

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Virginia, *Southern* 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,

and *Real J. Drake*
 Given under my hand, as Clerk of the *Southern* County, *Southern* Clerk
 of *Southern* Co. this *17th* day of *January*, 188*5*

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, *Southern Co.*
 Full Names of Parties Married, *John H. & Martha Drake*
 Color, *White*
 Age of Husband, *26 years*
 Age of Wife, *16 years*
 Condition of Husband, (widowed or single) *single*
 Condition of Wife, (widowed or single) *single*
 Place of Husband's Birth, *Southern*
 Place of Wife's Birth, _____
 Place of Husband's Residence, _____
 Place of Wife's Residence, _____
 Names of Husband's Parents, *J. & Martha Gray*
 Names of Wife's Parents, *John H. & Martha Drake*
 Occupation of Husband, *Farmer*

Given under my hand this *17th* day of *January*, 188*5*
J. B. Brown Clerk

MINISTER'S RETURN OF MARRIAGE.

I Certify, that on the *21st* day of *January*, 188*5*
 at *Barnes Church, Southern Co. Va.* I united in Marriage the above
 named and described parties, under authority of the annexed License.

J. M. Robinson

1866 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 date and place of celebrating the same.