

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,
Gansay Ricks and *Marah Ricks*

Given under my hand, as Clerk of the County Court of Southampton County, this *7th* day of *November* 187*7*

L. R. Edwards Clerk.

CERTIFICATE TO OBTAIN A MARRIAGE LICENSE.

To be annexed to the License, required by Acts passed 15th March, 1861, and February 27th, 1866.

Time of Marriage, _____
 Place of Marriage, *Southampton County*
 Full Names of Parties Married, *Gansay Ricks & Marah Ricks*
 Color, *Colored*
 Age of Husband, *21 years*
 Age of Wife, *21*
 Condition of Husband, (widowed or single), *Single*
 Condition of Wife, (widowed or single), _____
 Place of Husband's Birth, *Southampton Co.*
 Place of Wife's Birth, _____
 Place of Husband's Residence, _____
 Place of Wife's Residence, _____
 Names of Husband's Parents, _____
 Names of Wife's Parents, _____
 Occupation of Husband, *Farming*
 Given under my hand this *7th* day of *November* 187*7*
L. R. Edwards Clerk.

MINISTER'S RETURN OF MARRIAGE.

I Certify, That on the _____ day of _____ 187*7*, at _____ I united in Marriage the above named and described parties, under authority of the annexed License.