



ENROLLMENT.



No. 169

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, 1858.

Rufus C. Palmer of Buffalo N.Y.

having taken or subscribed the Oath required by said acts, and having sworn that he resides at said Buffalo and is the President of the American Transportation Company of Buffalo N.Y. a corporation created by and existing under the laws of the State of New York and that said Company is

~~Citizen of the United States~~ and sole owner of the Canal Boat or Vessel called the *Surfee* of Buffalo whereof Nelson Swann of Buffalo is at present Master; and as he has sworn Citizen of the United States, and that the said Ship or Vessel was built at Rochester New York in the year 1854, as appears by the Certificate of J. Helmsmith Shipwright, her builder, on file in this office State of

And *P. Hoffman* Surveyor having certified that the said Canal Boat or Vessel has *one* deck and *no* mast, and that her length is *9 1/2* feet *6* inches her breadth *1 1/2* feet *0* inches her depth *8* feet *0* inches and that she measures *114* tons *37* ninety-fifths that she is a Canal Boat has a square figure stern head.

And the said *Rufus C. Palmer* President *re* 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 Canal Boat 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 *18* day of *July* in the year one thousand eight hundred and *fifty five*

Owners Oath, V. 3 P. 376.
En. Bond " 6 " 42

Delivered to.....

Collector.