

(Indorsed on the Warrant of appraisement, annexed to the foregoing, Inv^{to})

South Carolina

Memorandum That on this present Eighteenth day of May Anno Domⁱ 1722, personally came and appeared before me Thomas Barkdale Esq^r, one of His Majesty's Justices of Peace for Berkley County, John Evans, James Gile, Oliver Spencer, being three of the Appraisers appointed in and by the within Warrant of Appraisement and were sworn on the Holy Evangelists to make a full and perfect Inventory and appraisement of all such goods belonging to Sarah Rousier late deceased, as should be shown to them by Sarah Rousier and Mary Rousier, Executrices of the last Will and Testament of the said deceased, or either of them, and to make due return of the same. Tunat Coram Me Thomas Barkdale.

Recorded May 20th 1723 p^r Char: Hart Secy

(Indorsed on the Will of Mr. John Guerard, which was Recorded the 25th of August 1714, Vis^{to}.) Mr. John Guerard's Will (Vide bundle) DD^{to} 26

At a Council held at the Council Chamber in Charles City 8th May y^r 1723.

Present His Exc^{ty} & The Gov^r &c

On The Return of the Citation issued on the Petition of Benjamin Godin Esq^r, Surviving Executor of the last Will and Testament of John Guerard late of Charles Town now Charles City attested by A. Garden Minister, Orders That Letters Testamentary on the said Will be prepared against to Morrow according to the Conditions in the said Petition mentioned. Th^o Wm Tunley Esq^r Con^l

Recorded May 24th 1723

Char: Hart Secy

Oath administered in Council to Benjamin Godin Esq^r.

You shall swear That You believe this to be the last Will and Testament of the Deceased, and that You will pay all the Debts and Legacies of the Deceased not yet paid by any of the other Executors mentioned in the said Will so far as the goods which shall come to your hands or power will extend and Law shall bind You, and that You will cause all the said goods to be appraised and make a true and perfect Inventory of the said goods (at a day appointed by the Ordinary) and likewise a just and true account of the said goods when You shall be thereto be lawfully called.

In Council May the 9th 1723, read and approved. To help You God.

Entered May 24th 1723, p^r Char: Hart Secy

South Carolina

Francis Nicholson Esq^r His Majesty's Capt^l General and Governour 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 on the Twentieth day of August in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Seven hundred and Fourteen, in the Province aforesaid, the last Will, Testament and Codicil of John Guerard dec^d, the copy whereof is to these presents annexed, was proved, approved and allowed of, before and by the hon^{ble} Charles Craven Esq^r then Governour and Ordinary of the said Province (as it appears by the indorsement on the Original Will, and the Entry and Records thereof in the Secretary's Office of the said Province) the said deceased having whilst he lived, and at the time of his death, debts, goods, rights and credits within the Province aforesaid. But Whereas The Executors named in the said Will and Testament declined or otherwise neglected to take upon the burthen and Execution of the said Will, And Benjamin Godin Esq^r the only surviving Executor having on the Twenty fourth day of April last past represented the same to me in Council, and likewise That he is willing to take upon him the burthen and Execution of the said Will, Testament and Codicil, by means whereof the allowing of the same, 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 accounts, calculations and reckonings of the said administration, and the final dimission and discharge from the same to me being now manifestly known to belong, Therefore The administration of all and singular the goods, rights and credits of the said deceased, &c, his Testament and Codicil any manner of way concerning was committed unto the said Benjamin Godin Esq^r the only surviving Executor named in the said Will and Testament, being first sworn on the Holy Evangelists 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 (which shall come to his hands or power) and to exhibit y^e same into the Secretary's Office at Charles City and Port, at or before y^e Twentieth day of August next ensuing, and to render a just and true account, calculation and reckoning thereof when thereunto required.

Certified for me / In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and sealed the Twentieth day of May, in the Ninth Year of His Majesty's Reign Annoq^{uo} Domⁱ 1723

Recorded May 24th 1723 p^r Char: Hart Secy

South Carolina

By His Excellency Francis Nicholson Esq^r
His Majesty's Cap^t. General and Governour in
Chief of this Province, and Ordinary of the same

These are to authorize and empower you whose names are here under-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 Benj^t. Godin Esq^r, Executor of the last Will and Testament of Jeremiah Cogswell late of this Province dec^d, whosoever any of the goods of the said deceased are or do remain within the said parts and places which shall be shown to you by the said Benj^t. Godin Esq^r, 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 and appraisement thereof, and to return the same under your hands (or of any three of you) into the Secretary's Office at Charles City, on or before the sixteenth day of August next ensuing.

Dated this sixteenth day of May Anno Domⁱ 1723.

and in the Ninth Year of His Majesty's Reign.

Cap^t. Anthony Mathews, Sen^r.

Jfr. Nicholson

Thomas Barton Esq^r.

