

The State of South Carolina. In the Name of God Amen! I Ann Ferguson of the
 18 W. City of Charleston in the State aforesaid widow, do make and publish this my last
 W. & Testament in manner following viz: It is my will and desire that
 all my just debts be first paid. It is my further Will and desire that my Executor
 hereinafter named, shall continue to pay as I hitherto have done, to my servant
 Annette the interest on Two hundred and seventy eight Dollars fifty seven cents (\$278.57)
 on the principal sum whenever she may demand it, the said sum having been
 placed in my hands by her ^{late} Mother and Sister. I give and bequeath the whole
 of my wearing apparel to my said servant Annette. It is my further will and desire
 that my Executor hereinafter named shall exert himself to effect the Emanci-
 pation of my said servant Annette, and also of her two Children Joseph and
 Mary when ever the laws of this State will permit it without the condition or
 need of leaving the State: and that he will provide a home for the said An-
 nette during her life. I recommend my old servant Bath to the particular care
 of my son. I do hereby give, devise and bequeath the whole of my Estate both real
 and personal, not herein otherwise disposed of, to my son James Ferguson
 and to his heirs and assigns; and I do nominate and appoint him Executor
 to this my last Will and Testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set
 my hand and seal this sixteenth day of May in the year of our Lord one
 thousand eight hundred and twenty three and of the Independence of the
 United States of America the forty seventh. Ann Ferguson (L.S.)

Signed sealed and published in presence of us
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Proved before Thomas Lehre Ordinary C. J. D. on the second day of December 1835 and at the same time qualified James Ferguson Execu-
tor therein named