

and the Son of John Amos
I Nathaniel Cooke of the Town of Augusta in the County
of Richmond State of Georgia being of perfect disposing
mind & memory do make Invenia Constituta and appoint
this my last will and testament in manner & form fol-
lowing, that is to say After the payment of all my just
Debts, which I would have made out of any part of
the Estate that my wife Rebecca Cooke & my Executors be-
after named may think proper; My will is that the
Estate both real & personal be Divided into three Equal parts
as my said wife & Executors may agree between themselves
one third part of which I lend to her during her natural
Life, and of which, she is to have choice, The other two
thirds, I would Have Divided into as many parts as I
may have Children, which is also to be kept in the
hands of my wife, to enable her to raise the Children
untill either of them come of age or is married, at which
Time the part allotted to such Child to be delivered
to him or her, the other parts to remain in Common with
her, for the other Children, to whom no share has been
delivered & when any other Child may come of age or is married
the remaining two thirds in my widows hands to be del-
ivered into as many parts, as there may be Children, who
have not received Their Dividends, and the Childs part
is coming of age or marrying to be delivered him or her
and so on, untill all my Children may come of age
or are married, but Should my wife die before all my
Children come of age, or are married, my will is, That

the remaining two thirds of my Estate be divided between
the Children who have not received their portions, and
the third part left my wife during her natural life be
equally divided between all my Children then living & the
Heirs of them who may be Dead Sharing alike as if the
Parents of Such Heir a Heir was living. All and every
of which Estate as before divided, I give to my said
Children and their Heirs forever. And I do hereby appoint
my wife Rebecca & my Sons William Cocke. Nathaniel
Cocke & John Cocke Executors of this my last will & Testament
hereby revoking all Wills by me before made. In Witness
whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Seal this seventh
day of August 1790 some intertunitions before signing
Signed, Sealed & Acknowledged } Nathl. Cocke
in presence of us — — —