To the Honourable Joseph Colwell & David Drennan Judges of the Court of Common Pleas &c. no composing an Court of Common Pleas, for Beaver County

The Petition of John Boyd of Second Moon Township Beaver County. Sheweth,

That your Petitioner is a Native of Ireland and was heretofore a Subject of the King of the United Kingdoms of Great Britain & Ireland. that he hath resided in the limits and under the Jurisdiction of the United States for five years at least and within the State of Pennsylvania two years at least and that he will support the Constitution of the United States and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to the King of the United Kingdoms of Great Britain & Ireland whereof he was heretofore a Subject.

your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a Citizen of the United States,

John Boyd

30 Sept. 1811

I John Boyd do swear that the facts set forth in this my Petition are true and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any Prince Potentate State and Sovereignty whatsoever and particularly to the King of the United Kingdoms of Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a Subject.

John Boyd

Sworn in Open Court
the 30 Sept. 1811
Sam Lawrence Pro