

Recorded April 27th 1725 p. Char. Hort. Secy

3 old pewter candlesticks	15.
3 doz. old pewter plates and dishes, n ^o 53, at 3 ¹ / ₂ 7. 19.	178.
a full set of silver n ^o 59 ounces	178.
a stuff box, 2 y ^l silver buckles, a y ^l shoes, a pair	3. 8.
knife & a pen butter	1. 10.
5 turn-bridge easter boxes	1. 10.
6 doz. & 3 napkins	3. 15.
12 table cloths	2. 26.
2 side cups cloths	1. 10.
6 y ^l sheets & 12 pillow bear	2. 15.
2 y ^l of ox. sheet	2. 10.
4 y ^l of window curtains	12.
5 Towels and a Pavilion	14.
35 sundry Maps of sundry sizes	23. 17. 6
a hung and a swinging glass	13.
a Map of the British Channel	1. 10.
34 small books on sundry subjects	34.
9 large ditto on sundry subjects	9.
3 ditto of Doct. T. Johnson & work	9.
2 silver hilted swords & 1 Belt	30.
a Rocklow	1. 10.
2 Bangorian Gowns	6.
5 cloths & 112 Coats	25.
5 y ^l bruchet & 112 Coats	1. 10.
3 old hats	12. 6
an old pair Boots and spurs	7. 10.
2 Demity W th Coat and brushes	4. 10.
5 caps & 7 handkerchiefs	36.
13 holland & paltice shons	2.
4 holland caps	4. 10.
6 musling Neck cloths	3.
5 Turn ovens and 14 Neck	2.
2 wro th caps	5.
5 old y ^l 18 th stockings	15.
3 old y ^l thread d th & y ^l 18 th socks	10.
7 Perryung & 1 Box	13. 7. 6
Brought over	1713. 06. 6
a parcel Earthen plates, glasses and Dycanters	1406. 01. 3
a balance hard bed and furniture	75.
2 Beds & 2 Bedsteads	40.
a small Sea Bed and Quilt	5.
2 Chamber Stools, & a small glass	4.
a pickle Case, with 12 bottles	1. 10.
a chimney glass and two Kettles	127. 10.
a pair black dogs	20.
a cedar coat Table	2.
a large Brass Kettle	4.
3 iron pots and a great won	20.
a pyrry pan and a spit	3. 05.
a foreign dog with trammel	2.
3 Parish water Jars	5.
3 pair bellows	07. 6
2 pots hangers	3.
11 ivory Knives & forks, & black d th and Edits	1. 10.
1 oval Cedar Table	37. 02. 6

Indoxed on the Warr^t of App^r annexed to the foregoing In^{ve} & v^{iz} 1725. 13. 9

South Carolina. Memorandum that on the present seventh day of Anno Domⁱ 1725, personally came and appeared before me, John Parkdale Esq^r, one of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace for Berkeley County, Francis de Braupur, Richard Wigg and John Watson, being three of the App^r appointed in and by the within Warr^t of App^r, and were sworn on the holy Evangelists of Almighty God, to make a full and perfect Inventory and Appraisal of all such goods, wares, and chattels of the late dec^d as should be therein to them, by Wth Ann^o 1725, to cause due return to be made of the same. Jurat coram Me John Parkdale.

Charles Franchomme dec^d In^{ve} & Appraisal of the Personal Estate, taken 4 May 1725, p^r the Appraisal (vide bundle) H^h N^o 13.

South Carolina. A full and perfect Inventory and Appraisal of all and singular the goods, chattels, rights and credits of Charles Franchomme late dec^d as they were taken by Mr. Paul Des^r St. Julien, Malacar, one of the Executors of the last Will and Testament of the dec^d, under us the Appraisers appointed by and sworn pursuant to a Warrant of Appraisal, hereunto annexed, bearing date the fourth day of February Anno Domⁱ 1725, under the hand of His Ex^{cy} The Gov^r taken the first day of May 1725, import

To 1 Bond of Capt. Tobias Fitch Dated y^l 12th of August 1720 } 588. 100. 100.

To 2 ditto payable 6th April 1721, with Interest, at 10 p^{er} 100 ann^u } 100. 100. 100.

To 3 ditto of Mr. Sam^l Basset, payable the 8th October 1720 } 313. 05. 74

To 4 ditto payable the 8th April 1721 } 299. 10. 100.

