To the Honorable, the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Beaver—

The petition of Robert Garver, a native of Ireland, respectfully showeth,

That he declared on oath before the Prothonotary of [redacted] the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Beaver, on the 14th day of June A. D. 1847, that it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce for ever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the Queen of England, of whom he was at that time a subject; that your petitioner has resided within the United States upwards of five years, and in the State of Pennsylvania, one year, both periods immediately preceding this his application to become a citizen of the United States, and that he has never borne any hereditary title, or been of any of the orders of nobility in his own, or any other country.

He therefore prays, that, on his making the proof and taking the oath prescribed by law, he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and he will ever pray &c

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John Stiles, a citizen of the United States of America being duly sworn according to law, saith, that he knows and is well acquainted with Robert Garver, the petitioner, that, to his knowledge he has resided in the United States five years, and in the State of Pennsylvania one year, both periods immediately preceding his application to be a

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