

The Last will and Testament of Thos Foster Sen
In the Name of God Amen. I Thomas Foster of the
County of Buncombe and State of North Carolina being of
Sound mind and memory do this seventeenth day of
October A.D. 1834 make and publish this my Last will
and Testament in the following manner that is to say
First I give and bequeath unto Mary Foster my beloved
wife all the Lands that I now own on the North fork of
Turkey Creek which I bought for four hundred and sixty
Acres more or less also the Negroes (to wit) 2

Merridee Riley also the house hold furniture
such as bedward chest Dress black Beds and all the articles
belonging to the house and kitchen also all farming utensils
or Iron Tools also one still and Vapels and one set of
Black Smith Tools of every description also one wagon and
Gearing also my horses Cattle hogs and Sheep also money
Notes Bonds and all debts by Book account or otherwise and
all my property or Interest of every description whatsoever
But my aforesaid wife to pay to each of my Brothers and
Sisters which may be Living at my decease and to the heirs
of those of my Brothers and Sisters which may be Deceased
before my Decease the heirs of each of them one dollar
to each family if called for within two years a above
also to Preston Foster Grandson to my Brother William
Foster the sum of five dollars

I hereby constitute ordain and appoint my worthy
friend Alexander Robison & my aforesaid wife Executor
& Executrix of this my Last will and Testament
In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and
Seal this 17th day of October 1834

Test

James Gudgeon Juratt

Thomas Foster (Seal)

William Robison

State of North Carolina

Buncombe County 3rd October 1839

The foregoing will was duly proven in open Court by the
 oath of James Gudgeon a Subscribing Witness thereto
and ordered to be recorded

A. Harrison Ck