

John Grimball dec'd: Will (the bundle) DD. N. 13

In the Name of God Amen the Eleuen day of february
y^e 2^d Year of our Lord 1723. John Grimball of Charles City in South
Carolina hatter, being very sick and weak in body but of perfect mind &
memory thanks be to God, therefore calling to mind the mortality of my
body and knowing that it is appointed for ^{me} Men once to dy do make
his own this my last Will and Testament: that is to say principally
first of all I give and bequeath my soul into y^e hands of God that gave
it, hoping through the merits death and passion of my Saviour Jesus
Christ to have full and free pardon and forgiveness of all my sins and to
inherit Everlasting life and my body I commit to y^e Earth to be decently buried
at the discretion of my Executor hereafter named nothing doubting but at y^e
general resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty power of
God and as touching such worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to
bless me in this Life, I give, devise and dispose of y^e same in the following
manner and form that is to say: First I will that all those debts due
dues as I do owe in right or conscience to any manner of person or person
what soever shall be well and truly paid and paid or ordered to be
paid in convenient time after my decease by my Executor hereafter named
Item I name and choose and ordain Mr. James Ellis Chapmanier of
Charles City my sole Executor of all my goods and chattels
Item I give and bequeath unto Benjamin Child that maker in parts
City all my working tools and in case my son, Samuel or my son John
Grimball cometh over to South Carolina ^{he is} ~~and Benjamin Child~~ he is
to teach him y^e trade of hat making

Item I give and bequeath to Mr. James David, glower one gold ring and
Elbow Chair and one cloth stool
Item in case my son Samuel or son John come or should not come
within one Year and a day after y^e date hereof I order that they shall
have but one shilling a piece but in case any one come within y^e time
they shall have all my state whatsoever belong or shall belong to
me here of ^{and in case they both come they shall share half to one and}
the other half to y^e other and in case neither of y^e should not come I
give and bequeath all what shall or both now belong to me to my Exe-
cutors James Ellis of Charles City.

John Grimball (Seal)

Signed Sealed published
pronounced and declared by y^e said
John Grimball as his last Will &
Testament in the presence of us
subscribers
Mr. John Grimball Will

James Child. Allen Bergen. (Caudius fauor)

In Council April y^e 4th 1723
The foregoing Will was then proved by the Oaths of Isaac Child Allen Bergen
Caudius fauor Witnesses thereto & Letters Testamentary granted to Mr. James
Ellis

Ellis Executor therein appointed to whom the Executor's Oath was now
administered. Test. Wm Tunley Cl. Sec.
Recorded April 6th 1723 p. Mr. Hart Secy

South Carolina: Francis Nicholson Esq: His Maj^{ty}
Capt. General and Governor in Chief of this
His Majesty's Province and Ordinary of
the same.

(Seal)

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting.

Know ye That on the Fourth day of April in the Year of
Our Lord One Thousand Seven hundred and Twenty Three at Charles
City in the Province aforesaid before in Council the last Will and Testament
of John Grimball late of Berkley County in the said Province deceased y^e
Copy whereof is to these presents annexed was proved, approved and allowed
of: the said deceased having whilt he lived, and at the time of his death
owned goods, rights and credits within the Province aforesaid; by means
whereof the approbation and allowing of his Testament, and the power of
granting the administration of all and singular the goods, rights and credits
of the said deceased, and also the auditing the account, calculations and
reckonings of the said administration, and the final dismissal and
discharge from the same to me is manifestly known to belong, and y^e
the administration of all and singular the goods, rights and credits of y^e
said deceased, and his said Testament any manner of way concerning was
committed unto James Ellis named Executor in the said Will and Testam-
being first sworn on the holy Evangelists well and faithfully to administer
the same, and to make a full and perfect Inventory of all and singular the
goods, rights and credits of the said deceased, and to exhibit the same unto
the Secretary's Office at Charles City at or before the fourth day of July
next ensuing, and to render a true and just account, calculation and
reckoning thereof when thereunto required.

