

TO the Honorable *John Bredin* Esquire, President, and

Thomas Henry & Benjamin Adams Esquires

Associates, Judges, of the Court of Common Pleas, now sitting for Beaver County;

The petition of *Frederick Deum* of the County of Beaver,

humbly sheweth, That your Petitioner, *has resided in the United States five years*

and within the State of Pennsylvania, at least three 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 *duke of Baden* to whom he was heretofore a subject, that he never hath borne any hereditary title, nor hath been of 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.

Frederick Deum

BEAVER COUNTY, ss.

At a Court of Common Pleas, held for said County, on the *3th* day of *September*, A. D. *1835* before the Honorable *John Bredin* President, and *Thomas Henry & Benjamin Adams* Associates, Judges of the same Court, ~~came~~ *Frederick Deum* 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 sovereignty whatever, and particularly ~~to~~ *to the duke of Baden* and that he will support the Constitution of the United States.

Sworn in open Court.

Sept 3th 1835
James Logan Pro

Frederick Deum

BEAVER COUNTY, ss.

At a Court of Common Pleas, held at Beaver, the *eight* day of *September*, A. D. *1835* for said county came into Court ~~James Logan~~ *Ad. Adams* a citizen of the United States, and being sworn according to law, saith, that he hath known the above named *Frederick Deum* during the term of five years residence and under the jurisdiction of the said United States, as in the above petition set forth by the said *Frederick Deum* and that he hath behaved himself a sa man of good moral character, and attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Affirmed ~~Sworn~~ and Subscribed
8th September 1835
James Logan Pro

Ad. Adams