as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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

Carol 11, King of Rumania  
of whom (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.  
(9) 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  
Nov. 12, 1913 and in the County of Ashtabula  
this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since ~~xxxxxxx 1913~~ Nov. 20, 1928, being a resident within said county of at least six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_  
at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.  
Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have { read / heard read } this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

Elizabeth Boros  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Jesse O. Ernest, occupation Real Estate  
residing at New Lyme Station, Ohio, and

Atha A. Stantz, occupation Housewife  
residing at New Lyme, 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Elizabeth Boros, the petitioner above mentioned, since June 1, 1930  
and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at New Lyme, Ohio in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since June 1, 1930, 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.

Jesse O. Ernest (Signature of witness) Atha A. Stantz (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 at Jefferson, Ohio  
this 1st day of July, Anno Domini 1935 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 5-46781  
from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. 216 of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By Jay Young Clerk.  
Madeline Gibson Deputy Clerk.

(SEAL)

No. 24993

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2818

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 Carol II, King of Rumania

of whom (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Elizabeth Boros  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1935

Jay W. Young, Clerk.

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

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

Petition granted: Line No. 16 of List No. 14 and Certificate No. 3852261 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE

No. 5 17252

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

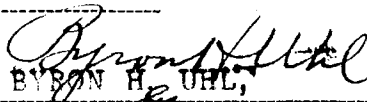
Port of entry: New York, NY  
Name: Stary, Rosi  
Date: October 15, 1923  
Manner of arrival: SS President Fillmore

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

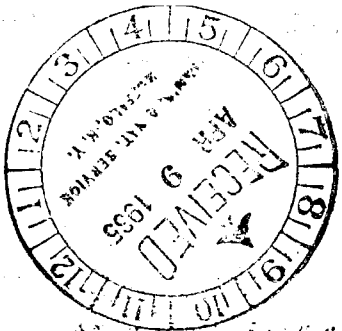
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

April 1, 1935

(Date)



BYRON H. UHL,  
District Director  
New York District



*Wm. S. Williams*

ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1488

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

The petition of Rose Stanek, Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is E. Jefferson St., Jefferson, Ohio, My occupation is housewife

(3) I was born in Pisek, Czechoslovakia on January 10, 1889 My race is Bohemian

(4) I ~~was born in~~ Prague, Czechoslovakia on January 10, 1889 My race is Bohemian

(5) I am married. The name of my ~~former~~ husband is John Stanek

we were married on Oct. 29, 1924 at Cleveland, Ohio; he was born at Hliny, Czechoslovakia on May 5, 1879; entered the United States at New York, N. Y. on April 1, 1904 for permanent residence therein, and now resides at E. Jefferson St., Jefferson, Ohio I have 2 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows:

Rose Marie, born April 7, 1926 at Cleveland, Ohio; Henrietta, born Dec. 29, 1927 at Jefferson, Ohio; all children reside at Jefferson, Ohio

My husband was naturalized on July 6, 1912 at New York, N. Y., certificate No. 283293, Petition No. 10396

(6) My last foreign residence was Prague, Czechoslovakia I emigrated to the United States of America from Bremen, Germany My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at New York, N. Y. under the name of Rosi Stary on October 15, 1923 on the vessel SS President Fillmore as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language. (9) 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 Oct. 15, 1923 and in the County of Ashtabula this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since May 2, 1920 being a residence within said county of at least six months next preceding the date of this petition.

Petition filed under Sec. 2, act of 9/22/22

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law. Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~perused~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

*Rose Stanek*  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Elizabeth Johnson housewife  
residing at Jefferson, Ohio and

Elizabeth Stasny housewife  
residing at Jefferson, Ohio

Rose Stanek, the petitioner above mentioned, since June 1, 1934 and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Jefferson, Ohio in the County of Ashtabula this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since June 1, 1934 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.

*Elizabeth Johnson*  
(Signature of witness)

*Elizabeth 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 at Jefferson, Ohio this 1st day of July, Anno Domini 1935 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 5-47258 from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, to ~~have been made~~ has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By Jay W. Young Clerk. (SEAL)  
Heben Coy Deputy Clerk.

24992

No.

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2018

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Rose Stanek  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1935

Jay W. Young, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 17 of List No. 14 and Certificate No. 3852262 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE

No. 5 45350

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.


Port of entry: New York, NY  
Name: Rylance, Mary Ann  
Date: November 10, 1913  
Manner of arrival: SS Caronia

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

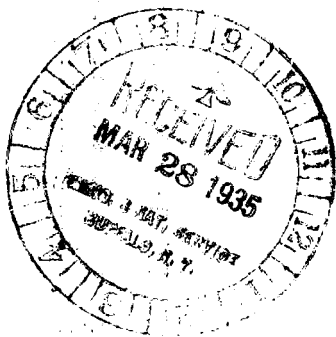
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

March 19, 1935

(Date)

  
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BYRON H. UHL,  
District Director  
New York District

*Alvin S. ...*





ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1489

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

The petition of Mary Ann Rylance, Ashtabula, Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence 5730 Jefferson, Ave., (2) My occupation is Housewife

(3) I was born in Hyde, England on Nov. 30, 1883 My race is English

(4) ~~I have previously made petition for citizenship.~~ ~~XXXX~~

~~XXXX~~ ~~XXXX~~

(5) I am        married. The name of my wife or husband is Henry,  
we were married on Dec. 24, 1904 at Hyde, England; he was

born at Hyde, England on January 11, 1881; entered the United States

at New York, N. Y. on August 10, 1913 for permanent residence therein, and now

resides at Ashtabula, Ohio. I have 3 children, and the name, date,

and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Ivy Eileen, born Sept. 10, 1917;

Ashtabula, Ohio; Ronald John, born Jan. 17, 1921, Oakland, California;

Mary Pauline, born March 29, 1923, Ashtabula, Ohio. All reside in

Ashtabula, Ohio.

My husband was naturalized, on Oct. 2, 1934, at Jefferson, Ohio,

Certificate No. 3813509 issued. Hyde, England I emigrated to the United States of

America from Liverpool, England My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at New York, N. Y. under the name of Mary Ann Rylance

on November 10, 1913 on the vessel SS Caronia

as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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, by the Grace

of God, of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British Dominions beyond the

Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

of whom (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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 Nov. 11, 1913, and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since Dec. 7, 1921, being a residence within said county of at least

six months next preceding the present petition.

**Petition filed Sec. 2, Act of 9/22/22 as amended**

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number       , on       

at        and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to       

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have ~~read~~ <sup>read</sup> this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

Mary Ann Rylance  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Mary Brockhurst, occupation Housewife

residing at West 58th St., Ashtabula, Ohio, and

May Moores, occupation Housewife

residing at Austinburg Rd., Austinburg, 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Mary Ann Rylance, the petitioner above mentioned, since June 1, 1930,

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a

part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since June 1, 1930, 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,

Mary Brockhurst  
(Signature of witness)

May Moores  
(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 at Jefferson, Ohio,

this 1st day of July, Anno Domini 1935 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 5-45350

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, ~~XXXXXX~~

       of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

Jay W. Young, Clerk.  
Edna Pliner, Deputy Clerk.

(SEAL)

No. 24994

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2613

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, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India**

of whom (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Mary Ann Ryland*  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1935

*Jay W. Young*, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 18 of List No. 14 and Certificate No. 3813547 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

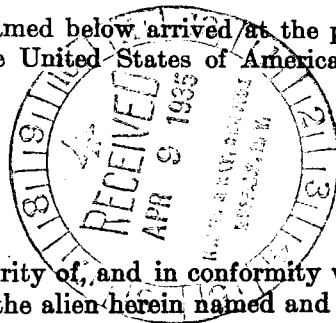
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE

No. 5,47518

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: **New York, NY**  
Name: **Katic, Marya**  
Date: **October 18, 1920**  
Manner of arrival: **SS Lafayette**



I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

March 30, 1935

(Date)

*Byron H. Uhl*  
BYRON H. UHL  
District Director  
New York District

Jacob Solomon

ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1490

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

The petition of Mary Jalovec, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is R. F. D. #2, Geneva, Ohio (2) My occupation is housewife

(3) I was born in Mrtvica, Jugoslavia on December 18, 1896 My race is Slovenian

(4) ~~STATE OF OHIO~~ OHIO

Common law

(5) I am married. The name of my ~~wife~~ husband is John Jalovec

we were married on August 12, 1922 at Cleveland, Ohio; he was

born at Stankova, Jugoslavia on December 18, 1892; entered the United States

at New York, N. Y. on July 30, 1913 for permanent residence therein, and now

resides at R. F. D. #2, Geneva, Ohio I have 2 children, and the name, date,

and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Jennie, born April 26, 1923 at

Cleveland, Ohio; Helen, born April 9, 1927, at Geneva, Ohio; both children

reside at Geneva, Ohio.  
my husband was naturalized on October 2, 1934 at Jefferson, Ohio, certificate  
no. 3813507.

(6) My last foreign residence was Mrtvica, Jugoslavia I emigrated to the United States of

America from Havre, France My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at New York, N. Y. under the name of Marya Katie

on October 18, 1920 on the vessel SS Lafayette

as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 Peter II, King of the

Serbs, Croats, and Slovenes, and the Present Government of Jugoslavia

of whom (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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

October 18, 1920 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since August 23, 1924, being a residence within said county of at least

six months next preceding the date of this petition.  
**Petition filed under Sec. 2, Act of 9/22/22 as amended.**

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the

Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~read~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of

my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition

is signed by me with my full, true name.

*Mary Jalovec*  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Louis Koschar, occupation farmer

residing at R. F. D. 2, Geneva, Ohio, and

Agnes Berkopce, occupation housewife

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 and has been

acquainted in the United States with Mary Jalovec, the petitioner above mentioned, since June 1, 1938

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a

part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at RFD. 2, Geneva, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since June 1, 1938, 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 dis-

posed 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.

*Louis Koschar*  
(Signature of witness)

*Agnes Berkopce*  
(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 at Jefferson, Ohio

this 1st day of July, Anno Domini 1935. I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 5-47518

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, ~~has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.~~

~~has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.~~

*Jay W. Young*  
Clerk.  
*Helen Coe*  
Deputy Clerk.

(SEAL)

No. 24996

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2018

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 ~~Peter II, King of the Serbs, Croats, and Slovenes, and the Present Government of Yugoslavia~~

of whom (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Mary Galovec*

(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1935

*Jay W. Young*, Clerk.

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

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

Petition granted: Line No. 19 of List No. 14 and Certificate No. 3852258 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

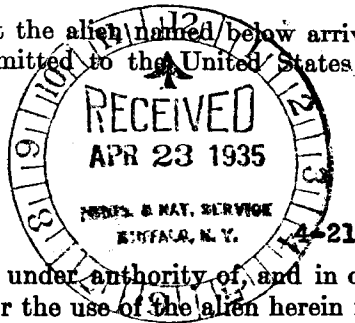
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE

No. 5 48948

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: Boston, Mass.  
Name: Filippa Vallone  
Date: May 6, 1910  
Manner of arrival: S.S. Sannio



I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

April 22, 1935  
(Date)

*[Handwritten signature]*

Special Director of Immigration & Naturalization

*M. Gering*

Clerk in charge of Arrivals

MG/T





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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Maria Filippa Brunacci  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1935

Jay W. Young, Clerk.

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

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

Petition granted: Line No. 20 of List No. 14 and Certificate No. 3852252 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

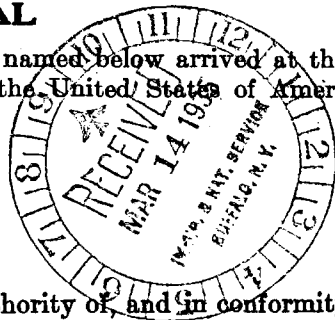
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE

No. 5 45409

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: **New York, NY**  
Name: **Hamalainen, Impi**  
Date: **April 7, 1912**  
Manner of arrival: **SS Caronia**



I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

**February 18, 1935**

(Date)

*Byron H. Uhl*

BYRON H. UHL  
District Director  
New York District

Walter Dubson

ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

No. 1492

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

The petition of Impi Dagmar Kinnunen, Ashtabula, Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 1814 W. 13th St., (2) My occupation is Housewife

(3) I was born in Wittasaari, Finland on Oct. 28, 1889 My race is Finnish

~~XX~~  
~~XXXX~~

(5) I am ~~XXXX~~ married. The name of my ~~XXXX~~ husband is Julius Kinnunen,  
we were married on April 18, 1914, at Ashtabula, Ohio; he was

born at Wittasaari, Finland on Aug. 27, 1889; entered the United States  
at New York, N. Y. on July 17, 1913 for permanent residence therein, and now  
resides at Ashtabula, Ohio. I have one child ~~XX~~ and the name, date,

and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: John Waldemar, born July 5, 1914,  
Ashtabula, Ohio; Now residing at Ashtabula, Ohio.

My husband was naturalized, on April 19, 1927, at Jefferson, Ohio  
Certificate No. 2424117 issued.

(6) My last foreign residence was Wittasaari, Finland I emigrated to the United States of  
America from Liverpool, England My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at New York, N. Y. under the name of Impi Hamalainen,  
on April 7, 1912 on the vessel SS Caronia  
as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.  
(9) 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

April 7, 1912, and in the County of Ashtabula  
this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since April 9, 1912, being a residence within said county of at least  
six months next preceding the date of this petition.

Petition filed under Sec. 2, Act of 9/22/22

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_  
at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the  
Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have ~~read~~ <sup>read</sup> this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of  
my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition  
is signed by me with my full, true name.

Impi Dagmar Kinnunen  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Alma Kantola, occupation Housewife  
residing at 1806 W. 13th St., Ashtabula, Ohio, and

Amanda Edixon, occupation Housewife  
residing at 1810 W. 13th 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 and has been  
acquainted in the United States with

Impi Dagmar Kinnunen, the petitioner above mentioned, since June 1, 1930,  
and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a  
part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula,

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since June 1, 1930, 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 dis-  
posed 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.

Alma Kantola (Signature of witness) Amanda Edixon (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 at Jefferson, Ohio,  
this 1st day of July, Anno Domini 1935 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 5-45409

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, ~~XX~~  
of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

Jay W. Young, Clerk. (SEAL)  
Alma Klind, Deputy Clerk.

No. 24998

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2613

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Eupri Ragnar Pimmur  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1935

Jay W. Young, Clerk.

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

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

Petition granted: Line No. 21 of List No. 14 and Certificate No. 3852263 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

No. 7-21513

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**


I HEREBY CERTIFY that the immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Name: **Manusewitz, Marphian (Babicki, Paul)**  
Port of entry: **New York, NY**  
Date: **June 24, 1907**  
Manner of arrival: **SS Livonia**

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

March 20, 1935  
(Date)

  
BYRON H. CHILD,  
District Director  
New York District

John G. Thompson

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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, Paul Babicki, DEC 20 1933, aged 48 years,  
occupation Prop. Bath House, Ohio, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 5 inches,  
weight 175 pounds, color of hair Brown, color of eyes brown,  
other visible distinctive marks scar on left hand over first finger

I was born in Mensk, Muzanka, Russia  
on the 15th day of August, anno Domini 1880; I now reside  
at 52 Atlantic St., Ashtabula, Ohio,  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Labau, Russia,  
on the vessel Leonia; 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 Mensk, Muzanka, Russia; I am married; the name  
of my {wife} is Helen; {she} was born at Russia,  
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 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 24 day  
of June, 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.

FEB 12 1934

*Paul Babicki*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 28 day of February, anno Domini 1929

Cornelia A. Warner,

N~~o~~ 31705

By *Pauline C. Staples*, Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
Deputy Clerk.



ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

No. 1495

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

The petition of Paul Babicki, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 1830 W. 13th St., Ashtabula, Ohio (2) My occupation is proprietor - bath house

(3) I was born in Mazauka, Russia on August 15, 1880 My race is Polish

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on February 28, 1929 in the Common Pleas

Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my wife ~~is~~ Helene Babicki

we were married on Jan. 19, 1915 at Plains, Kansas she was

born at Lahovsk, Russia on April, 1897; entered the United States

at New York, N. Y. on Aug. 10, 1912 for permanent residence therein, and now

resides at Ashtabula, Ohio I have 3 children, and the name, date,

and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows:

Virginia, born Nov. 4, 1916 at Plains, Kansas; Elizabeth, born Sept.

14, 1917 at Plains, Kansas; Victor, born July 9, 1919 at Cleveland,

Ohio; all children reside at Ashtabula, Ohio;

(6) My last foreign residence was Mazauka, Russia I emigrated to the United States of

America from Lubawa, Russia My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at New York, N. Y. under the name of Mamusewitz, Marphia (Babicki, Paul)

on June 24, 1907 on the vessel SS Livonia

as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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

June 24, 1907 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since December 15, 1920, being a residence within said county of at least

six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~heard~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

*Paul Babicki*  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Aura L. Craig, occupation housewife

residing at 1830 W. 13th St., Ashtabula, Ohio, and

Jeanette Lewdanski, occupation housewife

residing at 4009 West Ave., 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Paul Babicki, the petitioner above mentioned, since June 1, 1930

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a

part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since June 1, 1930, 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,

*Aura L. Craig* (Signature of witness) *Jeanette Lewdanski* (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 at Jefferson, Ohio

this 1st day of July, Anno Domini 19 35 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-21513

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. \_\_\_\_\_

2586 of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By *Jay W. Young* Clerk. (SEAL)  
*Helena Cox* Deputy Clerk.

No. 24995

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2918

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~~

Union of Soviet Socialist Republics  
of whom (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Paul Babion  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 14th day of April, A. D. 1936

Jay W. Young, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 2 of List No. 15 and Certificate No. 4066156 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from Oct. 1, 1935 to April, 1936 Reason study

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

No. 7 9762

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records of the Department of Labor show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: New York, NY  
Name: Tammunen, Aino  
Date: February 1, 1916  
Manner of arrival: SS Hellig Olav

JAN 30 1931  
DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

January 28, 1931

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR.

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

7-9762

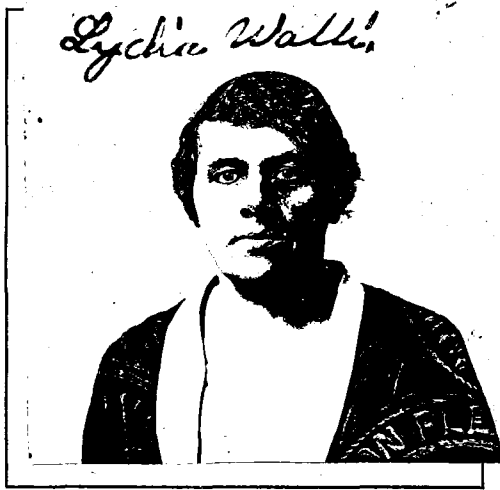
DECLARATION OF INTENTION
(Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof)

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

I, Lydia Walli, now residing at 1311 9th St., Ashtabula, Ashtabula Co., Ohio, occupation Masseur, aged 43 years, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Sex female, color white, complexion fair, color of eyes blue, color of hair brown, height 5 feet 4 inches; weight 170 pounds; visible distinctive marks small scar on left forearm, race Finnish, nationality Finnish, I was born in Tammerfors, Finland, on November 8, 1887, I am married. The name of my husband is William Walli, we were married on Sept. 10, 1918, at Ashtabula, Ohio, he was born at Jaaski, Finland, on May 3, 1880, entered the United States at New York, N. Y., on Feb. 1, 1916, for permanent residence therein, and now resides at Ashtabula, Ohio. I have two children, and the name, date and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows:

Eila Walli, born, Jan. 25, 1914, Tammerfors, Finland,
William Walli, Dec. 15, 1919, Ashtabula, Ohio,
both reside at Ashtabula, Ohio,

I have not heretofore made a declaration of intention: Number at my last foreign residence was Tammerfors, Finland, I emigrated to the United States of America from Christiania, Norway, my lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at New York, N. Y., under the name of Aino Tamminen, on Feb. 1, 1916



on the vessel Hellig Olav, I will, before being admitted to citizenship, renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly, by name, to the prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of which I may be at the time of admission a citizen or subject; 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 reside permanently therein; and I certify that the photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of me: So HELP ME GOD.

Lydia Walli, Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court, at Jefferson, this 6 day of Feb. anno Domini 1931 Certification No. 7-9762 from the Commissioner of Naturalization showing the lawful entry of the declarant for permanent residence on the date stated above, has been received by me. The photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of the declarant.

[SEAL]

Connelia A. Warner, Clerk of the Common Pleas Court. By Pauline Styles Gungg, Deputy Clerk.

ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1494

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

The petition of Aina Lydia Walli Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 1311 W. 9th St., Ashtabula, My occupation is hand massage

(3) I was born in Tammerfors, Finland on Nov. 8, 1887 My race is Finnish

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on February 6, 1931 in the Common Pleas

Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my ~~wife~~ husband is William Walli

we were married on Sept. 10, 1918 at Ashtabula, Ohio; he was

born at Jaaski, Finland on May 3, 1880; entered the United States

at New York, N. Y. on \_\_\_\_\_ for permanent residence therein, and now

resides at Jaaski, Finland I have two children, and the name, date,

and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Eila Walli, born Jan. 25, 1914 at

Tammerfors, Finland; William Walli, born Dec. 15, 1919, at Ashtabula,

Ohio; Eila, resides at Cleveland, Ohio and William resides at Ashtabula,

Ohio

(6) My last foreign residence was Tammerfors, Finland I emigrated to the United States of

America from Christiania, Norway My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at New York, N. Y., under the name of Aino Tamminen

on February 1, 1916, on the vessel SS Hellig Olav

as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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

February 1, 1916 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since Aug. 26, 1917, being a residence within said county of at least

six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~perused~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

Aina Lydia Walli  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Oskar Holmstrom, occupation carpenter

residing at Ohio Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio, and

Mrs. Matilda Teppari, occupation housewife

residing at W. 9th 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Aina Lydia Walli, the petitioner above mentioned, since June 1, 1930

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a

part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since June 1, 1930, 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.

Oskar Holmstrom  
(Signature of witness)

Mrs. Matilda Teppari  
(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 at Jefferson, Ohio

this 1st day of July, Anno Domini 19 35 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-9762

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. \_\_\_\_\_

2660 of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By Jay W. Young, Clerk.  
Helena Cook, Deputy Clerk.

(SEAL)

No. 24999

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE  
14-2618

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Aino Lydia Walli  
(signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1935

Jay W. Young, Clerk.

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

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

Petition granted: Line No. 22 of List No. 14 and Certificate No. 3852265 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

1495

Naturalization:  
Amendment of Petition

In the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County  
at Jefferson, Ohio

In the matter of the petition of :  
Wilhelmiina Hietikko :  
to be admitted a Citizen of the : Petition No. 2537-P-1495  
United States of America. :

It appearing on the representation of the petitioner, that the petition for citizenship of the above named Wilhelmiina Hietikko erroneously states in the affidavits of witnesses:  
"That he has personally known and has ~~personally~~ been acquainted in the United States with Minnie Hietikko, ..

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the said petition be amended to read as follows:

"That he has personally known and has been acquainted in the United States with Wilhelmiina Hietikko.

AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of this Court furnish the Commissioner of Immigration and Naturalization with a certified copy of this Order.

Dated: October 1, 1935

*Lewis G. Guffel*  
Judge





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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Minnie Hietikko  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1935

Jay W. Young, Clerk.

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

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

Petition granted: Line No. 23 of List No. 14 and Certificate No. 3852264 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

No. 5 46102

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Name: Herman John Diedring  
Port of entry: Pembina, N. Dak.  
Date: April 25, 1914  
Manner of arrival: R. R.

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

July 16, 1935

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D. W. McCORMACK,  
Commissioner.

No. 2562

5 46102

# 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, Herman John Diedring, aged 51 years,  
occupation farming, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion medium, height 5 feet 7 inches,  
weight 188 pounds, color of hair grey, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Kempiskemen, Germany  
on the 14th day of March, anno Domini 1877; I now reside  
at Rock Creek, Ohio

I emigrated to the United States of America from Antwerp, Belgium via  
(St. John, Canada)  
on the vessel Montrose; 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 Buer Hassil Westfulen, Germany I am un married; the name  
of my <sup>{ wife</sup> ~~husband~~ is Louise; <sup>{ she</sup> ~~he~~ was born at Germany  
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

The German Reich  
of whom I am now a subject; I arrived at the port of Hankinson

in the State of North Dakota, on or about the 25th day  
of April, 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.

*Herman John Diedring*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 25th day of August, anno Domini 1928.

