



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.

Birds A Root

having taken or subscribed the Oath required by said acts, and having sworn that he resides at Buffalo: and is Secretary of the Western Transportation Company a corporation organized and doing business under and by virtue of the laws of the State of New York, located at Tonawanda, in the District of Buffalo Creek, and that said Company is the true

Citizen of the United States, and sole owner of the Propeller Plymouth of Tonawanda whereof 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 Ohio City State of Ohio in the year 1854, as appears by the Certificate of her last Enrollment dated at this Port 28th February 1856. no. 13 now renewed having changed offices of said Corporation

And said Certificate having certified that the said Propeller or Vessel has One deck and One mast and that her length is - 212 - feet 6 1/4 inches her breadth - 32 - feet 10 1/2 inches her depth - 12 - feet 11 1/2 inches and that she measures Eight hundred forty six tons - 110 - ninety-fifths that she is a Propeller has a Square stern and a Screw head.

And the said Birds A Root 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 Propeller 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 11th day of May in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty nine

William A. Root Collector.

Owners Oath, V. 4 P. 261
En. Bond " 7 " 362

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