Charles H. Elias a Citizen of the United States being duly sworn according to law saith that he is well acquainted with the above named petitioner and that, to his certain knowledge and belief he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States for five years last past, within the State of Pennsylvania. That during the same period he has behaved himself 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.

Sworn in open Court
M L Quay Pro

Charles H. Elias

I Hermann Appel a citizen of Germany and heretofore a Subject of the Prince of Cor, Hessen do on my solemn oath declare that the contents of my petition are true: that I will support the Constitution of the United States: that I do hereby renounce and relinquish any title or order of nobility to which I am or hereafter may be entitled: and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State and Sovereignty whatsoever and particularly to the Prince of Cor Hessen of whom I was before a Subject.

Sworn in open Court
M L Quay Pro

Hermann Appel