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

No. 22953

ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

No. 1496

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

(1) My place of residence is R. D. 1, Box 29, Rock Creek, (2) My occupation is farmer

(3) I was born in Kampischkemen, Germany on March 14, 1877 My race is German

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on August 25, 1928 in the Common Pleas

Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my wife or ~~husband~~ is Louise Diedring

we were married on October 21, 1906 at Garnap, Germany s he was

born at Kampischkemen, Germany on Nov. 20, 1878; entered the United States

at New York, N. Y. on January, 1921 for permanent residence therein, and now

resides at R. D. 1, Rock Creek, Ohio I have two children, and the name, date,

and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows:

John Herman, born July 7, 1907 at Ostenfield, Germany; Henry August,

born Nov. 20, 1910 at Boer, Germany; both children reside at

Anderson, Indiana

(6) My last foreign residence was Boer, Germany I emigrated to the United States of

America from St. John, Canada My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at Fenbina, N. Dakota, under the name of Herman John Diedring

on April 25, 1914, on the R. R.

as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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

April 25, 1914 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since March 20, 1921, being a residence within said county of at least six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have read this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

*Herman John Diedring*  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Herman A. Webber, occupation farmer

residing at Rock Creek, Ohio, and

Harry R. Parker 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Herman John Diedring, the petitioner above mentioned, since Aug. 1, 1930

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a

part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Rock Creek, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Aug. 1, 1930 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.

*Herman A. Webber* *Harry R. Parker*  
(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 at Jefferson, Ohio

this 20th day of August, Anno Domini 1935 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 5-46108

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. 2562

of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

*Jay W. Young* Clerk.  
*Helen Cox* Deputy Clerk.

(SEAL)

No. 24906

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2013

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Hermon John Deering  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 14th day of April, A. D. 1936

Jay W. Young, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 3 of List No. 15 and Certificate No. 4066154 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

No. 7 7849

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records of the Department of Labor show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry:	New York, NY
Name:	Dispenza, Orazio
Date:	March 26, 1914
Manner of arrival:	SS Venezia

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued  
September 26, 1930

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BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR.

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization

# 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 Jefferson, Ohio

I, Orazio Dispenza,  
now residing at 323 Lake St., Ashtabula, Ohio.  
occupation Storekeeper, aged 34 years, do declare on oath that my personal description is:  
Sex Male, color White, complexion Dark, color of eyes Brown  
color of hair Black, height 5 feet 5 1/2 inches; weight 128 pounds; visible distinctive marks  
race none  
I was born in Vallelunga, Sicily, on August 3rd, 1896  
I am unmarried. The name of my wife or husband is Maria Dispenza  
we were married on November 11, 1923, at Ashtabula, Ohio; she or he was  
born at Vallelunga, Sicily, on August 18, 1893, entered the United States  
at New York, N.Y., on Feb. 22, 1921, for permanent residence therein, 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 are as follows:

I have heretofore made a declaration of intention: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on Dec. 1919 at Cleveland  
at also No. 1728 on July 23, 1919 at Jefferson, Ohio  
my last foreign residence was Vallelunga, Sicily  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy  
my lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at New York, N.Y.  
under the name of Orazio Dispenza, on March 26, 1914



on the vessel SS Venezia  
I will, before being admitted to citizenship, renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly, by name, to the prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of which I may be at the time of admission a citizen or subject; 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 reside permanently therein; and I certify that the photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of me: So HELP ME GOD.

Orazio Dispenza  
(Original signature of declarant without abbreviation, also affixed if used)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court, at Jefferson, Ohio this 24 day of Nov., anno Domini 1930. Certification No 7 7849 from the Commissioner of Naturalization showing the lawful entry of the declarant for permanent residence on the date stated above, has been received by me. The photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of the declarant.

[SEAL]

Connelia A. Werner  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By Shelma Calaway, Deputy Clerk.

ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1497

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

The petition of Orazio Despenza Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 2511 Lake Ave., Ashtabula (2) My occupation is storekeeper

(3) I was born in Vallelunga Italy on August 3, 1896 My race is So. Italian

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on Nov. 24, 1930 in the Common Pleas

Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my wife or husband is XXXXX Mary

we were married on November 11, 1923 at Ashtabula, Ohio; she was

born at Vallelunga Italy on August 18, 1893; entered the United States

at New York, N. Y. on Feb. 22, 1921 for permanent residence therein, 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 are as follows:

(6) My last foreign residence was Vallelunga Sicily Italy I emigrated to the United States of

America from Naples Italy My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at New York, N. Y. under the name of Orazio Despenza

on March 26, 1914 on the vessel SS Venezia

as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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

March 26, 1914 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since July 13, 1919, being a residence within said county of at least six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to

George Despenza

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have {read} this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

Orazio Despenza  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Ray N. Brown occupation Salesman

residing at 425 W. 26th Street, Ashtabula, Ohio, and

Verner B. Aalto occupation laborer

residing at 2611 Carso Ave., 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Orazio Despenza, the petitioner above mentioned, since Aug. 1, 1930

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Aug. 1, 1930, 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.

Ray N. Brown  
(Signature of witness)

Verner B. Aalto  
(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 at Jefferson, Ohio

this 20th day of Aug., Anno Domini 1935 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-7849

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. 2657

of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By Jay H. Young Clerk.  
Martha E. Gibson Deputy Clerk.

(SEAL)

No. 24907

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2818



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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

George P. Despenzo  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 14th day of April, A. D. 1936

Jay W. Young, Clerk.

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

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

Petition granted: Line No. 4 of List No. 15 and Certificate No. 4066157 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE

No. 7-4715

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records of the Department of Labor show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: **Buffalo, N.Y.**  
Name: **Arthur Hyde**  
Date: **December 27, 1911**  
Manner of arrival: **MC**

**NATURALIZATION SERVICE  
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I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

April 12, 1930

(Date)

Am/hm

**H. R. LANDIS**  
U. S. Commissioner of Immigration

by Schwartz

In Charge, Statistical Division

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## 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 at Jefferson, Ohio.

I, Arthur Hyde  
 now residing at 25 Ontario St., Ashtabula Ashtabula Ohio  
 occupation Machinist, aged 45 years, do declare on oath that my personal description is:  
 Sex Male, color White, complexion Fair, color of eyes Brown  
 color of hair Brown, height 5 feet 5 inches; weight 148 pounds; visible distinctive marks  
Small finger on right hand amputated  
 race English; nationality British  
 I was born in Shakespeare Canada, on April 12, 1894  
 I am married. The name of my wife or husband is Edna Hyde  
 we were married on Dec. 27, 1911, at Courtland, Canada  
 born at Courtland, Canada, on August 10, 1882, entered the United States  
 at Buffalo, N. Y., on Dec. 27, 1911, for permanent residence therein, 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 are as follows:

Douglas Blake Hyde, Born Dec. 15, 1913  
Margaret Mary Hyde, Born March 4, 1918  
Engel Maxwell Hyde, Born Sept. 21, 1918  
Elizabeth Ellen Hyde, Born Aug. 20, 1921  
 I have heretofore made a declaration of intention: Number 3032, on March 24, 1922  
 at Jefferson Ohio Common Pleas  
 my last foreign residence was St. Thomas, Canada  
 I emigrated to the United States of America from St. Thomas, Canada  
 my lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at Buffalo, N. Y.  
 under the name of Arthur Hyde, on December 27, 1911



on the vessel MC (Name of vessel, state manner of arrival)  
 I will, before being admitted to citizenship, renounce forever all allegiance and  
 fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly,  
 by name, to the prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of which I may be at  
 the time of admission a citizen or subject; 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 reside  
 permanently therein; and I certify that the photograph affixed to the duplicate  
 and triplicate hereof is a likeness of me: So HELP ME GOD.

Arthur Hyde  
 (Original signature of declarant, in full, and correct abbreviation, also alias, if used)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court,  
 at Jefferson, Ohio this 10 day of May  
 anno Domini 1930. Certification No. 7-4715 from the Commis-  
 sioner of Naturalization showing the lawful entry of the declarant for permanent  
 residence on the date stated above, has been received by me. The photograph  
 affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of the declarant.

Cornelia A. Harrier  
 Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
 By Thelma Calawa, Deputy Clerk.

ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

No. 1498

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

The petition of Arthur Hyde hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 1719 West Ninth St., Ashtabula, Ohio (2) My occupation is machinist

(3) I was born in Shakespeare, Canada on April 12, 1884 My race is English

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on May 10, 1930 in the Common Pleas

Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my wife ~~is~~ Edna Hyde

we were married on Dec. 27, 1911 at Courtland, Ont., Canada She was

born at Courtland, Canada on Aug. 10, 1882; entered the United States

at Buffalo, N. Y. on Dec. 27, 1911 for permanent residence therein, 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 are as follows: Douglas, born Dec. 15, 1915;

Margaret, born March 4, 1918; Hugh, born Sept. 21, 1919; Elizabeth,

born Aug. 20, 1921; all children were born at Ashtabula, Ohio, and

reside at Ashtabula, Ohio

(6) My last foreign residence was St. Thomas, Canada I emigrated to the United States of

America from St. Thomas, Canada My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at Buffalo, N. Y., under the name of Arthur Hyde

on Dec. 27, 1911, on the vessel MC

as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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, by the Grace

of God, of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British Dominions beyond

the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India

of whom (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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

Dec. 27, 1911 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since Dec. 27, 1911, being a residence within said county of at least

six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the

Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~signed~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of

my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition

is signed by me with my full, true name.

Arthur Hyde  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Emil Kahle, occupation machinist

residing at 429 West 36th St., Ashtabula, Ohio, and

Gilbert Harmon, occupation insurance salesman

residing at 1101 Walnut Blvd., 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 and has been

acquainted in the United States with Arthur Hyde, the petitioner above mentioned, since Aug. 1, 1930

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a

part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Aug. 1, 1930, 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 dis-

posed 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,

Emil Kahle  
(Signature of witness)

Gilbert 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 at Jefferson, Ohio

this 20th day of August, Anno Domini 1935 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-4715

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No.

2658 of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

Jay W. Young Clerk.  
Helen Cox Deputy Clerk.

(SEAL)

No. 24908

14-2813

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

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, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India~~ <sup>Edward VIII</sup> of whom (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Arthur Hyde*  
-----  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 14<sup>th</sup> day of April, A. D. 1936.

*Jay Wiegand*  
-----, Clerk.

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

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

Petition granted: Line No. 5 of List No. 15 and Certificate No. 406615 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

IMMIGRATION SERVICE

No. 7 4714**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records of the Department of Labor show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: **Buffalo, N.Y.**  
 Name: **Edna Hyde**  
 Date: **December 27, 1911**  
 Manner of arrival: **MC**

**NATURALIZATION DIVISION**  
**RECEIVED**

**APR 16 1930**

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

April 12, 1930

(Date)

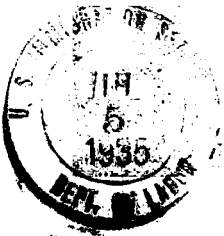
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**H. R. LANDIS**

U. S. Commissioner of Immigration

by *Schneider*

In Charge, Statistical Division



UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

7-4714

DECLARATION OF INTENTION

(Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof)

State of Ohio } In the Common Pleas Court
Ashtabula County } of Ashtabula at Jefferson

I, Edna Hyde, now residing at 25 Ontario St., Ashtabula, Ohio, occupation housewife, aged 47 years, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Sex female, color white, complexion medium, color of eyes hazel, color of hair brown, height 5 feet 5 inches, weight 135 pounds; visible distinctive marks race English; nationality British. I was born in Courtland, Norfolk Co., Canada, on August 10th 1882. I am married. The name of my wife or husband is Arthur Hyde we were married on Dec 27, 1911, at Courtland, Canada; she or he was born at Shakespeare, Canada, on April 12th, 1884, entered the United States at Buffalo, N. Y., on Dec 27th 1911, for permanent residence therein, 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 are as follows:

Douglas Blake Hyde, born Dec 15th, 1915, Ashtabula, lives 25 Ontario St. Ashtabula; Margaret Mary Hyde, Mar. 4th, 1918, Ashtabula, lives 25 Ontario St., Ashtabula; Hugh Maxwell Hyde, Sept. 21, 1919, Ashtabula Elizabeth Ellen Hyde, Dec. 20, 1921, (all reside at same address)

I have not heretofore made a declaration of intention. I have at my last foreign residence was Courtland, Canada I emigrated to the United States of America from St. Thomas, Canada my lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at Buffalo, N. Y. under the name of Edna Hyde, on December 27, 1911



on the vessel Michigan Central Railroad I will, before being admitted to citizenship, renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly, by name, to the prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of which I may be at the time of admission a citizen or subject; 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 reside permanently therein; and I certify that the photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of me: So HELP ME GOD.

Edna Hyde (Original signature of declarant without abbreviation, also alias, if used)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court, at Jefferson this 10 day of May anno Domini 1930. Certification No. 7-4714 from the Commissioner of Naturalization showing the lawful entry of the declarant for permanent residence on the date stated above, has been received by me. The photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of the declarant.

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner Clerk of the Common Pleas Court. By Marietta Fox, Deputy Clerk.



ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1499

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

The petition of Edna Hyde Ashtabula, Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 1719 W. Ninth St., Ashtabula, Ohio (2) My occupation is housewife

(3) I was born in Courtland, Canada on Aug. 10, 1882 My race is English

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on May 10, 1930 in the Common Pleas  
Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my ~~husband~~ husband is Arthur Hyde  
we were married on Dec. 27, 1911 at Courtland, Canada; he was

born at Shakespeare, Canada on April 12, 1884; entered the United States  
at Buffalo, N. Y. on Dec. 27, 1911 for permanent residence therein, 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 are as follows:

Douglas, born Dec. 15, 1915; Margaret, born March 4, 1918;  
Hugh, born Sept. 21, 1919; Elizabeth, born Aug. 20, 1921; all children  
were born at Ashtabula, Ohio, and reside at Ashtabula, Ohio

(6) My last foreign residence was Courtland, Canada I emigrated to the United States of  
America from St. Thomas, Canada My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at Buffalo, N. Y. under the name of Edna Hyde  
on Dec. 27, 1911 on the vessel MC  
as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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, by the Grace

of God, of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British Dominions beyond  
the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India

of whom (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.  
(9) 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  
Dec. 27, 1911 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since Dec. 27, 1911, being a residence within said county of at least  
six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_  
at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the  
Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~seen~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of  
my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition  
is signed by me with my full, true name.

Edna Hyde  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Emil Kahle, occupation machinist  
residing at 429 W. 36th St., Ashtabula, Ohio and

Gilbert Harmon, occupation insurance salesman  
residing at 1101 Walnut Blvd., 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 and has been  
acquainted in the United States with  
Edna Hyde the petitioner above mentioned, since Aug. 1, 1930

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a  
part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Aug. 1, 1930 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 dis-  
posed 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,

Emil Kahle (Signature of witness) Gilbert 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 at Jefferson, Ohio  
this 20th day of August, Anno Domini 1935 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-4714

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. 2637  
of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By Jay W. Young Clerk. (SEAL)  
Helen Cox Deputy Clerk.

No. 24909

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2813

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, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India~~ <sup>Edward VIII</sup> of whom (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Edna Hyde*  
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(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this *14th* day of *April*, A. D. 1936.

*Jay W. Young*  
-----, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. *6* of List No. *15* and Certificate No. *4066159* issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

No. <sup>7</sup> 6654

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records of the Department of Labor show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: New York, NY  
Name: Geczi, Maria  
Date: November 25, 1912  
Manner of arrival: SS Ivernia

NATURALIZATION DIVISION  
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DISTRICT DIRECTOR

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

July 8, 1930

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR.

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization

## IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF

Mary Olajos  
 -----  
 TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Petition No. 2537-P-1500Court 2537

## AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Herc Paulino, occupation Attorney  
 residing at 1105 Seymour Drive Ashtabula Ohio, and  
(Number and street) (City or town) (State)  
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 -----, 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 Mary Olajos  
 the petitioner above mentioned since August 1 1930, and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner  
(Month) (Day) (Year)  
 has resided in the United States at Ashtabula, in the County of Ashtabula  
 State of Ohio, from August 1 1930 to the present date  
(Month) (Day) (Year) (Month) (Day) (Year)

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.

Herc Paulino  
 -----  
(Signature of witness)

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(Signature of witness)

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named witnesses  
 at Jefferson, O., this 14 day of April,  
 anno Domini 1936

Cornelia A. Turner  
 -----  
(Signature of attester)  
Deputy Clerk Leonard J. Plann  
 -----  
(Title of attester)

TRIPLICATE

No. 7-6654  
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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  
} ss: of Ashtabula Co. at Jefferson, Ohio.

I, Mary Olajos,  
now residing at 1908 W. 38 St., Ashtabula, Ohio,  
occupation Housewife, aged 35 years, do declare on oath that my personal description is:  
Sex female, color white, complexion dark, color of eyes brown,  
color of hair dark brown, height 5 feet 5 inches; weight 165 pounds; visible distinctive marks  
small scar on forehead,  
race Magyar; nationality Hungarian,  
I was born in Boly Zemplen, Megye, Hungary, on April 3, 1895  
I am married. The name of my wife or husband is Frank Olajos,  
we were married on Feb. 6, 1919, at Youngstown, Ohio; she or he was  
born at Irota, Hungary, on Aug. 20, 1891, entered the United States  
at New York, New York, on April 20, 1907, for permanent residence therein, and now  
resides at 1908 W. 38 St., Ashtabula. I have one child, and the name, date and place of birth,  
and place of residence of each of said children are as follows:  
Mary Margaret Olajos, Jan. 11, 1921, Youngstown, Ohio,  
resides at Ashtabula, Ohio,

I have not heretofore made a declaration of intention: Nashville, Tenn,  
not my last foreign residence was Boly, Zemplen, Megye, Hungary,  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Piome, Austria-Hungary,  
my lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at New York, N. Y.,  
under the name of Maria Geoz, on Nov. 25, 1912



[SEAL]

on the vessel SS Ivernia,  
I will, before being admitted to citizenship, renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly, by name, to the prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of which I may be at the time of admission a citizen or subject; 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 reside permanently therein; and I certify that the photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of me: So HELP ME GOD.

Mary Olajos  
(Original signature of declarant without abbreviation, also alias, if used)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court, at Jefferson, this 26 day of Dec. anno Domini 1931. Certification No. 7-6654 from the Commissioner of Naturalization showing the lawful entry of the declarant for permanent residence on the date stated above, has been received by me. The photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of the declarant.

Cornelia A. Warner,  
Clerk of the Common Pleas, Court.  
By Pauline Hays Saugy Deputy Clerk.  
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# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1500

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

The petition of Mary Olajos Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 1008 West 38th St, Ashtabula, Ohio, My occupation is housewife

(3) I was born in Boly Zemplen, Megye, Hungary, on April 3, 1895 My race is Magyar

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on Dec. 26, 1931 in the Common Pleas

Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my ~~husband~~ husband is Frank Olajos,

we were married on Feb. 6, 1919 at Youngstown, Ohio; he was

born at Irota, Hungary on August 20, 1891; entered the United States

at New York, N. Y. on April 21, 1906 for permanent residence therein, 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 are as follows:

Mary, born Jan. 11, 1921 at Youngstown, Ohio and resides at

Ashtabula, Ohio

(6) My last foreign residence was Boly Zemplen, Megye, Hungary I emigrated to the United States of

America from Fiume, Italy My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at New York, N. Y., under the name of Maria Geozí

on November 25, 1912, on the vessel SS Ivernia

as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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

November 25, 1912 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since April 17, 1924, being a residence within said county of at least six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~inspected~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

Mary Olajos  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Andy Geozy \_\_\_\_\_, occupation laborer

residing at 3925 Ann Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio, and

John A. Getzy, \_\_\_\_\_, occupation leather worker

residing at 3625 Ann Ave., 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Mary Olajos \_\_\_\_\_, the petitioner above mentioned, since Aug. 1, 1930

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Aug. 1, 1930, 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.

Andy Geozy \_\_\_\_\_ (Signature of witness) John A. Getzy \_\_\_\_\_ (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 at Jefferson, Ohio this 20th day of August, Anno Domini 1935. I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-6654

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. 2686 of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By Jay W. Young \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk. (SEAL)  
Helen Cox, \_\_\_\_\_ Deputy Clerk.

No. 24911

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Mary Olajos*  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 14th day of April, A. D. 1926

*Jay Young*, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 7 of List No. 15 and Certificate No. 3852275 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

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: at Jefferson, Ohio of Ashtabula County

I, Stanislaw Plutnicki, now residing at 729 Madison Street, Conneaut, Ohio occupation car repairer, aged 46 years, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Sex male, color white, complexion dark, color of eyes brown, color of hair brown, height 5 feet 10 1/2 inches; weight 178 pounds; visible distinctive marks none race Polish; nationality Polish I was born in Sierpc, Poland, on January 16, 1887 I am married. The name of my wife ex-husband is Apolonia we were married on November 20, 1912, at Conneaut, Ohio; she or he was born at Rypin, Poland, on April 10, 1897, entered the United States at New York, N. Y., on July 12, 1912, for permanent residence therein, and now resides at Conneaut, Ohio I have seven children, and the name, date and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Joanna, born Aug. 20, 1913. Sophie, born, July 24, 1915. Anna, born July 3, 1917. Stanley, born March 29, 1919. Jane, born March 19, 1921. George, born Feb. 22, 1923. Richard, born, April 27, 1929. All children were born at Conneaut, Ohio, and I have heretofore made a declaration of intention: Number 2296, on January 13, 1925 at Jefferson, Ohio Common Pleas Court my last foreign residence was Sierpc, Poland, I emigrated to the United States of America from Bremen, Germany, my lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at Baltimore, Maryland under the name of Stanislaw Plutnicki, on November 19, 1904 on the vessel unknown



I will, before being admitted to citizenship, renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly, by name, to the prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of which I may be at the time of admission a citizen or subject; 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 reside permanently therein; and I certify that the photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of me: So HELP ME GOD.

Stanislaw Plutnicki (Original signature of declarant without abbreviation, also alias, if used)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court, at Jefferson, Ohio this 27th day of July, anno Domini 1933. Certification No. 33 from the Commission of Naturalization showing the lawful entry of the declarant for permanent residence on the date stated above has been received by me. The photograph annexed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of the declarant.

[SEAL] 7X1181 Form 2202-L-A. U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR NATURALIZATION SERVICE

Jay W. Young, Clerk of the Common Pleas Court. Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

MAY 15 1933





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(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1501

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

The petition of Stanislaw Plutnicki, Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 729 Madison St., Conneaut, (2) My occupation is Car Repairer

(3) I was born in Sierpe, Poland on Jan. 16, 1887 My race is Polish

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on July 27, 1933, in the Common Pleas  
Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my wife Apollonia  
we were married on November 20, 1912 at Conneaut, Ohio she was  
born at Rypin, Poland on April 10, 1897; entered the United States  
at New York, N. Y. on July 12, 1912 for permanent residence therein, and now  
resides at Conneaut, Ohio I have 7 children, and the name, date,  
and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Joanna, born August 20, 1913; Sophie,  
born July 24, 1915; Anna, born July 3, 1917; Stanley, born March 29,  
1919; Jane, born March 19, 1921; George, born Feb. 22, 1923; Richard,  
born April 23, 1929; All children were born at Conneaut, Ohio, and  
reside at Conneaut, Ohio.

(6) My last foreign residence was Sierpe, Poland I emigrated to the United States of  
America from Bremen, Germany My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States  
was at Baltimore, Maryland under the name of Stanislaw Plutnicki,  
about November 19, 1904, on the vessel Unknown

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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 November 19, 1904, and in the County of Ashtabula,  
this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since July, 12, 1912 being a residence within said county of at least six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have read this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

Stanislaw Plutnicki  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

C. G. McNulty, occupation Car Dept. Foreman  
residing at 160 Pasadena Ave., Conneaut, Ohio and

Boleslaw Sadowski, occupation Car Inspector  
residing at 537 Lakeview Ave., 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with Stanislaw Plutnicki, the petitioner above mentioned, since August 1, 1930,

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Conneaut, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula,

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since August 1, 1930, 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.

C. G. McNulty Boleslaw Sadowski  
(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 at Jefferson, Ohio, this 20th day of August, Anno Domini 1933 I, Jay W. Young, certify that

2714 of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

Jay W. Young Edna O. Linn  
Clerk. Deputy Clerk. (SEAL)

No. 24913

Form 2204-1-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2613

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Stanislaw Kucinski*  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 14th day of April, A. D. 1936

*Jay W. Young*, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 8 of List No. 15 and Certificate No. 4066152 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

No. 7 19499

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records of the Department of Labor show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: New York, NY
Name: Kodolja, Valentine
Date: August 31, 1912
Manner of arrival: SS Kaiser Franz Josef I

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

May 18, 1933

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 at Jefferson, Ohio

I, Valentine Kodolja, now residing at 403 Depot St., Conneaut, Ohio, occupation car repairer, aged 47 years, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Sex male, color white, complexion dark, color of eyes dark brown, color of hair dark brown, height 5 feet 11 inches; weight 200 pounds; visible distinctive marks none

race Slovenian; nationality Italian

I was born in Zapuze, Austria (now Italy), on February 11, 1886

I am married. The name of my wife or husband is Antonia Kodolja

we were married on November 29, 1913, at Irvin, Pennsylvania; she or he was

born at Zapuze, Austria, on April 1, 1892, entered the United States

at New York, N. Y., on July 10, 1913, for permanent residence therein, and now

resides at 403 Depot St., Conneaut, Ohio. I have five children, and the name, date and place of birth,

and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Pauline, born Aug. 3, 1914, at Irvin,

Pa. Valentine, born June 18, 1916, at Conneaut, Antonia, born Nov.

