

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,

Charles Porter
and *Fosilia Ricks*

Given under my hand, as Clerk of the County of *Southampton* this *16th* day of *August* 188*3*
Wm. J. B. Prince Clerk

CERTIFICATE TO OBTAIN A MARRIAGE LICENSE.

To be annexed to the License, required by Acts passed 18th March, 1861, and February 27th, 1866.

Time of Marriage,
Place of Marriage,
Full Names of Parties Married, *Charles Porter* and *Fosilia Ricks*
Color, *Colored*
Age of Husband, *24 Yrs. and*
Age of Wife, *22 Do*
Condition of Husband, (widowed or single) *Single*
Condition of Wife, (widowed or single) *Do*
Place of Husband's Birth, *Southampton County Va*
Place of Wife's Birth, *Do Do*
Place of Husband's Residence, *Do Do*
Place of Wife's Residence, *Do Do*
Names of Husband's Parents, *Washington Porter and Ann Maria Porter*
Names of Wife's Parents, *Lori Ricks and Elvira Davis*
Occupation of Husband, *Laborer*
Given under my hand this *16th* day of *August* 188*3*
Wm. J. B. Prince Clerk

MINISTER'S RETURN OF MARRIAGE.

I Certify, That on the *16th* day of *Aug.* 188*3*
at *Lori Ricks* premises, under a *Law* Trust united in Marriage the above-named and described parties, under authority of the annexed License.

W. H. Whistler