

KK The last will & testament of Nicholas Ridgell. Bundle N. N. No 20.
In the Name of God Amen. I Nicholas Ridgell of Charleston married
being sick in body but of sound mind and memory do make this my last will
No 20 and testament. And first it is my will and desire that all my just debts be
fully paid and satisfied. All the rest and residue of my estate befalls
whatsoever I give devise and bequeath to my dear loving wife Sarah Ridgell
living in Christ Church in the Highgate Lane. I give house, I hereby
desire and empower Mr Benjamin Redden of Charleston in this
Province Merchants to receive and receipt for her all such wages, debts
or other effects now owing or belonging to me by fresh paying thereof
whatsoever I am indebted in this Province. In witness whereof
I have hereunto set my hand & seal this fifth day of August 1720.
Signed sealed published and declared
by the said Nicholas Ridgell deceased
his last will and testament in the
presence of the said testator.

Henry Turpin - James Turner - Witnesses
17th August 1720

Presently appeared before me Henry Turpin James Turner and John Rose
testify that the subscribers at the time of the said will and testament were
being sworn on the day of the said will and testament and each of them were
present and did see the said will and testament signed sealed
and published and did see the said will and testament to be his last will and
testament and that he read at the time of the said will and testament the same
and understood and understood to the best of these deponents
knowledge and these deponents say that they are lawfully sworn to
their names as witnesses in the presence of the said testator but as
requested.

17th August 1720. Recorded by John Turpin, Secretary
Dr. Middleton

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A.D. 1852.

KK The last will & testament of James Lowmyer. Bundle N. N. No 23.
In the Name of God Amen. I James Lowmyer of Berkeley County
in South Carolina Planter being sick and weak of body but of sound
mind and memory thanks be to God for the same do make this my last
will and testament in manner & form following vizt.
And first I give my body to the earth from whence it came to be
buried in such decency as my friends shall think fit. My immortal soul
to God that gave it in hopes of a blessed resurrection through the merits of
our blessed Redeemer Jesus Christ the Righteous. I give and
bequeath my real and personal estate unto my well beloved wife Elizabeth
Lowmyer and my three children John Lowmyer Elizabeth Lowmyer & Ann

Ann Lowmyer equally to be divided amongst them after my debts and funeral
charges be duly paid. Also my will & pleasure is that my son John Lowmyer
shall be of age at the years of fifteen on the day of marriage and necessary
of my said child should depart this life before they arrive at the
the age of aforesaid that then there or part aforesaid shall be
equally divided between the surviving children aforesaid, & again my
will and pleasure is that when my wife shall depart this life in any that
then that share of land that cometh hers before bequeathed shall come
and be divided to my surviving children to be equally divided amongst them
as aforesaid. And lastly I appoint and desire my beloved friend John
Brown of Berkeley County Planter to have my whole & sole executor of this
my last will and testament to have the aforesaid John Brown
should depart this life before the debts and necessary matters are
adjusted & discharged that he the said Brown may then nominate
one or more who shall think fit.

Signed sealed published and declared in presence of
James Turner - Henry Turpin
17th September 1720

James Lowmyer

Presently appeared before me James Turner and John Rose jur who
are the law subscribers witnesses to the aforesaid will & being
sworn on the day of the said will and testament they were present and did see James
Lowmyer the testator sign seal publish and declare the above and within
testament as used in his last will and testament & that at the time of
the said will and testament he the said James Lowmyer was of sound
disposing mind memory and understanding to the best of these depo-
nents knowledge and the said deponents further say that they did at
the said time subscribe their names as witnesses in the presence of
the said testator and at his request.

17th 1720 Recorded by John Turpin

Dr. Middleton

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KK The last will and testament of John Bayden. Bundle N. N. No 28.
In the Name of God Amen. I John Bayden
of Charleston Planter being in perfect health and sound mind and
memory thanks be to God for the same. I do make constitute and ordain
this my last will and testament in manner and form following
that is to say first and foremost I recommend my soul to God that
gave it hoping that through the merits of the death passion of my Lord &
Saviour Jesus Christ that out of his great mercy through his will forgive
me my sins and make me happy in his Kingdom. Next I recommend
my body to the earth from whence it came to be decently buried at the
discretion of my friends hereafter named, and after my debts and