

CITIZENSHIP.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, }  
ST. CLAIR COUNTY, }  
CITY OF EAST ST. LOUIS. }

IN THE CITY COURT,

AT THE *March* TERM, A.D. 188*9*

To the Hon. *D. H. Canby* Judge of the City Court within and for the said City of East St. Louis:

YOUR PETITIONER: *August Adele*

respectfully shows unto your Honor, that on the *13<sup>th</sup>* day of *February* A. D. 188*9*  
at *East St. Louis City Court* he declared his intention, under oath, to  
become a Citizen of the United States of America, as it will appear by the certificate exhibited herewith,  
and which your petitioner wishes to be made a part of the record; that he has resided within the jurisdiction  
of the United States for the term of *20* years, as will likewise appear by affidavit  
of witnesses annexed hereto; and that your petitioner desires to be admitted to take the OATH OF  
NATURALIZATION, and become a Naturalized Citizen of the United States of America.

*August Adele*

AFFIDAVIT TO PROVE THE PETITIONER'S CHARACTER AND RESIDENCE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, }  
ST. CLAIR COUNTY, } SS.  
CITY OF EAST ST. LOUIS. }

*Jules C. Jalageas* of the said County of St. Clair,  
and State of Illinois, having been first duly sworn, deposes and says that he has been personally acquainted  
with *August Adele* an Alien who has applied to be admitted a  
Naturalized Citizen of the United States, for the space of five years and upwards; that during the whole of  
said time he has continued to reside within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States, and  
one year at least within the said State of Illinois, preceding the day of date hereof; and, as far as his  
knowledge and observation has extended, he has behaved himself as a man of good moral character, and  
appears to be attached to the principles contained in the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed  
to the good order, well being and happiness of the same.

Subscribed and Sworn to in Open Court, this *16<sup>th</sup>* day of *March* A. D. 188*9* *Jules C. Jalageas*

*Thomas May Jr* Clerk.  
*Thomas May Jr* Deputy.

OATH OF NATURALIZATION.

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I, *August Adele* do solemnly swear, in the  
presence of Almighty God, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely  
and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to every Foreign Prince, Potentate, State or  
Sovereignty, whatever, and more particularly the allegiance and fidelity I in any wise owe to the  
*Republic of France* whereof I was heretofore a citizen or subject.

Subscribed and Sworn to in Open Court, this *16* day of *March* A. D. 188*9* *August Adele*

*Thomas May Jr* Clerk.  
*Thomas May Jr* Deputy.