

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Virginia Mythe 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,

Ephraim Bonhaus and Cara Bennington
 Given under my hand, as Clerk of Circuit Court of Mythe County (or City), this
31 day of May, 1917
C. C. Tate, Clerk.

MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE

To be annexed to the License, required by Section 2229 of the Code of Virginia, as amended by Act of February 16, 1910.

VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County (or City) of Mythe
 Date of Marriage June 30 1917 Place of Marriage Mythe Va
 FULL NAMES OF PARTIES
Ephraim Bonhaus and Cara Bennington
 Age of Husband 23 years; Condition (single, widowed or divorced) Single
 Age of Wife 23 years; Condition (single, widowed or divorced) Single
 Race (White or Colored) white
 Husband's Place of Birth Smythe Co. Va Residence Mythe Co. Va
 Wife's Place of Birth Grayson Co. Va Residence Mythe Co. Va
 Names of { Husband Robert Bonhaus and Rose Bonhaus
 Parents { Wife Stephen Bennington and Etta Sutherland
 Occupation of Husband Farming
 Given under my hand, this 31 day of May, 1917
C. C. Tate, Clerk.

Certificate of Time and Place of Marriage

I, J. A. Shuler, a minister of the Southern Methodist
 Church, or religious order of that name, do certify that on the 3rd day of June, 1917,
 at Rural Retreat, Virginia, under authority of the above License, I united in Marriage the persons named and
 described therein. I qualified and gave bond according to law authorizing me to celebrate the rites of marriage in the County
 (or City) of _____, State of Virginia.
 Given under my hand, this 6th day of June, 1917
(Rev) J. A. Shuler
 (Person who performs ceremony sign here.)

The Minister or other person celebrating a marriage is required, within thirty (30) days thereafter, to return the license and certificate of the Clerk and his certificate of the time and place at which the marriage was celebrated to the Clerk who issued the license; failure to comply with these requirements of the law makes the Minister or other person celebrating the marriage liable to a fine of not less than ten nor more than twenty dollars for each offense (see Section 2229 of the Code of Virginia, as amended by Act approved February 16, 1910, Acts 1910, chapter 28, pages 36 and 37).