

South Carolina

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

These are to authorize and empower you when necessary  
hereunder written, to repair to all such parts and places within this Province  
as you shall be directed unto by Katherine Lawrence and John White or either  
of them Executors of the last Will and Testament of John Nutting deceased  
of this Province, who whosoever any of the goods of the said deceased  
do remain within the said parts and places, which shall be shown to you by  
the said Katherine Lawrence and John White or either of them, and there  
upon and appraise all and every the said goods, being first sworn on the  
soley oaths to make a full and perfect Inventory and appraisment  
thereof, and to return or cause the same to be returned, under your hands  
(or of any three of you) into the Secretary's Office at Charles Town, near  
before the Sabbath day of March next ensuing.

To Mr. Geo. Benson, Dated this Tenth day of December, Anno Dom: 1723.  
Mr. Joshua Wicks, and in the Tenth Year of His Majesty's Reign. e 2  
Mr. Nath: White,  
Mr. John Bennett &  
Mr. John Barton, or any three of them; These  
By His Excellency's Command, Char: Hart Secy  
Recorded Dec: 7. 1723 of Char: Hart Secy

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Francis Nicholson Esq. His Majesty's Capt.  
General and Governour in Chief of this His Majesty's  
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To Henry Parsons and John White, Greeting.

Whereas Jonas Nutting late of Berkeley County in this Province  
deceased, having what he loved and at the time of his death  
divers goods, rights and credits within this Province aforesaid, by means whereof a  
full dispensation and power of granting the administration of all and singular the  
goods, rights and debts of the said Jonas Nutting deceased, and also the settling of  
the accounts, calculations and reckonings of the aforesaid administration, and a  
full dispensation of the same to me it manifestly appears to belong, I desiring that you  
upon, rights and credits which were of the said deceased, may be well and truly  
administered, converted and disposed of, you are, Do hereby grant unto you the  
said Henry Parsons and John White (in whose fidelity in this behalf I have much  
confidence) full power, by the tenour of these presents, to administer the goods, rights  
and credits of the said deceased, which to him in his life time, and at the time of  
his decease he belong, and to ask, collect, levy, and receive the same, and to pay  
the debts in which the said deceased stand obliged, so far forth as the said goods, rights &  
credits will amount, according to their rate and order of Law, being first sworn on  
the soley oaths of Almighty God, to make a true and perfect Inventory  
thereof, and to exhibit the same into the Secretary's Office at Charles Town, at or  
before the Sabbath day of March next ensuing, and to render a true and just account  
of the same, and calculations and reckonings, which shall be lawfully required.  
And I do herein require and command you the said Henry Parsons and John  
White, Administration of all and singular the goods, rights and credits of the said  
deceased, by these presents.

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my  
hand

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before the Sabbath day of March next ensuing, and to render a true and just account  
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And I do herein require and command you the said Henry Parsons and John  
White, Administration of all and singular the goods, rights and credits of the said  
deceased, by these presents.

Obliged, as for forth as the said... rights and duties shall extend,  
according to their rate, and force of Law, being first sworn on the...  
of Almighty God, to make a true and perfect Inventory  
 thereof, to be made in the same, and then Secretary's Office at Charles-  
 town, at or before the eighteenth day of March next ensuing, and  
 to render a true and just account, calculation and payment of your  
 said demands, when thereunto required, and to be sworn, as  
 before, to make a true and perfect Inventory and Account, of  
 the said demands, as they are, in their right and several of

Witness my hand and Seal, the eighteenth  
day of October in the fourth Year of His  
Majesty's Majesty, Charles II.  
By Nicholas  
Recorded Dec. 14. 1733

In Carolina  
By His Excellency Francis Nicholson Esq.  
His Majesty's Governour and Commander in  
Chief of this Province, and Captain of the same

These are to authorize and empower you, whose  
names are hereunder written, to receive to all such parts and portions  
 of the said demands, as shall be demanded by George...  
... in either of them, from the said and single  
... rights and debts of Philip...  
... of the goods of the said...  
... which shall be demanded...  
... to make  
... and to return  
... of any other  
... or before the

To  
Capt. Richard Smith and  
Mr. Thomas...  
Mr. John...  
or any three of them Their  
By the Gov. of Carolina  
Recorded Dec. 14. 1733  
of Charles Town City

David Maybank: Will (said to be) D. N. O.  
In the name of God Amen, I David Maybank  
of Berkeley County in the Province of Carolina being of sound and  
sufficient memory (I send to God for it) making mention of Death  
and the uncertainty thereof, first making all other wills of Testamentary  
force void, do make and ordain that my last will and Testament as  
followeth: I give, I devise and bequeath unto my first-born my only  
daughter Elizabeth the sum of Ten Pounds, to be paid her in my life  
hereafter named, but presently to my eldest daughter Elizabeth  
firstly that with my just debts and funeral expences to be paid to my  
second and youngest daughter my eldest Daughter the sum of Twenty  
Pounds and the money of that sum I give to my said Elizabeth  
to buy her mourning which when she may be delivered to her when  
she is departed after my decease, and five pounds of Annuity to be paid her in five  
years to make up the sum of Twenty five Pounds, and in case of her death  
before marriage my Will is that the said five pounds and the proceeds of same  
and the remaining part of the Twenty five Pounds to be equally divided  
amongst her surviving Sisters  
I give devise and bequeath unto my Daughter Elizabeth one  
negro girl named Susanna also the sum of Ten Pounds to buy her and her  
husband mourning  
I give devise and bequeath unto my Daughter Susanna one negro girl  
named Cesse also the sum of One hundred Pounds to be paid her  
at the age of fifteen Years or within Twelve Months after her arrival to  
the said age, and if not a married then to have the said sum of one hundred  
pounds put out to interest towards her better maintenance until she may  
be married, and in case of her death before marriage then  
my Will is that the said sum of One hundred Pounds be equally divided among  
her surviving Brother and Sister Elizabeth  
I give devise and bequeath unto my Son Joseph all my real Estate at  
Berkeley and all five hundred Acres of land as he is to be paid the one  
hundred of One Thousand Acres which I purchased with my wife's  
from the said Proprietors with all the fences, bounds and appurtenances  
thereunto belonging in or near my said plantation, also the sum of One  
hundred pounds to be paid and divided upon the said sum of Twenty one  
Years which said plantation given you in the year 1712 to him and his  
heirs lawfully begotten, or two, and in case of his death my Will is that  
the said be sold and the proceeds thereof to be equally divided  
between my daughter Elizabeth and Susanna and the  
surviving of them to a boy slave  
I give devise and bequeath unto my son Thomas my white slave with my Plantation  
at Berkeley from which he is to be paid the sum of Ten Pounds, and  
together with all the houses, out houses and buildings thereunto  
belonging and all other things belonging or in any way appurtenant  
thereto, which said plantation shall be enjoyed by my said son Thomas  
during the term and time of his natural life, and after his decease to pass to his child or children of ours he  
the thanks for. I also give and bequeath unto my said young wife one