



No. Twenty-five. (25)

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 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, 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. —

Jacob Amson, of Buffalo, New York, having taken or subscribed the Oath required by said Acts, and having sworn that he is owner of One equal undivided one half part of Steam Boat Hendrick Hudson: that John A. Poppin, of Buffalo, New York is the owner of One equal undivided one half part of said Vessel, and that both of said owners are

Citizen of the United States, and ^{the} owners of the Steam Boat Hendrick Hudson a Vessel called the Hendrick Hudson whereof Jacob Amson 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 Cleveland Ohio in the year 1816 as appears by her Enrollment, dated at

this Port, 2nd May 1850. No. 22. Merit endorsed having changed owners

And the said Enrollment having certified that the said Steam Boat or Vessel has One Deck and One Mast and that her length is Forty one feet and eight inches — 21ft. 8 in her breadth Thirty Two feet — 32 " " her depth Twelve feet — 12 " " and that she measures Seven hundred fifty — one fifty six — ninety-fifths that she is a Steam Boat has a round head

And the said Jacob Amson having agreed to the description and measurements 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 14 day of April in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty one.

Wm. H. Johnson Collector

District of Buffalo Creek, Port of Buffalo N.Y. Surrendered at this port Aug July 31. 1852, and new papers issued having changed owners. Wm. H. Johnson Collector