10, 1917, at Conneaut. Rezi, born Nov. 4, 1919, at Conneaut. Mary,

born Nov. 4, 1919, at Conneaut. All children reside at Conneaut, Ohio.

I have not heretofore made a declaration of intention: Number, on

at my last foreign residence was Zapuze, Austria, (now Italy)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Trieste, Austria (now Italy),

my lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at New York, New York

under the name of Valentine Kodolja, on Aug. 31, 1912

on the vessel SS Kaiser Franz Josef I

I will, before being admitted to citizenship, renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly, by name, to the prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of which I may be at the time of admission a citizen or subject; 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 reside permanently therein; and I certify that the photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of me: SO HELP ME GOD.



Valentine Kodolja (Original signature of declarant without abbreviation, also alias, if used)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court, at Jefferson, Ohio this 8th day of July, anno Domini 1933. Certification No. 7-19499 from the Commissioner of Naturalization showing the lawful entry of the declarant for permanent residence on the date stated above, has been received by me. The photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of the declarant.

[SEAL]

Jay W. Young, Clerk of the Common Pleas Court. Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.



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(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1502

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Valentine Kodolja Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 403 Depot Street, Conneaut (2) My occupation is Car Knocker

(3) I was born in Zapuze, Italy on Feb. 11, 1886 My race is Slovenian

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on July 8, 1933 in the Common Pleas  
Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my wife or ~~husband~~ is Antonia Kodolja  
we were married on Nov. 29, 1913 at Irvin, Pennsylvania; she was

born at Zapuze, Austria (now Italy) on April 1, 1892; entered the United States  
at New York, N. Y. on July 10, 1913 for permanent residence therein, and now

resides at 403 Depot St., Conneaut, Ohio I have 5 children, and the name, date,  
and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Pauline, born Aug. 3, 1914 at Irvin,

Pa.; Valentine, born June 18, 1916, at Conneaut, O.; Antonia, born Nov.  
10, 1917, at Conneaut, O.; Rozi, born Nov. 4, 1919, at Conneaut, O.; Mary  
born Nov. 4, 1919 at Conneaut, O.; All resident at Conneaut, Ohio.

(6) My last foreign residence was Zapuze, Austria (now Italy) I emigrated to the United States of  
America from Trieste, Austria (now Italy) My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States  
was at New York, N. Y. under the name of Valentine Kodolja

on August 31, 1912 on the vessel SS Kaiser Franz Josef I  
as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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  
August 31, 1912 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since February 10, 1915, being a residence within said county of at least  
six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_  
at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the  
Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have { read } this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of  
my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition  
is signed by me with my full, true name.

*Valentine Kodolja*  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

J. C. Byers, occupation Merchant

residing at 133 Marshall St. Conneaut, Ohio, and

Nick Sebetich occupation Grocer

residing at 477 Chestnut Street, 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 and has been  
acquainted in the United States with

Valentine Kodolja, the petitioner above mentioned, since Aug. 1, 1930

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a  
part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at XXXXX Conneaut, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Aug. 1, 1930, 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 dis-  
posed 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.

*J. C. Byers* (Signature of witness) *Nick Sebetich* (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 at Jefferson, Ohio  
this 20th day of Aug., Anno Domini 19 35 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-19499

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. 2713  
of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

*Jay Bryan* Clerk. (SEAL)  
*Maxine Gibson* Deputy Clerk.

No 24912

Form 2204-1-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2618



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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Valentine Modelja*  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 15th day of April, A. D. 1936,

*Jay W. Young*, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 9 of List No. 15 and Certificate No. 3852268 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

No. 7 6745

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records of the Department of Labor show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: New York, NY  
Name: Olajos, Ferencz  
Date: April 21, 1906  
Manner of arrival: SS Pannonia

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

----- August 22, 1930 -----

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR.

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization

## IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF

Frank Olajos  
 -----  
 TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Petition No. 1503

Court 2537

## AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Herc Paulino, occupation Attorney  
 residing at 1105 Seymour Drive, 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 Frank Olajos  
 the petitioner above mentioned since August 1 1930, and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner  
(Month) (Day) (Year)  
 has resided in the United States at Ashtabula, in the County of Ashtabula  
(City or town)  
 State of Ohio, from August 1 1930 to the present date, and  
(Month) (Day) (Year) (Month) (Day) (Year)  
 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.

*Herc Paulino*  
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 (Signature of witness)

(Signature of witness)

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named witnesses  
 at Jefferson, O., this 14 day of April, \_\_\_\_\_,  
 anno Domini 1936

*Bonnie A. Warner*  
 -----  
 (Signature of attester)  
*Deputy Clerk Court of Leon Ohio*  
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 (Title of attester)

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 Co. at Jefferson, Ohio

I, Frank Olajos, now residing at 1008 West 38th Street, Ashtabula, Ohio, occupation Laborer, aged 40 years, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Sex male, color white, complexion fair, color of eyes brown, color of hair black, height 5 feet 3 inches; weight 150 pounds; visible distinctive marks none, race Magyar; nationality Hungarian. I was born in Irota, Hungary, on August 20, 1891. I am married. The name of my wife or husband is Mary, we were married on Feb 6, 1919, at Youngstown, Ohio; she or he was born at Boly, Hungary, on April 3, 1895, entered the United States at New York, N. Y., on Nov. 25, 1912, for permanent residence therein, 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 are as follows: Mary Margaret Olajos,

I have not heretofore made a declaration of intention: Number 2111, Date 2/11/19. I emigrated to the United States of America from Irota, Hungary, my lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at New York, N. Y., under the name of Ferencz Olajos, on April 21, 1906.



on the vessel SS Pannonia, I will, before being admitted to citizenship, renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly, by name, to the prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of which I may be at the time of admission a citizen or subject; 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 reside permanently therein; and I certify that the photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of me: So HELP ME GOD.

Frank Olajos (Original signature of declarant without abbreviation, also alias, if used)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court, at Jefferson, Ohio this 26 day of December anno Domini 1931 Certification No. 7-6745 from the Commissioner of Naturalization showing the lawful entry of the declarant for permanent residence on the date stated above, has been received by me. The photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of the declarant.

Cornelia A. Warbergh Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.
Pauline Hayes Deputy Clerk.

ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1503

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

(1) My place of residence is 1008 W. 38th St., Ashtabula, Ohio, My occupation is laborer  
(3) I was born in Irota, Hungary on Aug. 20, 1891 My race is Magyar  
(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on Dec. 26, 1931 in the Common Pleas  
Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio  
(5) I am married. The name of my wife Anna is Mary Olajos  
we were married on Feb. 6, 1919 at Youngstown, Ohio She was  
born at Boly, Hungary on April 3, 1895; entered the United States  
at New York, N. Y. on Nov. 25, 1912 for permanent residence therein, and now  
resides at Ashtabula, Ohio I have 1 childs and the name, date,  
and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows:

Mary, born Jan. 11, 1921 at Youngstown, Ohio and resides at  
Ashtabula, Ohio

(6) My last foreign residence was Irota, Hungary I emigrated to the United States of  
America from Fiume, Italy My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States  
was at New York, N. Y. under the name of Ferencz Olajos  
on April 21, 1906, on the vessel SS Pannonia  
as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.  
(9) 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  
April 21, 1906 and in the County of Ashtabula  
this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since April 17, 1924, being a residence within said county of at least six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_  
at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.  
Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have read this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

Frank Olajos  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Andy Geozzy, occupation laborer  
residing at 3625 Ann Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio, and  
John A. Getzy, occupation leather worker  
residing at 3625 Ann Ave., 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Frank Olajos, the petitioner above mentioned, since Aug. 1, 1930  
and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, Ohio in the County of Ashtabula  
this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Aug. 1, 1930, 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.

Andy Geozzy  
(Signature of witness)

John A. Getzy  
(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 at Jefferson, Ohio  
this 20th day of August, Anno Domini 1935 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-6745  
from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. 2687  
of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By Jay W. Young Clerk. (SEAL)  
Helen Cook Deputy Clerk.

No. 24910

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2613

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Frank Alajos*

(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 14<sup>th</sup> day of April, A. D. 1936

*Jay W. Young*, Clerk.

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

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

Petition granted: Line No. 10 of List No. 15 and Certificate No. 4066151 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

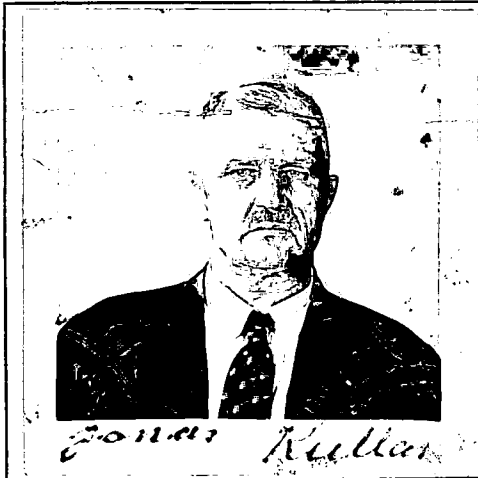
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The State of Ohio, } In the Common Pleas Court  
Ashtabula County, } ss: of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio

I, Jonas Kullas,  
now residing at 1005 Wrights Ave., Conneaut, Ohio  
occupation carpenter, aged 55 years, do declare on oath that my personal description is:  
Sex male, color white, complexion light, color of eyes blue  
color of hair gray, height 5 feet 8 inches; weight 185 pounds; visible distinctive marks  
smashed first finger left hand  
race Finnish; nationality Finnish  
I was born in Ilma Joki, Finland, on Aug. 12, 1877  
I am married. The name of my wife or husband is Anna  
we were married on Dec. 26, 1903, at Fairport Harbor, Ohio; she or he was  
born at Lappe, Finland, on August 5, 1880, entered the United States  
at Philadelphia, Pa., on April 1902, for permanent residence therein, 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 are as follows:

Anna Kullas, born Nov. 3, 1906 at Conneaut, Ohio, now resides  
at Conneaut, Ohio

I have not heretofore made a declaration of intention: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_  
my last foreign residence was Ilma Joki, Finland  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England  
my lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at Buffalo, New York,  
under the name of Jonas Kusela, on April 1902



Jonas Kullas

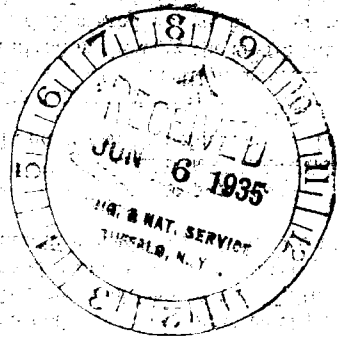
on the vessel Tunisia to Halifax, N.S. by Buffalo, N.Y.  
I will, before being admitted to citizenship, renounce forever all allegiance and  
fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly,  
by name, to the prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of which I may be at  
the time of admission a citizen or subject; 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 reside  
permanently therein; and I certify that the photograph affixed to the duplicate  
and triplicate hereof is a likeness of me: So HELP ME GOD.

Jonas Kullas  
(Original signature of declarant without abbreviation, also alias, if used)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court,  
at Jefferson, Ohio this 3rd day of July,  
anno Domini 1933. Certification No. \_\_\_\_\_ from the Commis-  
sioner of Naturalization showing the lawful entry of the declarant for permanent  
residence on the date stated above. The photograph affixed to the duplicate and  
triplicate hereof is a likeness of the declarant.

[SEAL]

Jay W. Young,  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.





ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

No. 1504

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

The petition of Jonas Kullas Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 1005 Wrights Ave., Conneaut, (2) My occupation is carpenter

(3) I was born in Ilma Joki, Finland on August 12, 1877 My race is Finnish

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on July 3, 1933 in the Common Pleas  
Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my wife ~~is~~ is Mona Kullas  
we were married on Dec. 26, 1903 at Fairport Harbor, Ohio he was

born at Lepua, Finland on Aug. 5, 1880; entered the United States  
at Philadelphia, Pa. on April 1908 for permanent residence therein, and now

resides at Conneaut, Ohio I have 1 childs, and the name, date,  
and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows:

Anna, born Nov. 3, 1906 at Conneaut, Ohio, and resides at  
Conneaut, Ohio

(6) My last foreign residence was Ilma Joki, Finland I emigrated to the United States of  
America from Halifax, Canada My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at Buffalo, New York, under the name of Jonas Kusela  
on April, 1908, on the vessel R. R.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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 April, 1908 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since April 1, 1908, being a residence within said county of at least six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~read~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

Jonas Kullas  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Urho Wm. Kitinoja occupation R. R. policeman  
residing at 895 Day St., Conneaut, Ohio, and

Jacob Helberg occupation boiler maker  
residing at 1017 Buffalo 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with Jonas Kullas, the petitioner above mentioned, since Aug. 1, 1930

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Conneaut, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Aug. 1, 1930, 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,

Urho Wm Kitinoja  
(Signature of witness)

Jacob Helberg  
(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 at Jefferson, Ohio this 20th day of August, Anno Domini 1935 I hereby certify that ~~declaration of intention No.~~

2711 of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By Jay W. Young, Clerk. (SEAL)  
Helena Coy, Deputy Clerk.

No. 24914

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*James Kullas*  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 14th day of April, A. D. 1936.

*Jay W. Young*, Clerk.

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

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

Petition granted: Line No. 11 of List No. 15 and Certificate No. 3852269 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

7X-1239

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 at Jefferson, Ohio

I, Jacob Soini, now residing at 890 Broad St., Conneaut, Ohio, occupation laborer, aged 50 years, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Sex male, color white, complexion fair, color of eyes blue, color of hair brown, height 5 feet 5 1/2 inches; weight 150 pounds; visible distinctive marks scar on upper lip, race Finnish; nationality Finnish. I was born in Iso Kyro, Finland, on July 27, 1882. I am married. The name of my wife or husband is Emma. we were married on April 8, 1919, at Conneaut, Ohio; she or he was born at Ylistaro, Finland, on July 25, 1888, entered the United States at New York, N. Y., on April 1916, for permanent residence therein, and now resides at Conneaut, Ohio. I have two children, and the name, date and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows:

Arne Jacob Soini, born July 13, 1919, at Conneaut, Ohio.
Alice Sophia Soini, born Nov. 13, 1920, at Conneaut, Ohio.
Both children reside at Conneaut, Ohio.
I have not heretofore made a declaration of intention: Number, on, at, my last foreign residence was Iso Kyro, Finland, I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England, my lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at Philadelphia, Pa., under the name of Jacob Soini, on December 1902, on the vessel America.



I will, before being admitted to citizenship, renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly, by name, to the prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of which I may be at the time of admission a citizen or subject; 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 reside permanently therein; and I certify that the photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of me: So HELP ME GOD.

Jacob Soini (Original signature of declarant without abbreviation, also alias, if used)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court, at Jefferson, Ohio this 3rd day of July, anno Domini 1933. Certification from the Commissioner of Naturalization showing the lawful entry of the declarant for permanent residence on this date and that he has been approved by me. The photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of the declarant.

Jay W. Young, Clerk of the Common Pleas Court. Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.



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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Jarab Sairi  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 14th day of April, A. D. 1936.

Jay W. Young, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 12 of List No. 15 and Certificate No. 3852270 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

ORIGINAL

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE

Petition No. 1506

Court Common Pleas

**CERTIFICATE OF EXAMINATION** Jefferson, Ohio

I hereby certify that Amelia Bucieri, a.k.a. Amelia Butcher  
(Name)  
residing at 911 W. 41st St., Ashtabula, Ohio

an applicant for citizenship, and the required two witnesses, namely,

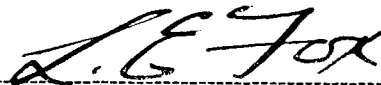
Mary Turano, residing at 919 W. 41st St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Name)

Herc. Paulino, residing at 1105 Seymour Drive, Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Name)

appeared before me and were examined on August 20, 19 35

in accordance with the act of Sec. 4, Sept. 22, 1922, as amended, 19  
and that the statements contained in the said applicant's petition for citizenship constitute the record of such examination.

NOTE TO CLERK.—THIS CERTIFICATION  
MUST BE ATTACHED TO THE ORIGINAL  
PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP AT THE  
TIME OF FILING.



U. S. Naturalization Examiner.



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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Amelia Butcher  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1935.

Jay W. Young, Clerk.

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

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

Petition granted: Line No. 24 of List No. 14 and Certificate No. 3852257 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_



ORIGINAL

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE

Petition No. 1507

Court Common Pleas

**CERTIFICATE OF EXAMINATION** Jefferson, Ohio

I hereby certify that Loretta Orsuto,  
(Name)

residing at 1115 Harmon Road, Ashtabula, Ohio

an applicant for citizenship, and the required two witnesses, namely,

Mary Grace De Angelo, residing at 808 E. 9th St., Ashtabula,  
(Name) Ohio

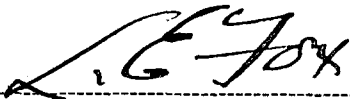
Joe Sunday, residing at 935 E. 16th St., Ashtabula,  
(Name) Ohio

appeared before me and were examined on August 20, 1935

in accordance with the act of Sec. 4, Sept. 22, 1922, as amended, 19    

and that the statements contained in the said applicant's petition for citizenship constitute the record of such examination.

NOTE TO CLERK.—THIS CERTIFICATION  
MUST BE ATTACHED TO THE ORIGINAL  
PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP AT THE  
TIME OF FILING.



U. S. Naturalization Examiner.



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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Loretta Orsuto*

(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 14th day of April, A. D. 1936

*Jay W. Young*, Clerk.

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

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

Petition granted: Line No. 13 of List No. 15 and Certificate No. 3852273 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

ORIGINAL

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE

Petition No. 1508

Court Common Pleas  
Jefferson, Ohio

**CERTIFICATE OF EXAMINATION**

I hereby certify that Rosemary Foster Thompson  
(Name)  
residing at 4120 Station Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio

an applicant for citizenship, and the required two witnesses, namely,

Nora Bond Gillen, residing at 16 Jefferson Rd., Ashtabula  
(Name) Ohio  
Elmer S. Smith, residing at R. F. D. 2, Ashtabula, Ohio  
(Name)

appeared before me and were examined on August 20, 1935

in accordance with the act of Sec. No. 4, Sept. 22, 1922, as amended, 19

and that the statements contained in the said applicant's petition for citizenship constitute the record of such examination.

**NOTE TO CLERK.—THIS CERTIFICATION  
MUST BE ATTACHED TO THE ORIGINAL  
PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP AT THE  
TIME OF FILING.**

  
U. S. Naturalization Examiner.

ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1508

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Rosemary Foster Thompson Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 4120 Station Ave., Ashtabula, My occupation is housewife

(3) I was born in Fairport Harbor, Ohio on Dec. 28, 1895 My race is Irish

(4) I ~~was previously a citizen of the United States of America~~ ~~and was naturalized~~ ~~in the year~~ ~~1915~~ ~~at~~ ~~the place~~ ~~of~~ ~~Jefferson, Ohio~~

(5) I am not married. The name of my ~~former~~ husband is James Bell Thompson  
we were married on Dec. 28, 1919 at Patgesville, Ohio;

he was born at Ahoghill, Ireland on July 30, 1885; entered the United States  
at New York, N. Y. on Nov. 22, 1909 for permanent residence therein, and now

resides at 4120 Station Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio I have two children, and the name, date,  
and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows:

James, born Sept. 12, 1922; Arthur, born Dec. 7, 1930;  
both children were born at Ashtabula, Ohio and reside at  
Ashtabula, Ohio

(6) My last foreign residence was None

~~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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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, by the Grace

of God, of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India,  
of whom (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), ~~and who is the Emperor of India~~ (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) I have resided continuously in the United States of America ~~from the date of my naturalization~~ since Dec. 28, 1895 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since June, 1915

Petition filed under Sec. 4, Sept. 22, 1922, as amended

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_  
at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my ~~own~~ ~~affidavits~~ ~~of~~ ~~two~~ ~~verifying~~ ~~witnesses~~ ~~required~~ ~~by~~ ~~law.~~

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to I have not acquired any other nationality by affirmative act.

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have ~~read~~ ~~and~~ ~~understand~~ ~~the~~ ~~contents~~ ~~thereof;~~ ~~that~~ ~~the~~ ~~same~~ ~~is~~ ~~true~~ ~~of~~ ~~my~~ ~~own~~ ~~knowledge~~ ~~except~~ ~~as~~ ~~to~~ ~~matters~~ ~~herein~~ ~~stated~~ ~~to~~ ~~be~~ ~~alleged~~ ~~upon~~ ~~information~~ ~~and~~ ~~belief,~~ and that as to those matters I believe it to be true that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

*Rosemary Foster Thompson*  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Nora Bond Gillen occupation deputy auditor  
residing at 16 Jefferson Rd., Ashtabula, Ohio, and

Elmer S. Smith occupation administrator  
residing at R. V. D. 2, 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with Rosemary Foster Thompson

Rosemary Foster Thompson, the petitioner above mentioned, ~~and~~

~~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.~~

*Nora Bond Gillen* (Signature of witness) *Elmer S. 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 at Jefferson, Ohio  
this 20th day of August, Anno Domini 1935

~~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.~~

By Jay W. Young Clerk. (SEAL)  
Helen Cobb Deputy Clerk.

No. 24917

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2018

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~~ <sup>Edward VIII</sup> by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Seas, Emperor of India of whom (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Josephine Thompson*  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court: this 15th day of April, A. D. 1936

*Jay W. Young*, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 1 of List No. 16 and Certificate No. 4066180 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

ORIGINAL

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE

Petition No. 1509  
Court Common Pleas

CERTIFICATE OF EXAMINATION Jefferson, Ohio

I hereby certify that Susanna Emilia Finnila  
(Name)  
residing at 2028 West 11th St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
an applicant for citizenship, and the required two witnesses, namely,

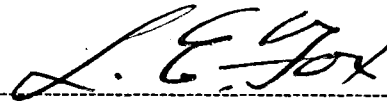
Ina Marie Witherell  
(Name), residing at R. D. 2, Ashtabula, Ohio

Pearl Salo  
(Name), residing at 1707 W. 14th St., Ashtabula Ohio

appeared before me and were examined on August 20, 1935.

in accordance with the act of Sec. 4, Sept. 22, 1922, as amended, 19      
and that the statements contained in the said applicant's petition for citizenship constitute the record of such examination.

NOTE TO CLERK.—THIS CERTIFICATION  
MUST BE ATTACHED TO THE ORIGINAL  
PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP AT THE  
TIME OF FILING.



U. S. Naturalization Examiner.

ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1509

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Susanna Emilia Finnilla hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 2028 West 11th St., Ashtabula, Ohio My occupation is housewife

(3) I was born in Ashtabula, Ohio on July 19, 1891 My race is Finnish

(4) ~~My father's name is [REDACTED] and my mother's name is [REDACTED]~~

(5) I am married. The name of my ~~husband~~ husband is Matti Jalmer Finnilla  
we were married on Feb. 22, 1918 at Erie, Pennsylvania; he was

born at Veteli, Finland on Nov. 7, 1888; entered the United States  
at Boston, Mass. on March 14, 1907 for permanent residence therein, and now

resides at Ashtabula, Ohio I have 1 childx and the name, date,  
and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows:

Allen, born Feb. 7, 1926 at Ashtabula, Ohio, and resides at  
Ashtabula, Ohio

(6) My last foreign residence was None

~~My last foreign residence was [REDACTED]~~

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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

(8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) I have resided continuously in the United States of America for July 19, 1891 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since July 19, 1891

Petition filed under Sec. 4, Sept. 22, 1922, as amended.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to

I have not acquired any other nationality by affirmative act.

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~signed~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

Susanna Emilia Finnilla  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Ina Marie Witherell, occupation housewife

residing at R. D. 2, Ashtabula, Ohio, and

Pearl Salo, occupation housewife

residing at 1707 W. 14th St., Ashtabula, Ohio

Susanna Emilia Finnilla, the petitioner above mentioned,

~~is a citizen of the United States of America~~

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.

Ina Marie Witherell Pearl Salo

(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 at Jefferson, Ohio

this 20th day of August, Anno Domini 1935

By Jay W. Young Clerk. (SEAL)  
Helen Coy Deputy Clerk.

No. 24919

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2018



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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Susanna Emilia Finnila  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 14th day of April, A. D. 1936

Jay W. Young, Clerk.

