

No. 1856

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICE

ORIGINAL

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof.

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

I, William Alphonso Blastorah, aged 32 years,  
occupation caney-maker, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 6 inches,  
weight 163 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes blue  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Harwood Canada  
on the 2nd day of July, anno Domini 1885; I now reside  
at 711 Atlantic Ave. Atlantic City, New Jersey

I emigrated to the United States of America from Cebbrig Cayman  
on the vessel No. 1. Ferry Grand Bank Line; my last  
foreign residence was Harwood Canada; I am not married; the name  
of my wife is \_\_\_\_\_; she was born at \_\_\_\_\_  
and now resides at \_\_\_\_\_

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 5th King of  
Great Britain and Ireland of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Rochester in the  
State of New York, on or about the 10th day  
of June, 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.  
William Alphonso Blastorah  
(Original signature of declarant.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 25th day of September, anno Domini 1917

[SEAL.]

Edwin A. Parker  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By Prnter W. Gasker Clerk.

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State of New Jersey }  
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I, Tom Bew Sidebotham, aged 34 years,  
occupation watchman, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 7 inches,  
weight 134 pounds, color of hair brown, color of eyes brown  
other visible distinctive marks none

I was born in Hyde England  
on the 8th day of January, anno Domini 1883; I now reside  
at Surry Apartments A. Vestry New Jersey

I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool England  
on the vessel Haverford; my last  
foreign residence was Falworth England; I am \_\_\_\_\_ married; the name  
of my wife is Frances; she was born at Hyde England  
and now resides at Norton N. J.

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 5th King of  
Great Britain and Ireland of whom I am now a subject;

I arrived at the port of Philadelphia in the  
State of Pennsylvania, on or about the 6th day  
of May, 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.  
Tom Bew Sidebotham  
(Original signature of declarant.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 26th day of September, anno Domini 1917

[SEAL.]

Edwin A. Parker  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.  
By \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk.