

John of Administration
Granted to John Bull

Arthur Middleton Esq. M.D.
Comander in Chief of this Province
& Ordinary of the same

To John William Bull.

Whereas William White late of St. Georges Parish in
Berkeley County in the Province of South Carolina deceased lately
did Intestate leaving behind him at the time of
his Death diverse goods & credits within the Province
of South Carolina & elsewhere of the full disposition & power
of granting the same of all singular & several rights
& credits of the said William White & the auditing of
the same & Calculating & Recovering of the same for said
Deceased & as said disposition of the same to me is
manifestly known to be long & lasting that the goods
Rights & Credits which were of the said Deceased may be well
and truly administered & disposed of do hereby
in this behalf very much (Confide) full power by the
Credits of the said Deceased to him in his life time & at
the time of his Deceased did belong & to ask collect levy
recover & receive the same & to pay the Debts in
which the said Deceased was obliged so far forth as the
goods rights & Credits will extend according to their Rates
Order of Law being first sworn on the holy Evangelists
of Almighty God to make a full & perfect Inventory thereof
& to exhibit the same into the Secretary Office in Charles
Town in order to be Recorded on or before the tenth day
of March next ensuing & to render a true & just Account
required by said Deceased & to contribute you the said
William Bull Administrator of all & singular the goods
whereof I have herewith set my hand & Seal the six &
twelfth year of his Majesty's reign Anno Dni 1725 in the

Witnessed

Ar. Middleton

John Hart Secy.

By the Hon. Arthur Middleton Esq.
Presd. Comander in Chief & Ordinary
of this Province.

These are to Authorize and In power you or any three or
four of you whose Names are hereunder written to repair
to all such parts & places within this Province as you
shall be directed unto by Co. John Bull Administrator of
all & singular the goods & chattels & Credits of the said
Deceased & to view any of the goods of the said Deceased are or
do remain within the said parts & places which shall be
shown to you by the said John Bull & there view & appraise
all & every of the said goods being first sworn on the
holy Evangelists to make a full and perfect Inventory &
appraisement & to cause the same to be returned under their
seals or of any three or four of you into the Secretary Office
at Charles Town in order to be Recorded on or before the
tenth day of March next ensuing. Dated this six and
twentieth day of November in the twelfth year of his
Majesties reign Anno Domini 1725

To Mr. Malachi Blazie
Mr. Gifford Clapp
Mr. Thomas Waring
Mr. John Hill and
Mr. Joseph Brunsor

Ar. Middleton

Recorded the 26th
of November 1725

or any three or four of them
John Hart Secy.

By his Son & Demand John Hart Secy.

The Last Will & Testament of Nicholas Stevens of Charles Town in

In the Name of God Amen. I Nicholas Stevens of Charles Town in
Berkeley County in the Province of South Carolina being Sick and weak in Body
but of sound Mind and Memory, Thanks be therefore to Almighty God, do make
& ordain this my last Will and Testament in Manner following, That is to say,
First I do bequeath my Soul into the Hands of Almighty God, hoping for a
Glorious Resurrection through the Merits of my blessed Lord and Redeemer
Jesus Christ, and my Body to the Earth to be buried in decent manner at the
Discretion of my Executors herein after named and unto what worldly Goods it
shall please God to bless me with I dispose of the same in the Manner
following, I Primitively will that my Executors herein after named do pay or
cause to be paid all my just Debts, Item my Will is that immediately after
my Decease my Executors do hire out my Negro man named Sath, and my
Negro Woman Flora, and that the clear Monies arising from the