



District of Buffalo Creek,
PORT OF BUFFALO.

ENROLLMENT.	No. 2
Port of issue,	Buffalo
Date of issue,	3 March 1855
Species of Vessel,	Sloop
Name of Vessel,	Fortmouth
Master's Name,	Thompson
Burthen,	225 1/2 tons.
Port Surrendered at,	Detroit
Date of Surrender,	2 Janry 1856
Cause of Surrender,	Sp. chgd



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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 1850, 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.

Edgar C. Pickering of Buffalo District of Buffalo Creek -
having taken or subscribed the Oath required by said acts, and having sworn that he resides at said Buffalo and is a

Citizen of the United States, and sole owner of the Brig Virginia of Buffalo whereof Wm. Hollands 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 Erie State of Pennsylvania - in the year 1845, as appears by her last Enrollment, dated at this Port April 17, 1854 No. 74 now surrendered having changed owners

And the said Enrollment having certified that the said Brig or Vessel has one deck and two masts and that her length is 83 feet and 6 inches her breadth 24 " " 6 " her depth 9 " " 0 " and that she measures 160 tons 33 ninety-fifths that she is a Brig has no gullies and a scroll head

And the said Charles Pickering and a scroll 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 Brig 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 19 day of March in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty five -

L. J.

W. J. Mearns
Collector

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Dated 6 - W. Linder