

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF BEXAR.

COUNTY COURT.

Personally Appeared

Xavier Speckmeyer
who declares upon oath that he is the natural born subject of *Emperor of Germany*
that he was born in *Falkenberg Bararia* that he is *31* years of age; that he
emigrated to the United States of America, and arrived at the port of *Galveston* in the State
of *Texas* on or about the *23rd* day of *December* A. D. 18*73*
that it is his *bona fide* intention to become a citizen of the United States, and renounce forever all allegiance and
fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatsoever, and particularly any and all allegiance
to the *Emperor of Germany* and that he will bear true
allegiance to the United States and support the Constitution of the same.

Sworn to and Subscribed before me, this *10th*
day of *January* A. D. 18*81*.

Sam. S. Smith,
County Clerk, Bexar County.

By *Thad. W. Smith,* Deputy.

James F. Harrison

STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF BEXAR.

I hereby certify the above to be a true copy of the original from the records of the County Court of said County.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and the Seal of said Court, at San Antonio,

this.....day of.....A. D. 187.....

County Clerk, Bexar County.

By.....Deputy.

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DECLARATION OF

David H. Hetherington.

Filed January 10 - 1881.

David H. Hetherington,

County Clerk, Bexar County.

By

David H. Hetherington, Deputy

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