of the Court here, that the said Christian Meinike was a resident within the United States between the 18th day of June 1798 and the 14 day of April 1802. And it also appearing to the satisfaction of the Court here that the said Christian Meinike had been reported and Registered with the Clerk of the District Court of the United States in and for the Maryland District pursuant to the 2d sect of the Act of Congress passed on the 14 day of April 1802 entitled "An act to establish an uniform Rule of Naturalization and to repeal the acts heretofore passed on that subject" which report and Registry is in the words and figures following - to wit.

The United States of America

District of Maryland - to wit

District Court Office Baltimore 28 december 1827

This is to Certify that Christian Meinike being a White alien has been reported and Registered on the day of the date hereof pursuant to the act of Congress entitled "An act to establish an uniform rule of Naturalization and to repeal the acts heretofore passed on that subject" And I do further Certify that agreably to the report made of the said Christian Meinike that he was born in the Town of Oldenburg in Germany. that he is of the age of Forty three years. owes allegiance to the Duke of Oldenburg that he migrated from Oldenburg that he arrived at the Port of Baltimore in the Month of September 1818 and that he intends residing in the City of Baltimore

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal of Office this 28 december 1827

Philip Moore Clk
Dist Ct

That he has continued to reside within the limits and under the Jurisdiction of the United States five years at least, and one year at least immediately preceding this application within the State of Maryland That during the said term of five years 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 Christian Meinike having declared on oath taken in open Court here that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign Prince, Potentate, State and Sovereignty whatever - and particularly all allegiance and fidelity to the Duke of Oldenburg. The Court here thereupon admit the said Christian Meinike to become a Citizen of the United States.

The Court then adjourned until tomorrow morning 10 o'Clock

Tuesday 1 January 1828

The Court met according to adjournment

Present The Honorable

Gabriel Duvall one of the Apociate Justices of the Supreme Court of the United States

Elias Glenn Judge of Maryland District

Nathaniel Williams Esquire Attorney

Thomas Finley Esquire Marshal

Philip Moore Clerk.

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The Court then adjourned until tomorrow morning 10 o'Clock

Wednesday 2d January 1828

The Court met according to adjournment

Present the Honorable

Gabriel Duvall one of the Apociate Justices of the Supreme Court of the United States

Elias Glenn Judge of Maryland District

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