

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Virginia, *Swain 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,

John L. Murphy
and *Hilda Jane Asst.*

Given under my hand, as Clerk of the County of *Swain* this *19th* day of *February* 188*8*
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,

Full Names of Parties Married, *John L. Murphy & Hilda Jane Asst.*

Color, *(White)*

Age of Husband, *29 years*

Age of Wife, *22*

Condition of Husband, (widowed or single) *(Single)*

Condition of Wife, (widowed or single)

Place of Husband's Birth, *Swain Co.*

Place of Wife's Birth, *do*

Place of Husband's Residence, *Swain County*

Place of Wife's Residence, *do*

Names of Husband's Parents, *John B. & Betty Murphy*

Names of Wife's Parents, *John and Ann Asst.*

Occupation of Husband, *Farmer*

Given under my hand this *19th* day of *February* 188*8*
L. R. Edwards Clerk

MINISTER'S RETURN OF MARRIAGE.

I Certify, that on the *28* day of *February* 188*8*
at *Swain* Church I united in Marriage the above
named and described parties, under authority of the annexed License.

J. D. Rhoads

NOTE: The Minister celebrating a marriage, is required, within 30 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.