

I <sup>of New York</sup> William Howard Holcomb Senior do swear, that I will faithfully and honestly according to the best of my power and ability execute and perform the Powers and Authorities vested & reposed in me as a Commissioner in the Parish of Lafourche by virtue of an Act passed in the 4<sup>th</sup> year of the reign of King George 4<sup>th</sup> entitled "An Act to provide for a Commission for Petals in Ireland for a limited time" according to the directions of the said Act and according to equity and ~~the~~ good conscience and without favour or affection, prejudice or malice to any person or persons whatsoever.  
So help me God

Sworn before me this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of October 1825

Michael Fisher  
Mayor

William Howard Holcomb