

# 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 Jos. Cooper and Hester Harris

Given under my hand, as Clerk of the County Court of Southampton County, this 20<sup>th</sup> day of April 1874.

V. P. 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 County

Full Names of Parties Married Jos. Cooper & Hester Harris

Colour Colored

Age of Husband 22 years

Age of Wife 17 "

Condition of Husband (widowed or single) single

Condition of Wife (widowed or single) "

Place of Husband's Birth Norfolk Co. Va.

Place of Wife's Birth Southampton County

Place of Husband's Residence " "

Place of Wife's Residence " "

Names of Husband's Parents " "

Names of Wife's Parents " "

Occupation of Husband

Given under my hand this 20<sup>th</sup> day of April 1874.

M. A. Barrie for Joseph Cooper

Clerk.

## MINISTER'S RETURN OF MARRIAGE.

I Certify, that on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of April 1874 at residence James Chappel I united in Marriage the above named and described parties, under authority of the annexed License.

Peter Sheppard

§2-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.