



Permanent

**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.

Russell P. Brown

having taken or subscribed the Oath required by said acts, and having sworn that he resides at Buffalo in the District of Buffalo Creek N.Y. and is a

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Citizen of the United States, and sole owner of the Schooner *J. P. Brown* of Buffalo whereof *R. P. Brown* is at present Master; and as he has sworn

Citizen of the United States, and that the said Ship or Vessel was built at *Cornwall* State of *Ohio* in the year *1847*, as appears by her last Enrollment dated at *this Port April 8th 1845* and recorded in *Books of Enrollments* *Sub 4* at page 90. the Certificate whereof has been lost. as appears by the affidavit of *John Benymann* on file in this office

And said Enrollment the said Schooner or Vessel has *One* deck and *Two* masts and that her length is *100* feet *7 1/2* inches her breadth *25* feet *11* inches her depth *9* feet *4 1/4* inches and that she measures *Two hundred & thirty eight* tons *53* ninety-fifths that she is a Schooner has a *stern* and *scow* head.

And the said *R. P. Brown* 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.**

Given under my hand and Seal of Office, at the Port of Buffalo, in the said District, this *12* day of *April* in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty *nine*

William F. Putney Collector.

Owners Oath, *D. 4 B. 250*
En. Bond " " *345*

Delivered to.....

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