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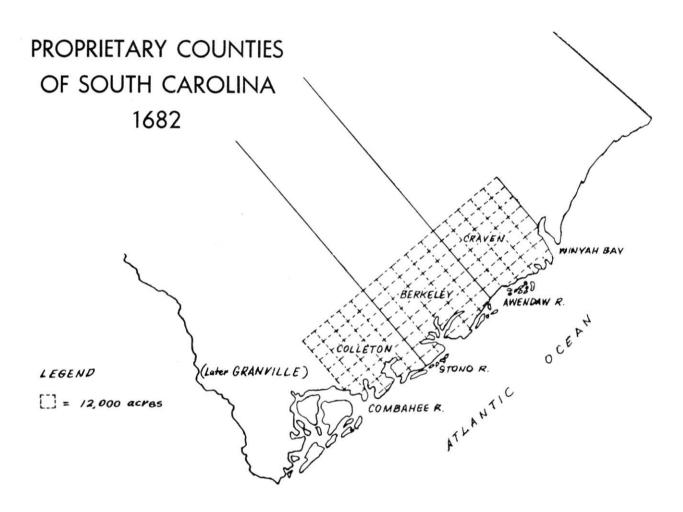
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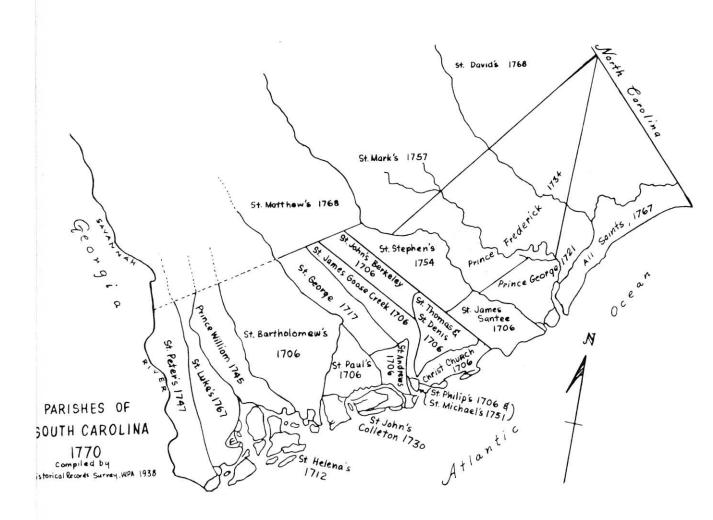
## STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA 1740-1760

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CAROLINE T. MOORE





John Cleland, James Greene, Alexander Murray. Wit: John Lining, James Craddock, Ja. Drummond.

D: 28 May 1741. P: 14 June 1741. R: 18 June 1741. p. 29.

WILLIAM McGILLIVRAY. Wife: Elizabeth, maintenance on plantation during her widowhood. Sons: Alexander and Robert, one-half my land when son Alexander is 20 years. Daus: Lucrecia, Elizabeth, Susannah, and Sosiahe. Son-in-law: Patrick Norris. Mentions: executors to manage remainder of estate for "other children until son Robert is 20 years of age;" personal estate divided between all my children; Mary Norris. Exors: wife; Robert Sams; Jonathan Thomas. Wit: Samuel Underwood, Richard Freeman. Thomas Stanyarn.

D: 21 Jan. 1738/9. P: 4 July 1741 (sic). R: 19 June 1741. p. 31.

Mary Basden, Charles Town, spinster. Sisters: Sarah Johnston and Rebecca Guy. Nephews: John McCall; Christopher Guy; William Guy; Charles Guy; Robert Collins; Jonathan Collins; Robert Johnston, Jr. Nieces: Mary Poitevint; Mary Chapman; Rebecca Guy, Jr.; Jean Guy; Sophia Sarah Guy; Martha, wife of John McCall. Cousin: Mrs. Mary Blamyer. Mentions: David, son of nephew John McCall. Exor: John McCall. Wit: David Mongin, Crs. Pinckney, David Stout.

D: 12 June 1741. P: 4 July 1741. R: 7 July 1741. p. 32.

ALEXANDER HEXT, John's Island, Colleton County, planter. Nephews: Robert Godfrey, under 21 years; Alexander Hext, under 21 years. Niece: Mary Godfrey, under 21 years and unmarried. Mentions: to John Seabrooke, son of Mrs. Mary Seabrooke, my plantations and houses on John's Island; to Richard Seabrooke, second son of said Mrs. Seabrooke. my plantations and houses on North side of Cockaw Swamp in St. Paul's Parish, Colleton County; to Sarah Green, wife of Daniel Green, Jr., of Charles Town, eldest dau. of said Mrs. Seabrooke, plantation on south side of Cockaw Swamp in said parish and county; to Mary Seabrooke, second dau. of said Mrs. Seabrooke, half part of brick house and land on south side of Tradd Street in Charles Town; to Elizabeth Seabrooke, third dau, of said Mrs. Seabrooke, other half house and land on said street: to Susannah Seabrooke, fourth dau, of said Mrs. Seabrooke, plantation on head of Deer's Creek on Ashepoo River in Colleton County; all children of said Mrs. Mary Seabrooke under 21 years and unmarried. Exors: Samuel estate. Daus-in-law: Jean Simpson; Margatt Hamilton. Brother: William Ferguson of Wadmalaw [Island], planter. Exors: wife; brother William Ferguson. Wit: Will. Cathcart, John Willcocks, Jo B X ogny (sic).

D: 28 Jan. 1744/5. P: 16 Oct. 1745. R: 13 Dec. 1745. p. 272.

PATRICK TAILFER, Charles Town, Gent. Wife: Mary, residue of estate, executrix. Mentions: Mary Gallaway, who lives with me. Wit: Abraham Croft, Mary Little.

D: 26 Sept. 1745. P: 14 Dec. 1745. R: 18 Dec. 1745. p. 273.

BENJAMIN HALL, Charles Town, surgeon. Mentions: to Ann Jones £250 if she renounces all rights and title in co-partnership with me; Alexr. Chisholm, Sr., of Charles Town; Ann Chisholm, dau. of said Chisholm; William McCluer of Parish of St. John, planter, and John Eyloe, surgeon-at-arms, residue of estate, executors. Wit: James Grindlay, Jas. Davidson, Mary Griffiths, her mark.

D: 30 Dec. 1745. P: 2 Jan. 1745/[6]. R: 2 Jan. 1745/[6]. p. 274.

JOSEPH DILL, James' Island, Berkeley County, master mariner, intending to take a hazardous voyage to England. Wife: Eliza. Dill, residency on my plantation during her life. Sons: Joseph, all my land in Bermuda; John, plantation on James' Island where I now live; both sons under 21 years. Daus: Elizabeth Mary, under 18 years, and Ann, under 14 years, monies from sale of houses and land in Charles Town. Mentions: John Dorril, Esq. Exors: wife; William Chapman, Antho. Matthews, the younger, John Witter. Wit: Samuel Rivers, Joseph Atwell, Nicholas Smith.

D: 19 May 1731. P: 2 Jan. 1745. R: nd. p. 274.

ISAAC WAIGHT, Parish and Island of St. John's, Colleton County, planter. Wife: [not named], all her own estate she possessed before marriage, maintenance on my plantation during her widowhood. Sons: Abraham, plantation where I now live; Joseph, plantation called the Cowpen; Jacob, land called Howard Point, legacy from his grandfather Samuel Jones; Isaac, one-half my land on St. Helena Island; William, other half land on St. Helena Island. Daus: Sarah, legacy left her by her grandfather Samuel Jones; Martha, legacy left her by said grandfather: Mary and Ann. Mentions: to sons Isaac and William, under 21 years, lot No. 15 in Beaufort on Port Royal Island; to 7 children Joseph, William, Mary, Ann, Sarah. Jacob. and Martha all personal estate divided at 16

Exors: said dau.; Mr. John Bassnett; William Fleming, Esq. Wit: Jane Futhy, her mark; Robert Futhy; Thos. Handlen.

