

I DO hereby certify, that  
I subscribed the oath or affirmation of allegiance and fidelity, as directed by an act of  
General Assembly intituled An act to oblige the free male inhabitants of this state above a  
certain age to give assurance of allegiance to the same, and for other purposes. Witness  
my hand and seal, this

*James Ward*

*27<sup>th</sup>*

day of

*Sept<sup>r</sup> 1797*

*Wm W. Colverson*

hath taken and

Witness