

# ENROLLMENT

*Temporary*

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.

*Valentine Ouderkerk*

having taken or subscribed the Oath required by said acts, and having sworn that he resides at *Charlotte in the County of Monroe, N.Y.* and is a

Citizen of the United States and sole owner of the Schooner *Commence* of *Genesee* whereof *Valentine Ouderkerk* is at present Master; and as he has sworn

Citizen of the United States and that the said Ship or Vessel was built at *Charlotte State of New York* in the year *1848*, as appears by the Certificate of her last Enrollment dated at the Port of *Rochester* July 29, 1856 Numbered *12*, now surrendered by reason of her license having expired during her absence from her home port

And said Certificate the said Schooner or vessel has *One* deck and *two* masts and that her length is *72* feet *6* inches her breadth *19* feet *6* inches her depth *6* feet *6* inches and that she measures *Eighty* tons *81* ninety fifths that she is a *Schooner* has a *no* steam head

And the said *Valentine Ouderkerk* 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 day *11* day of *Sept* in the year one thousand eight hundred and *Sixty*

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Est. Bond " *8* " *212*  
Delivered to *Valentine Ouderkerk* and *William H. Pratt* Collector.

ENROLMENT.	No. <i>100</i>
Port of issue,	<i>Buffalo</i>
Date of issue,	<i>Sept. 14</i> 18 <i>60</i>
Species of Vessel,	<i>Steam Boat</i>
Name of Vessel,	<i>City of Cleveland</i>
Master's Name,	<i>Frank Perin</i>
Burthen,	<i>107</i> 95ths tons.
Port Surrendered at,	<i>Detroit</i>
Date of Surrender,	<i>Sept. 14</i> 18 <i>60</i>
Cause of Surrender,	<i>Expired</i>