D: 4 Sept. 1749. P: 11 Jan. 1750. R: nd. p. 353.

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JOHN MOORE, Williamsburg, Craven County, planter. Son: John, under 16 years; Joseph; youngest Samuel. Dau: Margaret. Mentions: all land divided between my 3 sons. Exors: son John; William Fryerson; John Porter. Wit: Jno. Gamble, —ane Mooney.

D: 13 Nov. 1750. P: 11 Feb. 1750/[1]. R: nd. p. 354. [Part of will in original book destroyed.]

WILLIAM GUY, —— Parish, Berk ———, minister. Wife: Elizabeth. Sons: Christopher, one-half my land in Granville County, lot No. 16 in St. Andrew's Town; Charles and Robert Cooper, under 21 years. Daus: Mary Chapman; Rebecca Godfrey and her children; Jane Baynes and Sophia Sarah, under 21 years, my house. Mentions: to daus. Sarah (sic) Chapman and Rebecca Godfrey, lot No. 33 in St. Andrew's Town; Mrs. Elizabeth Wright's mourning ring; 2 daus. Jane Baynes and Sophia Sarah, lot No. 32 in St. Andrew's Town; to son Robert Cooper "all my Classicks in my Library;" Gen. Nicholson. Exors: dau. Mary Chapman; son Christopher; ———. Wit: Robt. Rivers, Jno. Man, Saml. Marerick.

D: —— July 1——50. P: 11 Jan. 17——. R: nd. p. 355. [Part of will in original book destroyed.]

JOHN PORTER, Williamsburg Township. Wife: [not named]. Son: James. Dau: Mary. Brothers: Joseph and Samuel Bradley. Sister: —— Grissel. Mentions: residue of estate divided between my wife and and said children. Exors: wife; brother Samuel Bradley; John Bradley; Robert Wilson; John Ervin. Wit: John McQueen, Henry Ervin, —— McKnight.

D: 19 Nov. 1750. P: 18 — —. R: nd. p. 360. [Part of will in original book destroyed.]

FRANCIS SHEPPARD, Berkeley County, planter. Wife: Mary. Son: John. Mentions: plantation to be sold and money equally divided "amongst my children." Sons to inherit at 21 years. Exors: wife; Maj. Walter Izard; Nathaniel Bradwell, Jr. Wit: Thos. Bulline, Thos. Cater [in proof].

D: 2 — Mar. 17 — P: 5 Jan. — R: nd. p. 361. [Part of will in original book destroyed.]

wife; Francis Simmons: Benjamin Simmons, Sr. Wit: Esther Bonneau; Saml. Simons; Micar Gourdine, his mark.

D: 22 July 1752. P: 22 Dec. 1752. R: nd. p. 54.

WILLIAM YEOMANS, Charles Town, merchant. Children: Sarah, Elinor, Thomas, and George, residue of all estate. Exors: Benjamin D'harriette and Gabriel Manigault, Esqrs., merchants, and John Burgwin of Charles Town. Wit: John Brodie, Jno. Murray, Andrew Peterson.

D: 4 Feb. 1750. P: 22 Dec. 1752. R: nd. p. 55.

JANE SERVANT, her mark, Christ Church Parish, Berkeley County. Sons: Henry Cornish; Matthew Servant. Daus: Elizabeth Cornish; Mary Servant, under 15 years. Mentions: residue of estate divided among all my children as they come of age. Exors: Maj. William Pinckney, Joshua Wilks, John Holmes. Wit: Nath. Ford,, Jas. White, Geoe. Paddon Bond.

D: — P: 12 June 1747. R: nd. p. 56.

