

To the Honorable the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas in and for the County of Beaver.

The Petition of Samuel Cunningham of the County of Beaver,

Humbly Sheweth, That your petitioner declared on oath, before S. W. Spurr Esq
Prothonotary of your said Court, on the 19th day of October 1859,
his intention to become a citizen of the United States; that he
has resided

within the State of Pennsylvania at least five years; that he will support the Constitution
of the United States; and that he doth absolutely renounce and abjure all allegiance and
fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever, particularly to
the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland, to whom he was
formerly a subject; that he hath never taken any of the orders of nobility in the Kingdom
from which he came, and is ready to declare on oath the truth of these things, and prays
to be admitted a Citizen of the United States, and of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Samuel Cunningham

BEAVER COUNTY, ss.

At a Court of Common Pleas, held for said County, on the twentieth day of
November A. D. 1854 before the Hon. _____ President,
and John Carothers & Joseph Fern Esq's, Associate Judges of the
same Court, came Samuel Cunningham and being sworn according
to law, saith that what he hath set forth in the above petition is the truth; and that he doth
renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate or Sover-
eignty whatever, and particularly to the Queen of England
and that he will support the Constitution of the United States.

Sworn in open Court.

John Collins
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Samuel Cunningham

BEAVER COUNTY, ss.

At a Court of Common Pleas, held at Beaver, the 20th day of November
A. D. 1854 for said County, came into Court,