Port of Buffalo NY
Surrendered by reason of change of owners
and New Papers issued
Signed P. Hoffman Collector

ENROLLMENT.

No. 77

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, 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 and the Act of Congress 30th 1852 also an Act entitled "An Act to provide for recording the conveyances of Vessels and for other purposes" passed July 29, 1850.

David S. Bennett, of Buffalo, New York.
having taken or subscribed the Oath required by said Acts, and having sworn that he is a

Citizen of the United States, and sole owner of the Steamer ____ or Vessel called the America of Buffalo ____ whereof Jacob A. Bartholomew ____
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 Port Huron ____ Ohio in the year 1847 as appears by her last Enrollment, dated at this Port 20 April 1853. No 63. Now surrendered having changed Owners

And the said Enrollment, ____ having certified that the said Steamer, or Vessel has One deck ____ and two masts and that her length is Two hundred and forty feet and two inches ____ 240 ft. 2 in
her breadth Thirty four feet Two and one half inches ____ 34 " 2½ "
her depth Thirteen feet and eight inches ____ 13 " 8 "
and that she measures ____ 1083 ____ tons ____ 27 ____ ninety-fifths
that she is a Steam Boat, ____ has ____
____ and ____ head

And the said David S. Bennett ____ 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 Steamer has been duly Enrolled at the Port of Buffalo. N.Y ____

(L. S.)

Given under my Hand and Seal of Office, at the Port of Buffalo, in the said District, this 11 day of May in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty three

Signed, Wm Hutchinson, Collr