

MARRIAGE RECORD—Vigo County

Official Form of Application for Marriage License as Determined by the State Board of Health According to Chapter 126 of the Acts of the Sixty-fourth General Assembly.

Application for Marriage License—Male

Application is hereby made for a license for the marriage of

Best James to Merna McMillan

Upon the following statement of fact relative to said parties:

- 1 The full christian and surname of the man is Best James
- 2 Color white 3 Where born Spanghtsville Ind
(Town, County, State or Country.)
- 4 When born December 20th 1894
(Day, Month and Year.)
- 5 Present residence 1648 2nd Ave. Terre Haute, Ind.
- 6 Present occupation Coal miner
- 7 If no occupation, what means has the male contracting party to support a family?
X
- 8 Is the male contracting party of nearer blood kin to the female contracting party than second cousin? No.
- 9 Full christian and surname of father Jos. James
- 10 His color white 11 His birthplace Ohio
- 12 His occupation miner 13 His residence Terre Haute, Ind.
- 14 Full christian and maiden name of mother Sarah Hutton
- 15 Her color white 16 Her occupation at home
- 17 Her birthplace England 18 Her residence Terre Haute, Ind.
- 19 Has the male contracting party been an inmate of any county asylum or home for indigent persons within the last five years? No.
- 20 If so, is he now able to support a family and likely to so continue? X
- 21 Is this his first marriage? yes
- 22 If not, how often has he been married? ✓
- 23 Has such prior marriage, or marriages been dissolved? ✓
- 24 If so, how? ✓ 25 When? ✓
- 26 Is the male contracting party afflicted with epilepsy, tuberculosis, venereal or any other contagious or transmissible disease? No.
- 27 Is he an imbecile, feeble-minded, idiotic or insane, or is he under guardianship as a person of unsound mind? No.

Signature of applicant Best James

STATE OF INDIANA, VIGO COUNTY, ss:

Sarah McMillan deposes and says that she has personal knowledge of the facts above stated and that they and each of them are true.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 4th day of March 1918

James J. Fagan
Clerk Vigo Circuit Court

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Application for Marriage License—Female

Application is hereby made for a license for the marriage of

Merna McMillan to Best James

Upon the following statement of fact relative to said parties:

- 1 The full christian and surname of the woman is Merna McMillan
- 2 Color white 3 Where born Perth Ind
(Town, County, State or Country.)
- 4 When born September 16th 1897
(Day, Month and Year.)
- 5 Present residence Terre Haute 2143 2nd Ave.
- 6 Present occupation at home
- 7 Full christian and surname of father Charles McMillan
- 8 His color white 9 His birthplace Perth, Ind.
- 10 His occupation ✓ 11 His residence Perth, Ind.
- 12 Full christian and maiden name of mother Grace Smith
- 13 Her color white 14 Her occupation Home
- 15 Her birthplace Ohio 16 Her residence Terre Haute
- 17 Has the female contracting party been an inmate of any county asylum or home for indigent persons within the last five years? No.
- 18 Is this her first marriage? yes
- 19 If not, how often has she been married? ✓
- 20 Has such prior marriage, or marriages, been dissolved? ✓
- 21 If so, how and when? ✓
- 22 Is the female contracting party afflicted with epilepsy, tuberculosis, venereal or any other contagious or transmissible disease? No.
- 23 Is she an imbecile, feeble-minded, idiotic or insane, or is she under guardianship as a person of unsound mind? No.

Signature of applicant Merna McMillan

STATE OF INDIANA, VIGO COUNTY, ss:

Sarah McMillan (sister) she deposes and says that she has personal knowledge of the facts above stated and that they and each of them are true.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 4th day of March 1918

James J. Fagan
Clerk Vigo Circuit Court

We It Remembered, That on the day herein named, the following Marriage License was issued, to-wit:

STATE OF INDIANA, VIGO COUNTY, ss:

To Any Person Empowered by Law to Solemnize Marriages, you are hereby authorized to join together as HUSBAND AND WIFE
Best James and Merna McMillan
according to the laws of the State of Indiana.

In Testimony Whereof, I, JAMES J. FAGAN, Clerk of the Vigo Circuit Court of said County, hereunto subscribe my name and affix the seal of said Court at Terre Haute, this 4th day of March A. D. 1918.

STATE OF INDIANA, VIGO COUNTY, ss:

I, the undersigned Minister do hereby certify that

Merna McMillan were legally joined together as HUSBAND AND WIFE, on the 4th day of March 1918, by me.

Rev. John Hutton