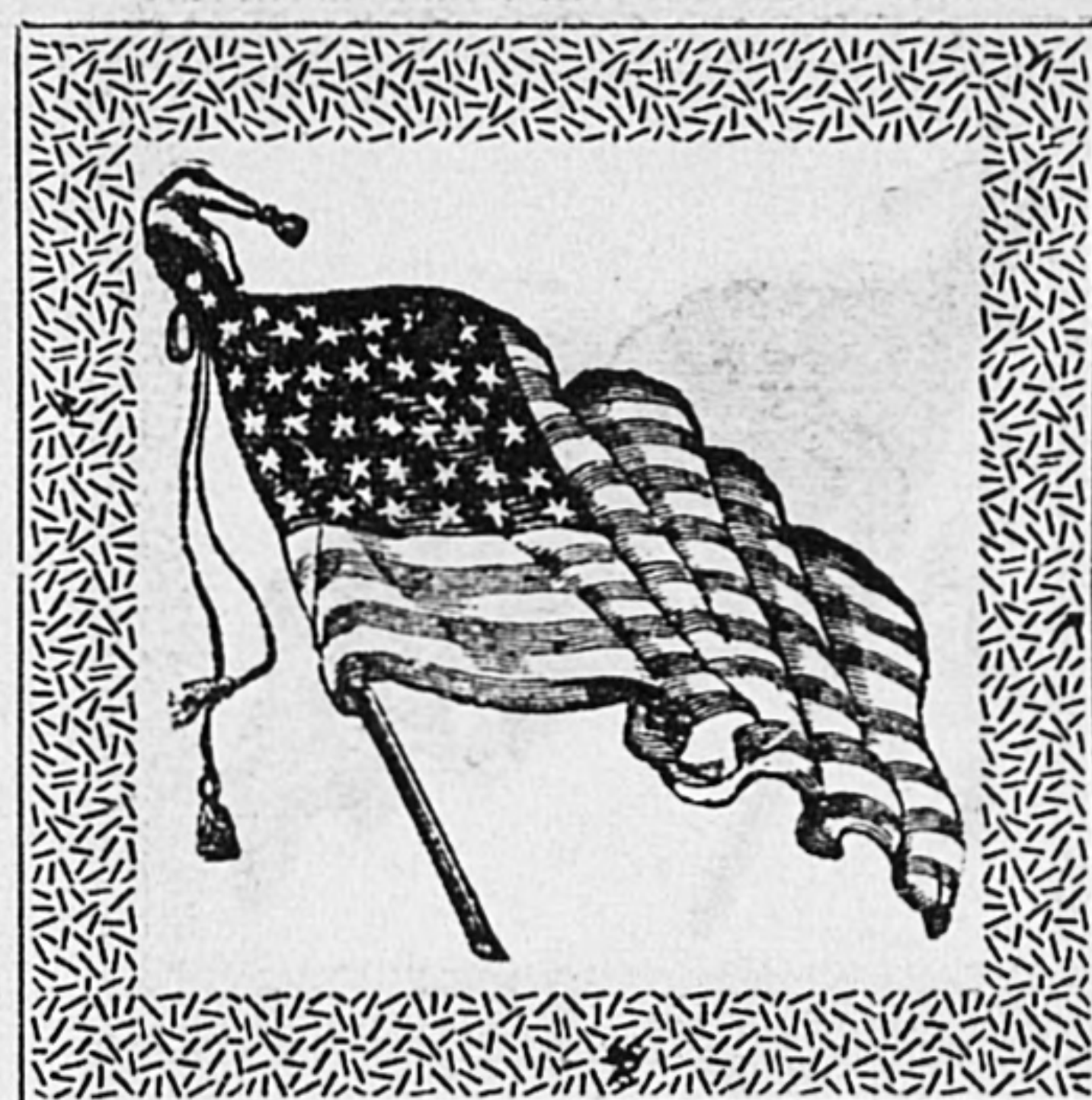


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# UNITED STATES

## The State of Florida,



# OF AMERICA,

## Hillsborough County, ss.

Be it Remembered, That on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand, <sup>five</sup>~~eight~~ hundred and ~~ninety~~ Ernest Maas late of Germany

in the TAMPA at present of TAMPA, in the County and State aforesaid, appeared in the Circuit Court of the Sixth Judicial Circuit of Florida (the said court having a common law jurisdiction, and a Clerk and Seal, and being a Court of Record), and applied to the said Court to be admitted to become a **CITIZEN** of the United States of America, pursuant to the directions and acquisitions of the several acts of Congress in relation thereto; and the said applicant having produced to the Court such declarations and renunciations, and taken such oaths as are by such acts required:

and it appearing that said applicant is over the age of twenty one years  
Therefore, It is ordered that the said Ernest Maas be admitted, and he is accordingly admitted by said Court to be a **CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.**

Done and Ordered at Tampa this the 17<sup>th</sup> day of April A. D. 1890

In Witness Whereof, I, H. Mitchell Clerk of said Court, have hereunto signed my name  
officially, and affixed the Seal of said Court this 17<sup>th</sup> day of April A. D. 1890  
STATE OF FLORIDA, }  
County of Hillsborough, } SS. H. Mitchell Clerk.  
B. M. Knott D. C.

I, \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk of the Circuit Court for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the original Order of Naturalization of \_\_\_\_\_  
as appears of record in my office.

Given under my hand and official seal this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ A. D. 189

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Clerk.

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D. C.