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

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

Petition granted: Line No. 14 of List No. 15 and Certificate No. 4066160 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

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No. 2629

# 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 August Nikola, aged 41 years,  
occupation car repairer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white complexion medium, height 5 feet 11 1/2 inches,  
weight 180 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes blue

other visible distinctive marks first joint of first finger on right hand gone  
I was born in Isokyro, Finland

on the 13th day of July, anno Domini 1 887; I now reside  
at 877 Harbor Ave., Conneaut, Ohio

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

I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England  
on the vessel Etruria; my last  
foreign residence was Isokyro, Finland; I am not married;

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

~~my wife~~ ~~husband~~ ~~he~~ was born at ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~

~~and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_~~ I will before being admitted to citizenship  
renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, State, or sovereignty,  
and particularly, by name, to the prince, potentate, State, or sovereignty of which I may be at  
the time of admission a citizen or subject; I arrived at the port of New York

in the State of New York, on or about the 26th day  
of February, anno Domini 1 905; 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 August Nikola  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 29th day of June, anno Domini 192 9.

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Helen Coy, Deputy Clerk.

ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1510

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

The petition of Jacob August Nikula, Conneaut, Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 877 Harbor St., Conneaut, Ohio (2) My occupation is car repairer

(3) I was born in Isokyro, Finland on July 13, 1887 My race is Finnish

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on June 29, 1929 in the Common Pleas

Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am not married. The name of my wife or husband is \_\_\_\_\_

we were married on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_; he was

born at \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_; entered the United States

at \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ for permanent residence therein, 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 are as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

(6) My last foreign residence was Isokyro, Finland I emigrated to the United States of

America from Liverpool, England My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at New York, N. Y. under the name of Jacob August Nikula

on February 26, 1905 on the vessel Etruria

~~at New York, N. Y. on the vessel Etruria.~~

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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

February 26, 1905 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since February 27, 1905, being a residence within said county of at least

six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, ~~and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.~~

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~read~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

Jacob August Nikula  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

John A. Kananen, occupation car repairer

residing at 868 Harbor St., Conneaut, Ohio, and

Waino Pekonen, occupation tug fireman

residing at 889 Harbor 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Jacob August Nikula, the petitioner above mentioned, since Jan. 1, 1931

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a

part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Conneaut, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Jan. 1, 1931, 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 A. Kananen  
(Signature of witness)

Waino A. Pekonen  
(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 at Jefferson, Ohio

this 13th day of January, Anno Domini 1936 I hereby certify that ~~the above-named~~

~~for the Department of Labor, having been duly sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America, and that in his opinion the petitioner is in every way qualified to be admitted a citizen of the United States.~~

2629 of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By Jay W. Young Clerk.  
Helen Cox Deputy Clerk.

No. 24920

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2013

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Jacob August Mikela  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 14th day of April, A. D. 1936.

Jay Young, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 15 of List No. 15 and Certificate No. 4066161 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

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 at Jefferson, Ohio

I, Hjalmar Rankinen now residing at 976 Buffalo Street, Ashtabula, Ohio occupation laborer, aged 51 years, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Sex male, color white, complexion light, color of eyes blue, color of hair light brown, height 5 feet 7 inches; weight 160 pounds; visible distinctive marks

race Finnish; nationality Finnish

I was born in Karstula, Finland, on January 4, 1882

I am married. The name of my wife is Hilma Rankinen

we were married on Dec 15, 1904, at Conneaut, Ohio; she or he was born at Liahia, Finland, on Oct 11, 1885, entered the United States

at New York, New York, on July 4, 1903, for permanent residence therein, and now resides at Conneaut, Ohio. I have six children, and the name, date and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows:

- Lillian born 8-5-1909 at Conneaut, O.; William born 6-6-1911 at Conneaut, Ohio. Pearl born 11-5-1813 at Conneaut, O.; Alice, 1-5-1916 at Conneaut, O.; Annie born 8-29-1916 at Conneaut, O. All children reside in Conneaut, Ohio.

I have not heretofore made a declaration of intention: Number, on at

my last foreign residence was Karstula, Finland, (Name of court)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Hager, Finland, (Country)

my lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at Boston, Mass., (State)

under the name of Hjalmar Rankinen, on May 17, 1902, (Year)

on the vessel Maritana (If other than by vessel, state manner of arrival)

I will, before being admitted to citizenship, renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly, by name, to the prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of which I may be at the time of admission a citizen or subject; 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 reside permanently therein; and I certify that the photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of me: So HELP ME GOD.



Hjalmar Rankinen (Original signature of declarant without abbreviation, also alias, if used)

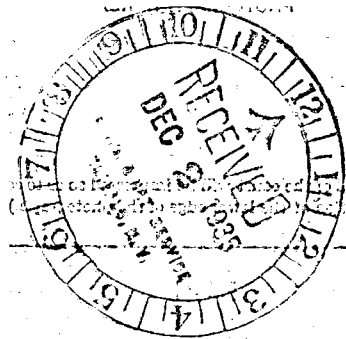
Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court, at Jefferson, Ohio this 17th day of August, anno Domini 1933. Certification No. 7x-1251 from the Commissioner of Naturalization showing the lawful entry of the declarant for permanent residence on the date stated above, has been received by me. The photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of the declarant.

Jay W. Young, Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

[SEAL]

71-1251



ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

No. 1511

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

The petition of Hjalmar Rankinen, Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 976 Buffalo St., Conneaut, Ohio (2) My occupation is Vesselman

(3) I was born in Karstula, Finland on Jan. 4, 1882 My race is Finnish

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on Aug. 17, 1933 in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio,

(5) I am married. The name of my wife ~~is~~ Hilma Rankinen, we were married on Dec. 15, 1904 at Conneaut, Ohio; She was

born at Laihia, Finland on Oct. 14, 1885; entered the United States at New York, N. Y. on July 4, 1903 for permanent residence therein, and now resides at Conneaut, Ohio I have 6 children, and the name, date,

and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Laina (Sharp), born April 9, 1910; Lillian, born August 5, 1909; William, born June 6, 1911; Pearl, born November 5, 1913; Alice, born April 5, 1916; Annie, born August 29, 1918. All children were born in Conneaut, Ohio, also reside in Conneaut, Ohio.

(6) My last foreign residence was Karstula, Finland I emigrated to the United States of America from Hanger, Finland My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at Boston, Mass. under the name of Hjalmar Rankinen,

on May 17, 1902, on the vessel Maritana as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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 May 17, 1902 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since May 1902, being a residence within said county of at least six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, ~~with the certificate of my arrival and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.~~ Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~heard and read~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

Hjalmar Rankinen  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Jacob Malli, occupation Laborer residing at 959 Buffalo St., Conneaut, Ohio, and

John Perala, occupation Laborer residing at 951 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Hjalmar Rankinen, the petitioner above mentioned, since Jan. 1, 1931, and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which, this affidavit is a part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Conneaut, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula,

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Jan. 1, 1931 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.

Jacob Malli (Signature of witness) John Perala (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 at Jefferson, Ohio, this 13th day of January, Anno Domini 1936, I hereby certify that ~~the above-named~~

~~the above-named~~ declaration of intention No. 2716 of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

Jay W. Young Clerk.  
Alma Klind Deputy Clerk.

(SEAL)

No. 24921

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-3613

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Hjalmar Rankinen  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 20th day of April, A. D. 1937

Jay W. Young, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 1 of List No. 19 and Certificate No. 4110096 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from April 14, 1936 to Sept. 29, 1936 Reason study  
" Sept. 29, 1936 to April 1937 " "



U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

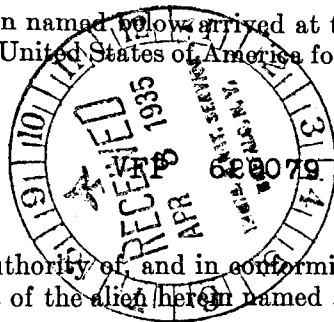
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No. \_\_\_\_\_

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Name: Hamilton, Agnes  
Port of entry: New York, NY  
Date: May 15, 1920  
Manner of arrival: SS Columbia



I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

----- March 26, 1935 -----  
(Date)

*Byron H. Uhl*  
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BYRON H. UHL,  
District Director  
New York District  
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*John J. [unclear]*



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~~ <sup>Edward VIII</sup>, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India, of whom (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Agnes Hamilton Porter*  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 14th day of April, A. D. 1936;

*Jay W. Young*  
Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 16 of List No. 15 and Certificate No. 3852266 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE

No. 5 47936

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: New York, N.Y.  
Name: Whyte, Wallace H  
Date: July 28, 1912  
Manner of arrival: SS Columbia

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

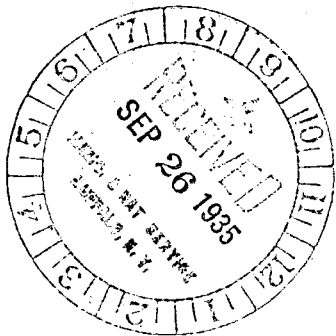
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

Sept. 5, 1935.

(Date)

  
BYRON H. UHL,  
District Director  
New York District

*Samuel Johnson*



No. 2595

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DECLARATION OF INTENTION  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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, Wallace Hill Whyte, aged 19 years,  
occupation sailor, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white complexion fair, height 5 feet 6 1/2 inches,  
weight 153 pounds, color of hair light brown, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks nail of 2nd finger on left hand gone

I was born in Forfar, Scotland  
on the 29th day of June, anno Domini 1909; I now reside  
at 20 1/2 Walnut 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 (do not remember) 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 Forfar, Scotland; I am not married; ~~transmission~~

~~of my (wife) (husband) (she) (he)~~  
~~and my (wife) (husband) (she) (he)~~

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, by the Grace of  
God, of Great Britain, Ireland, etc.

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 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.

Wallace Hill Whyte  
(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 1929.

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner,

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

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(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

No. 1513

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

The petition of Wallace Hill Whyte, Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 1122 Walnut Blvd. Ashtabula My occupation is sailor

(3) I was born in Forfar, Scotland on June 29, 1909 My race is Scotch

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on April 1, 1929 in the Common Pleas  
Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am not married. The name of my wife or husband is \_\_\_\_\_  
we were married on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_; he was

born at \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_; entered the United States  
at \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ for permanent residence therein, 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 are as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

(6) My last foreign residence was Forfar, Scotland I emigrated to the United States of  
America from Grennock, Scotland

was at New York, N. Y., under the name of Wallace H. Whyte, My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States  
on July 28, 1912, on the vessel SS Columbia

as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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, by the Grace

of God, of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British Dominions beyond the  
Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India

of whom (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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  
July 28, 1912 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since July 29, 1912, being a residence within said county of at least  
six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_  
at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the  
Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~signed~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of  
my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition  
is signed by me with my full, true name.

Wallace Hill Whyte  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Margaret A. Pelly, occupation housewife  
residing at 1317 W. 4th St., Ashtabula, Ohio, and

Adelaide E. Taylor occupation housewife  
residing at 1211 W. 5th 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 and has been  
acquainted in the United States with

Wallace Hill Whyte, the petitioner above mentioned, since Jan. 1, 1931  
and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a  
part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Jan. 1, 1931, 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 dis-  
posed 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.

Margaret A. Pelly (Signature of witness) Adelaide E. Taylor (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 at Jefferson, Ohio  
this 13th day of January, Anno Domini 1936 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 5-47936

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. \_\_\_\_\_  
2595 of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

Jay W. Young, Clerk. (SEAL)  
Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

No. 24923

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2013



OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abiure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to ~~George V~~ <sup>Edward VIII</sup>, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland, and ~~the~~ British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India of whom (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Wallace Hill Whyte*  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 14<sup>th</sup> day of April, A. D. 1936

*Jay W. Young*, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 17 of List No. 15 and Certificate No. 4066153 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_



ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1514

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

The petition of Eliina Nojonen, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is Dorset, Ohio (2) My occupation is Housewife

(3) I was born in Orihvedella, Finland on Nov. 2, 1903 My race is Finnish

(4) ~~XXXXXX~~

~~XXXXXX~~

(5) I am married. The name of my ~~wife~~ husband is Anselmi, Nojonen,

we were married on Nov. 19, 1904 at Ashtabula, Ohio; he was

born at Verrat, Pitaja, Finland on July 22, 1874; entered the United States

at New York, N. Y. on May, 1903 for permanent residence therein, and now

resides at Dorset, Ohio I have 3 children, and the name, date,

and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Arvi, born, July 17, 1907; Ashtabula,

Ohio; Olavi, born June 25, 1911, Ashtabula, Ohio; Keyo, born July 8, 1913,

Ashtabula, Ohio. Arvi Nojonen resides in Ashtabula, Ohio; Other children

reside in Dorset, Ohio.

Husband was naturalized Sept. 26, 1925, in Common Pleas Court, at Jefferson,

Ohio, (6) My last foreign residence was Tapere, Finland I emigrated to the United States of

America from Liverpool, England My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at New York, N. Y. under the name of ~~Eliina Nojonen~~ Eliina Anttila

on May 31, 1903 on the vessel Umbria

~~XXXXXX~~

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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

May 31, 1903 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since June 1, 1903 ~~XXXXXX~~

~~XXXXXX~~  
Petition filed under Section 2, Act of September 22, 1922

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are ~~XXXXXX~~ the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have ~~XXXXXX~~ {heard read} this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of

my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition

is signed by me with my full, true name.

Eliina Nojonen  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Emil Alkula, occupation Carpenter

residing at 2721 Carso Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio, and

Emilia Oberg, occupation Housewife

residing at R. F. D. 2, 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 and has been

acquainted in the United States with Eliina Nojonen, the petitioner above mentioned, since Jan. 1, 1935

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a

part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Dorset, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Jan. 1, 1935, 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 dis-

posed 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,

Emil Alkula Emilia Oberg

(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 at Jefferson, Ohio

this 13th day of January, Anno Domini 19 36 ~~XXXXXX~~

~~XXXXXX~~

~~XXXXXX~~

Jay W. Young, Clerk. (SEAL)  
By Alma Blinn, Deputy Clerk.

No 24924

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2615

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Eliina Naamanen*  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 14th day of April, A. D. 1936

*Jay W. Young*, Clerk.

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

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

Petition granted: Line No. 18 of List No. 15 and Certificate No. 3852272 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1515

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

The petition of Herman Jokinen, Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 1730 W. 15th St., Ashtabula (2) My occupation is car repairer

(3) I was born in Parkano, Finland on May 15, 1887 My race is Finnish

(4) ~~My last foreign residence was~~ Ashtabula, Ohio ~~on~~ March 13, 1916 ~~at~~ Ashtabula, Ohio ~~where~~ we were married ~~on~~ March 13, 1916 ~~at~~ Ashtabula, Ohio ~~and~~ born at Ashtabula, Ohio ~~on~~ Nov. 22, 1895 ~~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 are as follows: Norma Jean, born Nov. 24, 1924, at Ashtabula, Ohio and resides at Ashtabula, Ohio.

(5) I am not married. The name of my wife Wilma S. Jokinen

we were married on March 13, 1916 at Ashtabula, Ohio he was

born at Ashtabula, Ohio on Nov. 22, 1895 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 are as follows: Norma Jean, born Nov. 24, 1924, at Ashtabula, Ohio and resides at Ashtabula, Ohio.

My wife is a United States Citizen by naturalization. She was naturalized in Common Pleas Court at Jefferson, Ohio on April 16, 1935, Certificate No. being 3813536.

(6) My last foreign residence was Parkano, Finland I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at New York, N. Y. under the name of Herman Jokinen on May 3, 1904 on the vessel unknown

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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 May 3, 1904 and in the County of Ashtabula this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since May 4, 1904

Petition filed under Sec. 2, Act Sept. 22, 1922 as amended

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have read this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

Herman Jokinen  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Henry Nieminen, occupation pipe fitter, N. Y. C.

residing at 1821 W. 13th St., Ashtabula, Ohio, and

John B. Bihlajama, occupation salesman

residing at 1625 Ohio Ave., 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Herman Jokinen, the petitioner above mentioned, since Jan. 1, 1933

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Jan. 1, 1933 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.

Henry Nieminen (Signature of witness)

John B. Bihlajama (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 at Jefferson, Ohio

this 13th day of January, Anno Domini 1936

from the Department of Labor, showing the actual entry for permanent residence of \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ of each petitioner, has been by the said \_\_\_\_\_

Jay W. Young Clerk. (SEAL)  
Helen C. Young Deputy Clerk.

No. 24925

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2618

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Herman Jokinen*

(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 14th day of April, A. D. 1936.

*Jay W. Young*, Clerk.

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

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

Petition granted: Line No. 19 of List No. 15 and Certificate No. 3852267 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE

No. 7 20308

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records of the Department of Labor show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

**NATURALIZATION SERVICE**

**RECEIVED**

Port of entry: New York, NY  
Name: Talso, Milda  
Date: November 27, 1916  
Manner of arrival: SS Frederik VIII

**OCT 6 1933**

**DISTRICT DIRECTOR**

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

October 4, 1933

(Date)

*Edward Corsi*

EDWARD CORSI,

Commissioner, New York District

Replies P Murray



TRIPPLICATE  
(To be given to  
declarant)

No. 2450

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

(Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof)

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

I, Mikko Talso,  
(Full true name, without abbreviation, and any other name which has been used, must appear here)  
now residing at 941 Sandusky St., Conneaut, Ohio  
(Number of Street) (City or town) (County) (State)  
occupation Iron Worker Conneaut, Dock Co., aged 23 years, do declare on oath that my personal description is:  
Sex male, color white, complexion Pale, color of eyes blue  
color of hair light Brown, height 5 feet 9 inches; weight 194 pounds; visible distinctive marks  
scar on left knee and on left wrist  
race Finish; nationality Finland  
I was born in Maasan Laani, Finland, on March 9, 1890  
(City or town) (Country) (Day) (Month) (Year)  
I am married. The name of my wife or husband is Hilma Talso  
we were married on July 11, 1916, at Lahia, Finland  
(Month) (Day) (Year) (City or town) (State or country)  
born at Lahia, Finland, on July 17, 1883, entered the United States  
(City or town) (State or country) (Day) (Month) (Year)  
at New York, on July, 1907, for permanent residence therein, and now  
(City or town) (State) (Month) (Day) (Year)  
resides at 941 Sandusky St., Conneaut, have 1 children, and the name, date and place of birth,  
(City or town) (State or country) (Day) (Month) (Year)  
and place of residence of each of said children are as follows:  
Maire Ilmi Elizabeth Talso, born 4/16/1917 at Iso Kyla, Finland,  
Now residing at Conneaut, Ohio.

I have not heretofore made a declaration of intention: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_ (Date)  
at \_\_\_\_\_ (City or town) \_\_\_\_\_ (State) \_\_\_\_\_ (Name of court)  
my last foreign residence was Iso Kyla, Finland. (City or town) (Country)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Christina, Norway. (City or town) (Country)  
my lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at New York, N. Y. (City or town) (State)  
under the name of Mikko Talso, on November 27, 1916 (Day) (Month) (Year)  
on the vessel SS Frederik VIII (If other than by vessel, state manner of arrival)

I will, before being admitted to citizenship, renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly, by name, to the prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of which I may be at the time of admission a citizen or subject; 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 reside permanently therein; and I certify that the photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of me: So HELP ME GOD.



Mikko Talso  
(Original signature of declarant without abbreviation, also alias, if used)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court, at Jefferson, Ohio, this 6th day of November, anno Domini 1933 Certification No. 7-20308 from the Commissioner of Naturalization showing the lawful entry of the declarant for permanent residence on the date stated above, has been received by me. The photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of the declarant.

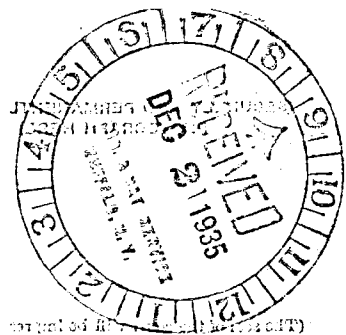
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Jay A. Young  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By Alma Heine, Deputy Clerk.  
14-2623

FORM 2202-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE

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(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1516

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

The petition of Mikko Talso Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 941 Sandusky St. Conneaut / (2) My occupation is laborer

(3) I was born in Waasan Laani, Finland on Mar. 9, 1890 My race is Finnish

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on November 6, 1933 in the Common Pleas

Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my wife or ~~husband~~ is Hilma Talso

we were married on July 11, 1916 at Laahia, Finland he was

born at Laahia, Finland on July 17, 1883; entered the United States

at New York, New York on July 1921 for permanent residence therein, and now

resides at Conneaut, Ohio I have 1 children, and the name, date,

and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Marie I. E. Talso, born April 4,

1917 at Iso Kyla, Finland, resides in Conneaut, Ohio

(6) My last foreign residence was Isakyro, Finland I emigrated to the United States of

America from Christina Norway My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at New York, N. Y. under the name of Mikko Talso

on November 27, 1916, on the vessel XXXXXXXXXXXXX SS Frederik

as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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

Nov. 27, 1916 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since Nov. 28, 1916, being a residence within said county of at least six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have {read heard read} this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

Mikko Talso  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Jacob Malli, occupation Mechanic

residing at 959 Buffalo St. Conneaut, Ohio, and

John Perala, occupation Oiler

residing at 951 Sandusky Street, 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Mikko Talso, the petitioner above mentioned, since Jan. 1, 1931

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a

part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Conneaut, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Jan. 1, 1931, 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.

Jacob Malli  
(Signature of witness)

John Perala  
(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 at Jefferson, Ohio

this 13th day of Jan., Anno Domini 1936 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-20308

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. \_\_\_\_\_

2730 of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By Jay Young Clerk.  
Maxine Gibson Deputy Clerk.

(SEAL)

No. 24926

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2618

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Mikka Talva  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 14th day of April, A. D. 1934

Jay W. Young, Clerk.  
By Jay W. Young, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 20 of List No. 15 and Certificate No. 4066162 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

ORIGINAL

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE

Petition No. 1517  
Court 2537

**CERTIFICATE OF EXAMINATION**

I hereby certify that Amelia Sorice  
(Name)  
residing at 737 E. 6th St., Ashtabula, Ohio

an applicant for citizenship, and the required two witnesses, namely,

Anthony E. Candela, residing at 1539 Columbus Ave., Ashtabula, O.

Joseph J. Smith  
(Name), residing at 732 E. 6th St., Ashtabula, O.  
(Name)

appeared before me and were examined on January 13, 1936

in accordance with the act of September 22, 1922, Section Four, 19

and that the statements contained in the said applicant's petition for citizenship constitute the record of such examination.

NOTE TO CLERK.—THIS CERTIFICATION  
MUST BE ATTACHED TO THE ORIGINAL  
PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP AT THE  
TIME OF FILING.



U. S. Naturalization Examiner.

ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

No. 1517

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

The petition of Amelia Sorice Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 1213 W. 3rd St. Ashtabula (2) My occupation is housewife

(3) I was born in Ashtabula, Ohio on March 25, 1898 My race is SO. Italian

(4) I have been married to Antonio Sorice on Sept. 14, 1916 at Ashtabula, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my wife or husband is Antonio Sorice

we were married on Sept. 14, 1916 at Ashtabula, Ohio; he was

born at Oct. 16, 1889 on Sperone, Italy; entered the United States

at New York, N. Y. on May 1905 for permanent residence therein, 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 are as follows: Rose, born Oct. 4, 1917; Constance,

born Dec. 8, 1921; Eleanor, born Aug. 5, 1924; Marie born Sept. 13, 1926;

Dorothy Sorice born August 24, 1929; Anthony, born Dec. 12, 1931; All were

born in Ashtabula, Ohio and all reside in Ashtabula, Ohio.

(6) I have resided continuously in the United States of America since March 25, 1898

and in the County of Ashtabula this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since March 25, 1898

being a residence within said county of at least six months next preceding the date of this petition.

Petition filed under Sec. 4, Sept. 22, 1922 as amended.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of said arrival and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to Victor Emmanuel III, King of Italy

I have not acquired any other nationality by affirmative act.

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~heard read~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

Amelia Sorice  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Anthony Candela occupation Insurance Salesman

residing at 1539 Columbus Ave. Ashtabula, Ohio, and

Joseph H. Smith, occupation Investigator

residing at 732 East 6th 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Amelia Sorice, the petitioner above mentioned, since Jan. 1, 1935

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above entitled petition is made, continuously since Jan. 1, 1935 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.

Anthony E. Candela (Signature of witness)

J. H. 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 at Jefferson, Ohio

this 13th day of Jan., Anno Domini 1936 hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. \_\_\_\_\_

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. \_\_\_\_\_

of said petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date: \_\_\_\_\_

By Jay Young Clerk.  
Maude Gibson Deputy Clerk.

(SEAL)

No. 24927

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2013

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Amelia Sorice  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 14<sup>th</sup> day of April, A. D. 1936,

Jay W. Young, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 21 of List No. 15 and Certificate No 3852274 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

No. 2627

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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, Onni Anshelm Moisio, aged 39 years, occupation Shoe Repairer, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color ~~White~~ complexion ~~Fair~~, height 5 feet 2 1/2 inches, weight 145 pounds, color of hair ~~Light Brown~~, color of eyes ~~Blue~~ other visible distinctive marks ~~None~~

I was born in ~~Karstula, Finland~~ on the 1st day of ~~March~~, anno Domini 1890; I now reside at ~~985 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 ~~Umbria~~; my last foreign residence was ~~Karstula, Finland~~; I am married; the name of my <sup>wife</sup> ~~husband~~ is ~~Hilja~~; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born at ~~Isokyro, Finland~~ and now resides at ~~Conneaut, Ohio.~~

I will before being admitted to citizenship renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, State, or sovereignty, and particularly, by name, to the prince, potentate, State, or sovereignty of which I may be at the time of admission a citizen or 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 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.

