

No. 1390

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

I, State of New Jersey ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
Atlantic County of Atlantic County

I, Hermann Messel, aged 24 years,  
occupation carpenter, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion light, height 5 feet 7 inches,  
weight 183 pounds, color of hair light brown, color of eyes grey  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Rugen, Germany  
on the 4th day of January, anno Domini 1893; I now reside  
at Roberville, New Jersey, Box 94  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Essen, Germany  
on the vessel Sonneberg; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)  
foreign residence was Hamburg, Germany

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to William 2nd  
German Emperor, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Brooklyn, in the  
State of New York, on or about the 18th day  
of April, 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.

Hermann Messel  
(Original signature of declarant.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 5th day of February, anno Domini 1917

[SEAL.]

Edwin A. Parker  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By Arthur W. M. ... Deputy Clerk.

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I, State of New Jersey ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
Atlantic County of Atlantic County

I, Fred Otto Landmann, aged 33 years,  
occupation steward, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 6 inches,  
weight 170 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Elderfeld, Germany  
on the 17th day of July, anno Domini 1883; I now reside  
at 227 S. Comm. Ave. Atlantic City, New Jersey  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State.)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Hamburg, Germany  
on the vessel Prinze Adelbert; 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 Elderfeld, Germany

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to William 2nd  
German Emperor, of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Philadelphia, in the  
State of Pennsylvania, on or about the 11th day  
of May, anno Domini 1912; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

Fred Otto Landmann  
(Original signature of declarant.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 6th day of February, anno Domini 1917

[SEAL.]

Edwin A. Parker  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By Arthur W. M. ... Deputy Clerk.