

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,

La Belle
and *Caroline Williams*

Given under my hand, as Clerk of the County Court
of *Southampton* this *17th* day of *March* 1883
J. H. 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, *La Belle & Caroline Williams*
Color, *(Colored)*
Age of Husband, *28 years*
Age of Wife, *22* "
Condition of Husband, (unwedded or single) *Single*
Condition of Wife, (unwedded 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, *Labourer*
Given under my hand this *19th* day of *March* 1883
J. H. Edwards Clerk.

MINISTER'S RETURN OF MARRIAGE

I Certify, That on the *22* day of *March* 1883
at my Residence in *Southampton Co. Va.* united in Marriage the above
named and described parties, under authority of the annexed License.

H. C. Smith

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.