To the Honourable the Judge of the Court of Common Pleas in and for the County of Bacon at June Term 1839.

The petition of Leopold Burkhart a Native of the Grand Dutchee of Baden.

That your petitioner is a free white person, and an alien, and is desirous of becoming a citizen of the United States of America; that in pursuance of an Act of Congress, entitled "An Act to establish an uniform rule of Naturalization, and to repeal the acts heretofore passed on that subject" he has made a declaration of his intention to become a citizen & a report and registry of his nativity, age allegiance - emigration arrival, & indeed place of settlement in the United States - conformably to the said Act - before the Court this 3d day of June 1839. hereto annexed - that he has resided within the United States three years next preceeding his arriving at the age of Twenty One Years - and has continued to resided them until the time of making the present application - that including the three years of his minority he has resided within the limits & under the jurisdiction of the United States - five years & upwards & that your petitioner has been, during all the above mentioned time, attached to the principals of the Constitution of the United States, & well disposed to the good order & happiness of the same, & that it has been bona fide his intention to become a citizen - and that your petitioner was born in the year 1817 - and emigrated in the year 1833 -

Your petitioner therefore prays your Honour - that upon making full proof of all matters & things set forth in this petition and upon complying with the conditions and stipulations & restrictions contained in the act of