

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 S. Bell
and *Lizzie R. Briggs*

Given under my hand, as Clerk of the *County* Court
of *Southampton* this *18th* day of *December* 1882
W. 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,

Full Names of Parties Married, *William S. Bell & Lizzie R. Briggs*

Color,

White

Age of Husband,

24 years

Age of Wife,

23

Condition of Husband, (widowed or single)

Single

Condition of Wife, (widowed or single)

Single

Place of Husband's Birth,

Southampton

Place of Wife's Birth,

Do

Place of Husband's Residence,

Do

Place of Wife's Residence,

Do

Names of Husband's Parents, *William & Harriet Bell*

Names of Wife's Parents, *Thomas M. & Virginia Briggs*

Occupation of Husband,

Farmer

Given under my hand this *18th* day of *December* 1882
W. Edwards Clerk

MINISTER'S RETURN OF MARRIAGE.

I Certify, That on the *21st* day of *December* 1882
at the Bride's Residence I united in Marriage the above-named and described parties, under authority of the annexed License.

M. S. Green

The Minister celebrating a marriage, is required, within 700 days thereafter, to return the license to the Office of the Clerk who issued the same, with an endorsement thereon of the date of such marriage, and of the time and place of celebrating the same.