

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

STATE OF MASSACHUSETTS
COUNTY OF WORCESTER
CITY OF WORCESTER
I, Herbert Richard Bowers
do hereby certify that the above named
petitioner is a resident of the
City of Worcester, State of
Massachusetts, and that he is
qualified to take the oath of
allegiance.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to THE REPUBLIC OF RUSSIA

and to the COMUNIST PARTY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA and to the UNITED FRONT OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS of whom (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; **SO HELP ME GOD.** In witness whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

Herbert Richard Bowers
(Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 25th day of March, A. D. 1948

G. J. Bowers
Clerk
By *Carl Greenlit*
Deputy Clerk

NOTE.—In renunciation of title of nobility, add the following to the oath of allegiance before it is signed: "I declare against the claim of any order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

Petition granted: Line No. 2 of List No. 477 and Certificate No. 473426

Petition denied: List No. _____

Petition continued from _____ to _____ Reason _____

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