

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.

Henry J. Bowers

and *Edith R. Bailey*

Given under my hand, as Clerk of the County Court
of Southampton Co this 28th day of December 1885
J. D. Price 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, Decr 31st 1885

Place of Marriage, Southampton Co

Full Names of Parties Married, *Henry J. Bowers*

Edith R. Bailey

Color, White

Age of Husband, 23 years

Age of Wife, 20 "

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, *Jos & Anna Bowers*

Names of Wife's Parents, *J. A. & - Bailey*

Occupation of Husband, Farming

Given under my hand this 28th day of December 1885

J. D. Price Clerk

MINISTER'S RETURN OF MARRIAGE.

I certify, That on the 31st day of Dec. 1885 I united in Marriage the above-named and described parties, under authority of the annexed License.

W. D. Readler - 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 place of such marriage, and of the time and place of celebrating the same.