

Affidavit required by Section 23 of The Marriage Act before License is granted.



Instructions to Person Solemnizing Marriage:

IMPORTANT

* Do NOT solemnize this marriage if you have not been granted a numbered Certificate of Registration under The Marriage Act by the Provincial Secretary, or if, subsequent to your registration, you have become disqualified to solemnize marriage in Ontario by lack of residence in Canada, or for any other reason.

Special Attention is directed to the excerpts from The Marriage Act set forth at the Right of Affidavit herein.

EXCEPT as in The Marriage Act provided, any person who solemnizes a marriage earlier than the third day after the day of the date of this License shall be guilty of an offence and shall incur a penalty of not more than \$100.

After solemnizing the marriage, fill in all the blank spaces below and forward this License forthwith to the Registrar General, Parliament Buildings, Toronto.

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I Certify that I solemnized the marriage of:-

Bridegroom: James Arthur Blakely and Bride: Mary Ellen Emond. Witnesses: James A. Crawford and Geraldine Lacey. Address: Cardinal Ont. Village, Cardinal in the County of Grenville, PROVINCE OF ONTARIO. On the 15th day of May 1938. Name of Bridegroom's Father: James Blakely. Maiden Name of Bridegroom's Mother: Lema Blakely. Name of Bride's Father: George Emond. Maiden Name of Bride's Mother: Jennie Baker. Registrar: Robert Booth, 1 Paul's Church, Cardinal. District: Church of England.

I, Mary Ellen Emond of the Village of Cardinal in the County of Grenville in the Province of Ontario do hereby make oath and say as follows: That, for the space of fifteen days immediately preceding the date of this affidavit, I, Mary Ellen Emond, have had my usual place of abode within the Province of Ontario. That I believe there is no affinity, consanguinity, prior marriage or other lawful cause or legal impediment to bar or hinder the solemnization of the marriage, and That the contents set forth herein are to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, true in every particular.

Table with 2 columns for James Arthur Blakely and Mary Ellen Emond. Rows include: Names in full, Occupation (Assistant Chemist vs Clerk), Age and Conditions in Life (24 Bachelor vs 26 Spinster), Religious Denomination (Church of England vs Roman Catholic), Residence when Married (Cardinals vs Cardinals), Place of Birth (Ottawa vs Cardinals), Intended Place of Marriage (Leopoldo Ont.).

Swear before me at the Village of Leopoldo in the County of Grenville this 15th day of May 1938. Mary Ellen Emond (Signature of Dependent). Issued at Leopoldo Ont.

Excerpts from The Marriage Act

2. (1) The Provincial Secretary shall from time to time, on application made to him according to forms prescribed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, or in the like effect, which application may be made by the applicant or, on his behalf, by the ecclesiastical authority or authorities of the church, religious denomination or congregation to which he belongs, register such person as authorized to solemnize marriage and may issue one or more certificates of such registration to any person so registered.

21. Any person not registered with and certified by the Provincial Secretary, as hereinbefore provided, or any person so registered and certified, but disqualified by change of residence or for any other reason, who solemnizes or undertakes to solemnize any marriage, shall incur a penalty of \$500, and shall also be liable to imprisonment for any term not exceeding twelve months.

For statistical purposes, the issuer shall record the following information:-

Birthplace of Bridegroom's Father: Ontario. Birthplace of Bride's Father: Ogdensburg N.Y. Can Bridegroom read? yes. Can Bride read? yes.