

The last will and testament of William
Turner of the County of Ashe and State of North
Carolina

Considering the uncertainty of this mortal
life and being of sound mind and memory
do make and publish this my last will and
testament in manner and form following that
is to say.

1st after all my lawful debts are paid and
discharged I give and bequeath unto my son
Nicholas Turner two hundred dollars

and I give and bequeath unto my two female
daughters, Sallie Virginia Francis and Amanda
Elizabeth Francis fifty dollars each to be paid
out on interest until they marry or become of
age should one of the girls die, the other is
to have the deceased share, or if they both die
before marrying or becoming of age, then my
grandson William Jackson Stuart to have one
share and my grand daughter Sallie Salinas
to have the other share

2nd I will and bequeath unto my daughter
Chanty Turner a full outfit with the rest of
the girls

I give and bequeath unto my daughters
Nancy and Emily J and Ellen and Chanty
the above named girls each to receive fifty
dollars each and Elizabeth ten more. The
remainder of my ~~property~~ to be equally divided
among my seven daughters living

I appoint Joseph Stuart and J. W. Waymon
executors of this my last will and testament
whereunto I set my hand and seal

This the 8th day of June A.D. 1885

Attest

Robert Blewens
Mary ^WBlewens
mod

William Turner

North Carolina } Superior Court July 8th 1885
Ashe County }

The attached paper writing was this day
afforded for probate purporting to be the last will and testament
of William Turner dec. And Robert Blewens being duly
sworn says I am a witness to this will. I saw William Turner
sign the said paper and he asked me and my wife
Mary to witness his will and that this is the paper he
asked me to witness as his will I did not read it nor hear
it read. I think the said William Turner was in his
right mind and understood all about his business
I witnessed it in his presence

Robert Blewens

Mary Blewens being duly sworn says she is a witness to this
paper, that she saw the said Turner sign it and she
witnessed it in the presence of and at the request of the
said William Turner I think he was in his right mind
and understood his business

Mary ^WBlewens
mod

Sworn to and subscribed before me the acts above written

J. M. Dickson C.S.C

By Frank Hardin D.C

Upon the foregoing testimony it is adjudged that this will
is duly proven and ordered to be recorded

J. M. Dickson C.S.C