

At a Court holden at mitcham June 3: 1659

And the said ^{Mr} Tho: Drue
and the said ^{Mr} Nath: - ^{Mr} Tho: Sparrow
Deput ^{Mr} Tho: S. Egge in 8 S. S. H. H. H.

I John Diddall minister so freely & of my own accord
as good will give & bequeath unto John Diddall my grand
child & some of Edward Diddall and buy some felly
of a year or three months old with shall be for his
use with 1 D. with his increase both male & female
for out: Also I give unto him one black two year old
heifer called Roger none miked with a swallow fork &
an under hild on the right side, and a crop off a flit
in the way is an under hild & an under hild in the left
with his increase both male & female for out: Also one
ewe lamb with a black foot miked with the same with
with her increase both male & female for out: And for
the better preserving & guarding & looking to of them &
their increase for the use of my grand child aforesaid
I do hereby constitute & appoint my son Richard Diddall
his father to be his Guardian & overseer, who is hereby
impowered to take care of them for his sons use till
he come to the age of eighteenth years or be married
with shall be sound, and if the stock breeding of the
increase of the said heifer or ewe shall be burthenome
to be kept by reason of their number upon my will &
pleasure, he shall be sold of their increase so many as
he shall conveniently convert into plate for
the use of the said John, & the use of his son, & shall
take him at any time before mentioned, he returning still
six cows & a bull four years or twenty one, if God
shall so bless him to him, as a constant stock
subsisting for his use aforesaid, my son not giving
an acre of the said felly heifer or ewe lamb or their
offspring & increase to any sort or sorts of son or son
with out, not doubting but he will demand himself
consonable, herein for the advantage of the said of his
cowards; And further my will & pleasure is that if my
son Richard Diddall should doget this Country to live
in England & shall so it convenient be carry the same
with him and convert this estate given to him into money
or into for the better advantage thereof. I do hereby assign &
give so to be he taking into hand to my self or my wife

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John Diddall, of her living & give an asset & good estate & thing
heroin & settled for the use of his son as before. But if
Richard Diddall should dye, then I do hereby appoint
Diddall his wife to have & charge of her estate & person, she
giving security by herself or wife if her living, or if
dead to be out of prison for her debts of her lands in kind
to her son at her age & estate, taking only on her estate for
sum of eight hundred pounds of tobacco yearly for his maintenance
& education; Provided that if the said John Diddall my
granted child should dye before the time expressed within
her estate should come into her hands, then I do
give her lands in specie to her next child Sonne or
daughter of my friend Richard Diddall, & in case of
default thereof unto her the said Diddall as my gift
but him, any thing contained herein notwithstanding, shall
for her better assurance hereof I acknowledge this deed in
Sole his first of June 1659

John Diddall

This deed is acknowledged in Sole & third day of
June 1659 & witnessed by 3 records according to
act

John Diddall

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A Comission of admuration is granted to Ellis Warham
writ of the estate of her late husband Geo. Warham
doth she giving caution as is accustomed.

Attached is granted to Capt John Wall agent the estate of
Capt morn Odon for one third of the & all other incident

Mr. Fran. Exr. plant

A Comission of admuration is granted to Robt Francis of
the estate of one John Gibbs doth he giving caution
as is accustomed.

Capt John Wall and David Jones and others: Aston &
Mr. Francis Rodford are required & appointed to appraise
the estate of one John Gibbs doth on the 10th of this instant month.

A Comission of admuration is granted to John
Thompson of the estate of Christo. Greenfield doth
he giving caution as is accustomed.