

MINUTES OF NATURALIZATION.

DISTRICT COURT, LAVACA COUNTY, *April* TBRM, A. D. *1890*

THE STATE OF TEXAS, }
COUNTY OF LAVACA. }

BE IT REMEMBERED, that on this the *5th* day

of *April* A. D. *1890*, personally appeared in open Court *Chas. Petru*

an alien and subject of the *Empire* of *Austria*, and made verbal application

to the Court to be admitted to become a Citizen of the United States of America; and in support of said application

he produced to the Court the declarations on oath of *F. J. Pesek* and

Kenny Janescek, both citizens of the United States of America, that said

Chas. Petru has resided within the United States five years at least, and

within the State of Texas one year at least.

and that during that time he has 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.

And the said *Chas. Petru* having shown to the satisfaction of this Court that he

has faithfully complied with all the requirements of the Naturalization Laws of the United States Congress, and is entitled

to the benefit of the same; And he having also made oath in open Court that he will support the Constitution of the

United States of America, and that he absolutely and entirely renounces and abjures all allegiance and fidelity to every

foreign prince, potentate, State or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Emperor of Austria*

Francis Joseph of whom he was a subject.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the Court, that the said *Chas. Petru*

be admitted, and he is accordingly admitted, a Citizen of the United States of America,

and that Letters of Citizenship issue to him.

The foregoing Minutes were read, approved and signed in open Court, this day of A. D. 1890

..... District Judge

ATTEST: Judicial District, Texas.

Hugh Day
Clerk, District Court, Lavaca County, Texas.