

[To Elias Carr. Edgecombe County, N.C.]

Davis & Roads

Jan 6th 1848

Dear Elias

I was anxious to see you when you were up the country but did not have an opportunity of doing so. About that note of Millams, use your own judgement as to the best way to dispose of it, whether or not to put it in the hands of a Lawyer you can best determine. seems an exceedingly hard in our country how any thing in Edgecombe. please let me hear from you about the note as soon as you can determine what to do - we are all well and all join me in love to you & the children -

Your Friend
& Relative
W. Davis

Rice - 26
Harriette - 27
Jacks - 20
Rose - 30
Milly - 45
Lennie - 20
Willy - 46