To 5 ditto payable the 8th December 1721 } 303. 15. 9

To 6 ditto of William Gibbs Esq^r payable y^l 1st of May 1720 } 394. 10. 100.

To 7 ditto of Henry Gignilliat, payable y^l 20th October 1720 } 17. 10. 9

To 8 ditto of Arthur Foster, payable the 20th April 1720 } 43. 16. 74

To 9 ditto of Daniel Courtenier, payable the 27th 1720 } 19. 14. 42

To 10 ditto of Robert Harvey, payable the 15th of Feby^r 1719/20 } 36. 15. 104

To 11 ditto of James Williams, payable the 8th January 1719/20 } 121. 10. 100.

To 12 ditto of Edward Davis, payable the 15th January 1719 } 7. 16. 100.

Brought over } 2446. 15. 104

To 13 ditto of Sam^l Hill payable the 3rd of March 1720 } 31. 14. 100.

To 14 ditto of David Wedder due the 27th March 1721 } 157. 10. 100.

To 15 ditto of William Wallace of £ 102, payable the 2nd July 1719, & 72 paid the 8th June 1721, remain due } 30. 10. 100.

To 16 ditto of James Du Poir, Dor, payable the 10th Feby^r 1723 } 220. 10. 100.

To 17 ditto of Sam^l Davis payable the 27th March 1720 } 29. 10. 100.

To 18 ditto of William Ash, payable the 1st October 1720 } 10. 08. 64

To 19 ditto of Joseph Fitch, payable the 15th February 1720 } 32. 03. 100.

To 20 Remains due on a Bond of James Dorton } 7. 09. 100.

To 21 Do on John Elders } 2. 04. 9

To other accounts } 401. 03. 11

Cash in hand of the App^r } 125. 10. 100.

Paul Doupoint. Du Poir, Dor. James St. Julien. } 776. 10. 124

(Indoxed on the Warr^t app^r annexed to the foregoing Inventory & v^{iz})

South Carolina. Memorandum that on the present first day of May Anno Domⁱ 1725, personally came and appeared before me, John Parkdale Esq^r, one of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace for Berkeley County, Paul Doupoint, James Du Poir, Dor and James St. Julien, being three of the Appraisers appointed in and by the within Warrant of Appraisal, and were sworn on the holy Evangelists of Almighty God, to make a full and perfect Inventory and Appraisal of all such goods, wares, and chattels of Charles Franchomme late dec^d, as should be therein to them by Mr. Paul Des^r St. Julien Malacar, one of the Executors of the last Will and Testament of the said dec^d, and to cause due return to be made of the same. Jurat coram Me John Parkdale.

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John Rivers dec^d Will & v^{iz} (vide bundle) H^h N^o 14.

In the name of God, Amen. I John Rivers of Charles City Co. Va. do hereby certify that the within and foregoing Inventory and Appraisal of the goods, wares, and chattels of the late dec^d John Rivers, being taken by me, and sworn on the holy Evangelists of Almighty God, to make a full and perfect Inventory and Appraisal of all such goods, wares, and chattels of the late dec^d as should be therein to them, by Wth Ann^o 1725, to cause due return to be made of the same. Jurat coram Me John Rivers.

By buried in the earth, according to the discretion of my Executors herein mentioned. And as for such Worldly Estate, with which it pleased Almighty God to bless me, I dispose of as followeth, vizt,

I give and bequeath unto my Son, and only Son, John Rivers, one boy named March. I also give devise and bequeath unto my said Son John Rivers all my houses and Lands in this Province, or else where, when he shall attain to the age of Twenty one Years, which I give to his heirs and Assigns for ever, when above at the age aforesaid; but if my said Son John Rivers should die before he comes to the age of Twenty one Years, then my Will is that my said Land and Houses, and all other my Estate shall be at the disposition of my dear loving Wife, Hannah Rivers, and shall be possessed and enjoyed by such persons as my said dear Wife shall order and direct by her last Will, Testament, or otherwise; and what is given or bequeathed by her my said dear Wife, shall be possessed and enjoyed by them, to whom she gives or bequeaths it, and to their heirs and Assigns for ever. Item my Will that my said dear Wife Hannah Rivers shall possess and enjoy all my Estate, both Real and Personal, during the term of my Widow, but in case my said Wife Hannah should marry again, then my Will is that my Personal Estate be equally divided between my said Wife and my said Son John Rivers, but to survive with her till my said Son comes to the age of Twenty one Years, and that my said Wife hath the care of the Education and maintenance of my said Son till he comes to the age of Twenty one Years as aforesaid. And I do hereby nominate and appoint Mr. William Chapman, of this Province, my Executor and my dear Wife Hannah Rivers, my Executors of this my last Will and Testament. In Witness whereof, I have hereunto at my hand and Seal, this fourteenth day of February in the Eighth Year of His Majesty's Reign, Anno Domini 1725.

