

# 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,

Josephus Lawrence and Mary Eliza Howell

Given under my hand, as Clerk of the County Court of Southampton County, this 27 day of September 1880

J. 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, Southampton Co.  
 Place of Marriage, Southampton Co.  
 Full Names of Parties Married, Josephus Lawrence & Mary Eliza Howell  
 Color, Colored  
 Age of Husband, 28 years  
 Age of Wife, 21 years  
 Condition of Husband, (widowed or single), Single  
 Condition of Wife, (widowed or single), Do  
 Place of Husband's Birth, Chausemon Co.  
 Place of Wife's Birth, "  
 Place of Husband's Residence, Southampton Co.  
 Place of Wife's Residence, "  
 Names of Husband's Parents, "  
 Names of Wife's Parents, "  
 Occupation of Husband, Farmer

Given under my hand this 27<sup>th</sup> day of September 1880

J. R. Edwards Clerk

## MINISTER'S RETURN OF MARRIAGE.

I Certify, That on the 30 day of September 1880, at  
 Southampton I united in Marriage the above named and  
 described parties, under authority of the annexed License