



ENROLLMENT.



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 and boats 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.

Lewis P. Jay of Buffalo New York

having taken or subscribed the Oath required by said acts, and having sworn that he resides at Buffalo and owns one half part undivided of the Schooner Schooner Rapid of Buffalo, and that Andrew Scott of Erie Pennsylvania owns 1/4 part undivided of said Schooner and Frederick Mator who resides at Buffalo N.Y. is the owner of the remaining 1/4 part undivided of said Schooner and they are

Citizen of the United States, and sole owner of the Schooner called the Rapid of Buffalo whereof Frederick Mator 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 in the year 1856, as appears by the Certificate of C. A. Van Dyck Ship builder her builder On file in this office

And Henry P. Cauter Surveyor - New York having certified that the said Schooner or Vessel has One deck and Two masts, mast, and that her length is 119 feet inches her breadth 26 feet inches her depth 9 feet 3 inches and that she measures 261 tons 73 ninety-fifths that she is a Schooner - has a Square stern/ head.

And the said Lewis P. Jay 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.

Given under my hand and Seal of Office, at the Port of Buffalo, in the said District, this 4 day of June in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty six

J. Hoffman Collector.

Owners Oath, V. 4 P. 44
En. Bond " 6 " 346
Delivered to Jay

Surrendered Apt 3/50 owners
changed new papers issued
Dec 1-2 1850. Hoffman D.C.