M^r. Elihu Proseau, Cap^t, John Carwood, and M^r. James St. Julien or any three of them, These

By His Excellency's Command, Charles B. Hart Secy.

Recorded May 24th 1723 p^r Cap^t. Hart Secy.

M^r. Jeremiah Cogswell's Inventory and Appraisement, returned May 27th 1723, p^r M^r. Mary Cogswell (Vide bundle) DD N^o 27.

South Carolina

A True and perfect Inventory and Appraisement of all singular the goods of Jeremiah Cogswell late deceased, as they were shown by Mary Cogswell, Universal Legatee named in the Nuncupative Will of the said deceased unto us the appraisers empowered by and sworn pursuant to a Warrant of Appraisement hereunto annexed, bearing date the 1st day of April 1723, under the hand of His Excellency The Governour, Taken May 3rd 27th Anno Domⁱ 1723.

Impr^d. To one small bed one pair of Sheets, bolster and pelors } L^{ts} 8.
one set of Curtains all old
To one old oval Table 4.
To one small ditto 1. 10.
To a parcel of old Bloths sold 20.
To one Cedar Chest 4.
To two small old Tables 3.
To one bed, bedstead, one bolster two pillows and old quilt at 15.
To one small Sea Bed 3.

To one square Table and old Box L^{ts} 3.
To one old Bedstead and old blew bed and Rug 3.
To a parcel of old pewter 5.
To three old knives and forks 65.
To one pair of Dogs and Trivet 2.
To three pots and one pair of tongs 3.
To one old Corn Mill 4.
To eighteen old Chairs 6. 35.
To two small looking glasses 2.
To one pair of pistols 4.

W^m. Harvey. John Boyden. George Ducat L^{ts} 25. 30.

(Indorsed on the Warrant of appraisement annexed to the foregoing Inventory and appraisement. V^{er}o.

South Carolina Memorandum, That on the present Twelfth

Seventh day of May Anno Domⁱ 1723 personally came and appeared before me M^r. James Boyden, W^m. Harvey & George Ducat

One of His Majesty's Justices of Peace for Berkeley County, being three of the Appraisers appointed in and by the within Warrant of appraisement, and were, to make a full and perfect Inventory and appraisement of all such goods belonging to Jeremiah Cogswell late deceased as should be shown to them by M^r. Mary Cogswell, Universal Legatee named in y^r. Nuncupative Will of the said deceased, and to make due return of the same

Surat Coram M^r. Alexander Harris.

Recorded May 27th 1723 p^r Cap^t. Hart Secy.

John Simmons dec^d, Inventory and appraisement, returned June 6th 1723 p^r M^r. Joseph Smith (vide bundle) DD N^o 28.

South Carolina A True and perfect Inventory and appraisement of all and singular the goods of John Simmons late dec^d as they were shown by Rebecca Simmons and Joseph Sumner (Sons of the said deceased) Executors of the last Will and Testament of the said deceased, unto us the appraisers empowered by and sworn pursuant to a Warrant of appraisement hereunto annexed, bearing date the seventh day of March 1723, under the hand of His Excellency The Governour, Taken the twenty ninth day of March Anno Domⁱ 1723, valued at the rate of Price at 40 p^r Cent.

Impr^d. 6 Chairs L^{ts} 4. 10.
5 ditto 2. 05.
a Table 1. 05.
a box iron 10.
a grid iron and Tong 12. 6
an old Chest 1.
household timmer 10. 19.
46 head of cattle 135.

Received of *Edmund Bellinger* *Surrogate of the Court* *the sum of* *Five Hundred* *and* *no* *cents* *for* *the* *use* *of* *the* *County* *of* *Jefferson* *the* *15* *th* *of* *August* *1823* *J. C. Hest* *Secy*

South Carolina Memorandum That on the present being Ninth
day of May Anno Domini 1773, personally came and appeared before me
Jm^{ts} De la Conche Esq^r one of His Majesty's Justices of Peace for
Berkley County, Mr^r Anthony Mathews, Thomas Barton and John
Caywood, being three of the Appraisers appointed in and by the within
Warrant of Appraisement, and were sworn on the holy Evangelists to make
a full and perfect Inventory and Appraisement of all such goods belonging
to John Guerard late deceased, as should be shewn to them by Benjamin
Godin.

