

State of Pennsylvania, }
BEAVER COUNTY, } Sect.

I, *Matthew S. Quay* Prothonotary of
the Court of Common Pleas, in and for said county, do by these presents
certify, that on the *3^d* day of *November*
in the year A. D. 18*56*, personally came before me, *Adam*
Firster a native of *Baravia*
and heretofore a subject of the *King of Baravia* And
having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating
that it was bona fide his intention to become a Citizen of the United States,

and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any Foreign prince, potentate, State, or Sovereignty
~~whenever~~, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of*
Baravia whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at
Beaver, this *3^d* day of *November* in the year A. D. 18*56* and of the
Independence of the United States the *eighty first*

ATTEST,

M. S. Quay

Proth'y.