

No. 1, N.W.C.  
To the Honorable the Circuit Court of the United States, in and for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania:

The Petition of *Joseph Wolfromm*  
A NATIVE of *Bavaria*

Respectfully Sheweth,

That he declared on oath before *the Prothonotary of the Courts of Common Pleas for the County of Philadelphia*

on the *25<sup>th</sup>* day of *June* A. D. *1890* that it was bona fide his intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and of renouncing forever all allegiance and fidelity to any Foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the

*King of Bavaria*  
of whom he was at that time a subject. That your petitioner has resided within the United States upwards of five years, and one year in the State of Pennsylvania last past, immediately preceding this his application to become a Citizen of the United States.

That he has never borne any hereditary title or been of any of the orders of nobility in his own or any other country.

He therefore prays, that on his making the proof, and taking the oath prescribed by law, he may be admitted a Citizen of the United States of America.

And he will ever pray, &c.

*Joseph Wolfromm*  
*411 Pierce*

*Jacob Kircher*

a Citizen of the United States

of America, being duly sworn according to law saith, that he knows and is well acquainted with *Joseph Wolfromm* the petitioner; that to his knowledge he has resided in the United States five years, and one year last past in the State of Pennsylvania, immediately preceding his application to be a citizen; that during the said period he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of our Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn in open Court, this *Twelfth* day of *September* *1890*  
*Samuel Pierce* *425 Pierce St*  
Clerk Circuit Court, U. S.

*Joseph Wolfromm* do swear, that the contents of my petition are true; that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and I now renounce and relinquish any title or order of nobility to which I am now, or hereafter may be entitled, and I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any Foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever, and particularly to

*King of Bavaria*  
of whom I was before a subject.

Sworn in open Court, this *Twelfth*

day of *September* A. D. *1890*  
*Samuel Pierce*  
Clerk Circuit Court, U. S.

*Joseph Wolfromm*  
*411 Pierce*

NO. 1068

**U. S. CIRCUIT COURT,**  
Naturalization.

PETITION OF

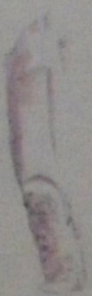
*Joseph W. Brown*  
*(Prussia)*

*25 June 32*

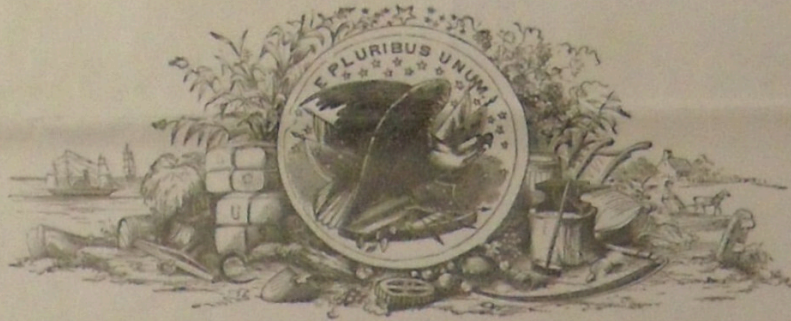
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Petition Filed, and Petitioner  
Sworn and Admitted.

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# United States of America.



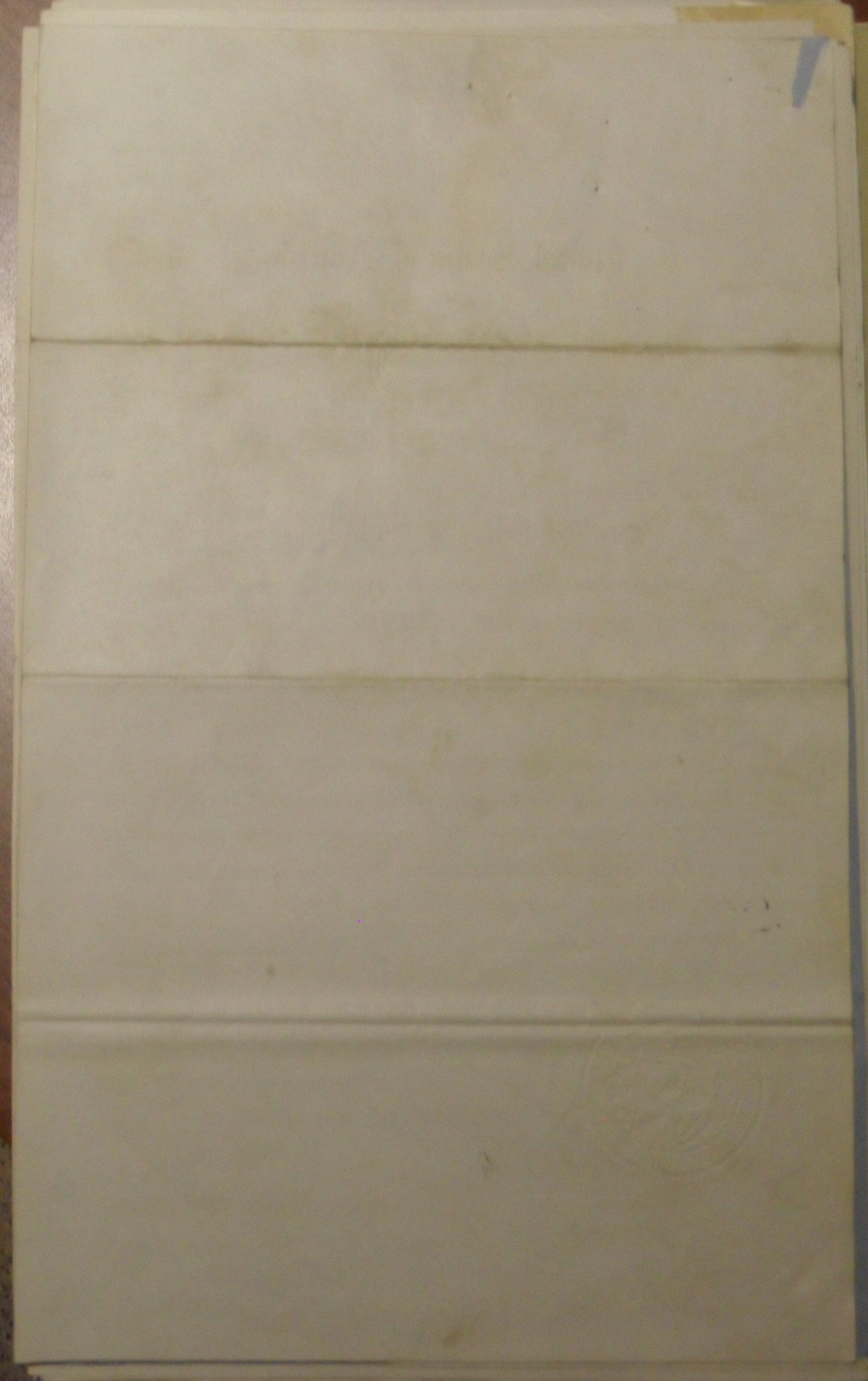
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA,

