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Wake County } This day Eli Alford of
said county came personally before me James
Mc. Surrell one of the Justices of the Peace for said
county and made oath that said time about
the date of 1826 he the said Eli Alford purchased
and of Bailey Clifton and his wife all their
Right & interest in two negroes, To wit,
Annies and Stefina which negroes was lent
to Mary Alford for life and at her death to
be equally divided between her children and
took a bill of Sale for their Right & interest
which Bill of sale is last ^{made} & said
which negroes was lent to said Mary Alford
by Sadrwick Alford, her Father according
to the last will & Testament of the said
Sadrwick Alford which the Records of the
County Court of Franklin will show
Sworn to & subscribed the 14th of January 1847

Witness
James Mc. Surrell J.
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Eli Alford
his
mark

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Wake County } This day John Stetchell
Jus. of said county came personally before
me James Mc. Surrell one of the Justices of the
Peace for said county & made oath that he
knows Bailey Clifton and his wife say
that Eli Alford had purchased their Right
& interest in the two Negroes mentioned in
the above certificate made by said Eli Alford
and they also stated that Eli Alford had

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paid them for the same sum to
and subscribed the 2th of Feb 1847
Witness
James McNeill, J.B. John Mitchell son

Appointed to
Elc Alfred
John Mitchell