

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

South Carolina } The last will and testament of Ruth Moore
York District } widow of John Moore whereas husband in his
life had made Sundry advancements to his four children and I
having some property to dispose and distribute amongst my four
children--I therefore hereby declare that it is my last will and
testament that all my estate both real and personal shall at my
death be devided amongst my children, John Moore, Jacob. B Moore
Gordon Moore and Peggy Clarke wife of William Clarke in such
manner as to make them all as near equal as may be practicable,
charging each one of them with all advancements made to and for
them by their father, and then my Estate shall be so distributed
among my Said children as to make them all equal in the amount
that they may receive from the two Estates, my husbands and my
own--Thus suppose one had received one hundred Dollars and another
only fifty Dollars from his fathers then and in that case the one
last mentioned shall receive from my Estate one hundred and the
other only fifty Dollars and thus after the same manner as to the
whole of my Estate both real and personal untill the whole of my
said Estate shall have been devided on those principles amongst
my Said four children--And it is my will that should any one or
more of my Said children object this distribution of my said Estate
that he or they thus objecting to this as I conceive Just and Equ
table devision shall have no lot part or share of my Estate but
that the whole shall be in such case devided amongst those not ob
jecting on the principles laid down in this my will--I do hereby
nominated and appoint my son John Moore and executors of
this my last will and testament hereby revoking all former wills
by me made

This the 27 day of June 1835 Signed and Sealed

Attest Joseph G. Smith James McKinney William A. Nesbitt