

Georgia
Richmond County

1839

In the name of God Amen.
I Elizabeth C King of the City of Augusta

in the State and County aforesaid being weak in body but of sound disposing mind and Memory make that my Last Will and Testament as follows
First I will that all my Last debts be paid

Secondly I will that my Executor Sell at public or private Sale my Whole Estate except the Special bequests, hereafter made, at such time, or times as he may think advisable, taking Special Care that my negroes be Sold in families and to such persons as they may select to be approved of by my Executor,

Thirdly I give, to my executor my old negro, Ben, his wife Nancy and Grindal, in Good trust, and Confidence, that he will afford them his best personal protection I also give him what he may consider a sufficient sum of money for their support, during their lives when they may be incapable of supporting themselves by their own industry,

Fourthly, I give to the trustees of the Methodist Episcopal Church in Augusta, for the use of said Church Five hundred Dollars to Jacob Gore in trust, for his mother, Elizabeth Brown, and my two negroes, Joe and his sister Fanny. My best bed, table and N. W. corner, including a Mattress, the balance of my household N. W. John Furniture I give to said Mrs. Brown and my negroes in equal proportions

Fifthly I give to my niece who has but one hand, the daughter of my Brother Gabriel Gore, One thousand Dollars if she is alive at the time of my death, but in no event is my Will to be construed

with intent for it.

I give all the rest and residue of my estate
to be divided among them according to the laws
of this State, except the one to whom I have given a
thousand Dollars

I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint
John W Mann to be the executor of this my last
will and Testament,

In testimony whereof I have hereunto
set my hand and Seal in the City of Augusta
this 25th day of March in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred & forty One
Signed, Sealed, Published by the Testator
in presence of

As Witnesses
John P Greene
Lyman Routh
W M Copeland

Elizabeth O X Rely

As a Supplement and addition to the above foregoing
will I give bequeath to Jacob Spore in trust for his wife
Elizabeth Brown, the house and lot whereon I now reside
allowing her to make any disposition of it she may think
proper by will or otherwise

I give bequeath to M M Copeland in trust for Mrs Elizabeth
Munflyn a Cow & calf

I give and bequeath to Philip Crump for Ann Caldwell
of William Caldwell, one of my Sons, 11 Biddlers, two Potters
and 100 lbs of a Coarser fine pair of Shells
Signed, Sealed, published & declared
in presence of us the presence of

and others this 25th day of March 1843,

she was at "Jacob Spore" full being
intended over the name of "M M Copeland" and created

Antoine Perquet
James B Calvert
Henry Pecker

Elizabeth Rely