City and County of Philadelphia, ss.

**Be it remembered,** That before the Prothonotary of the Courts of Common Pleas for the County of Philadelphia, on the *25<sup>th</sup>* day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight personally appeared *Joseph Wolfram* who upon his solemn oath did depose and say, that he is a Native of *Bavaria* now residing in the City of Philadelphia, aged *28* years, or thereabouts, and that it is BONA FIDE his intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any Foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *King of Bavaria* of whom he is now a subject.

**In Witness Whereof,** I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Courts, this *25<sup>th</sup>* day of *June* in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight (1888.)

*E. J. Linsom*  
Pro Prothonotary



IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

Joseph Wolfromm, being duly sworn,  
according to law, deposes and says :

That on the - - - 12th, - - - day of - - September, - - A. D. 1890 ,  
he obtained from the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for the Eastern District  
of Pennsylvania, a Certificate of **naturalization, admitting to be**  
a citizen of the United States. That said Certificate has been lost or destroyed under the  
following circumstances :

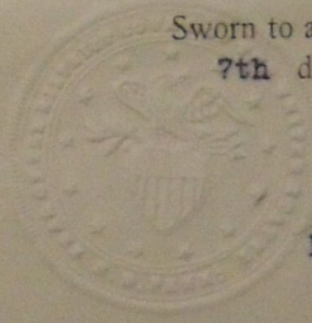
In the latter part of 1915. I had a room with a Scotch  
woman, ( I do not remember her name ) on Columbia Ave, above  
second. Lived there about three months. In December 1915,  
before Christmas, I went to live with my wife on Columbia  
Avenue, below second, and about the month of May<sup>1916</sup> we moved to  
1247 Mascher Street, where I now reside. I missed the  
duplicate certificate of naturalization, and when I called upon  
the woman with whom I roomed, and to whom I had given the certificate  
with ~~other~~ tax receipts etc. was informed that she could not find  
my things-

That he has made diligent search for said Certificate and is unable to find the same,  
and to the best of his knowledge and belief it is not in the possession of any other person for  
the purpose of committing a fraud under the Naturalization Laws of the United States, either  
Federal or State.

That if said Certificate should be found he will forthwith return the same to the Clerk  
of said Court, or if it is known to be in the possession of any other person, and is unable to  
secure possession of the same, he will at once notify the United States District Attorney of  
said fact.

That affiant is desirous of exercising his rights as a citizen of the United States and for  
that purpose now makes application for the issuance of a duplicate Certificate.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this  
7th day of October 19 16

  
Deputy Clerk District Court.

Joseph Wolfromm  
1247 Mascher Street,  
Philadelphia

Joseph Wilson,

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Circular  
Naturalization, admitting to be

In the latter part of 1913. I had a room with a Scotch  
woman, ( I do not remember her name ) on Columbia Ave, above  
second. I lived there about three months. In December 1913,  
before Christmas, I went to live with my wife on Columbia  
Avenue, below second, and about the month of May we moved to  
1247 Market Street, where I now reside. I missed the  
duplicate certificate of naturalization, and when I called upon  
the woman with whom I roomed, and to whom I had given the certificate  
with other tax receipts etc. she informed that she could not find  
it.

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1247 Market Street,  
Philadelphia

Deputy

