

THE DISTRICT OF BUFFALO



ENROLLMENT.



No. Seven (7)

District of Buffalo Creek,

Port of Buffalo.

In conformity to an Act of the Congress of the United States of America, entitled "An Act for Enrolling and Licencing 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, 1834; 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, also an Act, entitled "An Act to provide for recording the conveyances of Vessels and for other purposes" passed July 29, 1850.

Thomas Hefford, of Buffalo, N.Y.

having taken or subscribed the Oath required by said Acts, and having sworn that he is the owner of One equal and divided half part of the Steam Boat "Empire State" that Samuel H. Moser, of New York is the owner of One equal and divided one fourth part of said Vessel, and that William Wentworth of Albany, N.Y. is the owner of the remaining one equal and divided one fourth part of said Vessel, and are

Citizen of the United States, and owners of the Steam Boat _____ or Vessel called the "Empire State" of Buffalo, whereof _____ is its present Master, and as he hath sworn _____

is a Citizen of the United States, and that the said Ship or Vessel was built at _____ Michigan _____ in the year 1848 as appears by her Enrollment dated at this Port 30th June 1849. Numbered Sixty five, Non-Sum and showing Change of name

And the said Enrollment _____ having certified that the said Steamer or Vessel has One Deck _____ and _____ masts, and that her length is Two hundred and Ninety eight feet and eleven inches _____ 298 ft. 11 in her breadth Thirty seven feet _____ 37 ft her depth Fifteen feet and five inches _____ 14.5 m and that she measures Fifty seven hundred and fifty three tons _____ ninety-fifths that she is a Steam Boat _____ has a figure _____

And the said Thomas Hefford _____ having agreed to the description and admeasurements 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.

Given under my Hand and Seal of Office, at the Port of Buffalo, in the said District, this 15th day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty one.

L.S.

Edw. J. Morley
Supt. Collector

Port of Buffalo N.Y.
Announced at this port March 3rd 1853,
And new papers issued having changed
Owners
Wm. Ketchum, Sec