

State of Wisconsin, }  
Racine County, } ss. *Henry Stier* personally  
appeared before the subscriber, Clerk of the Circuit Court for the county of  
Racine, being a court of Record, and made oath that he was born in  
~~Germany~~, in (or about) the year one thousand eight  
hundred and ~~Seven~~, and that he emigrated to the United States  
and landed at the port of ~~New York~~ in (or about) the month  
of ~~July~~, A. D. 18~~56~~ that it is bonafide his intentions to become a  
Citizen of the United States, and to **RENOUNCE FOREVER** all allegiance and  
fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State, or Sovereignty whatever,  
and particularly to ~~Frederick Francis Stephan Duke~~  
~~of Mecklenburg-Schwerin~~ whereof he is a subject.

Subscribed and sworn to, the 2nd  
day of Nov. A. D. 1868.

Clerk.

*Henry Stier*

Heinrich Jacob Stier becomes a citizen of the United States !  
With this document Heinrich ("Henry") becomes a U.S. citizen  
on November 2nd, 1868