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and Seal the said Fourth day of April, Anno Domini
1723, and in the Ninth Year of His Maj^{ty} Reign.
Fr: Nicholson

Recorded April 6th 1723 p. Mr. Hart Secy

South Carolina

By His Excellency Francis Nicholson
Esq. His Majesty's Capt. General and Governor
in Chief of this Province, and Ordinary of

These are to authorize and empower You whose names
are hereunder written to repair to such parts and places within that
part of this Province that lies from Cape Fear South and West as You
shall be directed unto by Mr. James Ellis, Sole Executor of the last Will
and Testament of John Grimbale late of this Province deceased, where
ever any of the goods of the said deceased are do remain within the said
parts and places, which shall be shewn to you by the said James Ellis
and there view and appraise all and every the said goods; being first
sworn on the holy Evangelists to make a full and perfect Inventory &
appraisement thereof and to return the same under your hands (or of
any three of you) into the Secretary's Office at Charles City, at or
before the fourth day of July next ensuing.

To Mr. Thos. Greenleaf,
Mr. Daniel Townsend,
Mr. Thos. Carmichael,
Mr. Cornelius Batstone,
Mr. Fran. Gratias

Dated this Fourth day of April Anno Dom.
1723, & in the Ninth Year of His Majesty's Reign
Hr. Nicholson

or any three of them, These.

By His Excellency's Command, Char. Hart, Secy

Recorded April 6th 1723 p. Char. Hart Secy

South Carolina

Francis Nicholson Esq. His Majesty's
Capt. General and Governor in Chief in
and over His Majesty's Province of South
Carolina, and Ordinary of the same.

To All To whom these presents shall come; Greeting

Know Ye That Whereas Martha Guerard, a Minor, aged
seventeen years, and upwards, did by her Petition preferred to me
Council, on the sixth day of this instant April pray for
reasons therein contained That Mr. Thomas Clifton who
is willing to take into his care the Charge and Management
of the said Minor's Estate) may be appointed her Guardian
Therefore for the better securing of the Estate, and for the
more careful maintenance and Education of the said
Martha Guerard Infant Orphan and Child of John
Guerard late of this Province Merchant deceased and of
Martha

Martha Clifton her late Guardian deceased, out of
the wisdom, integrity and uprightness of
him the said Thomas Clifton the Petitioner's Guardianship and
Education of the said Martha Guerard which the said
Thomas Clifton I do commit, do him the said Thomas Clifton
Guardian and Father of the said Martha Guerard do by these
presents make and Ordain, hereby charging him that he
maintain her in meat, drink, washing, lodging, schooling,
clothing) and good Education, as may be fitting to her degree
and quality during the time she shall be under his Tutor-
and Guardianship, or during the time of her Minority,
and that he do inquire into, and take care and charge
of the Estate of the said Martha Guerard both real and
personal, and do all the things as a Guardian by Law may
or can do, and a true and faithful Account of the Goods, lands
money belonging to the said Martha Guerard, which shall
come to his hands he is to render when he shall be thereunto
required, by such Guardians and Guardians as shall be
chosen by the said Martha Guerard, or to the said Martha
when she shall come to full age to demand and receive the
same by Law.

Witness under my hand and Seal the Eighth
day of April in the Ninth Year of His Majesty's
Reign Anno Dom. 1723

Hr. Nicholson
Recorded April 9th 1723 p. Char. Hart Secy

Coll. Alexander Mackey's Will (vide bundle) DD, N. 14.

The last Will & Testament of Coll. Alexander Mackey
In the Name of God Amen I being of a sound
minded memory & understanding I first bequeath my Soul to God
hoping through the merits of Jesus Christ for Eternal Salvation.
I give & bequeath unto Alexander MacIntosh, y. Son of William
MacIntosh my Island call by the name of Onalanga or
Mackey's Island. I give and bequeath unto John Wallis and
Henry Custon my Negro Men Names Jimbo for the space of ten
years after my decease, and after the aforesaid term is expired then the
aforesaid Negro Man to be set free to do and act for himself as
he shall think proper. 4th I give and bequeath unto my Wife.

