

# Guy Alford, Part 6

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This continues the page-by-page coverage that began in AAFA ACTION September 1992. See p. 52 in that issue for more explanation.

## Page 26

Alfords on US Census, Wake Co. NC 1790

Page		Males, white under 16	M. white above 16	Fem.	Slaves
1163	Alford, Lodwick	3	2	4	24
1164	Alford, Hudson	2	1	3	7
1164	Alford, William Arrin	3	2	2	13

Comment: Wm Alverd, at page 1120, may be Alford. I have a pencil note showing all of the Alfords in NC on the 1790 Census. It will be typed, when I reach it, and added to my Alford family notes.

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Grimes' Abstract of NC Wills

Alford, Sarah and Tabitha

Legatees under will of Charles Jones (Albamarle Co NC):

Dated: April 25, 1693

Probated: July 25, 1695

Executors: Thomas Symonds, John Meeds

Witnesses: Elliner Meline, Jacob Denillard, James Damerell.

Comment: This data preserved for my anticipated research in NC sources.

## Page 28

NC Hist. and Genealogy Register, Jan issue, 1900, Page 86

Alford, Jabez

"Conveyance from William Duckinfield to Jabez Alford. 220 acres adjoining Thomas Jones. Deed signed by John Ardeene, atty: Oct 7, 13 year of her Majesty's Reign."

Comment: This note incomplete; jotted down to serve as a lead in NC investigation, etc.

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Roster of NC Sol. In the Rev. DAR publication, Pages 415, 277

Alford, Thomas (page 277) & Benjamin (page 415).

This refers to land grants to Sol. of the Rev. Alford, Benjamin (at page 415) served in Militia.

#1200. Newborn District.

Alford, Thomas, heirs of (at page 277) #2166. 640 acres. 84 months service.

Comment: This note jotted down to check against official records, etc. This, of course, is not complete list of NC Sol. of the Rev.

The forename Benjamin may prove to be significant, for Benjamin is a favorite in our family.

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Wheeler's Historical Collections of North Carolina

Alford, William

1784, member of House of Commons, from Wayne Co.

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[Editor's note: Guy Alford numbered pages in pencil and sometimes duplicated or skipped numbers.]

Grimes' Abstract of NC Wills, Page 4

Alford, Jabez, Will of:

Executor: Thomas Pollock

Witnesses: Thomas Jones, Henry Brooks, James Fitzpatrick

Legatees: George Tayler

Esayah Henly

Luke Haman

James Damevall

Mary Damevall

Thomas Daniel

Sarah Jones

Comment: Should Damevall be spelled Damerall? Investigate local sources, to determine, etc.

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Grimes' Abstract of N C Wills, Page 154

Alford, Jabus

"One of legatees" under

Will of Francis Hartley

Dated: Feb 4, 1691/92

Probated: May 2, 1692

Executrix: Susannah, wife.

Exeuctor: Thomas Harvey

Witnesses: G. Meschamp, Richard Slater, Frances Parrott, Ann

Durant, Thomas Durant.

Legatees: Elisabeth Glascoine

Elizabeth Gray

Jabus Alford

William Morris

George Meschamp

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Grimes' Abstract of NC Wills, Page 4

Alford, Joseph, Will of

Dated: Dec 8, 1689

Probate: No date given

Executrix: Ann, wife.

Witnesses: Charles Jones, John Barber, Lodford Ivy

**Information consolidated from pages 33-34**

Roster of Soldiers, NC, by DAR,

Listed as Sol. of Rev. NC

Page 33 Alford, Thomas - Page 277 of DAR Roster

Page 34 Alferd (Alford?), Benjamin - Page 415 of DAR Roster

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Grimes' Abstract of NC Wills, Page 4

Alford, John, Will of

Dated: April 16, 1691

Probated: May 4, 1691

Daughters: Tabitha and Sarah

Executor: Charles Jones, (father-in-law) Witnesses: John Hunt, William Pindar, Hannah Wood.

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Grimes' Abstract of NC Wills, Page 4

Alford, Jabez

Legatee under will of Thomas Lankton:

Dated: Sept 11, 1696

Proved by oath of James Damorell before Honorable Thos.

Pollock, Lord's Deputy, Land by Wm Jones before Capt

Anthony Dawson, Justice, Sept 14, 1694 ??

Legatees: Wm Stevens

Jabez Alford

Rachel and Mary Damorell

Mr. Francis Parrott

Negro Betty (one son about three years old)

Andrew James

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NC Historical &amp; Genealogical Register No. 3, Vol. 3 (July 1903)

Alford, John, Senr.

Under article headed: Births, Deaths and Marriages in Berkeley, Later Perquiman Precinct, NC (Originals in the Courthouse, at Hertford, NC)

At page 363. "John Alford, Senr. died at Col. Hartley's ye Last of Novemr 1690."

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Ray's Lost Tribes of NC, Page 596

Alford and Avery

Births, Deaths and Marriages of "Our Perquiman's Ancestors"

(Berkeley &amp; Perquimancos) The page numbers, below, and those indexed in Hathway's NC Historical &amp; Genealogical Register.

Alford, P. 363

Avery, P. 379, 419

Comment: This data preserved in this note for future checking at local NC sources.

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NC Historical &amp; Genealogical Register, Jan issue, 1900, Page 143 Alford, Jno.

"Petition of Jno. Alford and Wm Owen about their bond for Boyle given to answer an action for debt commenced against them by Mr. Biggs, bee of noe form, and so made by Act of Parliment."

Comment: This note incomplete, since I expect to investigate into background of this Jno Alford. It was, however, back early Colonial period of NC

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Ancestral Roll, South Carolina, D.A.R., compiled in 1938 by Mrs. E. F. Crawford, State Registrar, Page 95

Alford, Jacob

Under heading: "S.C. in the Revolution" by Sara Sullivan Jacob Alford is listed. ♦

*(Alford Family Notes, cont. from p. 24)*

- 1774, Jan. 22. John Alford, buried.
- 1774, Feb. 27. Lewis, son of Mr. Lewis Alford and Mary his wife, buried.
- 1775, Aug. 31. Thomas Law, gent., of Bishop's Tawton, and Elizabeth Alford, married.
- 1781, July 4. Lewis Alford, gent. (aged 58), buried.
- 1788, Dec. 22. Laurence, son of Laurence Alford and Mary, baptized privately.
- 1789, Nov. 27. William Lewis, son of Laurence Alford and Mary, baptized peivately.
- 1791, Apr. 7. John, son of Laurence Alford and Mary his wife, baptized.
- 1792, Oct. 31. Charles James, son of Laurence Alford and Mary his wife, baptized.
- 1794, June 29. Mary, daughter of Laurence Alford and Mary, baptized.
- 1798, June 10. Arundel, son of Laurence Alford and Mary his wife, baptized.
- 1800, Oct. 23. Edwin, son of Laurence Alford and Mary his wife, baptized.
- 1803, June 2. Laurence Alford (aged 36), buried.
- 1806, Oct. 3. Mary Anne Alford, from Bideford, buried.

The wills of several Alford's of Devonshire will be found in the Appendix. ♦