

# 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 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 29th 1850.

*Philip H. John Dennis*  
having taken or subscribed the Oath required by said acts, and having sworn that he resides at Buffalo  
in the Dist of Buffalo Creek

Citizen of the United States, and sole owner of the Schooner called the  
*John Murphy* whereof *Mr. Fitch*  
is at present Master; and as he has sworn

Citizen of the United States, and that the said Ship or Vessel was built at *Cattaraugus* State of  
*New York* in the year 1857, as appears by the certificate of *Perrie*  
*LePage* shipwright, her builder on file in this  
office

And *R. H. Best* Survey appraised & measured & certified that  
the said Schooner or Vessel has one deck and two masts and that  
her length is 133 feet 11 inches  
her breadth 25 feet 8 inches  
her depth 11 feet 3 inches  
and that she measures 359 tons 92 ninety-fifths  
that she is a Schooner has a square stern/

And the said *G. H. John Dennis* and *Mr*  
agreed to the description and measurement 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.

Given under my hand and Seal of Office, at the Port of  
Buffalo, in the said District, this 20 day of June  
in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty seven

*Officer*

Owners Oath, V. L. D. 127  
En. Bond " 7 140  
Delivered to *Perrie*

..... Collector.

Surrendered Sept. 9. 1857 -  
owners changed - saw  
Enrollment issued  
75-56  
*B. Chapman*