John Braden being sworn in open Court according to law deposeth and saith that the facts stated in the above petition are true that he was resident in the United States on the tenth day of August 1812 and has continued to reside within the same and has continued to reside within the same for the whole of said time and within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania above two years last past — That he will support the Constitution of the United States and doth absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign power potentate, State, or Sovereignty whatever and particularly to the King of the United Kingdom of Great Britain & Ireland

John Braden

Sworn and subscribed
3d Augt. 1818

Thos Henry Pro

duly sworn according to law doth depose and say that he hath known John Braden the petitioner above five years last past during two years of which period he has resided within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and has behaved as a man of good moral character attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and prosperity of the same

John Anderson

Sworn in open Court

Thos Henry Pro