Carden Esq. Executor of the last Will and Testament of the said
and to make the return of the same. In Witness Whereof

South Carolina

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of and under the power of Mr. John Gordon late of the
more shown by Benjamin Gordon Esq. only surviving Executor of the
last Will and Testament of the said deceased, under the authority
imposed by and more pursuant to a Warrent of the Honourable
House of Assembly, bearing date the Twentieth day of May, under the
hand of His Excellency the Governor, taken the Thirtieth day of June
James Murchison Agent Domestic 1720

Import for Maps

20 framed Pictures with Frames
26 ditto without frames
16 of Prints to 1 odd
2 pair white saltire curtains
2 pair strip Holland window curtains & valances
10 paper napkins
12 ditto Toppes
2 Damask ditto
10 buckabach Table Cloths
6 fine Draper Napkins
12 ditto
24 buckabach napkins at 776 each
4 damask Table Cloths at 307
3 damask ditto 3 large 12 small
10 coarse damask napkins
10 red french ditto
2 pair small 1/2 half sheets
1 pillow counter pane
1 cotton Hammock
3 old pillows
1 pt. buckabach, qt. 12 1/2 Tabling at 1500
2 pt. ditto Naphering qt. 35 yards at 1/2 pt.
Dell, via

2 pair white
1 pair New 200 yds. & 100 yds
3 yards new Tick
1 pair silk quilt
2 pair
1 black & white window curtains

Carried Over

£ 250. 06. 1/2

Inventory Continued & Brought over

7 white Blankets
6 old Quits
4 Father's Bed
2 Bedding
2 Mattresses
5 Pillows to one little one
1 Bedstead with stuff curtains & valances
1 Bedstead with stuff curtains & valances
1 Bedstead with blue curtains
1 large Carpet
1 Old Bedstead & curtains
1 Chest of Drawers
1 Dish
4 square Cedar Tables
1 large oval ditto
1 square oak ditto
2 Japanese Tea Tables
1 small square Oak ditto
1 hanging looking glass
1 Table looking glass
6 black cane Chairs
1 ditto Elbow
1 ditto good cane Chairs
2 ditto Elbow
31 odd Chairs
1 little round Oak Tea Table
1 large round, dogs, 12 grate trap for a Chimney
3 pt. iron dogs qt. 1/2 at 3/4 pt.
1 steel Mill for Corn
1 Dito for Coffee
1 large iron pot
1 middling ditto
1 small ditto
1 large trap kettle qt. 5 1/2 at 1/6 pt.
1 small ditto qt. 12 at 1/6 pt.
1 large Trivet
6 Smoothing irons
1 iron dressing pan
1 pot hanger 25 hooks
1 flesh Fork

Carried forward

£ 635. 12. 6

Inventory Continued & brought forward *£ 63. 12. 6*

1 Chopping knife	6
1 Hatchet	10
1 Copper pot & Skillet	10
1 Jugum vltæ Mortar	10
1 Marble Ditt	2. 10
1 brass ditto & pestle	12. 6
1 brass Hammer and ladle	1. 10
1 Large Grater	10
13 Tins	1. 10
13 Earthen Pans, say Earthen Ware	5
16 pewter dishes	
1 8. Bidon & basin	
17 ditto plates	
10 Ditto basins mounted	26. 02
1 large funnel	6
1 Tin Cake pans	
1 ditto pudding pan	
3 Cane Pans	10
1 Pew. Tub	1. 10
75 brass scales 14, 7, 2, 1, 2 1/2 - weights	2. 10
1 Glass Pan and Box	1. 10
1 Gallon pot	1. 10
1 3 pint pot	
1 Center Chamber Pot	1. 14. 4 1/2
1 Iron Thimble	02
1 dark lantern	4
1 Copper Coffee pot	10
1 Iron Dish Ring	10
1 ditto plate warmer	2. 10
2 Copper Stoves & covers	12
1 ditto preserving pan	2. 10
1 Iron Kettle	1. 10
1 Tin pail	01
3 James Tins & 3 short sashes	1. 17. 6
3 glass milk milk bottles	10
1 Barber's Block	10
1 1/2 other articles	05

Carried Over *£ 705. 13. 2 1/2*

Inventory Continued & Brought over *£ 705. 13. 2 1/2*

1 Parcel of Peoples Tools	6
1 Tanning press	6
1 Musquet	1
1 Vase	1
2 Japan hand Tea Tables	10
pair of Staircase	1
Case with 2 large bowls & small	17
17 Iron Cannons	
6 iron backs for Chimneys 27 th at 3/4 p lb	16. 02
1 parcel of ironing clothes	1
1 box of square panels of Glass of 133 panes at 2/6	15. 07. 6
1 pair Quarters	2
17 02. 7. 2 6 grains of Silver plate at 25 p oz	44. 02. 8
1 square Cedar Table	6
1 Couch	1
1 Couch	1
2 Chairs	1
1 Sauce Pan & Skillet	05
1 warming pan	1
1 pair Shoes	05
One Negro Man named J. J. J.	100
one ditto named J. J. J.	100
one ditto	100
one ditto	100
one ditto Woman	100
1 small's Windsor Curbs & 2 Valises	20
1 Old pewter	17. 12. 6

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Recorded August 22. 1723 of Court. Past Rich

South Carolina
James Nicholson Esq. His Majesty's
Comptroller of the Treasury in Chief of this
Province, His Majesty's Attorney and Ordinary of the same
To Thomas Godfrey
Whereas Thomas Godfrey Esq. late of Beaufort County in
the Province of South Carolina, lately died intestate, leaving behind him
and at the time of his death, seven sons, rights and credits within this Province
afforded, by means whereof the full disposition and power of granting them
administration of all and singular his rights and credits of himself
Thomas Godfrey deceased, and also the auditing of the accounts, calculations and
reconciling of the aforesaid Administration, and a final dispensation of the
same to me is manifestly known to belong, I bearing that his goods, rights &
credits which were of the said deceased may be well and truly administered.

