



ENROLLMENT.



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.

Bird 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 under and by virtue of the laws of the State of New York, located at Tonawanda, that said Company is the true

~~Citizen of the United States~~ and sole owner of the Steam Sloop *Washington* of Buffalo whereof *W. D. Dyer* is the present Master; and as he has sworn

Citizen of the United States and that the said Ship or Vessel was built at Buffalo State of New York in the year 1861, as appears by the Certificate of *C. A. Van Slyck* shipwright, her builder, on file in this office

And *William Hibert* Special Surveyor appointed to measure said Sloop *Washington* having certified that the said Sloop *Washington* or vessel has One deck and No mast and that her length is 57 feet 6 inches her breadth 7 1/2 feet 6 inches her depth 6 feet 6 inches and that she measures Fifty two (52) tons 41 ninety-fifths and that she is a Sloop *Propeller* and has a Round plain stern head

And the said *Bird 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 Sloop *Washington* 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 6 day of May in the year one thousand eight hundred and Sixty one

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Ent. Bond " " " 274
Delivered to ... per order

William A. Root Collector

Custom House
Buffalo Sept 12. 1865

Surrendered and new papers issued; having been remeasured.