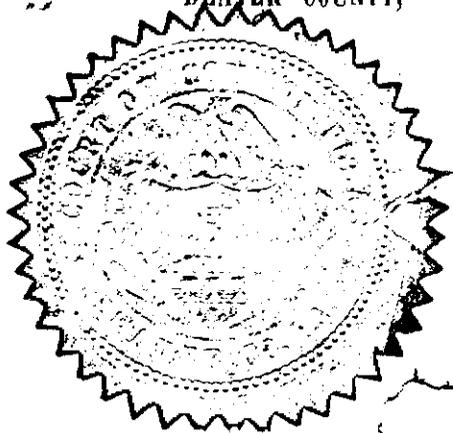


STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA,
BEAVER COUNTY,

SECT.



I, *John Campbell* Pro.
thonotary of the Court of Common Pleas, in and for said
county, do by these presents certify, that on the
6 day of *September* in
the year A. D. 187*2* personally came before me,
William Waite
a native of *England*
and heretofore a subject of the *Queen of England*

And having been duly sworn
according to law, made his declaration, stating that it was *bona fide* his intention to be-
come a Citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fi-
delity to any Foreign prince, potentate, State, or Sovereignty whatever, and particularly
renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of England*
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 *6* day of *September*
in the year A. D. 187*2* and of the Independence of the United States the



ATTEST:

John Campbell Proth'y.