

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,

Benjamin Person

and *Arline Murrell*

Given under my hand, as Clerk of the County of Southampton Co. this 16th day of Nov 1885
J. B. Trainor Clerk

CERTIFICATE TO OBTAIN A MARRIAGE LICENSE.

To be annexed to the License, required by Acts passed 15th March, 1651, and February 27th, 1686.

Time of Marriage, *Nov 18/85*
Place of Marriage, *Southampton*
Full Names of Parties Married, *Benjamin Person*
Arline Murrell
Color, *Col^d*
Age of Husband, *28 years*
Age of Wife, *19*
Condition of Husband, (widowed or single) *Single*
Condition of Wife, (widowed or single)
Place of Husband's Birth, *Southampton*
Place of Wife's Birth, "
Place of Husband's Residence, "
Place of Wife's Residence, "
Names of Husband's Parents, *Ben & Sarah Person*
Names of Wife's Parents, *Arthur Murrell*

Occupation of Husband, *Laborer*

Given under my hand this 16th day of Nov 1885
J. B. Trainor Clerk

MINISTER'S RETURN OF MARRIAGE.

I Certify, that on the 17th day of November 1885
at *Southampton* I united in Marriage the above-named and described parties, under authority of the annexed License.

Thos M. Newman

*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 bearing of the FACT of such marriage, and of the TIME and PLACE of celebrating the same.