

No. 15409

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

188498

To the Honorable the Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, Passaic County, N.J. at Paterson  
 The petition of Jan Lake hereby filed, respectfully sheweth:  
 First. My place of residence is 14 Fairview Ave., Prospect Park, N. J.  
 Second. My occupation is Baker  
 Third. I was born on the 18th day of January, anno Domini 1893, at Helder, Netherlands.  
 Fourth. I emigrated to the United States from Rotterdam, Netherlands. on or about the 17th day of June  
 anno Domini 1911, and arrived in the United States, at the port of Hoboken, N. J. on the 27th day of June  
 anno Domini 1911, on the vessel Ryndam  
 Fifth. I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States on the 20th day of November, anno Domini 1920  
 at Paterson, N. J., in the Common Pleas Court of Passaic County  
 Sixth. I am married. My wife's name is Cora; she was born on the 3rd day of August, anno Domini 1891  
 at Paterson, N. J., and now resides xx with me. (married November 29, 1916.)  
 I have no children, and the name, date, and place of birth, and place of residence of each of said children is as follows:

Seventh. I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government. I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy. I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and it is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Wilhelmina, Queen of the Netherlands. of whom at this time I am a subject, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

Eighth. I am able to speak the English language.

Ninth. I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since the 27th day of June, anno Domini 1911, and in the State of New Jersey continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since the 27th day of June, anno Domini 1911, being a residence within this State of at least one year next preceding the date of this petition.

Tenth. I have not heretofore made petition for citizenship to any court.

Attached hereto and made a part of this petition are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and the certificate from the Department of Labor, together with my affidavit and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses thereto, required by law. Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America.

Declaration of Intention No. 14769 and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor filed this 13th day of September, 1927  
 NOTE TO CLERK OF COURT.—If petitioner arrived in the United States ON OR BEFORE JUNE 29, 1906, strike out the words reading "and Certificate of Arrival from Department of Labor."

### AFFIDAVITS OF PETITIONER AND WITNESSES

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

PASSAIC COUNTY

The aforesaid petitioner being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the above-entitled proceedings; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the said petition is signed with his full, true name; that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Jan Lake  
 (Complete and true signature of petitioner.)  
Jacobus F. Verhoon, occupation Baker, residing at 90 N. Straight St. Paterson NJ  
 and Nolen Borneman, occupation Silk Worker, residing at 14 Fairview Av. Paterson NJ  
 each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he has personally known Jan Lake, the petitioner above mentioned, to have resided in the United States continuously immediately preceding the date of filing his petition, since the -- day of September, anno Domini 1921, and in the State in which the above-entitled petition is made continuously since the -- day of September, anno Domini 1921; and that he has personal knowledge that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and that the petitioner is in every way qualified, in his opinion, to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Jacobus F. Verhoon  
 (Signature of witness.)  
Nolen Borneman  
 (Signature of witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court this 13th day of September, anno Domini 1927

[SEAL]

John W. Cuthbert, Clerk.  
 By -----, Deputy Clerk.

Filed Sept 13th, 1927

Jan Lake  
TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

## OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Wilhelmina, Queen of the Netherlands of whom I have heretofore been a subject; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, in open Court, this 15th day of Dec, A. D. 1927

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk.

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is executed: "I further renounce the title of (give title), an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

## ORDER OF COURT ADMITTING PETITIONER

Upon consideration of the petition of Jan Lake, and affidavits in support thereof, and further testimony taken in open Court, it is ordered that the said petitioner, who has taken the oath required by law, be, and hereby is, admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America, this 15th day of Dec, A. D. 1927

(It is further ordered, upon consideration of the petition of the said \_\_\_\_\_, that his name be, and hereby is, changed to \_\_\_\_\_, under authority of the provisions of section 6 of the act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 596), as amended by the act approved March 4, 1913, entitled "An act to create a Department of Labor.")

By the Court:

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

## ORDER OF COURT DENYING PETITION

Upon consideration of the petition of \_\_\_\_\_ and the motion of \_\_\_\_\_ for the United States in open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, it appearing that \_\_\_\_\_

THE SAID PETITION IS HEREBY DENIED.

\_\_\_\_\_, Judge.

## MEMORANDUM OF CONTINUANCES

## REASONS FOR CONTINUANCE

Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Continued from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

## NAMES OF SUBSTITUTED WITNESSES

\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, occupation \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Naturalization, No. 2748270, issued on the 15th day of Dec, A. D. 1927



U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
NATURALIZATION SERVICETRIPLICATE  
[To be given to the person  
making the Declaration]

No. 14,769

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

I, State of New Jersey } ss: In the Common Pleas Court  
Passaic County of Passaic CountyI, Jan Lak, Jr., aged 27 years,  
occupation Baker, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion Fair, height 5 feet 7 $\frac{1}{2}$  inches,  
weight 140 pounds, color of hair Brown, color of eyes Blue  
other visible distinctive marks None.I was born in Den Helder, Netherlands  
on the 18th day of January, anno Domini 1893; I now reside  
at 148 East 20th St., Paterson, N.J.  
(Give number, street, city or town, and State)I emigrated to the United States of America from Rotterdam, Netherlands  
on the vessel Ryndam; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Den Helder, Netherlands; I am un married; the name  
of my wife is Cora; she was born at Paterson, N.J.  
and now resides at 148 East 20th St., Paterson, N.J.It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to  
Wilhelmina, Queen of the Netherlands, of whom I am now a subject;I arrived at the port of Hoboken, in the  
State of New Jersey, on or about the 28th day  
of June, anno Domini 1911; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:Jan Lak Jr.  
(Original signature of declarant)Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court this 30th day of Nov., anno Domini 19 20.Wm. J. Lenton  
Clerk of the Common Pleas Court.By Leopold B. Marshall Clerk.

DECLARATION OF INTENTION

I, Inland for all purposes as set forth in the laws hereof

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JOHN McCUTCHEON  
CLERK

## CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL—FOR NATURALIZATION PURPOSES

(This certificate is for the use of the person applying for it only, and is issued for naturalization purposes in compliance with the Act of June 29, 1906, sec. 4, subd. 2, par. 4, requiring a certificate from the Department of Labor stating the date, place, and manner of arrival in the United States.)

## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BUREAU OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL DIVISION

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK

OCT 21 1926

This is to certify that the following-named alien arrived in the United States on the date and in the manner described below, at Ellis Island, New York.

Name of alien: Lak, Jan

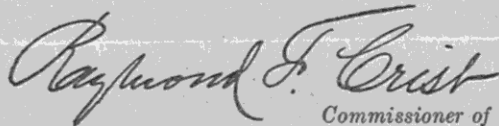
Date of arrival: June 27, 1911

Manner of arrival: Ryndam

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR:

Issue No.

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Commissioner of Naturalization.