To the Honourable Charles Shaler Esquire President and Associate Judges of the Court of Common Pleas now sitting for Beaver County, The Petition of John Strahan of the County of Beaver (between the age of twenty & twenty one years) Humbly Sheweth. That your Petitioner hath Resided within the United States of America in June 1812 and within the State of Pennsylvania at least three years. that he will support the constitution of the United States & that he doth Absolutely renounce, and abjure all allegiance to any foreign Prince. Potentate. State or sovereignty whatever to the King of the United Kingdoms of Great Britain & Ireland To whom he was heretofore a subject. that he never hath borne any hereditary title nor hath been of any of the orders of Nobility in the Kingdoms from which he came & is Ready to declare on oath the truth of these things. & prays to be admitted a citizen of the United States, and of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

John Strahan

Beaver County Ss.

At a Court of Common Pleas held for said County on the 25th day of August A.D. 1824 before the Honourable Charles Shaler President & the Associate Judges of the same court came John Strahan & being sworn according to law saith that what he hath set forth in the above Petition is the truth & that he doth renounce & abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince. Potentate or Sovereignty whatever & particularly to the King of the United Kingdoms of Great Britain and Ireland of which he was a subject & that he will support the constitution of the United States

Jno Strahan

Sworn in open Court
August 25th 1824
John Clarke Pro

Beaver County Ss. At a Court of common pleas held at Beaver the 23d day of August A.D. 1824 for said County came into court Jno Strahan to law as citizen of the United States & being sworn according to law saith that during the term of five years residence in & under the Jurisdiction of the said States in the above Petition set forth by the said John Strahan he hath known the above named John Strahan and that the said John Strahan hath behaved himself as a man of good moral Character & attached to the constitution of the United States & well disposed to the good order & happiness of the same

Thos Henry

Sworn & Subscribed
Sworn in open Court 25th Aug 1824
John Clarke Pro