



No. 131

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, 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 August 30th, 1852, amending the same; also an act entitled "An act to provide for recording the conveyances of Vessels, and for other purposes," passed July 29, 1850.

James L. Harrison of Buffalo N.Y.
Managing Owner,
having taken & subscribed the Oath required by said acts, and having sworn that he is a resident of the District of Buffalo in New York, and owns one equal undivided half part of the Steam Boat Substance of Buffalo and that Geo. W. Johnson who resides at Erie State of Pennsylvania is the owner of the remaining one equal undivided half part of said Steam Boat, and that they are

Citizen of the United States, and owner of the Steam Boat in Vessel called the
Substance of Buffalo whereof
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 Algonac State of
Michigan in the year 1844, as appears by her last endorsement dated at
this port May 14 1847 No 45, now surrendered having changed
Owner

And the said Enrollment _____ having certified that
the said Steamboat or Vessel has Crew Mast _____ and Crew deck _____ and that
her length is 277 feet 8 in _____
her breadth 30 " " 6 " _____
her depth 17 " 7 1/2 " _____
and that she measures 806 _____ tons 38 _____ ninety-fifths
that she is a Steam Boat has a figure _____

And the said James L. Harrison and _____ head
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 Steamboat has been duly Enrolled at the Port of Buffalo, N. Y.

Given under my Hand and Seal of Office, at the Port of Buffalo,
in the said District, this 14 day of June
in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty four

L.P.

P. Hoffman
Collector

Port of Buffalo N.Y.
Surrendered Oct 5 1854 Changed owner
Signed P. Hoffman
Act. Col.