7 March Term 1904

YEARS.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, } Sct:
BEAVER COUNTY.

Be it Remembered, *That at a COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, held at BEAVER in and for the County of Beaver, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in the United States of America, on the* 9th *day of* January *in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and* four, Nick Bergandino *a native of* Italy *and it appearing to the said Court that he had declared on oath, before the Prothonotary of the said Court that it was* **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, and particularly to the* King of Italy *of which he was at that time a subject; and the said* Nick Bergandino *having on his solemn oath declared, and also made proof thereof to the satisfaction of the Court, by the testimony of* Angelo Tregua *a citizen of the United States, that he had resided in the* **United States of America THREE YEARS** *next preceding his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and continued to reside therein to the time of making his application; that during the two years next preceding his application it had been* **bona fide** *his intention to become a citizen of the United States; that he had resided* **ONE YEAR** *and upwards, last past, within the State* **of Pennsylvania,** *and within the* **United States of America FIVE YEARS** *and upwards, last past, including the three years of his minority; that during that time he had behaved as a man 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 same; that he does not disbelieve in, nor is he opposed to, all organized government; that he is not a member of, or affiliated with, any organization entertaining and teaching such disbelief or opposition; that he does not advocate, nor teach the duty, necessity or propriety of unlawfully assaulting or killing any specific individual or officers generally of the Government of the United States, or of any other organized government, because of his or their official character; and that he has not violated any of the provisions of an Act to regulate the immigration of aliens into the United States approved March 3, 1903; and having also declared on his solemn oath, before the said Court, that he would support the Constitution of the United States, and that he did absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty, and particularly to the* King of Italy *of which he was before a subject; thereupon the Court admitted the said* Nick Bergandino *to become a* **Citizen of the United States,** *and ordered all the proceedings aforesaid to be recorded by the Prothonotary of said Court; which was done accordingly.*

In Testimony Whereof, *I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of the said Court at Beaver, this* 9th *day of* January *19*04*, and in the one hundred and* twenty-eighth *year of the Independence of the said United States.*

Wilber R. Harris
Prothonotary.