*Onni Anshelm Moisio*  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 29th day of June, anno Domini 1929

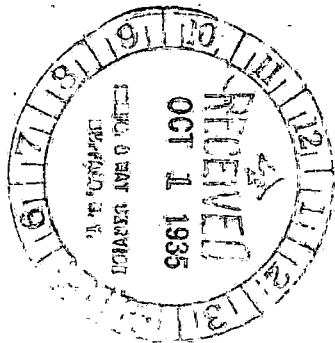
[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Thelma Sackett Calaway* Deputy Clerk.





ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

No. 1518

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

The petition of Onni Anshelm Moisis, Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 985 Buffalo St., Conneaut, Ohio (2) My occupation is Shoe Repairer

(3) I was born in Karstula Finland on March 1, 1890 My race is Finnish

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on June 29, 1929 in the Common Pleas  
Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my wife or husband is Hilja Moisis  
we were married on July 13, 1912 at Jefferson, Ohio; She was

born at Isokyro, Finland on April 14, 1892; entered the United States  
at New York, N. Y. on Dec. 10, 1910 for permanent residence therein, and now

resides at Conneaut, Ohio I have 1 children, and the name, date,  
and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Leo Anshelm Moisis, born October  
26, 1912, Conneaut, Ohio, and resides at Conneaut, Ohio

(6) My last foreign residence was Karstula, Finland I emigrated to the United States of  
America from Liverpool England My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at New York, N. Y. under the name of Onni Anshelm Moisis,  
on July 18, 1903 on the vessel Umbria

as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.  
(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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  
July 20, 1903 and in the County of Ashtabula  
this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since July 20th, 1903 being a residence within said county of at least  
six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_  
at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the  
Department of Labor of my naturalization, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~heard read~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of  
my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition  
is signed by me with my full, true name.

Onni Anshelm Moisis  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Matti Koivisto, occupation Pool Room Owner  
residing at Conneaut, Ohio and

John 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 and has been  
acquainted in the United States with  
Onni Anshelm Moisis, the petitioner above mentioned, since Jan. 1, 1931,

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a  
part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Conneaut, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula,

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Jan. 1, 1931, 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 dis-  
posed 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.

Matti Koivisto (Signature of witness)  
John 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 at Jefferson, Ohio,  
this 13th day of Jan., Anno Domini 1936 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival from

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. \_\_\_\_\_  
2627 of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By Jay W. Young Clerk. (SEAL)  
Alma Olinek Deputy Clerk.

No. 24928

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2618

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Omni aushelan Moisis*  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 14th day of April, A. D. 1936.

*Jay W. Young*  
Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 22 of List No. 15 and Certificate No. 4066163 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

ORIGINAL

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE

Petition No. 1519

Court 2537

**CERTIFICATE OF EXAMINATION**

Alice

I hereby certify that Hazel Coutts

residing at 5613 Madison Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio (Name)

an applicant for citizenship, and the required two witnesses, namely,

Hazel A. Scott, residing at 5609 Madison Ave., Ashtabula, O.

Inez M. Hegfield (Name), residing at 438 Myrtle Ave., Ashtabula, O.  
(Name)

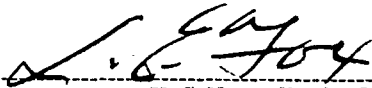
appeared before me and were examined on January 13, 1936

in accordance with the act of September 22, 1922, Section four, 19

and that the statements contained in the said applicant's petition for citizenship constitute the record of such examination.

NOTE TO CLERK.—THIS CERTIFICATION  
MUST BE ATTACHED TO THE ORIGINAL  
PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP AT THE  
TIME OF FILING.

Form 2800

  
U. S. Naturalization Examiner.



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~~ <sup>Edward VIII</sup>, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India, of whom (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Azel Alice Coates*  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 14th day of April, A. D. 1936

*Jay W. Young*, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 23 of List No. 15 and Certificate No. 3852271 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

No. 7-19793

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Name: Wenne Walli  
Port of entry: Duluth, Minn.  
Date: June 24, 1913  
Manner of arrival: SS. America

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

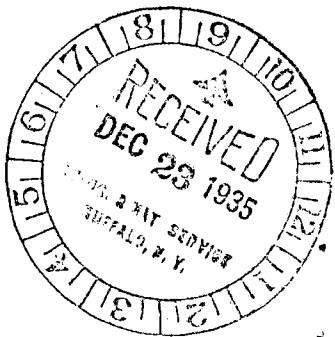
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

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CMT

December 21, 1935  
(Date)

H. R. LARDIS, District Director,  
Immigration and Naturalization Service,  
Newport, Vermont

By: *J. H. Paradise*  
In charge statistical division





# 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 at Jefferson, Ohio

I, Wenny Walin,  
now residing at 1319 W. 6th St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
occupation auto mechanic, aged 39 years, do declare on oath that my personal description is:  
Sex male, color white, complexion fair, color of eyes blue  
color of hair brown, height 5 feet 7 1/2 inches; weight 160 pounds; visible distinctive marks  
none  
race Finnish; nationality Finland  
I was born in Multia, Waasa Land, Finland, on January 26, 1894  
I am married. The name of my wife or ~~husband~~ is Hulda Mary Wallin  
we were married on January 20, 1919, at Virginia, Minnesota; she or ~~he~~ was  
born at Waasa, Finland, on August 25, 1896, entered the United States  
at Boston, Mass., on April 1, 1914, for permanent residence therein, 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 are as follows:

I have heretofore made a declaration of intention: Number 2400, on June 11, 1926  
at Jefferson, Ohio Common Pleas Court  
my last foreign residence was Multia, Waasa Land, Finland  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Port Arthur, Canada  
my lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at Duluth, Minnesota  
under the name of Winne Walli, on June 24, 1913  
on the vessel S. S. America

I will, before being admitted to citizenship, renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly, by name, to the prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of which I may be at the time of admission a citizen or subject; 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 reside permanently therein; and I certify that the photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of me: SO HELP ME GOD.



Wenny Walin

Wenny Walin

(Original signature of declarant without abbreviation, also alias, if used)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court, at Jefferson, Ohio this 10th day of October, anno Domini 1933. Certification No. 7-19793 from the Commissioner of Naturalization showing the lawful entry of the declarant for permanent residence on the date stated above, has been received by me. The photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of the declarant.

[SEAL]

Jay W. Young  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

No. 98932



ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 15290

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

The petition of Wenny Walli Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 1420 West 9th St. Ashtabula, Ohio My occupation is carpenter  
(2) I was born in Sahra Jarvi, Wasan Laani, Finland on January 25, 1894 My race is Finnish

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on Oct. 10, 1933 in the Common Pleas  
Court of ~~Jefferson, Ohio~~ Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my wife Wenny is Hulda Maria Hautamaa  
we were married on Jan. 20, 1919 at Virginia, Minnesota he was  
born at Waason Laani, Finland on April 1, 1914; entered the United States  
at Boston, Mass. on April 1, 1914 for permanent residence therein, 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 are as follows:

(6) My last foreign residence was Sahra Jarvi, Wasan Laani, Finland I emigrated to the United States of  
America from Port Arthur, Canada My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States  
was at Duluth, Minn. under the name of Wenne Walli  
on June 24, 1913, on the vessel SS. America  
as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.  
(9) 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  
June 24, 1913 and in the County of Ashtabula  
this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since March 1920, being a residence within said county of at least six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_  
at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.  
Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~heard~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

Wenny Walli  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Helmi Haapala occupation housewife

residing at Lake Road, Ashtabula, Ohio and

Toivo Haapala occupation baker

residing at Lake Road, 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Wenny Walli, the petitioner above mentioned, since Jan. 1, 1931  
and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Jan. 1, 1931, 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.

Helmi Haapala  
(Signature of witness)

Toivo Haapala  
(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 at Jefferson, Ohio  
this 13th day of Jan., Anno Domini 1936 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-19793  
from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. 2726  
of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By Jay W. Young Clerk. (SEAL)  
Maude Gibson Deputy Clerk.

No. 24930

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2618

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Henry Wain  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 15th day of April, A. D. 1936.

Jay W. Young, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 2 of List No. 16 and Certificate No. 4066167 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

ORIGINAL

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE

Petition No. 1521

Court 2537

**CERTIFICATE OF EXAMINATION**

I hereby certify that Elizabeth Rinyo  
(Name)  
residing at 1029 W. 41st St., Ashtabula, Ohio

an applicant for citizenship, and the required two witnesses, namely,

Herc. Paulino  
(Name), residing at 1105 Seymour Dr., Ashtabula, O.

Paul Sholtis  
(Name), residing at 772 E. 14th St., Ashtabula, O.

appeared before me and were examined on January 13, 19 36

in accordance with the act of September 22, 1922, Section four, 19

and that the statements contained in the said applicant's petition for citizenship constitute the record of such examination.

**NOTE TO CLERK.—THIS CERTIFICATION  
MUST BE ATTACHED TO THE ORIGINAL  
PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP AT THE  
TIME OF FILING.**



*U. S. Naturalization Examiner.*



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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Elizabeth Rinys*  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 15th day of April, A. D. 1936

*Jay Wijoung*  
; Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 3 of List No. 16 and Certificate No. 4066165 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

No. 7-18392

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records of the Department of Labor show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: New York, NY  
Name: Buki, Jozsef  
Date: June 18, 1912  
Manner of arrival: SS La Bretagne

JUN 18 1933

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

January 16, 1933

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR.

*Raymond F. Crist*  
Commissioner of Naturalization.



Beatrice } Hall

# 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 at Jefferson, Ohio

I, Joseph Buki,  
 now residing at 424 Buffalo St., Conneaut, Ohio  
 occupation machinist, aged 36 years, do declare on oath that my personal description is:  
 Sex male, color white, complexion light, color of eyes light brown  
 color of hair dark brown, height 5 feet 5 inches; weight 140 pounds; visible distinctive marks  
mole on right cheek  
 race Hungarian; nationality Hungarian  
 I was born in Babadoroso, State of Vas, Hungary January 15, 1896  
 I am married. The name of my wife or husband is Mary Kelocsi Buki  
 we were married on June 28, 1932, at Conneaut, Ohio; she or he was  
 born at Fairport Harbor, Ohio on Dec. 18, 1905  
 resides at 424 Buffalo St., Conneaut have no children, and the name, date and place of birth,  
 and place of residence of each of said children are as follows:

I have heretofore made a declaration of intention: Number sonetime in 1920  
 at Cleveland, Ohio Immigration Bureau, Post Office Bldg.  
 my last foreign residence was Babadoroso, State of Vas, Hungary  
 I emigrated to the United States of America from Havre, France  
 my lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at New York, New York  
 under the name of Jozsef Buki, on June 18, 1912



(SEAL)

on the vessel SS La Bretagne  
 I will, before being admitted to citizenship, renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly, by name, to the prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of which I may be at the time of admission a citizen or subject; 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 reside permanently therein; and I certify that the photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of me: So HELP ME GOD.

*Joe Buki*  
 Original signature of declarant without abbreviation, also alias, if used

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court, at Jefferson, Ohio this 1st day of March, anno Domini 1933. Certification No. 7-12392 from the Commissioner of Naturalization showing the lawful entry of the declarant for permanent residence on the date stated above, has been received by me. The photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of the declarant.

*Jay W. Young*  
 Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Helen Coy*, Deputy Clerk.



Naturalization:  
Amendment of Petition

In the COMMON PLEAS Court of ASHTABULA COUNTY, OHIO

at JEFFERSON, OHIO

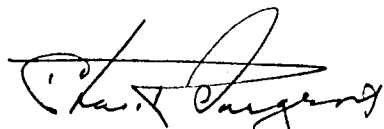
In the matter of the petition of :  
JOSEPH BUKI :  
to be admitted a Citizen of the :  
United States of America. :  
Petition No. 1522

It appearing on the representation of the petitioner, that the petition for citizenship of the above named Joseph Buki erroneously states renunciation of allegiance to "The Republic of Austria",

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the said petition be amended to read as follows:  
"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~~ potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to The Present Government of Hungary, ...."

AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of this Court furnish the Commissioner of Immigration and Naturalization with a certified copy of this Order.

Dated: April 15, 1936

  
Judge

ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1522

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

The petition of Joseph Buki hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 503 Sandusky Street, Conneaut, Ohio (2) My occupation is machinist

(3) I was born in Rabadoroso, State of Vas, Hungary on Jan. 15, 1896 My race is Slovak

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on Mar 1, 1933 in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my wife Mary Kelocsi Buki is Mary Kelocsi Buki we were married on June 28, 1931 at Conneaut, Ohio She was born at Fairport, Ohio on December 18, 1905; entered the United States

XX for permanent residence therein, and now resides at 503 Sandusky Street, Conneaut, Ohio I have 1 children, and the name, date,

and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Mary Ann, born Sept. 2, 1933 at Conneaut, Ohio; resides Conneaut, Ohio

(6) My last foreign residence was Rabadoroso, State of Vas, Hungary I emigrated to the United States of America from Brussels, Belgium

was at New York, N. Y., under the name of Jozsef Buki My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States on June 18, 1912, on the vessel SS La Bretagne as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 Hungary The Republic of Austria Present Government of whom (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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 June 18, 1912 and in the County of Ashtabula this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since Sept. 15, 1921, being a residence within said county of at least six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have { read } this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

Joseph Buki  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

John M. Driscoll occupation Electrician Foreman residing at 540 Buffalo Street, Conneaut, Ohio and

Edward R. Betz, occupation Decorator residing at 232 Mills Street, 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with Joseph Buki, the petitioner above mentioned, since Jan. 1, 1931

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Conneaut, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Jan. 1, 1931, 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.

Edward R. Betz  
(Signature of witness)

JM Driscoll  
(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 at Jefferson, Ohio this 13th day of Jan., Anno Domini 1936 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-18392

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. 2702 of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By Jay W. Young Clerk. (SEAL)  
Marine Wilson Deputy Clerk.

No. 24932

Form 2204-1-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2613

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~~

The present government of Hungary  
of whom (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Joseph Beck  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 15th day of April, A. D. 1936

Jay Wingard, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 4 of List No. 16 and Certificate No. 4066167 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

No. 7 19881

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records of the Department of Labor show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: **New York, NY**  
Name: **Molnar, Janos**  
Date: **February 13, 1911**  
Manner of arrival: **SS Pannonia**

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

August 2, 1933

RECEIVED

AUG 4 1933

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR,  
DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO

*Raymond F. Crist*

Commissioner of Naturalization.

Jacob & Solomon



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 at Jefferson, Ohio.

I, John Molnar
now residing at 817 East 1st Street, Ashtabula, Ohio,
occupation laborer, aged 31 years, do declare on oath that my personal description is:
Sex male, color white, complexion fair, color of eyes blue,
color of hair brown, height 5 feet 9 inches; weight 178 pounds; visible distinctive marks none

race Magyar; nationality Czechoslovakia
I was born in Kis Dobra Hungary, on August 11, 1902
I am married. The name of my wife is Elizabeth Seres
we were married on February 2, 1924, at Lorain, Ohio; she or he was
born at Halmi Hungary, on October 24, 1904, entered the United States
at New York, N. Y., on February 24, 1923 for permanent residence therein, and now
resides at Ashtabula, Ohio. I have two children, and the name, date and place of birth,
and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Elizabeth Molnar, born Aug. 3,
1926 at Ashtabula, Ohio, lives Ashtabula, Ohio. Andy Molnar, born,
March 11, 1930 at Ashtabula, Ohio, lives Ashtabula, Ohio.

I have not heretofore made a declaration of intention: Number on
at my last foreign residence was Kis Dobra Hungary,
I emigrated to the United States of America from Fiume, Italy
my lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at New York, New York,
under the name of Janos Molnar, on February 13, 1911

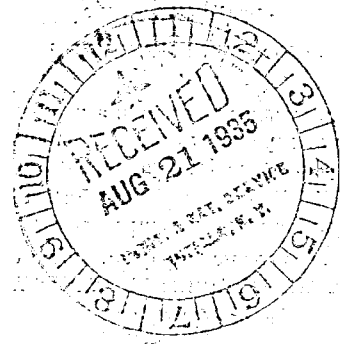


on the vessel S. S. Pannonia
I will, before being admitted to citizenship, renounce forever all allegiance and
fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly,
by name, to the prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of which I may be at
the time of admission a citizen or subject; 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 reside
permanently therein; and I certify that the photograph affixed to the duplicate
and triplicate hereof is a likeness of me: So HELP ME GOD.

John Molnar
(Original signature of declarant without abbreviation, also alias, if used)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court,
at Jefferson, Ohio this 16th day of August,
anno Domini 1933. Certification No. 7-19-31 from the Commis-
sioner of Naturalization showing the lawful entry of the declarant for permanent
residence on the date stated above, has been received by me. The photograph
affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of the declarant.

Jay W. Young
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.
By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.



ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1523

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

The petition of John Molnar, Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 817 East 14th St., Ashtabula, Ohio My occupation is laborer

(3) I was born in Kis Dobra, Hungary (now Czechoslovakia) on August 11, 1902 My race is Magyar

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on August 16, 1933 in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my wife is Elizabeth Seres Molnar we were married on February 2, 1924 at Lorain, Ohio; She was

born at Halmi, Hungary on October 24, 1904; entered the United States at New York, N. Y. on February 24, 1923 for permanent residence therein, 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 are as follows:

Elizabeth, born, August 3, 1926; Andy, born March 4, 1930; both children were born at Ashtabula, Ohio, and reside at Ashtabula, Ohio

(6) My last foreign residence was Kis Dobra, Hungary I emigrated to the United States of America from Fiume, Italy My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at New York, N. Y. under the name of Janos Molnar

on February 13, 1911, on the vessel SS Pannonia as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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 February 13, 1911 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since February 15, 1911, being a residence within said county of at least six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have {read} this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

*John Molnar*  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Gus Kondas, occupation ass't. foreman residing at Ashtabula, Ohio, 1211 Walnut Blvd. and

A. H. Hanson, occupation shop foreman residing at 57 Gregory Ave., 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with John Molnar the petitioner above mentioned, since Jan. 1, 1931,

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Jan. 1, 1931 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.

*Gus Kondas*  
(Signature of witness)

*A. H. Hanson*  
(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 at Jefferson, Ohio this 13th day of January, Anno Domini 1936 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-19881

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. 2715 of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By Jay W. Young Clerk.  
Helen Cole Deputy Clerk.

(SEAL)

No. 24933

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2813

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

John Molnar  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 15th day of April, A. D. 1936

Jay W. Young, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 5 of List No. 16 and Certificate No. 4066168 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

# 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 at Jefferson, Ohio

I, Charles Albert Wuori,  
 now residing at 1930 West 16th St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
 occupation acetylene cutter & welder, aged 49 years, do declare on oath that my personal description is:  
 Sex male, color white, complexion light, color of eyes blue  
 color of hair dark brown, height 5 feet 7 inches; weight 164 pounds; visible distinctive marks  
none

race Finnish; nationality Finnish

I was born in Jyvaskyla, Finland, on May 13, 1884

I am un married. The name of my wife or husband is Eva Haapemaki Wuori

we were married on January 24, 1914, at Cleveland, Ohio; she or he was

born at Ylistaro, Finland, on June 19, 1895, entered the United States

at New York, N. Y., on April 12, 1912, for permanent residence therein, and now

resides at Ashtabula, Ohio. I have two children, and the name, date and place of birth,

and place of residence of each of said children are as follows:

Helen Mildred Wuori, born Aug. 17, 1914 at Ashtabula, Ohio.

Viola Marie Wuori, born Jan. 27, 1918, at Ashtabula, Ohio.

Both children reside at Ashtabula, Ohio

I have not heretofore made a declaration of intention: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_

my last foreign residence was Kymmen Bruo, Viipurin Leani, Finland

I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England

my lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at Boston, Mass.

under the name of Kalle Wuorinen, on Sept. 1, 1910

on the vessel Cymric

I will, before being admitted to citizenship, renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly, by name, to the prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of which I may be at the time of admission a citizen or subject; 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 reside permanently therein; and I certify that the photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of me: So HELP ME GOD.

Charles Albert Wuori  
 (Original signature of declarant without abbreviation, also alias, if used)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court,

at Jefferson, Ohio this 16th day of Sept.

anno Domini 1933. Certification No. 7-20135 from the Commis-

sioner of Naturalization showing the lawful entry of the declarant for permanent

residence on the date stated above, has been received by me. The photograph

affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of the declarant.



[SEAL]

Jay W. Young,  
 Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
 By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.



U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE

No. 7-20135

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records of the Department of Labor show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: Boston, Mass.  
Name: Kalle Wuorinen  
Date: Sept. 1, 1910  
Manner of arrival: Cymric

IMMIGRATION SERVICE

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**AUG 25 1933**

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DISTRICT DIRECTOR

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

August 24, 1933

(Date)

*John H. Jensen*

Acting Commissioner of Immigration

ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1524

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

The petition of Kalle Wuorinen, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 1930 West 16th St. Ashtabula, Ohio My occupation is acetylene cutter & welder

(3) I was born in Jyvaskyla, Finland on May 13, 1884 My race is Finnish

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on Sept. 16, 1933 in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my wife ~~XXXX~~ is Eva Haapamaki Wuori we were married on Jan. 24, 1914 at Cleveland, Ohio he was born at Ylistaro, Finland on June 19, 1895; entered the United States at New York, N. Y. on April 12, 1912 for permanent residence therein, and now resides at 1930 West 16th St. Ashtabula, Ohio I have 2 children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Helen Mildred, born Aug. 17, 1914; Viola Marie, born Jan. 27, 1918; both born in Ashtabula, Ohio; both reside in Ashtabula, Ohio

(6) My last foreign residence was Kymmen Brue, Viipurin Laani, Finland, I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at ~~XXXX~~ Boston, Mass. under the name of Kalle Wuorinen on Sept. 1, 1910, on the vessel Cymric as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen); and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language. (9) 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 ~~XXXX~~ Sept. 1, 1910 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since April, 1914, being a residence within said county of at least six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law. Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to

Charles Albert Wuori

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have { read } this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

*Kalle Wuorinen*  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Jacob E. Heikkila, occupation School Custodian

residing at 1529 Ohio Avenue, Ashtabula, Ohio, and

Julia Heikkila, occupation housewife

residing at 1529 Ohio Avenue, 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Kalle Wuorinen, the petitioner above mentioned, since Jan. 1, 1931

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, Ohio in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Jan. 1, 1931, 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.

Julia Heikkila (Signature of witness) Jacob E. Heikkila (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 at Jefferson, Ohio this 13th day of Jan., Anno Domini 1936 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-20135

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. 2718 of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By Jay Young Clerk. Marie Gibson Deputy Clerk. (SEAL)

No. 24934

Form 2204-1-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2818



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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Charles Albert Wuori*

(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 15th day of April, A. D. 1936

*Jay Wyzong*, Clerk.

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

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

Petition granted: Line No. 6 of List No. 16 and Certificate No. 4066170 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE

No. 7 20315

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records of the Department of Labor show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: New York, N.Y.  
Name: Alanka, Urko  
Date: August 29, 1922  
Manner of arrival: SS Olympic

**NATURALIZATION SERVICE  
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I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

**DISTRICT DEPARTMENT  
NEW YORK, N.Y.  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

September 25, 1933.

(Date)

*Edward Corsi*

EDWARD CORSI,  
Commissioner, New York District

Ethel Jones

TRIPPLICATE  
(To be given to  
declarant)

No. 2723

# 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 at Jefferson, Ohio.

I, Mr. Urho Kustaa Alanko  
 now residing at 1221 E. 43 St. Ashtabula Ashtabula Ohio  
 occupation Machine operator of skilled laborer, aged 41 years, do declare on oath that my personal description is:  
 Sex male, color white, complexion light, color of eyes gray  
 color of hair light, height 5 feet 5 inches; weight 165 pounds; visible distinctive marks  
none  
 race Finnish; nationality Finland  
 I was born in Toysa, Finland, on December 1, 1891  
 I am un married. The name of my wife or husband is Elvira  
 we were married on April 1, 1923, at Ashtabula, Ohio; she or he was  
 born at Toysa, Finland, on June 24, 1902, entered the United States  
 at New York, New York, on Dec. 13, 1920, for permanent residence therein, and now  
 resides at Ashtabula, Ohio. I have 3 children, and the name, date and place of birth,  
 and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Toini, born Jan. 12, 1924 at  
Ashtabula, Ohio, resides Ashtabula, Ohio. Anne, born Feb. 15, 1926 at  
Ashtabula, Ohio, resides Ashtabula, Ohio. Ruth born Jan. 2, 1931 at  
Ashtabula, Ohio, resides Ashtabula, Ohio.  
 I have not heretofore made a declaration of intention: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_  
 at \_\_\_\_\_  
 my last foreign residence was Toysa, Finland  
 I emigrated to the United States of America from Southampton, England  
 my lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at New York, New York  
 under the name of Urko, Alanko, on \_\_\_\_\_  
 on the vessel S. S. Olympic

I will, before being admitted to citizenship, renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly, by name, to the prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of which I may be at the time of admission a citizen or subject; 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 reside permanently therein; and I certify that the photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of me: SO HELP ME GOD.