JANE LORMIER, Charles Town. Brother: John Mesignac of Gray Eagle Street, Spittlefield, County of Middlesex, Great Britain, residue of estate. Uncle: Isaac Mesignac's children. Mentions: Sarah Lewis, wife of John Lewis of Charles Town; Elizabeth Mills; Mrs. Fountain, Mrs. Jean Morrison and Mrs. Mollee, all of Charles Town; brother's dau. [not named] and her children; John Giles. Exor: John Lewis, shoemaker of Charles Town, in trust for said brother, his dau. and her children, and said uncle and his children. Wit: George Sheed, Jr., John Cart.

D: 5 Dec. 1752. P: 22 Dec. 1752. R: nd. p. 57.

JOHN OULDFIELD, Craven County. Dau: Mary under 18 years and unmarried, residue of estate. Cousin: Rebecca Singleton. Sister-in-law: Elizabeth Laroche. Kinsman: Sedgwick Lewis. Mentions: to Robert McKewn, Jr., land in St. John's Parish, Berkeley County; to Johannes Hobb, land on Pee Dee River where he now lives; Charlotte Lewis, spinster. Guardians of said dau: my mother-in-law Mary Laroche, at her death my said sister-in-law. Exors: John Mann, Thomas Middleton, George Austin, Richard Singleton, Esq. Wit: John Mackenzie, John Denton, John Chapman.

D: 28 Mar. 1751. P: 30 Dec. 1752. R: nd. p. 59.

Lois Mathewes, her mark, Charles Town, widow. Sons: George, residue of estate, executor; Benjamin, lot in Charles Town where he now lives on east side new Church Street. ing on west: Robert, under 21 years, part of lot opposite to where I now live, house and land where I now live fronting on Queen St. at marriage or death of my wife; James, under 21 years, house and land purchased of Andrew Deveaux on south side Broad St. joining to east on said gateway, half part of said gateway, house and land fronting on Bay of Charles Town lying between houses of my brother Alexander Peronneau and Edward Croft, my share in several lots on east side Old Church St. or Meeting St. where William Hopton now lives as shown by deed of portion made between Charles Pinckney, Esq., and me. Daus: Elizabeth and Ann, under 21 years. Brother: Alexander Peronneau. Mentions: residue of estate for benefit of younger sons; William Watis: John Coachman. Exors: brother Alexander Perronneau; Mr. Benjamin d'Harriette; son Henry; son Arthur when 21 years. Wit: John Moultrie. Saml. Peronneau, Isaac Holmes. D: 27 Jan. 1753. CODICIL. Mentions: wife Elizabeth. Wit: James Michie, John Troup. D: 21 Feb. 1753. CODICIL. Mentions: daus. Elizabeth and Ann. Wit: James Michie, John Troup.

D: 14 Mar. 1753. P: nd. R: 29 July 1754. p. 205.

SARAH CHAPMAN. Dau: Rebecca, under 16 years. Mentions: gold ring with a "Posey my heart is thine thy life is mine;" ½ doz. silver teaspoons marked MC; Samuel and Archibald Stobo, sons of William Stobo, deceased. Exors: Thomas Heyward, James Stobo. Wit: Charles Capers, Thomas Capers, William Evans.

D: 14 Dec. 1753. P: nd. R: 30 July 1754. p. 220.

Mary Hughes, her mark, Prince Frederick's Parish, Craven County, widow. Son: Henry, under 21 years, residue of all my estate. Brothers: John Pyatt and George Atkinson of Craven County. Sister: Catherine Pyatt. Cousins: John and Ann Pyatt; George, Hannah, and Mary Atkinson; Anthony and Mary Mitchell. Exors: son Henry; brothers John Pyatt and George Atkinson. Wit: William Fyffe, Nathaniel McCormick.

D: 27 Feb. 1754. P: nd. R: 7 Aug. 1754. p. 221.

