

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

BEAVER COUNTY, SS.

Be it Remembered, That on the 7th day of October
A. D. 1854 Personally appeared before me, the Prothonotary of the
Court of Common Pleas of Beaver County, Conrad Cress
and on his solemn oath according to
law, doth depose and say, that he was born in the year 1831
in the Duke dom of Hesse

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 Duke of
Hessen
of whom he is now a Subject

Sworn and subscribed before me,
this 7th day of October 1854

John Collins
Pro.

Conrad Cress