*Urho Alanko*

(Original signature of declarant without abbreviation, also alias, if used)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court, at Jefferson, Ohio this 9th day of October anno Domini 1933. Certification No. 7-20315 from the Commissioner of Naturalization showing the lawful entry of the declarant for permanent residence on the date stated above, has been received by me. The photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of the declarant.

[SEAL]

*Jay W. Young*  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By *Maxine Gibson*, Deputy Clerk.

Form 2202-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1931

No. 98929



ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

No. 1525

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

The petition of Urho Kustaa Alanko, Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 1221 W. 43rd St., Ashtabula (2) My occupation is machine operator

(3) I was born in Toysa, Finland on December 1, 1891 My race is Finnish

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on October 9, 1933 in the Common Pleas  
Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my wife ~~was~~ is Elvira  
we were married on April 1, 1923 at Ashtabula, Ohio; she was

born at Toysa, Finland on June 24, 1902; entered the United States  
at New York, N. Y. on Dec. 13, 1920 for permanent residence therein, 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 are as follows: Toini, born Jan. 12, 1924; Anne,

born Feb. 15, 1926; Ruth, born Jan. 2, 1931; Paul, born June 20, 1935;  
all children were born at Ashtabula, Ohio and reside at Ashtabula,  
Ohio

(6) My last foreign residence was Toysa, Finland I emigrated to the United States of  
America from Southampton, England My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at New York, N. Y. under the name of Urko Alanka  
on August 29, 1922 on the vessel SS Olympio  
as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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

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of whom (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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  
August 29, 1922 and in the County of Ashtabula,

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since August 31, 1922 being a residence within said county of at least  
six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the  
Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~heard~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of  
my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition  
is signed by me with my full, true name.

Urho Kustaa Alanko  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Sulo Immonen, occupation fireman  
residing at 3509 Superior Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio, and

Niilo Paananen, occupation car repairer  
residing at 1119 W. 9th 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 and has been  
acquainted in the United States with

Urho Kustaa Alanko, the petitioner above mentioned, since Jan. 1, 1931,

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a  
part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Jan. 1, 1931, 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 dis-  
posed 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.

Sulo Immonen (Signature of witness)  
Niilo Paananen (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 at Jefferson, Ohio  
this 13th day of January, Anno Domini 1936 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-20315

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. \_\_\_\_\_  
2723 of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By Jay W. Young Clerk. (SEAL)  
Helen Cox Deputy Clerk.

No. 24936

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2818

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Urho Keistaa Ahanka  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 15th day of April, A. D. 1936

Jay W. Young, Clerk.  
By Jay W. Young, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 7 of List No. 16 and Certificate No. 4066172 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

No. 7-19930

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records of the Department of Labor show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry:	New York, NY
Name:	Sepanmaa, Waimo
Date:	April 11, 1910
Manner of arrival:	SS Baltic

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

August 8, 1933

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR, LIBERTY HALL  
CANTON, OHIO

*Raymond F. Crist*  
Commissioner of Naturalization



Beatrice <sup>my</sup> Anderson

TRIPPLICATE  
(To be given to  
declarant)

No. 2722

# 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 at Jefferson, Ohio

I, Waino Mattias Maki,  
now residing at 1920 West 13th St., Ashtabula, Ohio  
occupation laborer, aged 42 years, do declare on oath that my personal description is:  
Sex male, color white, complexion medium, color of eyes blue  
color of hair brown, height 5 feet 7 inches; weight 180 pounds; visible distinctive marks  
none  
race Finnish; nationality Finland  
I was born in Alavus, Waasan Laani, Finland, on Nov. 25, 1890  
I am un married. The name of my wife Aino Maki  
we were married on July 23, 1917 at Ashtabula, Ohio; she was born at Lokola, Turunlaani, Finland on Feb. 11, 1885, entered the United States at New York, N. Y. on 1903, for permanent residence therein, and now resides at 1920 West 13th St., Ashtabula, Ohio no children, and the name, date and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows:

I have heretofore made a declaration of intention: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_ (Date)  
at \_\_\_\_\_ (City or town) \_\_\_\_\_ (State) \_\_\_\_\_ (Name of court)  
my last foreign residence was Alavus, Waasan Laani, Finland (Country)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool, England (Country)  
my lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at New York, N. Y. (City or town) (State)  
under the name of Waino Sepanmaa, on April 11, 1910 (Month) (Day) (Year)  
on the vessel S. S. Baltic (If other than by vessel, state manner of arrival)

I will, before being admitted to citizenship, renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly, by name, to the prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of which I may be at the time of admission a citizen or subject; 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 reside permanently therein; and I certify that the photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of me: So HELP ME GOD.



Waino Mattias Maki  
(Original signature of declarant without abbreviation, also alias, if used)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court, at Jefferson, Ohio this 9th day of October, anno Domini 1933. Certification No. 7-19930 from the Commissioner of Naturalization showing the lawful entry of the declarant for permanent residence on the date stated above, has been received by me. The photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of the declarant.

[SEAL]

Jay W. Young  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

Form 2202-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1931

No 98928



ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1526

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Waino Mattias Sepanmaa, Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 1920 W. 13th St., Ashtabula, My occupation is Section hand

(3) I was born in Alavus, Waasan Laani, Finland, on Nov. 25, 1880 My race is Finnish

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on Oct. 9, 1933 in the Common Pleas  
Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my wife Anna is Aino Maki.  
we were married on July 23, 1917 at Jefferson, Ohio; she was

born at Lokala, Finland, on Feb. 11, 1885; entered the United States  
at New York, N. Y. on 1903 for permanent residence therein, 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 are as follows:

(6) My last foreign residence was Alavus, Waasan Laani, Finland I emigrated to the United States of  
America from Liverpool, England My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at New York, N. Y., under the name of Waino Sepanmaa  
on April 11, 1910, on the vessel S. S. Baltic  
as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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  
April 11, 1910 and in the County of Ashtabula  
this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since April 12, 1910, being a residence within said county of at least  
six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_  
at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the  
Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to

**Waino Mattias Maki,**

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of  
my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition  
is signed by me with my full, true name.

*Waino Mattias Sepanmaa*  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

H. Adolph Rinto, occupation Gas Dealer  
residing at 1720 W. 11th St., Ashtabula, Ohio, and

Salamon Kujala, occupation Carpenter  
residing at 5216 Woodman Ave., 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 and has been  
acquainted in the United States with

Waino Mattias Sepanmaa, the petitioner above mentioned, since Jan. 1, 1931  
and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a  
part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Jan. 1, 1931, 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 dis-  
posed 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. Adolph Rinto* (Signature of witness) *Salamon Kujala* (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 at Jefferson, Ohio,  
this 13th day of January, Anno Domini 19 36 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-19930  
from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. 2722  
of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By *Jay W. Young* Clerk. (SEAL)  
*Alma Klued* Deputy Clerk.

No. 24935

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2013

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Waino Mattias Maki*

(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 15th day of April, A. D. 1936.

*Jay W. Young*, Clerk.  
By *Jay W. Young*, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 8 of List No. 16 and Certificate No. 4065173 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE

No. 7-20630

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records of the Department of Labor show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: New York NY  
Name: Berenato, Francesco  
Date: April 29, 1914  
Manner of arrival: SS San Guglielmo

NATURALIZATION SERVICE  
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I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

October 26, 1933.  
(Date)

*Edward Corsi*

EDWARD CORSI,  
Commissioner, New York District

David Stein

TRIPPLICATE  
(To be given to  
declarant)

No. ~~7~~- 2731

# 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 at Jefferson, O.

I, Mr. Francesco Berenato  
now residing at 743 E. 16th St. Ashtabula Ashtabula Ohio  
(Number and street) (City or town) (County) (State)  
occupation none, aged 20 years, do declare on oath that my personal description is:  
Sex male, color white, complexion Dark, color of eyes Brown  
color of hair Chestnut, height 5 feet 8 1/2 inches; weight 155 pounds; visible distinctive marks  
race Italian; nationality Italy  
I was born in Gesso Sicily Italy, on January 27, 1913  
(City or town) (Country) (Month) (Day) (Year)  
I am not married. The name of my wife or husband is \_\_\_\_\_  
we were married on \_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_; she or he was  
(Month) (Day) (Year) (City or town) (State or country)  
born at \_\_\_\_\_, entered the United States  
(City or town) (State or country) (Month) (Day) (Year)  
at \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_, for permanent residence therein, and now  
(City or town) (State) (Month) (Day) (Year)  
resides at \_\_\_\_\_ I have \_\_\_\_\_ children, and the name, date and place of birth,  
(City or town) (State or country)  
and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

I have \_\_\_\_\_ heretofore made a declaration of intention: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_ (Date)  
at \_\_\_\_\_  
(City or town) (State) (Name of court)  
my last foreign residence was Gesso Sicily Italy  
(City or town) (Country)  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Messina Italy  
(City or town) (Country)  
my lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at New York, New York  
(City or town) (Country)  
under the name of Francesco Berenato, on April 29, 1914  
(City or town) (Month) (Day) (Year)  
on the vessel SS San Guglielmo  
(If other than by vessel, state manner of arrival)

I will, before being admitted to citizenship, renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly, by name, to the prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of which I may be at the time of admission a citizen or subject; 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 reside permanently therein; and I certify that the photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of me: So HELP ME GOD.



Francesco Berenato  
(Original signature of declarant without abbreviation, also alias, if used)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court, at Jefferson, Ohio this 9th day of December, anno Domini 1933. Certification No. 7-20630 from the Commissioner of Naturalization showing the lawful entry of the declarant for permanent residence on the date stated above, has been received by me. The photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of the declarant.

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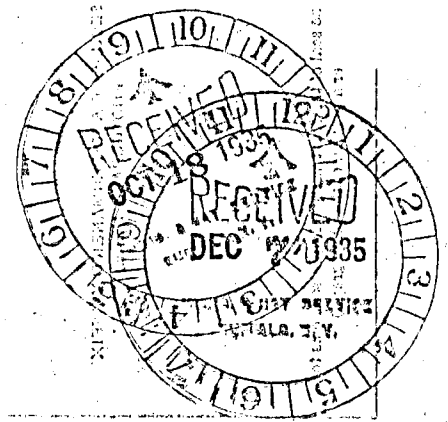
Jay W. Young  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By Maxine Gibson, Deputy Clerk.

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE

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clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1527

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

The petition of Francesco Berenato, Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 743 E. 16th St., Ashtabula (2) My occupation is radio repairman

(3) I was born in Gesso, Sicily, Italy on January 27, 1913, My race is S. Italian

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on December 9, 1933 in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am not married. The name of my wife or husband is \_\_\_\_\_

we were married on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_; he was

born at \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_; entered the United States

at \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ for permanent residence therein, 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 are as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

(6) My last foreign residence was Gesso, Sicily, Italy I emigrated to the United States of

America from Messina, Italy My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at New York, N. Y., under the name of Francesco Berenato

on April 29, 1914, on the vessel SS San Guglielmo,

as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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

April 29, 1914 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since May 1, 1914, being a residence within said county of at least six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

Frank Nicholas Bernato

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have read this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

Francesco Berenato  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Mike Olix, occupation ship fitter

residing at 916 E. 16th St., Ashtabula, Ohio, and

Guilford W. Gondron, occupation waiter

residing at 743 E. 16th 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Francesco Berenato, the petitioner above mentioned, since Jan. 1, 1931

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a

part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Jan. 1, 1931, 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.

Mike Olix  
(Signature of witness)

Guilford W. Gondron  
(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 at Jefferson, Ohio

this 13th day of January, Anno Domini 1936 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-20630

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. \_\_\_\_\_

2731 of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By Jay W. Young Clerk. (SEAL)  
Helen Cox Deputy Clerk.

No. 24937

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2618

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Frank Nicholas Bernato  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 15th day of April, A. D. 1936,

Jay W. Young, Clerk.

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

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

Petition granted: Line No. 9 of List No. 16 and Certificate No. 4066174 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE

No. 7-19814

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records of the Department of Labor show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

NATURALIZATION SERVICE

RECEIVED

Port of entry: New York, NY  
Name: Czopek, Stanislaw  
Date: November 29, 1909  
Manner of arrival: SS Kroonland

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OFFICE OF INSPECTION

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

October 17, 1933

(Date)

*Edward Corsi*

EDWARD CORSI,

Commissioner, New York District

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Loftus P Murray

TRIPPLICATE  
(To be given to  
declarant)

7-19814

No. 2729

# 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  
County of Ashtabula } ss: of Ashtabula Co. at Jefferson, O.

I, Stanislaw Copek  
now residing at 339 Chestnut Street, Conneaut, Ashtabula Ohio  
occupation Car repairer, aged 47 years, do declare on oath that my personal description is:  
Sex male, color white, complexion light, color of eyes brown  
color of hair black, height 5 feet 4 inches; weight 160 pounds; visible distinctive marks  
none

race Polish; nationality Poland  
I was born in Zator, Poland, on Feb. 10, 1886  
I am married. The name of my wife or husband is Lena Copek  
we were married on Oct. 26, 1912, at Conneaut, Ohio; she was  
born at Zator, Poland, on Dec. 31, 1899, entered the United States  
at New York, N. Y., on Sept. 1, 1912, for permanent residence therein, and now  
resides at Conneaut, Ohio. I have 6 children, and the name, date and place of birth,  
and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Charles, born Jan. 27, 1916; Mary,  
born, Jan. 16, 1918; Helen, born Feb. 1, 1920; Frank, Aug. 4, 1924; Leonard,  
born, Oct. 20, 1926; John, born Oct. 25, 1929; all born in Conneaut, Ohio,  
All reside in Conneaut, Ohio.

born,

I have heretofore made a declaration of intention: Number 2297, on Jan. 13, 1925  
at Jefferson, Ohio, Common Pleas Court  
my last foreign residence was Zator, Poland  
I emigrated to the United States of America from does not remember  
my lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at New York, N. Y.  
under the name of Stanislaw Copek, on November 29, 1909  
on the vessel S. S. Kroonland

I will, before being admitted to citizenship, renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly, by name, to the prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of which I may be at the time of admission a citizen or subject; 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 reside permanently therein; and I certify that the photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of me: So HELP ME GOD.



Stanislaw Copek

Stanislaw Copek  
(Original signature of declarant without abbreviation, also affixed used)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court,  
at Jefferson this 4th day of November,  
anno Domini 1933. Certification No. 7-19814 from the Commis-  
sioner of Naturalization showing the lawful entry of the declarant for permanent  
residence on the date stated above, has been received by me. The photograph  
affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of the declarant.

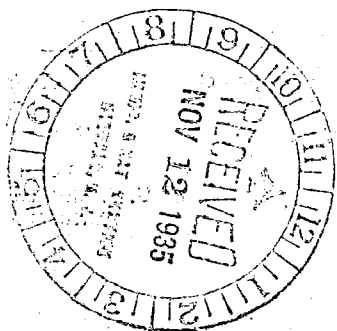
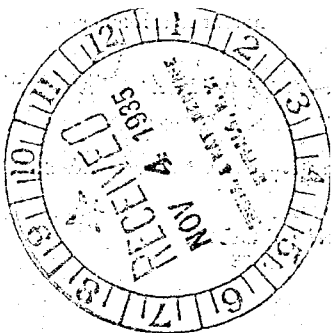
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Jay L. Young  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By Maxine Gibson, Deputy Clerk.

FORM 2202-I-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1931

No 98935



ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1528m

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

The petition of Stanislaw Czopek, Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 339 Chestnut St., Conneaut, Ohio (2) My occupation is Car Repairer

(3) I was born in Zator, Poland on Feb. 10, 1886 My race is Polish

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on Nov. 4, 1933 in the Common Pleas  
Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my wife or husband is Lena Czopek  
we were married on Oct. 26, 1912 at Conneaut, Ohio; she was

born at Zator, Poland on Dec. 31, 1889; entered the United States  
at New York, N. Y. on Sept. 1, 1912 for permanent residence therein, and now

resides at Conneaut, Ohio I have six children, and the name, date,

and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Chas. born Jan. 27, 1916; Mary, born  
Jan. 16, 1918; Helen, born Feb. 1, 1920; Frank, born Aug. 4, 1924;  
Leonard, born Oct. 20, 1926; John, born Oct. 25, 1929. All children  
were born in Conneaut, Ohio, and reside in Conneaut, Ohio.

(6) My last foreign residence was Zator, Poland I emigrated to the United States of  
America from Antwerp, Belgium My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at New York, N. Y., under the name of Stanislaw Czopek  
on Nov. 29, 1909, on the vessel SS Kroonland  
as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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  
Nov. 29, 1909 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since Nov. 30, 1909, being a residence within said county of at least  
six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_,  
at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the  
Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.  
Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>(read)</sup> ~~(heard)~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of  
my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition  
is signed by me with my full, true name.

Stanislaw Czopek  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Frank Sands, occupation R. R. Switchman  
residing at 431 Liberty St., Conneaut, Ohio, and

Thomas E. Waddle, occupation Watchman  
residing at 158 Hayward Ave., 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 and has been  
acquainted in the United States with

Stanislaw Czopek, the petitioner above mentioned, since Jan. 1, 1931

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a  
part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Conneaut, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Jan. 1, 1931, 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 dis-  
posed 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.

Frank Sands  
(Signature of witness)

Thomas E. Waddle  
(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 at Jefferson, Ohio  
this 13th day of January, Anno Domini 1936. I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-19814

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. 2729  
of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By Jay W. Young Clerk. (SEAL)  
Elma Blue Deputy Clerk.

24938

No.

14-2613



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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Stanislaw Prapach*  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 15th day of April, A. D. 1936.

*Jay W. Young*, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 10 of List No. 16 and Certificate No. 4066175 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

IMMIGRATION SERVICE

No. 7-20696

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records of the Department of Labor show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: New York NY
Name: Frabotta, Oreste
Date: December 25, 1919
Manner of arrival: SS Taormina

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

November 16, 1933. (Date)

Edward Corsi

EDWARD CORSI,

Commissioner, New York District

IMMIGRATION RECEIVED NOV 20 1933 DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Lawrence K. ...

TRIPPLICATE  
(To be given to  
declarant)

No. 2732

# 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 Co. at Jefferson, Ohio

I, Ernest Frabutt, (Full true name, without abbreviation, and any other name which has been used, must appear here)  
now residing at 1158 Harmon Rd., Ashtabula, Ohio  
occupation laborer, aged 21 years, do declare on oath that my personal description is:  
Sex male, color white, complexion dark, color of eyes gray  
color of hair brown, height 5 feet 5 inches; weight 110 pounds; visible distinctive marks none  
race Italian (South); nationality Italy  
I was born in Cerro, Campobasso, Italy, on September 5, 1912  
I am not married. The name of my wife or husband is  
we were married on at; she or he was born at, entered the United States at, for permanent residence therein, and now resides at. I have children, and the name, date and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows:

I have heretofore made a declaration of intention: Number, on at  
my last foreign residence was Cerro, Campobasso, Italy  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy  
my lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at New York, N. Y.  
under the name of Oreste Frabotta, on December 25, 1919  
on the vessel S. S. Taormina (If other than by vessel, state manner of arrival)

I will, before being admitted to citizenship, renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly, by name, to the prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of which I may be at the time of admission a citizen or subject; 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 reside permanently therein; and I certify that the photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of me: So HELP ME GOD.



Ernest Frabutt  
(Original signature of declarant without abbreviation, also alias, if used)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court, at Jefferson, Ohio this 9th day of December anno Domini 1933 Certification No. 7-20696 from the Commissioner of Naturalization showing the lawful entry of the declarant for permanent residence on the date stated above, has been received by me. The photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of the declarant.

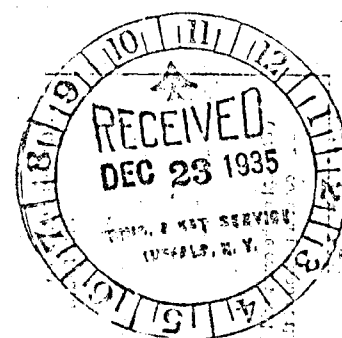
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Jay W. Young, Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

Form 2202-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1931

No. 98938



ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

No. 1529

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Ernest Frabutt, Ohio hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 1158 Harmon Rd., Ashtabula, (2) My occupation is laborer

(3) I was born in Cerro, Italy on September 5, 1912 My race is S. Italian

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on December 9, 1933 in the Common Pleas  
Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am not married. The name of my wife or husband is \_\_\_\_\_  
we were married on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_; he was  
born at \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_; entered the United States  
at \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ for permanent residence therein, 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 are as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

(6) My last foreign residence was Cerro, Italy, I emigrated to the United States of  
America from Naples, Italy My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States  
was at New York, N. Y. under the name of Oreste Frabotta  
on December 25, 1919 on the vessel SS Taormina  
as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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 December 25, 1919 and in the County of Ash tabula  
this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since January 3, 1920 being a residence within said county of at least six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_  
at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~examined~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

Ernest Frabutt  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Joseph Izzi, occupation laborer  
residing at 812 East 12th St., Ashtabula, Ohio and

Mike Presiano occupation laborer  
residing at 3727 West Ave., 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Ernest Frabutt the petitioner above mentioned, since Jan. 1, 1931  
and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, Ohio in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Jan. 1, 1931 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,

Joseph Izzi  
(Signature of witness)

Mike Presiano  
(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 at Jefferson, Ohio  
this 13th day of January, Anno Domini 19 36 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-20696  
from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. 2732 of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By Jay W. Young Clerk.  
Helen Coe Deputy Clerk.

(SEAL)

No. 24939

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2613

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Ernest Frabutt  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 15<sup>th</sup> day of April, A. D. 1936,

Jay Wifong, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 11 of List No. 16 and Certificate No. 4066176 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE

No. 7 56113

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: **New York NY**  
Name: **Mearini, Giuseppe**  
Date: **May 15, 1913**  
Manner of arrival: **SS Re D'Italia**

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued  
August 9, 1935.

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(Date)

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*James H. H. H.*  
District Director  
New York District  
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Lawrence Leslie

No. 2578

56113

# 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, Guisepppe Mearini, aged \_\_\_\_\_ years,  
occupation Boiler Maker, 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 blue  
other visible distinctive marks none,

I was born in Caprese, Italy,  
on the 16th day of May, anno Domini 1 887; I now reside  
at 242 West St., Ashtabula, Ohio,  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Genoa, Italy,  
on the vessel Bedi Falia, RE D'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 Caprese, Italy; I am \_\_\_\_\_ married; the name  
of my <sup>wife</sup> ~~husband~~ is Virginia ~~Mason~~; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born at Italy,  
and now resides at 242 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 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 16th day  
of May, anno Domini 1 913; 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.

Guisepppe Mearini  
(Original signature of declarant)

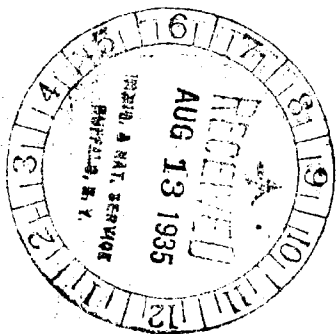
Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 28 day of Jan., anno Domini 192 9

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner

By Pauline C. Styles, Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
Deputy Clerk.

No 15405



ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1530

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

The petition of Giuseppe Mearini Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 3822 West Ave. Ashtabula / (2) My occupation is Boiler Maker

(3) I was born in Caprese, Italy on May 16, 1887 My race is So. Italian

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on Jan. 28, 1929 in the Common Pleas

Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my wife or ~~husband~~ is Virginia

we were married on June 3, 1919 at Ashtabula, Ohio § he was

born at Strongoli Italy on Feb 9, 1879; entered the United States

at New York, N. Y. on June 20, 1912 for permanent residence therein, 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 are as follows:

(6) My last foreign residence was Caprese, Italy I emigrated to the United States of

America from Genoa, Italy My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at New York, N. Y. under the name of Giuseppe Mearini,

on May 15, 1913 on the vessel SS Re D'Italia

as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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

May 15, 1913 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since Feb. 5, 1914, being a residence within said county of at least

six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have { read heard read } this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

Giuseppe Mearini  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

John Puchan, occupation Car Repairer

residing at 3826 West Ave. Ashtabula, Ohio, and

James A. Turano, occupation Insurance

residing at 4610 West Ave. 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Giuseppe Mearini, the petitioner above mentioned, since Jan. 1, 1931

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a

part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Jan. 1, 1931, 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.

James A. Turano (Signature of witness) John Puchan (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 at Jefferson, Ohio

this 13th day of Jan., Anno Domini 1936 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-56113

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No.

