



Buffalo Creek

District of Buffalo Creek,  
Port of Buffalo.

*Richard Sears*



# ENROLLMENT.

No. Twenty one / 31

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In conformity to an Act of the Congress of the United States of America, entitled "An Act for Enrolling and Licensing Ships and Vessels," &c., passed 18th February, 1793; and "An Act to Regulate the Foreign and Coasting Trade on the Northern, Northeastern and Northwestern Frontiers of the United States, and for other purposes, passed March 2d, 1831; and "An Act to provide for the better security of the lives of passengers on board Vessels propelled in whole or in part by Steam," passed 7th July, 1838;  
*Richard Sears* of the city of Buffalo New York

having taken or subscribed the Oath required by said Acts, and having sworn that he is  
together with *Daniel S. Stebbins* of *Mannix City Ohio* are

Citizens of the United States, and sole owners of the Steam or Vessel, called the  
*J. P. Griffith* whereof *John W. Smith*  
is at present Master; and as he hath sworn  
is a Citizen of the United States, and that the said Ship or Vessel was built at *Mannix City Ohio*  
in the year 1847 as appears by her enrollment dated at  
this port on the eighteenth day of April A. D. 1848 and numbered  
Twenty third (23) and now surrendered having changed owners

And the said certificate enrollment having certified that  
the said Steam boat or Vessel has one deck and One mast and that  
her length is One hundred and ninety three feet & three inches 193 ft 3 in  
her breadth Twenty eight feet one and one half inches 28 " 1/2  
her depth Eleven feet and three inches 11 " 3  
and that she measures five hundred eighty seven tons forty one ninety-fifths;  
that she is a Steam boat has

and no head  
And the said *Richard Sears* having  
agreed to the description and admeasurement above specified, and sufficient security having been  
given in conformity with the terms of the said acts, the said Steam boat has been duly  
Enrolled at the Port of Buffalo.

L. S.

Given under my Hand and Seal of Office, at the Port of Buffalo,  
in the said District, this *Twenty* Sunday of April  
in the year one thousand eight hundred and *forty* five

*R. Willing*  
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