

State of Illinois } John West of said
Edmond County } County. being
first duly sworn
before the Clerk of the Circuit Court
in and for said County. the same
being a Court of record. Both declare
that he was born in the year 1819,
in the County of Yorkshire, England
in the Kingdom of Great Britain
from whence he emigrated in or
about the year 1842, and arrived
in the City of New Orleans in the State
of Louisiana in the United States in
the month of May 1842, and he de-
-clares that it is bona fide his intention
to become a citizen of the United States
and to renounce forever all his alle-
-giance and fidelity to every foreign
Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whichever, and particularly to Victoria
Queen of Great Britain of whom
he is now a subject, John West.

State of Illinois }
Edmond County }

D. Walter L.
Mayor, Clerk of the Circuit Court in
and for said County. do certify that