

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

BEAVER COUNTY, SS.

Be it Remembered, That on the 30 day of December  
A. D. 1854 Personally appeared before me, the Prothonotary of the  
Court of Common Pleas of Beaver County, *Fredrick*  
*Carter* and on his solemn oath according to  
law, doth depose and say, that he was born in the year 1824  
in the *West Germany*

whence he migrated in the year 1850 and has selected the United States of America  
as the place of his intended settlement; and that it is bona fide his intention to become a  
Citizen thereof, and to absolutely renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Prince of*  
*Bair*  
of whom he is now a *subject*

Sworn and subscribed before me,  
this 30<sup>th</sup> day of December 1854 }

*Samuel K. Kinnison*

*Alexander W. Thomson* Pro.