

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Virginia, *Southampton Co.* 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,

Richard A. Briston
and *Mattie P. Durham*

Given under my hand, as Clerk of the County of *Southampton* this *20th* day of *August* 188*3*
J. B. Prince 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, *29th August 1883*
Place of Marriage, *at E. N. White*
Full Names of Parties Married, *Richard A. Briston and*
Mattie P. Durham
Color, *White*
Age of Husband, *42 years*
Age of Wife, *31 years*
Condition of Husband, (widowed or single) *Widowed*
Condition of Wife, (widowed or single) *Widow*
Place of Husband's Birth, *Southampton*
Place of Wife's Birth, *N. C.*
Place of Husband's Residence, *Southampton Co. Va.*
Place of Wife's Residence, *"*
Names of Husband's Parents, *T. J. Briston and M. A. Briston*
Names of Wife's Parents, *E. N. White & Sarah J. White*
Occupation of Husband, *Farm*
Given under my hand this *20th* day of *August* 188*3*
J. B. Prince Clerk

MINISTER'S RETURN OF MARRIAGE.

I Certify, That on the *29* day of *August* 188*3*
at *Southampton County Va.* I united in Marriage the above-named and described parties, under authority of the annexed License.

J. W. Deans Minister

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 exact date and place of celebrating the same.