Sealed and delivered, Published and declared by the Testator, John Rivers to be his last Will and Testament, in the presence of us,
Edm: Croft, Mary Erving, John Croft, John Bohanan.

(Indorsed, vizt.)

Know all Men by these presents, that Mr. William Chapman within appointed Executor of the within Will of John Rivers deceased, for divers causes and considerations one hereunto especially moving have and do hereby renounce to take upon me the burthen or the execution of the said Will or any part thereof, to the end that the within mentioned Hannah the other Executors therein appointed may be enabled to receive better Testamentary on the said Will, or Letters of Administration with the said Will annexed, or otherwise to the Ordinary shall seem meet. Witness my hand and Seal this twenty second day of April 1725, in the Eleventh Year of His Majesty's Reign.

Sealed and delivered in the Presence of
Edm: Southach, Wm Tunley, Wm Chapman

South Carolina. Before His Excellency Francis Nicholson Esq: Cap: General and Governor in Chief in and over the said Province, and Ordinary of the same April the 22. 1725.

The within Will having been proved by the Oaths of John Croft, Edward Croft and John Bohanan, three of the Witnesses thereto, and on this day William Chapman one of the Executors therein appointed having executed the above Renunciation, Letters Testamentary are granted unto the within named Hannah the other Executors therein appointed (now Hannah Lawrence by intermarriage with James Lawrence) and she was accordingly sworn. Test. Wm Tunley Cl: Sec.

Recorded May 6th 1725

Char: Hart Secy

South Carolina.

Francis Nicholson Esq: His Majesty's Cap: General and Governor in Chief of this His Majesty's Province, and Ordinary of the same.

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting.

Know Ye that on the twenty second day of April in the year of our Lord One Thousand Seven hundred and Twenty Five, at Charles Town in the Province aforesaid, before me, the last Will and Testament of, John Rivers, late of Berkeley County, in the said Province, deceased, the copy whereof is to these presents annexed, was proved, approved and allowed of: the said deceased, having whilst he lived and at the time of his death, divers 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 of the accounts, calculations and reckonings of the said administration, and the final admission and discharge from the same to me is manifestly known to belong; and that the administration of all and singular the goods, rights and credits of the said deceased, and his Testament any manner of way concerning, was committed unto Hannah Lawrence, now Wife of James Lawrence, late Hannah Rivers, Widow and Relict of the said deceased (upon the renunciation of William Chapman, made in form, named Executor in the said Will and Testament) being just 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 into the Secretary's Office, at Charles Town, in order to be recorded, at or before the Thirtieth 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 Thirtieth day of April, Anno Dom. 1725: and in the Eleventh Year of His Majesty's Reign.

Fr: Nicholson.

Witnessed to me:
Char: Hart Secy

Recorded May 6th 1725

South Carolina.

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

These are to authorize and empower you or any three or four of you whose names are hereunder written, to repair to all such parts or places within this Province as you shall be directed unto by Mrs Hannah Lawrence, Wife of James Lawrence Executrix of the last Will and Testament of the John Rivers late of this Province deceased, wherever any of the goods of the said deceased are or do remain within the said parts and places, which shall be shewn to you by the said Hannah Lawrence; and there view and appraise all and every the said goods, being just sworn on the holy Evangelists, to make a full and perfect Inventory and appraisement thereof, and to cause the same to be returned under your hands, or of any three or four of you, into the Secretary's Office, at Charles Town, in order to be recorded, on or before the Thirtieth day of July, next ensuing. Dated the thirtieth day of April, in the Eleventh Year of His Majesty's Reign, Anno Dom. 1725. Fr: Nicholson.

To Mr. Solomon Legari, Mr. James Van Vleet, Cap: Edward Croft, Mr. James Lawrence, and Mr. Anthony Matthews Junr, or any three or four of them. These. By His Excellency's Command, Char: Hart Secy

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