2578 of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By Jay Young Clerk (SEAL)

Wesley Gibson Deputy Clerk

No. 24940

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Giuseppe Mezarini  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 29th day of Sept, A. D. 1936

Jay W. Young, Clerk.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 3 of List No. 17 and Certificate No. 4066188 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from April 15, 1936 to Sept. 29, 1936 Reason study

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE

No. 7 56111

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: **New York, N.Y.**  
Name: **Manupello, Guido**  
Date: **September 13, 1910**  
Manner of arrival: **SS Hamburg**

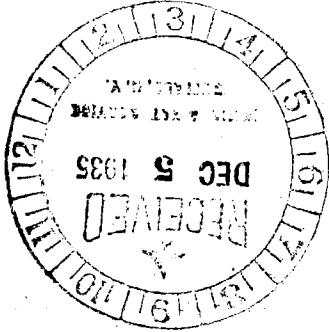
I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

November 29, 1935

(Date)

*Byron H. Uhl*  
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BYRON H. UHL,  
District Director  
New York District  
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Jay Kahn

No. 2581

7 56111

# 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, William Manupello, aged 26 years,  
occupation laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color ~~white~~ complexion dark, height 5 feet 8 inches,  
weight 160 pounds, color of hair dark brown, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Isernia, Italy  
on the 14 day of October, anno Domini 1902; I now reside  
at 235, 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 Hamburgh; 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 Isernia, Italy; I am un married; the name

of my <sup>wife</sup> ~~husband~~ is Julia; <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ was born at Ashtabula, Ohio  
and now resides at 235, 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 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 \_\_\_\_\_ day

of September, 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.

William Manupello  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 9 day of February, anno Domini 192 9

[SEAL]

Columbia A. Warner

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

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



ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

No. 1531

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Guido Manuppella, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 3803 West Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio My occupation is Grocer

(3) I was born in Isernia, Italy on October 14, 1902 My race is Italian (South)

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on Feb. 9, 1929 in the Common Pleas  
Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my wife or husband is Julia  
we were married on July 11, 1919 at Ripley, New York s he was  
born at Ashtabula, Ohio, on Jan. 31, 1902 entered the United States

at Ashtabula, Ohio I have two children, and the name, date,  
and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Joseph, born November 11, 1920,  
Ashtabula, Ohio, resides in Ashtabula, Ohio; Florence, born July 16,  
1922, Ashtabula, Ohio, resides in Ashtabula, Ohio.

(6) My last foreign residence was Isernia, Italy I emigrated to the United States of  
America from Naples, Italy My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States  
was at New York, N. Y. under the name of Guido Manupello  
on September 13, 1910 on the vessel SS Hamburg  
as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.  
(9) 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  
Sept. 13, 1910 and in the County of Ash tabula  
this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since Sept. 1910, being a residence within said county of at least  
six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_  
at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the  
Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.  
Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to

William Manuppella  
I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> <sup>near</sup> <sup>read</sup> this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of  
my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition  
is signed by me with my full, true name.

Guido Manuppella  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

James A. Turano, occupation Insurance Agent  
residing at 4610 West Ave., Ashtabula, Ohio and

Gabriela Dirubato, occupation Truck Driver  
residing at 101 West 38th St., Ashtabula, Ohio

Guido Manuppello, the petitioner above mentioned, since Jan. 1, 1931  
and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a  
part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, in the County of Ashtabula,

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Jan. 1, 1931, 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 dis-  
posed 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,

James A. Turano (Signature of witness)  
Gabriela Dirubato (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 at Jefferson, Ohio,  
this 13th day of January, Anno Domini 19-36 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-56111  
from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. \_\_\_\_\_

2581 of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

Jay W. Young Clerk. (SEAL)  
Alma K. Kline Deputy Clerk.

No. 24941

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2613

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*William Manuppella*  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 15th day of April, A. D. 1936

*Jay Wifong*, Clerk.  
By *Jay Wifong*, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 12 of List No. 16 and Certificate No. 4066178 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

No. 57061.....

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Name: Zyla, Aleksander  
Port of entry: New York, NY  
Date: July 28, 1913  
Manner of arrival: SS Gothland

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

-----October 9, 1935-----  
(Date)

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BYRON H. CHIL  
District Director  
New York District  
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*John G. Curran*



No. 2599

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

7 57061

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, Alex Zella, aged 42 years, occupation Farmer, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color White, complexion Fair, height 5 feet 4 inches, weight 140 pounds, color of hair Dr. Brown, color of eyes Brown, other visible distinctive marks Scar on left cheek. I was born in Driesekowicre, Poland on the 9th day of September, anno Domini 1888; I now reside at East Orwell, Ohio

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

I emigrated to the United States of America from Antwerp, Belgium on the vessel Red Star; my last foreign residence was Driesekowicre, Poland; I am married; the name of my wife is Catherine; she was born at Driesekowicre, Poland 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 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 28th 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.

Alex Zella  
(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 1929

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Shelma Hackett Calaway Deputy Clerk.

32169

No.

ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

No. 1532

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Alexander Zyla hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is E. Orwell, R. F. D. 2 (2) My occupation is farming  
(3) I was born in Dzierszkowice, Poland on Sept. 9, 1888 My race is Polish  
(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on April 22, 1929 in the Common Pleas  
Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
(5) I am un married. The name of my wife and is Caroline,  
we were married on June 26, 1915 at Wheeling, W. Va.; he was  
born at Dzierszkowice, Poland on July 23, 1894; entered the United States  
at Brooklyn, N. Y. on March 6, 1914 for permanent residence therein, and now  
resides at East Orwell, Ohio I have 3 children, and the name, date,  
and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Gertrude, born Nov. 9, 1919 at  
Wheeling, W. Va.; Alfred, born Dec. 14, 1920 at Youngstown, Ohio;  
Dorothy, born Nov. 10, 1926 at E. Orwell, Ohio; all children reside  
at E. Orwell, Ohio.

(6) My last foreign residence was Dzierszkowice, Poland I emigrated to the United States of  
America from Antwerp, Belgium My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States  
was at New York, N. Y. under the name of Aleksander Zyla,  
on July 28, 1913 on the vessel SS Gothland  
as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.  
(9) 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  
July 28, 1913 and in the County of Ashtabula  
this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since April 15, 1921, being a residence within said county of at least  
six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_  
at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the  
Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have read this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of  
my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition  
is signed by me with my full, true name.

Alexander Zyla  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Hugh Moore, occupation farmer  
residing at E. Orwell, R. F. D. #2, Ohio and

Thomas J. Moore, occupation farmer  
residing at R. F. D. #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 and has been  
acquainted in the United States with

Alexander Zyla, the petitioner above mentioned, since Jan. 1, 1931  
and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a  
part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at East Orwell, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Jan. 1, 1931, 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 dis-  
posed 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,

Hugh Moore (Signature of witness) Th. J. Moore (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 at Jefferson, Ohio  
this 13th day of Jan., Anno Domini 1936. I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-57061  
from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. 2599  
of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By Jay W. Young Clerk. (SEAL)  
Walter Coe Deputy Clerk.

No. 24942

No.

14-2813

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Alex J. Ellis  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 15th day of April, A. D. 1936.

Jay W. Young, Clerk.

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

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

Petition granted: Line No. 13 of List No. 16 and Certificate No. 4066179 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

7 57882

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

No. ....

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Name: Lipold, Luka  
Port of entry: New York, N.Y.  
Date: September 18, 1913  
Manner of arrival: SS Belvedere

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

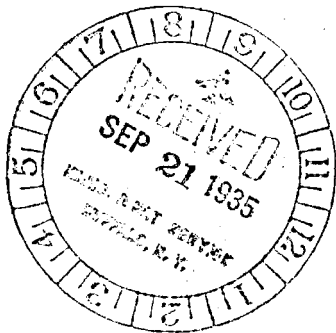
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

-----September 16, 1935-----  
(Date)

*[Handwritten Signature]*  
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*[Handwritten Signature]*



Jay Kahn



No. 2579

7 57882

# 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, Lukas Lepold, aged 45 years,  
occupation Laborer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 6 inches,  
weight 165 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Vareja, Austria, now Italy  
on the 6 day of October, anno Domini 1883; I now reside  
at Unionville, Ohio, (over the line in Ashtabula County)  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Trieste, Austria, now Italy  
on the vessel Belvedere; 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 Trieste, Austria; I am un married; the name  
of my ~~husband~~ <sup>wife</sup> is Celia; ~~she~~ <sup>she</sup> was born at Austria  
and now resides at Unionville, 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 21 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.

Lukas Lepold  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 30 day of January, anno Domini 192 9

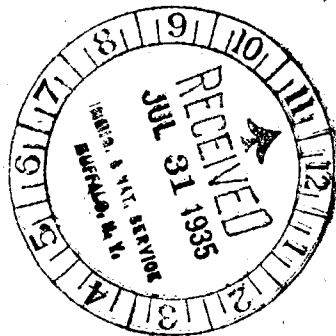
[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner

Pauline C. Styles, Deputy Clerk.  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

No 15406

No



ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1533

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

The petition of Lukas Lipold, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is Unionville, Ohio (2) My occupation is Fireman

(3) I was born in Vareja, Italy on Oct. 6, 1883 My race is Slovenian

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on Jan. 30, 1929 in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my wife ~~or husband~~ is Cecelia we were married on Aug. 28, 1926 at Jefferson, Ohio he was

born at Zuzenberg, Austria on Aug. 8, 1888; entered the United States at New York, N. Y. on Sept. 20, 1894 for permanent residence therein, and now resides at Unionville, Ohio I have no children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows:

(6) My last foreign residence was Trieste, Austria I emigrated to the United States of America from Trieste, Austria My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ New York, New York under the name of Luka Lipold

on Sept. 18, 1913, on the vessel SS Belvedere as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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 Sept. 21, 1913 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since Aug. 28, 1926, being a residence within said county of at least six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number Ohio, on Common Pleas Court at Painesville, Ohio, and such petition was denied by that Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit:

Witnesses were not good. Witnesses gave wrong information on depositions. and the cause of such denial has since been cured or removed.

Attached hereto and made a part of this, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~heard~~ ~~read~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

Lukas Lipold  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Alden Johnson, occupation Insurance Salesman, residing at Unionville Ohio, and

John Hribar, occupation Fish Rod Dept. Am. Fork & Hoe Co., 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Lukas Lipold, the petitioner above mentioned, since Jan. 1, 1931

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Unionville, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Jan. 1, 1931, 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.

Alden Johnson  
(Signature of witness)

John Hribar  
(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 at Jefferson, Ohio this 13th day of Jan., Anno Domini 1936 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-57882

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. 2579 of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By Jay W. Young Clerk.  
Marion E. Larson Deputy Clerk.

(SEAL)

No. 24943

14-2618

Form 2204-1-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Lukas Lipold  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 15th day of April, A. D. 1936

Jay W. Young, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 14 of List No. 16 and Certificate No. 4066183 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE

No. 7 20309

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records of the Department of Labor show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: New York, N.Y.  
Name: Pignotti, Rocco  
Date: October 1, 1922  
Manner of arrival: SS Paris

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

September 25, 1933.

(Date)

*Edward Corst*  
EDWARD CORST,

Commissioner, New York District

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CLEVELAND, OHIO  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Cheriff

# 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 at Jefferson, Ohio.

I, Mr. Rocco Pignotti  
now residing at 728 Harbor Street, Conneaut, Ashtabula Ohio  
occupation Laborer, aged 30 years, do declare on oath that my personal description is:  
Sex male, color white, complexion dark, color of eyes  
color of hair gray-black, height 5 feet 6 inches; weight 184 pounds; visible distinctive marks

race Italian; nationality Italy  
I was born in Macchiagodena Prov Di Comoposso, on May 4, 1904  
I am not married. The name of my wife ~~and husband~~ is Florence Norducci Pignotti  
we were married on Feb. 26, 1927, at Conneaut, Ohio; she ~~or he~~ was  
born at Santangelo Pro Di Comoposso, on March 29, 1910, entered the United States  
at New York, New York, on November, 1923, for permanent residence therein, and now  
resides at Conneaut, Ohio. I have 3 children, and the name, date and place of birth,  
and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: John, born Feb. 24, 1928, at Conneaut  
Conneaut, Ohio lives, Conneaut, O.; Henry born Aug. 11, 1929 lives  
at Conneaut, Ohio; Dorthy, born May 30, 1931, at Conneaut, lives at  
Conneaut, Ohio.

I have not heretofore made a declaration of intention: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_  
my last foreign residence was Macchiagodena Prov Di Comoposso, Italy  
I emigrated to the United States of America from Harve, France  
my lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at New York, New York  
under the name of Rosso Pignotti, on October 1, 1922  
on the vessel S. S. Paris

I will, before being admitted to citizenship, renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly, by name, to the prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of which I may be at the time of admission a citizen or subject; 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 reside permanently therein; and I certify that the photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of me: So HELP ME GOD.



Rocco Pignotti  
(Original signature of declarant without abbreviation, also alias, if used)

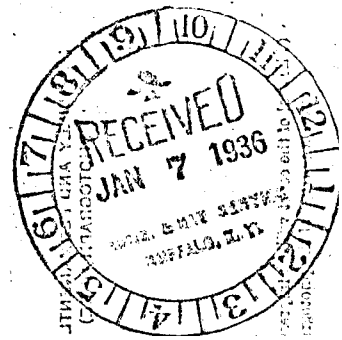
Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court, at Jefferson, Ohio this 17th day of October, anno Domini 1933 Certification No. 7-20309 from the Commissioner of Naturalization showing the lawful entry of the declarant for permanent residence on the date stated above, has been received by me. The photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of the declarant.

Jay W. Young  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By Walter Gibson, Deputy Clerk.

[SEAL]

No 98933





ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1534

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

The petition of Rocco Pignotti, Ohio hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 728 Harbor St., Conneaut, Ohio (2) My occupation is Laborer

(3) I was born in Macchiagodena, Prov Di Compobosso, Italy, on May 4, 1904.  
My race is Italian (South)

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on Oct. 17, 1933 in the Common Pleas  
Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my wife or husband is Florence Norducci Pignotti,  
we were married on February 26, 1927, at Conneaut, Ohio; she was

born at Santangelo Pro Di Compobosso, Italy, on March 29, 1910.; entered the United States  
at New York, N. Y. on November 1923 for permanent residence therein, and now

resides at Conneaut, Ohio I have 5 children, and the name, date,  
and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: John, born Feb. 24, 1928;

Henry, born August 11, 1929, Conneaut, Ohio; Dorothy, born May 30,  
1931; All children were born in Conneaut, Ohio, and reside in

Conneaut, Ohio.

(6) My last foreign residence was Macchiagodena Prov Di Compobosso, Italy. I emigrated to the United States of  
America from Havre, France My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at New York, N. Y., under the name of Rocco Pignotti  
on October 1, 1922, on the vessel SS Paris  
as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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  
October 1, 1922, and in the County of Ash tabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since May 1924, being a residence within said county of at least  
six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_  
at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the  
Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have { read } this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of  
my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition  
is signed by me with my full, true name.

Rocco Pignotti  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Felix Castrilla occupation Truck driver  
residing at 729 Harbor St., Conneaut, Ohio, and

Genaro DiFilippo, occupation Laborer  
residing at 132 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 and has been  
acquainted in the United States with Rocco Pignotti

~~Macchiagodena Prov Di Compobosso, Italy~~, the petitioner above mentioned, since Jan. 1, 1931,  
and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a  
part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Conneaut, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Jan. 1, 1931 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 dis-  
posed 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.

Felix Castrilla  
(Signature of witness)

Genaro DiFilippo  
(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 at Jefferson, Ohio,  
this 14th day of January, Anno Domini 1936 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-20309

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. 2787  
of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

Jay W. Young Clerk.  
By Alma Klise Deputy Clerk.

(SEAL)

No. 24944

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2013

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Seocco Pignotti*  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 15th day of April, A. D. 1936

*Jay W. Young*, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 15 of List No. 16 and Certificate No. 4066184 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

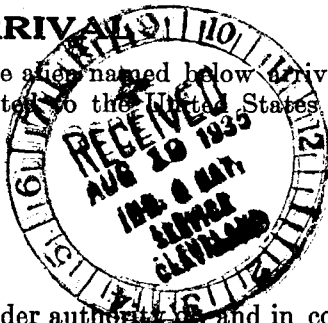
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No. ....

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Name: Anna B. Thornton, age 19  
Port of entry: Port Huron, Mich.  
Date: Aug. 2, 1919  
Manner of arrival: Grand Trunk Railway



I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

..... Aug. 17, 1935. ....  
(Date)

*O. W. Munster*

O. W. MUNSTER  
Inspector in Charge

ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1535

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

The petition of Anna Bell Thornton Friend, Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 116 Cummings Ave., Geneva, Ohio (2) My occupation is housewife

(3) I was born in Beachville, Ont., Canada on Dec. 15, 1899 My race is English

(4) ~~XXXXXX~~

(5) I am married. The name of my ~~wife~~ husband is Willard Albert Friend,  
we were married on May 29, 1925 at Cleveland, Ohio; he was  
born at Cleveland, Ohio on July 20, 1900

~~XXXXXX~~ and now  
resides at 116 Cummings Ave., Geneva, Ohio I have 2 children, and the name, date,  
and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Elizabeth Barbara, born June 14,  
1926, at Cleveland, Ohio; Marion Jane, born January 5, 1928, at  
Cleveland, Ohio; both children reside at Geneva, Ohio

(6) My last foreign residence was Beachville, Ont., Canada I emigrated to the United States of  
America from Ingersoll, Ont., Canada My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States  
was at Port Huron, Mich. under the name of Anna B. Thornton  
on Aug. 2, 1919 on the ~~XXXX~~ Grand Trunk Railway  
as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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, by the Grace  
of God, of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British Dominions beyond the  
Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India

of whom (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.  
(9) I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of one year at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since  
Aug. 2, 1919 and in the County of Ashtabula  
this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since Oct. 5, 1926

~~XXXXXX~~  
Petition filed under Sec. 2, Act of September 22, 1922

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_  
at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my ~~XXXXXX~~ certificate from the  
Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.  
Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~XXXXXX~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of  
my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition  
is signed by me with my full, true name.

Anna Bell Thornton Friend  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Jane Warren, occupation housewife  
residing at 248 Walnut St., Geneva, Ohio, and

Jennie T. Brown, occupation housewife  
residing at 93 Cummings Ave., Geneva, Ohio  
acquainted in the United States with

Anna Bell Thornton Friend, the petitioner above mentioned, since Jan. 1, 1935  
and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a  
part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Geneva, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula  
this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Jan. 1, 1935, 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 dis-  
posed 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.

Jane Warren (Signature of witness)  
Jennie T. 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 at Jefferson, Ohio  
this 14th day of January, Anno Domini 1936. I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-58577  
from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, ~~XXXXXX~~  
~~XXXXXX~~ has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

Jay W. Young Clerk.  
Helen Cox Deputy Clerk. (SEAL)

No. 24945

No.

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2813

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~~ <sup>Edward VIII</sup>, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India of whom (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Anna Bell Thornton Friend*  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 15 day of April, A. D. 1926.

*Jay Wijoung*, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 26 of List No. 16 and Certificate No. 4066181 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

7 60953

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

No. ....

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Name: Miina Tarvainen  
Port of entry: Boston, Mass.  
Date: July 21, 1910  
Manner of arrival: S.S. Zeeland I-22

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

October 18, 1935

(Date)

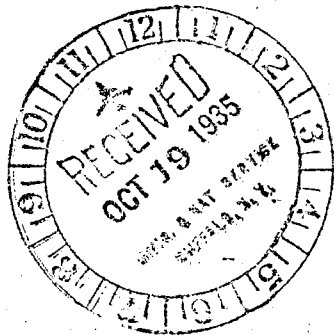
*S. J. Jones*

District Director of Immigration & Naturalization.

MG.

*M. G. Gerrig*

Clerk in charge of Records of Arrivals.





ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1536

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

To the Honorable the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio  
The petition of Minna Kantalainen Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 821 Lake Ave. Ashtabula / (2) My occupation is housewife

(3) I was born in Saarijarvi, Finland on Feb. 14, 1874. My race is Finnish

~~XXXXXX~~ Sec. 2 Act of 9/22/22  
~~XXXXXX~~

(5) I am married. The name of my wife ~~XXXXXX~~ is Viktor Kantalainen  
we were married on March 22, 1924 at Ashtabula, Ohio; he was

born at Saarijarvi, Finland on March 16, 1869; entered the United States  
at New York, N. Y. on March 14, 1896 for permanent residence therein, 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 are as follows: Husband was naturalized Nov. 3, 1902  
in the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula County at Jefferson, Ohio.

(6) My last foreign residence was Helsingfors, Finland. I emigrated to the United States of  
America from Hankoniemi, Finland. My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at Boston, Mass., under the name of Minna Tarvainen  
on July 21, 1910, on the vessel S. S. Zeeland,  
as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.  
(9) I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of 22 years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since

July 21, 1910 and in the County of Ashtabula  
this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since March 15 1913

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_, and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, ~~XXXXXX~~ to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the  
Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.  
Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to

~~XXXXXX~~  
I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have { read } this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of  
my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition  
is signed by me with my full, true name.  
Minna Kantalainen  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Venla M. Toppari, occupation Housewife  
residing at 1308 W. 9th Street, Ashtabula, Ohio, and

Mrs. Fanni J. Minken, occupation Housewife  
residing at 1149 W. 9th 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 and has been  
acquainted in the United States with Minna Kantalainen, the petitioner above mentioned, since Jan. 1, 1935

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a  
part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Jan. 1, 1935, 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 dis-  
posed 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.

Venla M. Toppari (Signature of witness) Fanni J. Minken (Signature of witness)  
Jefferson, Ohio

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court at Jefferson, Ohio  
this 13th day of Jan., Anno Domini 1936 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-60953

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, ~~XXXXXX~~  
~~XXXXXX~~, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By Jay Young Clerk.  
Maude Gibson Deputy Clerk.

No. 24946

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2013

(SEAL)

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Maina Kautalainen  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 15th day of April, A. D. 1936.

Jay W. Young, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 17 of List No. 16 and Certificate No. 4066182 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION SERVICE

No. <sup>FW</sup> 7-60143

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: Niagara Falls, N. Y.  
Name: Lillie Teppo  
Date: May 7, 1910  
Manner of arrival: Grand Trunk RR

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

December 3, 1935.

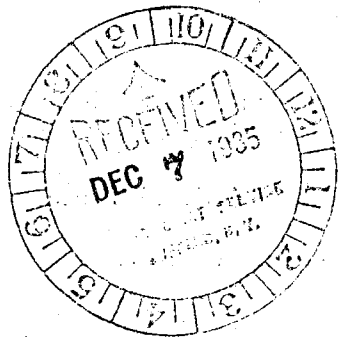
(Date)

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JGC:CJ

H. R. LANDIS, District Director,  
Immigration and Naturalization Service,  
Newport, Vermont

By *J. H. Paradise*

In charge statistical division



IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF  
*Lillian Vivian Johnston*  
 TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Petition No. 1537  
 Court of Common Pleas

## AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

*Mabel Fogle*  
 residing at Courtside, occupation housewife  
(Number and street) Ohio (City or town) Ohio (State), and  
 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 *Lillian Vivian Johnston*  
 the petitioner above mentioned since October 1 1921, and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner  
 has resided in the United States at Courtside, in the County of Ashland  
 State of Ohio, from April 1 1929 to Sept 28 1936, 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.

*Mrs. Mabel Fogle*  
(Signature of witness)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of witness)

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named witnesses  
 at Jefferson O., this 28 day of Sept.,  
 anno Domini 1936

*Cornelia A. Harner*  
(Signature of attester)  
 Deputy Clerk Court of Com.  
 Pleas  
(Title of attester)



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~~ <sup>Edward VIII</sup>, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland, and ~~the~~ British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India of whom (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Lillian Vivian Johnston*  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 29th day of Sept., A. D. 1936

*Jay W. Young*, Clerk.  
By *Helen Cox*, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 4 of List No. 17 and Certificate No. 4066189 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from April 15, 1936 to Sept. 29, 1936 Reason illness

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

No. 7 60275

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Name: Koch, Orsolya  
Port of entry: New York, NY  
Date: May 23, 1907  
Manner of arrival: SS Slavonia

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

October 18, 1935

(Date)

BYRON A. UHL

District Director  
New York District



*Sam S. Sherman*





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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Orsolya Lindermaier  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 15th day of April, A. D. 1936,

Jay W. Young, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 18 of List No. 16 and Certificate No. 4066185 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

No. <sup>7</sup> 39074

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

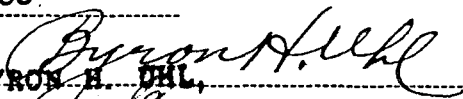
Name: Judin, Josef  
Port of entry: New York, N.Y.  
Date: January 3, 1921  
Manner of arrival: SS Lapland

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

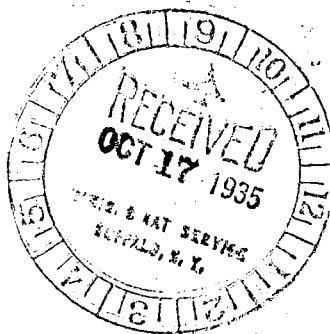
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

September 30, 1935.