An old Rope and hyde	£. 10.
21 glass bottles	1. 06.3
Earthen, Tin and glass ware	3.
puter ware	4. 10.
old knives and forks	10.
one Chest	1. 10.
an old Trunk	10.
A Bell	10.
Sundry	17. 6
an old Chest	05.
a looking glass	06.3
a few old small books	07. 6
a set of Calicoe Curtains	12. 08.9
4 old sheets	1. 15.
two old ditto	2. 17. 6
old lining	2. 15.
15 pound of tallow	1. 10.
one bay horse named Tollyboy	25.
one Roan Horse	8.
Carried over £96. 16. 11	Brought over £96. 16.
Sundry Cooper Tools	1. 17. 6
2 old Hammers and Irons	1. 05.
1 hammer 20" & 2 old drawing knives	1. 15.
a heading knife	12. 6
old axes	1. 05.
7 hogs	10.
a parcel Rice Chiefly Buff Rice	42. 10.
3 wedges and a Coopers Grefet	2. 04.
an iron Trammel	1. 03.
2 iron pots and pot hooks	6. 12. 6
abamp Shille	07. 6
3 shiles	15.
an earthen pot and jugg	17. 6
a small frying pan	12. 6
4 old Boots	1. 15.
17 head of Neat Cattle	51.
an half share in a Cart and Wheels	5.
8 Rice barrels	4.
an half share in an old plough	07. 6
2 guns	7. 10.
a Stone Ring and a set of buttons	5.
Sundry goods	5. 10.
Sundry ditto	17. 6
an old puter bason	07. 6
old puter 7 1/2 & an old saddle & bridle	7. 02. 6
old boots	1. 05.
old lining Cloaths	6. 05.
Sundry Cloaths	8.
old stockings	1.
more old thing	3. 10.
	old

Old Muslin	£. 15.
a Druggist Coat and Breaches	10.
Siders	1. 11.
old Cloaths & hat one profs Cut, Law and 2 wedges	9. 05.
Sundry other goods	6. 12. 6
a parcel of Corn in the hush	35.
1 Negro Man named Jimmy	200.
1 African Man named Will	100.
1 Negro woman & two small Children	150.
Carried forward £519. 15. 6	Brought forward £519. 15. 6
one iron pot	6. 05.
26 Rice Barrels	13.
Sundry	1. 05.
Cash	5.
	£845. 05. 6
according to the Judgment of us the appraisers.	
Josiah Cogood Joseph Smith Job Chamberlin	
(Invoiced on the Warrant of Appraisement annexed to the foregoing Inventory and appraisement)	
South Carolina Memorandum That on this present Twenty	
Eighth day of March Anno Domini 1723 personally came and appeared	
before me Thomas Waring Esq ^r , one of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace for	
the County of Berkeley Joseph Smith, Josiah Cogood and Job Chamberlin	
being three of the appraisers appointed in and by the within	
Warrant of appraisement, and were sworn by me to make a full and	
perfect Inventory and appraisement of all such goods belonging to	
Samuel Sumner late deceased, as should be shewn to them by Mess ^{rs}	
Joseph Sumner and Roger Sumner Administrators of the goods	
rights and Credits of the said deceased, or either of them, and to make	
due return of the same, into The Secretary's Office.	
Iurat Coram me Tho: Waring	
Recorded June 7 th 1723 of Car: Hart Secy	
John Grimbball died Inventory & returned of the Appraisers June 8 th 1723	
(vide bundle) DD N ^o 20.	
South Carolina A True and perfect Inventory and appraisement of all	
and singular the goods of John Grimbball late dec ^d , as they were shewn by	
James Ellis Executor of the last Will and Testament of the said dec ^d , unto us	
appraisers Impovered by and sworn pursuant to a Warrant of appraisement	
herunto an nard, bearing date the fourth day of April 1723, under the hand	
of His Excellency the Governour, taken the sixth day of May Anno Domini	
1723; Impr ^{ss} To 1 Sorenore	
To some hatbands and 3 pieces Cat guls	
To 4 doz of hat buttons an old lace	
£. 10.	
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To 2 pieces of Verdigrise & a silver but 8 1/2	15.
To 2 looking glasses	3.
To 1 new hat not finished	3.
To 1 Perinigg	1. 10.
To 1 Durag Coat	8.
To 1 brass kettle and 2 old iron pots	3.
To some old lumber w th a piece of Logwood & grindstone	2.
To 2 old pails a bucket and Spade	12. 6.
To 1 old sword and Cartidge box	1. 05.
To 5 lb of beaver skins at 10 s ^{ts}	2. 10.
To 1 old Cotton hammock	1. 10.
To 2 old Rugs	2.
To 2 spits	1. 10.
To a Case of Pistols and holsters old	2. 10.
To three small Urns two old	8.
To 1 feather bed bolster and two pillows	20.
To 1 old small ditto and bolster	5.
To 1 old oymbrige atto and two bolsters	2.
To 1 Cott bottomed with a Cow's hide	1.
To a large beestead	2. 10.
To 2 old bibles	2.

