

Bailey Alford Estate Papers, No. 11

Know all men by these presents that I Eley Alford of the County of Wake and State of North Carolina for and in Consideration of the Sum of Fifty dollars in hand paid by Willie Clifton of the County and State afore Said and for which Consideration I the Said Eley Alford hath by these presents bargained Sold and delivered to the Said Willie Clifton and to his heirs and afsigns [sic] for ever my Interest in and to the following negroes now in pofsession [sic] of the Said Willie Clifton by the following names, Leath, Charity, Peter, Lucy and Janie and their increase from and before the date of these presents. These negroes here mentioned being property devised to Polly Alford the mother of the said Eley Alford and at the death of the Said Polly Alford to be Equally divided amongst the bodily heirs of the Said Polly and amongst whom of the heirs Bayley Alford being one and having removed to the western Country, an original attachment was Issued against the Equitable right of the Said Bayley in and to the negroes above mentioned and being Told by a lawfull [sic] officer of Said County the Said Eley Alford became the purchaser of the Equitable right of the said Bayley Alford and for which Consideration the said Eley Alford doth for himself his heirs and afsigns [sic] warrent and defend the right of said negroes to the Said Willie Clifton and to his heirs and afsigns [sic] for ever against the Claim or Claims of the Said Bayley Alford and his heirs or afsigns [sic] So far as the five negroes above named given under my hand and Seal the 3rd day Nov 1829?

Witnessed
William Roles
Jos. Fowler, Jnr.

his
Eley X Alford Seal
mark

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Wake County } May Term 1846
The Execution of this Bill of Sale was in
open court duly proven and ordered to be
Registered

Jas. T. Marriott CC
By M. H. High DC

Registered in the Registers Office of Wake County
In Book No. 17 and page 106 the 8th day of July
A. D. 1846

Richard Smith Register

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Clifton, Willie

From } Deed

Eley Alford

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