

Ludwig Radle
Naturalization Papers

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To the Judges of the Court of Common
Pleas of the County of Warren New Jersey
The petition of Ludwig Reade a
native Germany -

Respectfully sheweth - That your
petitioner arrived in the United States of
America in the year of our Lord one thousand
Eight hundred and forty ^{one} and that in pur-
suance of an act of Congress entitled "An
Act to establish an uniform rule of Natural-
ization, and to repeal the acts heretofore passed
on that subject" made a declaration of
his intention to become a citizen conformably
to the said Act before the Clerk of the Circuit
Court of the county of Warren on the first
day of June A.D. 1845 (Prout the same
on file) and that he has resided within the
limits, and under the jurisdiction of the United
States, for five years last past, without
being at any time during the said five years
out of the Territory of the United States, and
has resided for one year last past, within
the state of New Jersey, that he has never
borne any hereditary title, or been of any
of the orders of nobility in the kingdom whence
he came, or elsewhere. He therefore prays
he may be admitted to become a citizen of
the United States. *Ludwig Reade*

December 30th 1854

Warren County, N. C.

Absolem Williamson a citizen
of the United States, being duly sworn accord-
ing to law, says that he is well acquainted
with the above named petitioner, and that
to his knowledge and belief, he has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States for five years last past
and for one year last past within the juris-
diction of the state of New Jersey; and
has not at any time during the said five
years been out of the territory of the United
States; That during the same period he
has behaved himself 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.

Sworn in open Court
this 30th day of December
A. D. 1854

W. H. Sharp
Clerk

Absolem Williamson

Warren County N.Y.

I Ludwig Reade the
above named petitioner do on my solemn
oath declare that the contents of my petition
are true; that I will support the Constitution
of the United States; that I do hereby
renounce and relinquish any title or
order of nobility to which I am or hereafter
may be entitled; and that I do absolutely
and entirely renounce and abjure all allegi-
ance and fidelity to any foreign Prince
Potentate; State and Sovereignty whatever
and particularly to Frederick
William King of Prussia of whom I was before
a subject

Ludwig Reade

Sworn in Open Court this
30th day of December A.D.
1854 - W. K. Hays
clerk

Declaration of
Ludwig Meadel,
of his intention to
become a citizen of
the United States.

Filed June 1. 1845

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C.S.O.

Abraham Williams

State of New Jersey.

Warren County: Be it remembered that on the first day of June, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight, before me, James S. Brown, clerk of the Circuit Court and Court of Common Pleas in and for said county, personally appeared Ludwig Reade, a native of village of Bernau-ber, in the Kingdom of Germany, and upon his solemn oath did depose and say, that he is a native of Germany, now residing at Asford Terrace, in the state of New Jersey, aged thirty-one years, or thereabouts, and that it is bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States; and to renounce forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign, prince, state, potentate, or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the King of Germany, of whom he was before a subject. Given and subscribed before me, the date just above written

James S. Brown,
Clerk.