



ENROLLMENT.



No. 173

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.

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, a Corporation created by and existing under the laws of the State of New York and that said company

~~Citizen of the United States~~ and sole owner of the Canal Boat or Vessel called the Moscow of Buffalo whereof Samuel A. Matthews is at present Master; and as he has sworn is a Citizen of the United States, and that the said Ship or Vessel was built at Rochester N.Y. State of New York in the year 1854, as appears by the Certificate of P. McIlwain Shipwright, her builder on file in this office.

And Procion Hoffman Surveyor having certified that the said Canal Boat or Vessel has one deck and no mast, and that her length is 94 feet 11 inches her breadth 16 feet 11 inches her depth 7 feet 11 inches and that she measures 99 tons 48 ninety-fifths that she is a Canal Boat has a square stern figure head.

And the said Rufus C. Palmer and Procion Hoffman 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.

Given under my hand and Seal of Office, at the Port of Buffalo, in the said District, this 3 day of August in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty five

L. S.

P. Hoffman Deputy Collector

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Delivered to P. Hoffman Deput.