

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

Virginia---Southampton County, to wit:

To any person Licensed to Celebrate Marriages:

You are hereby authorized to join together in the Holy State of Matrimony, according to the rites and ceremonies of your Church, or religious denomination, and the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia *William A Bowers* and *Margaret Sankford*

Given under my hand, as Clerk of the County Court of Southampton County, this *2^d* day of *February* 187*4*.

S R Edwards

Clerk.

CERTIFICATE TO OBTAIN A MARRIAGE LICENSE.

To be annexed to the License, required by Act passed 15th March, 1861.

Time of Marriage

Place of Marriage

Southampton Co.

Full Names of Parties Married

William A Bowers & Margaret Sankford

Colour

Colored

Age of Husband

22 Years

Age of Wife

19

Condition of Husband (widowed or single)

Single

Condition of Wife (widowed or single)

Single

Place of Husband's Birth

Southampton County

Place of Wife's Birth

S.

Place of Husband's Residence

S.

Place of Wife's Residence

S.

Names of Husband's Parents

Names of Wife's Parents

At & Mary Sankford

Occupation of Husband

Laborer

Given under my hand this *2^d* day of *February* 187*4*.

S R Edwards

Clerk.

MINISTER'S RETURN OF MARRIAGE.

I Certify, that on the *5th* day of *Feb'y*, 187*4* at *7 o'clock P.M.* at her house I united in Marriage the above named and described parties, under authority of the annexed License.

Rev. Joseph Linger

The minister celebrating a marriage is required, within TEN days thereafter, to return the License to the office of the Clerk who issued the same, with an endorsement thereon of the FACT of such marriage, and of the TIME and PLACE of celebrating the same.