



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.

Harvey M. Mixer -

having taken or subscribed the Oath required by said acts, and having sworn that he resides at Buffalo in said District and is Secretary of the Lake Navigation Company, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of New York located at Buffalo; and said Company is

~~Citizen of the United States, and~~ sole owner - of the Schooner called the William Duke of Buffalo " whereof Levi Hunt - is at present Master; and as he has sworn Citizen of the United States, and that the said Ship or Vessel was built at Buffalo New York in the year 1856, as appears by the Certificate of C. A. Van Slyke Shipwright, her builder on file in this office is a State of

And Henry J. Clinton, Special Surveyor having certified that the said Schooner or Vessel has one deck and two her length is 130 feet 8 inches her breadth 28 feet 4 inches her depth 11 feet 10 inches and that she measures Four Hundred one (401) tons Swanton (17) ninety-fifths that she is a Schooner has a square stern head and a Berhivie figure head. And the said Harvey M. Mixer and 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 Schooner has been duly Enrolled at the Port of Buffalo, N. Y.

L. J.

Given under my hand and Seal of Office, at the Port of Buffalo, in the said District, this 29th day of May in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty six
O. H. Hoffman J. C. B. Collector.

Owners Oath, v. 4 p. 43
En. Bond " 6 " 343
Delivered to Mixer

Amended at this Port April 22 1838
Owners changed non paper issued

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