I Jacob Kettner the petitioner now before the Court being duly sworn doth declare & say that the several facts set forth in the within petition are to the best of my knowledge & belief just & true; that I will support the Constitution of the United States that I do hereby renounce & relinquish any title or order of nobility to which I am or hereafter may be entitled - and that I do absolutely & entirely renounce & abjure all allegiance & fidelity to any foreign Prince - Potentate - State or Sovereignty whatever & particularly to the King of France of whom I was before a subject

Sworn & in Open Court
this 3 - day of June
A D 1839

Jacob Kettner

S. W. Sprott Prothy