



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.

Thomas D Gale

having taken or subscribed the Oath required by said acts, and having sworn that he resides at Buffalo, and is Secretary of the Buffalo and Toledo Transportation Company, a Corporation organized and doing business under and by virtue of the laws of the State of New York located at Buffalo, and that said Company is the true

Citizen of the United States, and sole owner of the Propeller *Cuphigates* of Buffalo whereof *Gorge Long* 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 Buffalo State of New York in the year 1856, as appears by New York Enrollment dated at this Port 29th July 1856 numbered 171 now surrendered having changed offices of said Corporation

And said Enrollment the said Propeller or Vessel has *one* deck and *one* mast having certified that her length is *178* feet inches her breadth *30* feet inches her depth *11 1/2* feet inches and that she measures *Five hundred Eighty seven* tons *35* ninety-fifths that she is a *Propeller* has a *round* stern head.

And the said *Thomas D Gale* and *no* having agreed to the description and advertisement 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 6 day of *Sept* in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty *nine*

William A Post Collector

Owners Oath, @ 11 @ 293
Ex. Bond " 8 " 33
Delivered to *Gorge Long*

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