

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, }
BEAVER COUNTY, } SCT.

I, John Canby Pro-
thonotary of the Court of Common Pleas, in and for
said county, do by these presents certify, that on the
8th day of June in
the year A. D. 1868 personally came before me,
Stephen Mark's

a native of Ireland
and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great
Britain & Ireland

And having been duly sworn ac-
cording to law, made his declaration, stating that it was *bona fide* his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity
to any Foreign prince, potentate, State, or Sovereignty whatever, and particularly re-
nouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great
Britain & Ireland whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal
of the said Court, at Beaver, this 8th day of June
in the year A. D. 1868, and of the Independence of the United States the Ninty
second

ATTEST:

John Canby Proth'y.