South Carolina / Francis Nicholson Esq^r. His
Majesty's Capt. General and Governour
in Chief in and over His Majesty's Province
of South Carolina, and Ordinary of Justice

To all to Whom these Presents shall come, Greeting

Know ye, That Thomas John Guerard, a Minor, aged
Sixteen Years, did by his Petition preferred to me in Council, on the last
day of this instant April, pray, for the reasons therein set forth, that
Benjamin Godin Esq^r, (who is willing to take into his care the charges
management of the said Minor's Estate) may be appointed his Guardian.
Therefore for the better securing of the Estate, and for the more careful
maintenance and Education of the said John Guerard, Infant, Orphan
and Child of John Guerard, late of this Province, Merch^t, dec^d, and of
Martha Clifford, his late Guardian, dec^d, out of the confidence of the
wisdom, integrity and uprightness of him the said Benjamin Godin, of
his tuition, guardianship and Education of the said Guerard Minor to him, y.
said Benjamin Godin, I do commit, and turn the said Benjamin Godin
Guardian and Tutor of the said John Guerard. Do, by these presents
make and ordain; hereby charging him the said Benjamin Godin,
that he do maintain the said Minor in Meat, Drink, Lodging,
Schooling, cloathing and good Education as may be fitting to his degree
and quality, during the time he shall be under his tuition and Guardian-
ship, or during the time of his minority, and that he do inquire into
and take care and charge of the Estate of the Minor aforesaid, both Real
and Personal, and do all other things as a Guardian by Law may com-
mand to do; and a true and faithful account of the Goods and monies
belonging to the said John Guerard, Minor, which shall come to the
hands of him the said Benjamin Godin, he is to render when he shall
be thereto required by such Guardian and Guardians as shall be chosen
by the said John Guerard, or to the said John Guerard, when he shall
come to full age to demand and receive the same by Law.

Certified to me.
Chas. Hart Secy

Given under my hand and Seal the lastenth
day of April in the Ninth Year of His Majesty
Prayer, Annoq. Domini 1723

Fr. Nicholson p.

Recorded April 16th 1723 J. Hart. Secy

Dorothy Cyle dec^d. Inventory and appraisement, returned April 15th 1723 p.
Paul Hamilton, an Executor (See bundle) DD 51. 17

South Carolina / A True and perfect Inventory and appraisement of all and
singular the goods of Dorothy Cyle late deceased, as they were shown by Paul
Hamilton and John Sims Executors of the last Will and Testament of the
said deceased, unto us the Appraisers empowered by and sworn pursuant to a
Warrant of appraisement herunto annexed, bearing date the seventh day of
February 1722, under the hand of His Excellency The Governour, taken the
Nineteenth day of February Anno Dom. 1722

Imprimis To Cash

£. 12. 10. 8¹/₂

To a parcel of old Books

1. 10. —

To one old Negro Man named Jumbo

2. —

To one old Negro Man named Mingo

6. —

To one old Negro woman named Abellah

7. —

To one young negro man named Sampson

250. —

To one young negro man named Rufus

220. —

To one middle aged Indian man named Cupitt

60. —

To one mustee boy named Ned

120. —

To three eggs and small

47. 02. 0

To nineteen head of cattle bigg and small

30. —

To one doⁿ of puter plates

5. —

To ten puter spoons

12. 6

To three old puter porringers

07. 6

To one old puter dish

14. —

To one old brass kettle

4. —

To four reapi hoochs

1. 05. —

To one box iron and heaters

2. 16. 8

To two pott hangers

2. 05. —

To two ox chains

15. —

To one drawing knife

1. 05. —

To two broad hoes

02. —

To one candle stick and save all

Carry Over £ 776. 05. 10

To one old gun

07. 6

To one slate beam & weights

10. 6

To one marking iron

00. 7¹/₂

To one old Chest of drawers & spice box

2. 10. —

To one grind stone

1. 10. —

To one iron Mill

6. —

To two iron wedges

6. 07. —

To two old iron pott and pott hoochs

2. —

To sixteen bushells of Indian peas

8. —

To eleven glass bottles

12. 6

To one brand iron

12. 6

To one old spinning wheel

1. 05. —

To two