Brought over from the other Side	85. 12. 6.
To an old Saddle and 2 ^d Saddle	85. 12. 6.
To a stand for a Book	15.
To a pair of Sheets and two Table Cloths	15.
To 3 large Course Towels	2. 10.
To 2 p ^{ts} of old leather Stockings & 3 of gloves	15.
To 5 p ^{ts} of breeches and 4 waste Coats linen	1. 10.
To an old Coat waste Coat and breeches	5.
To 2 p ^{ts} of leather breeches	2. 10.
To 1 Bear Skin, at	2.
To 2 old white linen shorts	10.
To a turtle net, about 30 fathom	1. 10.
To 8 plates 2 small Dishes bason quat	3.
To an old kettle 2 ^d frying pan and p ^{ts} of Plates	4.
To a Trivet old iron and trammels	2.
To a pair of fire dogs	3.
To 1 auger & curvy Combs a trap Candle stick	3. 10.
To a brass Shimmer Candle stick and some Copperas	1. 10.
To 3 knives & forks, a pepper box & Mustard pots, a box and wooden bowl	2.
To an old salt cellar	12. 6.
To a sign of bellows a lantern pudding pan	2.
To an old Cutlash and 2 wedges	10.
To an old Chest pine	2.
To 5 1/2 pounds of fur at 2 10 s ^{ts} lb	13.
To an oval Table, old	6.
To 5 old bush Engins pictures	2.
To 2 pairs of hanging glass some copper	10.

To an old Saff	1. 10.
To a pillow bear with some flower	12. 6.
To a Mare Saddle and bridle, at	18.
An Acc ^t of the book debts in said Grimball's Books	84. 10.
To a Note from Thomas Chambers of L ^{ro}	85. 12. 6.
To a ditto from Edward Davis of	170. 02. 6.
To a ditto of Jonathan Daniel	
To 2 Book Debts of sundry persons	

Daniel Townsend, Cornelius Patton, Francis Gracia
 (Indorsed on the Warrant of appraisment annexed to the foregoing
 Inventory and Appraisment)
 South Carolina Memorandum, That on this present, Sixth day of
 May Anno Domi 1723, personally came and appeared before me, John
 Barkdale Esq^r, one of His Majesty's Justices of peace for Berkley County
 Daniel Townsend, Cornelius Patton, Francis Gracia, being three of the
 Appraisers appointed in and by the within Warrant of appraisment, and
 were sworn before me John Barkdale Esq^r to make a full and
 perfect Inventory and Appraisment of all such goods belonging to, John
 Grimball dec^d, as should be shewn to them by James Ellis Executor of
 the last Will and Testament of the said deceased, and to make due return
 of the same. Jurat Coram me J^o & Anno Supradictⁱ.
 John Barkdale.

Recorded June 8th 1723. p^r Cor: Hart Stry

Thomas Stewart dec^d, Inventory and appraisment, Returned, June 11th 1723.
 p^r me Appraisers (vide bundle) DD. V. 33.

(Indorsed on the Warrant of Appraisment) Vth.
 South Carolina Memorandum, That on this present, Seventh
 day of June Anno Domini 1723, personally came and appeared before me
 John Barkdale Esq^r, one of His Majesty's Justices of peace for
 Berkley County, Thomas Bee, John Bean and John Smith being three
 of the Appraisers appointed in and by the within Warrant of appraisment
 and were sworn on the holy Evangelist of Almighty God to make a full
 and perfect Inventory and appraisment of all such goods belonging to
 Thomas Stewart late deceased as should be shewn to them by Anne
 Stewart Executrix of the last Will and Testament of the said deceased, and
 to make due return of the same
 Jurat Coram Me John Barkdale.
 Thomas Bee made Affirmation according to the form of his profess