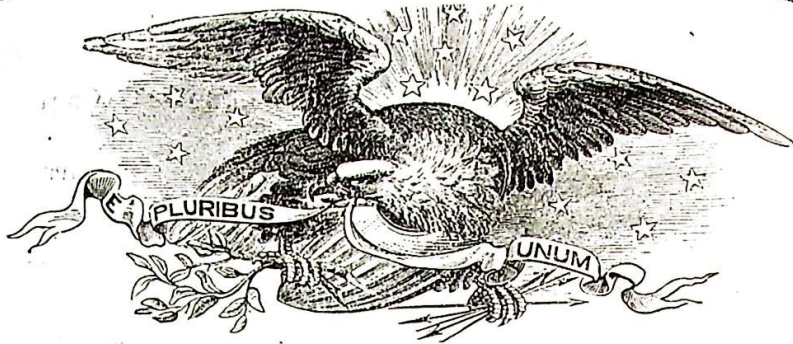


UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.



State of Pennsylvania,

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA, ss.

Be it Remembered, that on the *Eleventh* day of *March* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-*Eight* before me, the Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions for the City and County of Philadelphia, personally appeared

*Thomas Blanning*

who, being duly *sworn* according to law, upon his solemn *Oath* did declare, depose and say, that he is a Native of *Italy*.

now residing in the City of Philadelphia, aged *-29-* years, or thereabouts, and

that it is *bona fide* his intention to become a CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES, and to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatsoever, and particularly to the

*Queen of Great Britain and Ireland*.

of whom he is now a subject.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the Seal of the said Court, this *11th* day of *March* in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-*Eight*

*Robt. Stanton* CLERK.

