Wm Ratcliff
Deed of Gift
Everline
Whetstone

The State of Alabama Shelby County.
For and in consideration that I have lately sold and delivered two certain negroes to wit Martin & Lewis to J. & S. Brasher which said negroes I have always considered as belonging to my beloved daughter Everline Whetstone and also for and in consideration of the natural love and affection which I have and bear to my said beloved daughter Everline I have given granted bargained and ~~sold~~ delivered and by these presents do give grant bargain and deliver to said Everline Whetstone the following negroes to wit: Hannah a woman Lafen a woman, Prince a boy, Harriet a ~~boy~~ girl and Jenny a girl, To have and to hold

said negroes to her own proper use and behoof forever - In witness of which witness my hand and seal this third day of March A.D. 1843.

Wm Ratcliff (Seal)

William Ratcliff signed sealed delivered and acknowledged the foregoing Bill or Deed of Gift on this 3d March 1843. Witness my hand and seal.

J. M. McClanahan (L.S.)
Justice of the Peace.

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