

STATE OF TENNESSEE, CLAY COUNTY

To any Minister of the Gospel having the Care of Souls, or to any Judge, Chancellor, or Justice of the Peace of said County—GREETING:

You, or Either of You, Are hereby authorized to solemnize the RITES OF MATRIMONY between

Marion Smith and Ellen Moore

of our County, agreeably to the direction of the Act of Assembly in such case made and provided; Provided Always, that the Rite of Matrimony be solemnized in this County; otherwise these shall be null and void, and shall not be accounted any License or authority to you, or either of you, for the purpose aforesaid, more than though the same had never been prayed or granted, etc.

Given at the Clerk's Office of said County, this 12<sup>th</sup> day of Nov 1881

Jno J. Brown COUNTY COURT CLERK

Know all Men, That we, Marion Smith and

J. R. J. Langford

of the County of Clay, and State of Tennessee, are held and firmly bound unto the State of Tennessee, in the sum of Twelve Hundred and Fifty Dollars, to which payment, well and truly to be made, we bind our heirs, executors and administrators, and each and every one of us and them, both jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

Witness our hands and seals, the 12 day of Nov 1881

The Condition of the above Obligation is such, That whereas,

Marion Smith hath prayed and obtained License to Marry Ellen Moore

NOW, if there shall not hereafter appear any lawful cause why the said

Marion Smith and Ellen Moore

should not be joined together in Holy Matrimony as Husband and Wife, then this Obligation to be void and of no effect, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Marion Smith (SEAL.)

J. R. J. Langford (SEAL.)

I SOLEMNIZED THE RITES OF MATRIMONY between the within parties on the 12 day of Nov 1881

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STATE OF TENNESSEE, CLAY COUNTY

To any Minister of the Gospel having the Care of Souls, or to any Judge, Chancellor, or Justice of the Peace of said County—GREETING:

You, or Either of You, Are hereby authorized to solemnize the RITES OF MATRIMONY between

James A. Lerow and Sarah L. Taylor

of our County, agreeably to the direction of the Act of Assembly in such case made and provided; Provided Always, that the Rite of Matrimony be solemnized in this County; otherwise these shall be null and void, and shall not be accounted any License or authority to you, or either of you, for the purpose aforesaid, more than though the same had never been prayed or granted, etc.

Given at the Clerk's Office of said County, this 5<sup>th</sup> day of Nov 1881

Jno J. Brown COUNTY COURT CLERK

Know all Men, That we, James A. Lerow and

Nelson Lerow

of the County of Clay, and State of Tennessee, are held and firmly bound unto the State of Tennessee, in the sum of Twelve Hundred and Fifty Dollars, to which payment, well and truly to be made, we bind our heirs, executors and administrators, and each and every one of us and them, both jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

Witness our hands and seals, the 5<sup>th</sup> day of Nov 1881

The Condition of the above Obligation is such, That whereas,

James A. Lerow hath prayed and obtained License to Marry Sarah L. Taylor

NOW, if there shall not hereafter appear any lawful cause why the said

James A. Lerow and Sarah L. Taylor

should not be joined together in Holy Matrimony as Husband and Wife, then this Obligation to be void and of no effect, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

James A. Lerow (SEAL.)

Nelson Lerow (SEAL.)

I SOLEMNIZED THE RITES OF MATRIMONY between the within parties on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of Nov 1881

D. S. Harlow JP