(Date)

  
BYRON H. DAHL,  
District Director  
New York District

Jay Kahn



ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

No. 1539

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

The petition of Joseph Yudin, Ohio hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 1715 Columbus Ave., Ashtabula My occupation is car repairman

(3) I was born in Nizna Sunava, Czechoslovakia on Feb. 7, 1895 My race is Slovak

(4) ~~My last foreign residence was Nizna Sunava, Czechoslovakia on Feb. 7, 1895~~

(5) I am married. The name of my wife Antoniana is Susie Yudin  
we were married on June 2, 1934 at Cleveland, Ohio; She was  
born at Remah, Colorado on Oct. 12, 1910

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 are as follows: Anna, born March 16, 1935 at  
Ashtabula, Ohio and resides at Ashtabula, Ohio. My wife is a United  
States Citizen by birth.

(6) My last foreign residence was Nizna Sunava, Czechoslovakia I emigrated to the United States of  
America from Antwerp, Belgium My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States  
was at New York, N. Y. under the name of Josef Judin  
on January 3, 1921 on the vessel SS Lapland  
as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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  
January 3, 1921 and in the County of Ashtabula  
this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since January 4, 1921

Petition filed under Sec. 2, Act. Sept. 22, 1922 as amended  
(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_  
at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my certificate of arrival, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.  
Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have read this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

Joseph Yudin  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Paul J. Sholtis occupation police officer  
residing at 772 E. 14th St., Ashtabula, Ohio and

Herc. Paulino occupation attorney  
residing at 1105 Seymour Drive, 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Joseph Yudin, the petitioner above mentioned, since Jan. 1, 1933  
and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Jan. 1, 1933 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.

Paul J. Sholtis (Signature of witness)  
Herc. Paulino (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 at Jefferson, Ohio  
this 14th day of January, Anno Domini 1936. I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-59074

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named Joseph Yudin, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By Jay W. Young Clerk.  
Helen Cook Deputy Clerk.

No. 24948

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2618

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Joseph Yucolin  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 15th day of April, A. D. 1936.

Jay Young, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 19 of List No. 16 and Certificate No. 4066169 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

No. 7 59378

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Name: Marta, Emilia  
Port of entry: New York, NY  
Date: April 15, 1914  
Manner of arrival: SS Olympic

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

September 23, 1935

(Date)

*Byron H. Hull*  
JHL  
Director



*Sam S. Korman*



No. 2594

7 59378

# 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, Emilio Marta, aged 40 years, occupation Crane Operator, 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 Scar on second finger of right hand

I was born in S. Stefano, Italy on the 25 day of December, anno Domini 1888; I now reside at 61 Pacific 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 foreign residence was S. Stefano, Italy; I am married; the name of my wife is Clara; 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

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 15 day of April, 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.

*Emilio Marta*  
(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 1929

[SEAL]

Cornelia A. Warner  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By *Thelma Hackett Calaway* Deputy Clerk.



ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 1540

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

The petition of Emilio Marta, Ohio, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 739 E. 15th St., Ashtabula, (2) My occupation is Labor foreman

(3) I was born in St. Stefano, Italy on Dec. 25, 1888 My race is Italian (North)

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on April 1, 1929 in the Common Pleas

Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my wife Clara Bisaroe Marta

we were married on Nov. 30, 1918 at Ashtabula, Ohio he was

born at Ashtabula, Ohio on \*\*\* 1900

XX XXX XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX and now

resides at Ashtabula, Ohio I have five children, and the name, date,

and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows: Evelyn, born July 19, 1919; John,

born Oct. 7, 1922; Emilia, born May 27, 1926; Lucy, born Dec. 13,

1930; Maria, born Sept. 13, 1934. All children were born in Ashtabula,

Ohio, and now reside in Ashtabula, Ohio

(6) My last foreign residence was St. Stefano, Italy I emigrated to the United States of

America from South Hampton, England My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at New York, N. Y., under the name of Emilia Marta

on April 15, 1914, on the vessel SS Olympic

as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of any organization or body of persons teaching, disseminating or professing

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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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

April 15, 1914 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since April 1, 1916, being a residence within said county of at least

six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the

Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have read this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of

my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition

is signed by me with my full, true name.

Emilio Marta  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Robert P. Rowley, occupation Merchant

residing at E. 15th St., Ashtabula, Ohio, and

A. E. Candela, occupation Insurance Agent

residing at 1120 Columbus Ave., 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 and has been

acquainted in the United States with Emilio Marta, the petitioner above mentioned, since Jan. 1, 1931

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a

part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Ashtabula, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula,

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Jan. 1, 1931, 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 dis-

posed 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.

Robert P. Rowley (Signature of witness) Anthony E. 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 at Jefferson, Ohio,

this 14th day of January, Anno Domini 1936 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-59378

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No.

2594 of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

By Jay W. Young Clerk. Edna K. Link Deputy Clerk. (SEAL)

No. 24950

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

14-2618

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Emilio Martini*

(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 15<sup>th</sup> day of April, A. D. 1936.

*Jay W. Young*, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 20 of List No. 16 and Certificate No. 4066171 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

No. 7 62197

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

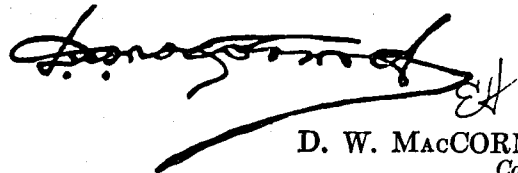
Name: Hilda Maria Maki  
Port of entry: New York, N. Y.  
Date: Dec. 4, 1933  
Manner of arrival: SS Bremen

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

December 3, 1935.

dl



D. W. MacCORMACK,  
Commissioner.







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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Hilda Maria Maki*

(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 15th day of April, A. D. 1936

*Jay W. Young*, Clerk.

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

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

Petition granted: Line No. 21 of List No. 16 and Certificate No. 7066177 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

No. 7 62288

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Name: Kajander, Mirjam  
Port of entry: New York, NY  
Date: November 21, 1914  
Manner of arrival: SS Oscar II

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

November 26, 1935

(Date)

*Byron H. Uhl*  
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BYRON H. UHL  
District Director  
New York District

Sam S. Newman



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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Marian Irene Rawson*  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 15th day of April, A. D. 1936

*Jay W. Young*, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 22 of List No. 16 and Certificate No. 4066166 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

7 58485  
No. ....

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Name: Zinghini, Giuseppe  
Port of entry: New York, NY  
Date: September 29, 1913  
Manner of arrival: SS Moltke

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

September 20, 1935

(Date)

*Byron H. Hill*  
BYRON H. HILL

District Director  
New York District

*Ray S. Olsen*



No. 2619

TRIPPLICATE  
[To be given to the person making  
declaration]

# 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, Geo Zinghini, aged 31 years,  
occupation molder, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 7 1/2 inches,  
weight 152 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Naples, Italy  
on the 24th day of January, anno Domini 1898; I now reside  
at 157 N. Broadway, Geneva, Ohio

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

I emigrated to the United States of America from Naples, Italy  
on the vessel Moltke; 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 Naples, Italy; I am un married; the name  
of my { wife } is Laura Zinghim; { she } was born at Italy  
and now resides at 157 N. Broadway, Geneva, Ohio

I will before being admitted to citizenship  
renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, State, or sovereignty,  
and particularly, by name, to the prince, potentate, State, or sovereignty of which I may be at  
the time of admission a citizen or subject; I arrived at the port of New York  
in the State of New York, on or about the 28th day  
of October, 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.

Geo Zinghini  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 8th day of June, anno Domini 1929.

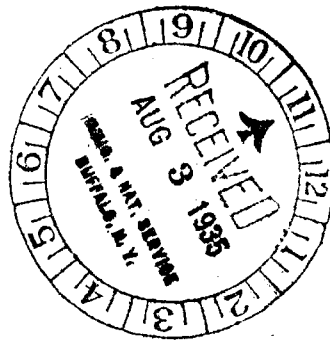
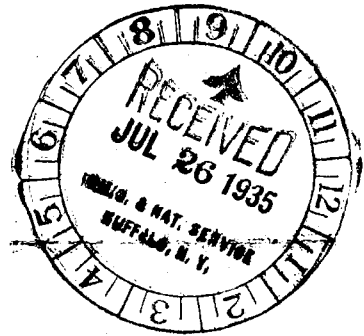
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Cornelia A. Warner

Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.

By Helen Cox, Deputy Clerk.





PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

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

The petition of Giuseppi Zinghini, Ohio hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is 500 North Broadway, Geneva, (2) My occupation is Molder

(3) I was born in Naples, Italy on Jan. 24, 1898 My race is Italian (South)

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on June 8, 1929 in the Common Pleas

Court of Ashtabula County, at Jefferson, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my wife Laura Zinghini

we were married on April 8, 1919 at Ashtabula, Ohio she was

born at Petrona, Italy on September 18, 1899; entered the United States

at New York, N. Y. on Jan. 22, 1914 for permanent residence therein, and now

resides at Geneva, Ohio I have NO children, and the name, date,

and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows:

(6) My last foreign residence was Boverino, Italy I emigrated to the United States of

America from Naples, Italy My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at New York, N. Y. under the name of Giuseppe Zinghini,

on September 29, 1913 on the vessel SS Moltke

as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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

September 29, 1913, and in the County of Ashtabula,

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since December 28, 1913, being a residence within said county of at least six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~heard~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

Giuseppi Zinghini  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Fred Pucci, occupation Taylor

residing at West Main St., Geneva, Ohio, and

John Carcell, occupation Laborer

residing at Cedar 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Giuseppi Zinghini, the petitioner above mentioned, since Jan. 1, 1913

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a

part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Geneva, Ohio, in the County of Ashabula,

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Jan. 1, 1913, 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.

Fred Pucci  
(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 at Jefferson, Ohio,

this 14th day of January, Anno Domini 1936 I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-58485

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. \_\_\_\_\_

2619 of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to and made a part of this petition on this date.

Jay H. Young Clerk  
Alma Pliner Deputy Clerk

(SEAL)

No. 23149

Form 2204-L-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE  
14-2018

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Giuseppe Zinghini  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 28th day of Sept, A. D. 1937

Jay W. Young, Clerk.  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. 2 of List No. 23 and Certificate No. 4273458 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from April 15, 1936 to Sept. 29, 1936 Reason study  
" " " Sept. 29, 1936 to April 1937 " "  
" " " April 20, 1937 to Sept. 1937 " "

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

No. 7-60850

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Name: Gentile, Antonio  
Port of entry: New York, N.Y.  
Date: May 1, 1916  
Manner of arrival: SS Patria

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

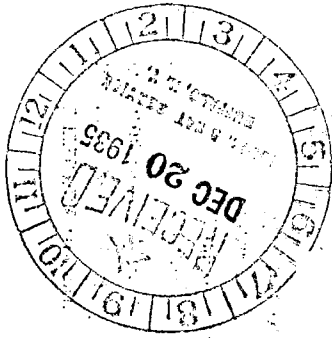
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

December 18, 1935

(Date)

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BYRON H. LEH,  
District Director  
New York District  
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*Byron H. Leh*  
*DL*



Jay Kahn



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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Antonio Gentile  
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 15th day of April, A. D. 1936

Jay W. Young, Clerk.

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

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

Petition granted: Line No. 23 of List No. 16 and Certificate No. 4066186 issued.

Petition denied: List No. \_\_\_\_\_

Petition continued from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reason \_\_\_\_\_

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

No. 7-66492

**CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the immigration records show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

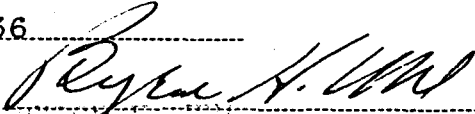
Name: Dubaj, Josef  
Port of entry: New York, N.Y.  
Date: February 1, 1912  
Manner of arrival: SS Finland

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

March 3, 1936

(Date)

  
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BRUCE H. GIRD,  
District Director  
New York District





Jay Kahan

No. 84616

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

7 66492

## 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, JOZEF DUBAJ, aged 38 years,  
occupation Machine Operator, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 10 inches,  
weight 145 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks first joint first finger left hand missing

I was born in Skaltmierz Poland  
on the 15 day of March, anno Domini 1891; I now reside  
at 2590 W. 11th St. Cleveland Ohio

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

I emigrated to the United States of America from Antwerp Belgium  
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 Poland; I am un married; the name  
of my {wife} is Sophie; {she} was born at Poland  
and now resides at with me here

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 1st day  
of Feb., 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.

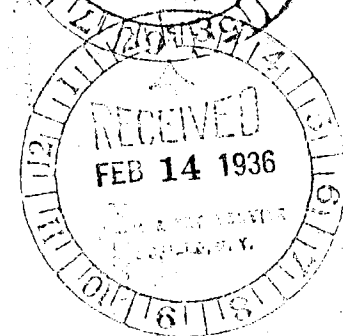
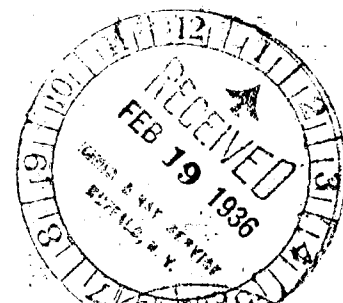
Jozef Dubaj  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 24 day of April 1929, anno Domini 192

[SEAL]

GEORGE WALLACE  
Clerk of the COMMON PLEAS Court.  
By [Signature] DEPUTY Clerk.

No 124661

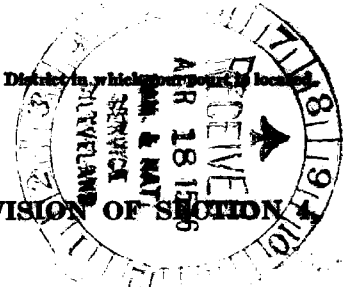


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NOTE FOR CLERK OF COURT.—This form should be sent to the District Director of Naturalization for the District in which your court is located.

Form 2220-A  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE



NOTICE TO TAKE DEPOSITIONS UNDER THE FOURTH SUBDIVISION OF SECTION  
ACT JUNE 29, 1906, AS AMENDED

(For use where the petitioner has not resided in the county for five years)

In the Common Pleas Court of Ashtabula Co.  
at Jefferson, Ohio

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF

Jozef Dubaj  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES  
OF AMERICA

NOTICE.

Cleveland, O.

To the District Director of Naturalization, R.O. Bldg. Buffalo, N.Y.

My petition for Naturalization, No. 1545, filed in the above-named court on  
April 15, 1936, has been set for hearing approximately on Sept. 29, 1936

Take notice, that in accordance with the fourth subdivision of Section 4 of the Naturalization Act of  
June 29, 1906, as amended, I, the above-named petitioner in the above-entitled proceeding now pending in  
the above-entitled court, request that the depositions be taken of Julian Prokop

, by occupation factory worker, residing at 2466

Cleveland, Ohio, and John Ksepko, by occupation

molder, residing at 2495 Scranton Rd. Cleveland Ohio

who are both citizens of the United States, in support of said petition before the officer, and at such time  
and place as may be designated by the District Director of Naturalization, for the District in which said  
deponents reside.

The said depositions are to be taken for the purpose of establishing by the testimony of two citizens of  
the United States my character and residence in the County of Cuyahoga, State of

Ohio, from the 1st day of November April

1931 to and including the 11th day of Oct. 1932

Jozef Dubaj  
(Petitioner must sign his name here in full and without abbreviation)

Address: R.D. 4 Box 42  
(Number) (Street)

Jefferson, Ohio  
(City or town) (State)



## INTERROGATORIES IN DEPOSITIONS OF WITNESSES

TO PROVE RESIDENCE AND OTHER QUALIFICATIONS OF AN ALIEN PETITIONER FOR NATURALIZATION UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE FOURTH SUBDIVISION OF SECTION 4 OF THE ACT OF JUNE 29, 1906, AS AMENDED.

In the COMMON PLEAS Court of ASHTABULA  
at: JEFFERSON, OHIO

In the Matter of the Petition No. 1545  
of JOZEF DUBAJ  
To Be Admitted a Citizen of the United States of America

## DEPOSITIONS

Filed - 10/23/36 - Pope, B.N.



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

State of Ohio, County of Cuyahoga, ss:

JULIAN LOUIS PROKOP

, being first duly sworn by me,

(Name of first witness)

deposed, testified, and said as follows:

- 1. Q. State your full name. A. Julian Louis Prokop
- 2. Q. Residence? A. 2465 Professor Ave., Cleveland, Cuyahoga, Ohio  
(Number and street) (City) (County) (State)
- 3. Q. Your occupation? A. Silk Spinner
- 4. Q. Your age? A. 30
- 5. Q. Are you a citizen of the United States? A. Yes
- 6. Q. Where born? A. Poland
- 7. Q. If you are a naturalized citizen, state WHEN and WHERE and in WHAT COURT you were naturalized and the number, if any, of your naturalization certificate. A. (Presented Cert. of Nat. 2913054, Petition 34687 issued in U. S. District Court, Cleveland, Ohio on December 14, 1928 in name of JULIAN LOUIS PROKOP, -- Returned.)

8. Q. State the period of your residence in the County of Cuyahoga, State of Ohio in which you know the petitioner for naturalization, JOZEF DUBAJ to have resided. A. Since July 1923.

9. Q. State fully and particularly WHEN and WHERE and UNDER WHAT CIRCUMSTANCES you first met the petitioner in the United States. (Give year, month, and day of the month as nearly as you can.)

A. I first became acquainted with him when my father and I returned to the U. S. in July 1923. My father and I had returned to Poland in 1920 and my father had known him before 1920, and in 1923 when we came back I became acquainted with Jozef Dubaj thru my father.

10. Q. State the period during which he has resided continuously in the United States. (Give dates as nearly as you can.) A. From July 1923 to October 1932.

11. Q. Since you first met the petitioner in the United States, in what County and State has he lived to your personal knowledge? A. Cuyahoga County (Cleveland), Ohio

12. Q. How often did you see the petitioner while he was in the County and State mentioned in the preceding question? A. About twice a week from July 1923 to Jan. 1928. Then I boarded at his home from Jan. 1928 to Oct. 1932 and I saw him during that time every day.

13. Q. Since you first met him in the United States has he ever been absent from the United States? A. No.

14. Q. When did he remove from the County of Cuyahoga, State of Ohio? A. October 1932.

15. Q. During the time you knew him, or at any time, was he ever arrested or engaged in any unlawful occupation? (If so, give full particulars.) A. No--not as far as I know.

16. Q. During all the time you have known the petitioner, has he conducted himself as a person of good moral character? A. Yes.

17. Q. Has the petitioner ever been an anarchist or a polygamist, a believer in anarchy or in the practice of polygamy, or affiliated in any way with any persons opposed to or teaching disbelief in organized government? A. No.

18. Q. Do you believe from your personal knowledge of the petitioner that during all the time you have known him he has been 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 do you recommend that he be admitted to citizenship? A. Yes, sir.

Julian Louis Prokop  
(Signature of first witness)

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Cleveland, Ohio this 13th day of October, 19 36

S. H. Ewing  
S. H. Ewing  
Examiner

(Official character of attester)

Note to officer.—If witness is a naturalized citizen, did he exhibit to you his certificate of naturalization? Yes.

State of Ohio, County of Cuyahoga, ss:

JOHN KSEPKO, being first duly sworn by me, (Name of second witness)  
deposed, testified, and said as follows:

- 1. Q. State your full name. A. JOHN KSEPKO
- 2. Q. Residence? A. 2495 Scranton Road, Cleveland Cuyahoga Ohio  
(Number and street) (City) (County) (State)
- 3. Q. Your occupation? A. Moulder 4. Q. Your age? A. 44 years (State)
- 5. Q. Are you a citizen of the United States? A. Yes 6. Q. Where born? A. Poland
- 7. Q. If you are a naturalized citizen, state WHEN and WHERE and in WHAT COURT you were naturalized and the number, if any, of your naturalization certificate. A. I was naturalized in the U.S. District Court, Cleveland, Ohio, on November 22, 1929. ( Pet. 39873; Cer. # 3201161 )

8. Q. State the period of your residence in the County of Cuyahoga, State of Ohio in which you know the petitioner for naturalization, JOSEF DUBAJ to have resided. A. Since 1912

9. Q. State fully and particularly WHEN and WHERE and UNDER WHAT CIRCUMSTANCES you first met the petitioner in the United States. (Give year, month, and day of the month as nearly as you can.) A. I met him at a party on a farm at Berea, Ohio, in 1922. This was a party given my a mutual friend of both of us. This was during June, 1922.

10. Q. State the period during which he has resided continuously in the United States. (Give dates as nearly as you can.) A. June, 1922 until the middle of October, 1932.

11. Q. Since you first met the petitioner in the United States, in what County and State has he lived to your personal knowledge. A. Cuyahoga, Ohio. ( West 11th St., Cleveland, Ohio )

12. Q. How often did you see the petitioner while he was in the County and State mentioned in the preceding question? A. Once a week

13. Q. Since you first met him in the United States has he ever been absent from the United States? A. No

14. Q. When did he remove from the County of Cuyahoga State of Ohio? A. October 15, 1932

15. Q. During the time you knew him, or at any time, was he ever arrested or engaged in any unlawful occupation? (If so, give full particulars.) A. No

16. Q. During all the time you have known the petitioner, has he conducted himself as a person of good moral character? A. Yes

17. Q. Has the petitioner ever been an anarchist or a polygamist, a believer in anarchy or in the practice of polygamy, or affiliated in any way with any persons opposed to or teaching disbelief in organized government? A. No

18. Q. Do you believe from your personal knowledge of the petitioner that during all the time you have known him he has been 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 do you recommend that he be admitted to citizenship? A. Yes

John Ksepko (Signature of second witness)

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Cleveland, Ohio this 17th day of October, 1936

James R. Wetmore  
Acting Naturalization Examiner  
(Official character of attester)

Note to officer.—If witness is a naturalized citizen, did he exhibit to you his certificate of naturalization? Yes



ORIGINAL  
(To be retained by  
clerk)

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

No. 1545

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

The petition of Jozef Dubaj, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is R. D. 4, Box 42, Jefferson, Ohio (2) My occupation is farmer

(3) I was born in Skalbmierz, Poland on March 15, 1891 My race is Polish

(4) I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on April 24, 1929 in the Common Pleas

Court of Guyahoga County at Cleveland, Ohio

(5) I am married. The name of my wife or ~~husband~~ is Sophie

we were married on August 25, 1915 at Syracuse, N. Y. She was

born at Budziska, Poland on May 5, 1894; entered the United States

at New York, N. Y. on August 24, 1912 for permanent residence therein, and now

resides at Jefferson, Ohio. I have no children, and the name, date,

and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children are as follows:

(6) My last foreign residence was Skalbmierz, Poland I emigrated to the United States of

America from Antwerp Belgium My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States

was at New York, N. Y. under the name of Josef Dubaj

on February 1, 1912 on the vessel SS Finland

as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) 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 well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States. 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 (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (8) I am able to speak the English language.

(9) 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

February 1, 1912 and in the County of Ashtabula

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since October 12, 1932, being a residence within said county of at least six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Number \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_ and such petition was denied by that 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, my petition for citizenship, are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to \_\_\_\_\_

I, your aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, depose and say that I have <sup>read</sup> ~~heard~~ this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

*Jozef Dubaj*  
(Complete and true signature of petitioner)

### AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

William T. Quirk, occupation laborer

residing at R. D. 4, Box 43, Jefferson, Ohio, and

Joseph Kowalski, ~~XXXX~~ occupation laborer

residing at R. D. 4, Box 42, 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 and has been acquainted in the United States with

Jozef Dubaj, the petitioner above mentioned, since Nov. 1, 1932

and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition, of which this affidavit is a

part, to wit, since the date last mentioned, and at Jefferson, Ohio, in the County of Ashtabula

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since Nov. 1, 1932, 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.

*William T. Quirk* (Signature of witness)

*Joseph Kowalski* (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 at Jefferson, Ohio

this 15th day of April, Anno Domini 1936. I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 7-66492

from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. \_\_\_\_\_

84816 of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

*Jay W. Young* Clerk.  
*Helen Cox* Deputy Clerk.

(SEAL)

No. 23150

Form 2204-LA  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE  
14-2613

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 (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: SO HELP ME GOD. In acknowledgment whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

*Jozef Dubaj*  
.....  
(signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this *20* day of *April*, A. D. 19*37*

*Jay Wyoung*  
....., Clerk.

By....., Deputy Clerk.

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

Petition granted: Line No. *2* of List No. *19* and Certificate No. *4110080* issued.

Petition denied: List No. ....

Petition continued from *Sept. 29, 1936* to *April 1937* Reason *depositions*

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W. H. WAGNER,

U. S. Department of Labor, Assistant to the Commissioner.  
Immigration and Naturalization Service.