

they believe the testators to have been of sound Mind and  
Memory at the time of executing same  
Elbert County, Georgia Wills 1836 to 1860  
Served to an open Court  
This 4<sup>th</sup> November 1850  
Attest Wm D. Nelson, C.C.

Thos. J. Johnston  
Miley Henry  
Willis H. Bailey  
Mark

Georgia Court of Ordinary Novr 4<sup>th</sup> 1850  
Ellet County The within will of William Turrell late  
was exhibited in open Court, and proven by the  
subscribing witnesses and is ordered to be record  
Attest Wm D. Nelson C.C.

Recorded the 7<sup>th</sup> day of December 1850 Wm D. Nelson

### William Mop's will 1855

Georgia In the Name of God amoge  
Ellet County I William Mop of the County and State aforesaid  
being much afflicted in body but of sound mind  
and having that it is appointed for all Men once to die  
do make and ordain this my last will and Testament  
in the first place I command my soul to God who gave  
it and my body to the earth from whence it came to be  
buried in a decent Christian Manner And as to such  
worldly goods as it has pleased God to bless me with I  
dispose of in the following manner and form first  
Item It is my will that all my just debts be paid out of  
my Estate and the remainder of my Estate to both real  
and personal of every kind whatever, except what is  
left after Wm. I do give and bequeath to my beloved  
wife Polly Mop during her natural life and after her  
death to be publicly sold and divided amongst all my  
Children first making in amount those that have  
had less with those that have had more and the rem-  
ainder equally divide amongst all my Children  
It is also my will that my Negro woman Sally and her boy  
child Banks be sold as soon as convenient after my  
death and the proceeds of said sale to be equally divided  
between my two sons Franklin A. Mop and William  
B. Mop to be considered as a part of their portion of  
my Estate and I do nominate and appoint my  
beloved wife Polly Mop my Executor and my son  
in law Albus L. B. Anderson my Executor to the  
my last will and Testament giving them full power

to act and Manage my Estate to buy sell barter or any  
other act which they may think will be for the peace and Con-  
fort of my wife <sup>Elbert County, Georgia Wills 1830 to 1860</sup>  
and <sup>www.georgiapioneers.com</sup> of my Estate and  
I do hereby revoke and determine all former wills and  
bequests and do ratify and confirm this my last will  
and Testament - In witness whereof I have hereunto  
set my hand and seal this tenth day of August Eight  
hundred and fifty.

Seal Eliza White  
Joseph Vines  
Willis S. Carlton

William Moff <sup>Seal</sup>

Georgia Court of Ordinary January Term 1851  
Elbert County Personalty came into open Court Joseph  
Vines and Willis S Carlton and being sworn  
doth that they saw William Moff sign <sup>the within</sup> instrument  
of writing as his last will and Testament and that  
they together with Eliza White signed the same as witnesses  
in the presence of the testator and at his request and  
that these defendants believe the testator to have been of  
sound mind and memory at the time he executed  
the same

Sworn to in open Court by Willis S Carlton  
the 18<sup>th</sup> day of January 1851 Joseph Vines  
Attest Wm B Nelson C.C.Q

Georgia Court of Ordinary January Term 1851  
Elbert County The within will of William Moff was  
enrolled and set open Court and  
proved by two of the subscribing witnesses and is ordered  
to Record Attest Wm B Nelson C.C.Q  
Recorded the 15<sup>th</sup> day of January 1851 W B Nelson C.C.Q

Wm B Nelson C.C.Q  
Will 1851

Georgia Elbert County September 3 1848

In the Name of God Amow. I Wm B Nelson Rowzé  
being of sound mind and disposing Memory  
do make and publish this my last will and  
Testament hereby revoking and making void  
all former wills by me at any time made