

Declaration  
of  
Jacob Beck

Filled D. Sep. 1856.

Rec

Hendon,

PENNSYLVANIA,

CAMERIA COUNTY, SS.

The declaration of *Jacob. Beck*

upon his solemn *oath* — represents that he was born *Germany*

that it is BONA FIDE his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to *Marxameliun*

of whom he was heretofore a subject.

And the said *Jacob Beck* — makes report and registry as follows, viz:

Name, *Jacob Beck*. Birthplace: *Germany* —

Age, *about 25 years*. Nation and Allegiance: *Germany. Marxamelian*

*Hannoversch* — Place whence he migrated: *New York*.

Place of intended settlement: *Lancaster Co - Pa -*

*Sworn* — and subscribed *in open*  
*court* the *20.* day of *Sept* *Jacob Beck*.

*1856* — *A. S. Roberts, Pro.*

1838

Petition of Jacob Beck  
for Naturalization

Verdict

15 Sept 1838

J. W. P. P. P.

Certificate of Naturalization  
Beck

Indians

**To the Honorable the Court of Common  
Pleas of Cambria county, in the Com-  
monwealth of Pennsylvania:**

The petition of

*Jacob Beck*

HUMBLY SHEWETH:

That your petitioner is a native of

*Barania*

and was heretofore a subject of

*Maximilian of Barania,* and

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, for five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that the

*he declares his intentions of becoming  
a citizen of the United States in this court  
on the 2 day of Sept and 1856, Vol  
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appears:—that he will support the constitution of the United States; and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce, and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, and sovereignty whatever, and particularly, to

*Maximilian of Barania*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner, therefore, prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I,

*Jacob Beck,*

do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition, are true, and that I will sup-

port the Constitution of the United States; and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce, and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, and sovereignty whatever; and particularly, do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and

fidelity to

*Maximilian of Barania,*

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open Court, this

1st Sept 1838  
Jno. M. Donnan

WE *William Ellis* *Samuel Hartman*

Citizens of the United

States and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do swear, that the petitioner,

*Jacob Beck*

has resided within the limits, and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one

year; that is to say, he the said

*Jacob Beck* has resided

which place is within and under the Constitution of the United States; and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed  
in open court, this

1st

Sept 1838  
Jno. M. Donnan

*William Ellis*  
*Samuel Hartman*

*Wm Ellis*  
*Samuel Hartman*