



No. 17

District of Buffalo Creek,

Part 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.

George W. Holt, of Buffalo, N.Y. having taken or subscribed the Oath required by said Acts, and having sworn that, he is the owner of One undivided 7/9th parts of the Brig "St. Louis, 2nd of Buffalo" that Frederick W. Jones, of the same place, is the owner of One equal undivided 2/9th parts of said Vessel, and that both of said owners are

Citizens of the United States, and owners of the Brig "St. Louis, 2nd of Buffalo" whereof Geo W. Holt 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 Kalamazoo

Michigan in the year 1843, as appears by her Enrollment, dated at this Port Jan'y 8. 1850. No 1. Now amended having changed name

And the said Enrollment having certified that the said Brig or Vessel has One Deck and Iron Mast's and that her length is Ninety Seven feet and six inches 97 ft. 6 in her breadth Twenty three feet and Eleven inches 23 " 11 " her depth Eight feet, and Ten and one half inches 8 " 10 1/2 " and that she measures One hundred & eighty five tons Seventy four ninety=fifths that she is a Brig has No gallies

And the said George W. Holt 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 Brig 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 11th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty two

(L.S.)

Collector