SAMUEL HOLLINGSWORTH, of Welch Tract, Craven County, planter. Wife: [not named]. Son: Samuel, under 21 years, all my land on Pee Dee River. Daus: [not named], under 16 years. Brother: Volentine Hollingsworth, 100 acres of land. Sister: Ann Sutton, widow, 50 acres of land. Mentions: unborn child, if a son then land to be divided between sons; my land northwest of Cape Fear River to be sold by executors. Exors: wife; brother Volentine Hollingsworth; Daniel De-

RICHARD CAPERS, St. Helena's Island, Granville County, planter. Sons: Joseph, part of my land at St. Helena's where I now live with dau. Mary Adams; William. Daus: Ann Morgan, use of my Cooper's Island in St. Helena's Sound; Mary Adams, part of my land on Combahee where I now live at St. Helena next to land of Jonathan Norton, part of land remaining next to Mr. William Chapman where my tanning vats are located. Mentions: land on island known as Capers' Hunting Island to son Joseph and dau. Mary Adams; £50 to Rev. Mr. Lewis Jones; bond payable to me from Mr. Joseph Elliott to sons Joseph and William. Exors: son Joseph; Mr. Joshua Morgan; Mr. Nathaniel Adams: Wit: Francis Thompson, Ambrose Reeve, Constance Thompson.

D: 20 July 1741. P: 3 Mar. 1755. R: nd. p. 297.

ELIZABETH FERGUSON, her mark, Colleton County. Mentions: to William Robert, Jane Lowry, and Mr. Hugh Wilson, all my estate. Exor: William Lowry. Wit: John Liviston, William Chalmers, Elizabeth Chambers.

D: 20 Nov. 1752. P: 14 Feb. 1755. R: nd. p. 301.

MARY RUSSELL, Edisto Island, St. John's Parish, Colleton County. Nephews: William Edings, land that I now plant next to William Edings, William Adams, and John Frampton; Joseph Edings. Mentions: Richard Russell Ash, under 21 years, son of Cato Ash; surviving dau. of Thomas Cheeseman, carpenter of St. Helena, deceased; to William Burd and James Cuthbert, £100 for support of Presbyterian Minister on Edisto Island; William Edings and Joseph Edings; surviving children of James Maggott of St. Helena, deceased, Mary, Magdalen, Margaret, and Martha Maggott; Hugh Cochran, son of Hugh Cochran; Benjamin and Tabitha Edings, son and dau. of said William Edings; wives of William and Joseph Edings and Martha Cheeseman; to Cato Ash a ring with his uncle's name Joseph Russell on it: Peter Theodora Edings: Mary Whippey, wife of William Whippey; Paul Hamilton to hold in trust legacy left to surviving dau, of said Thomas Cheeseman, deceased. Exors: nephews Joseph and William Edings; Paul Hamilton of Edisto Island. Wit: James Cuthbert, William Russell, John Durant.

D: 3 Sept. 1754. P: 14 Feb. 1755. R: nd. p. 302.

MARTHA REILEY [Reily], Charles Town, widow of Bryan Reiley, deceased. Son: John, deceased. Dau: Catherine Croll, widow. Granddau: Martha Reiley. 3 grandchildren: Sarah Ferguson, Joseph Perry, and Martha Ferguson, residue of

DANIEL WRIGHT, Granville County, planter. Wife: Margaret. Daus: Hannah and Elizabeth, under 17 years, residue of my estate. Mentions: land "I lately run out" on head of Bee's Creek for use of said daus. Exors: Thomas Harrison, John Givens. Wit: William Sealey, Thos. Cundull, John Sealey.

D: 30 Sept. 1753. P: 23 May 1755. R: nd. p. 353.

ELLICOTT STORY, Granville County, carpenter. Wife: Sarah, lot in Charles Town on Broad St. fronting Mr. Richard Lambton, now in his possession, next to Mr. Prioleau, island between St. Helena's and Hunting Islands, my 2 boats with their sails and all tackles, all my books. Brothers: James and John Story. Exors: wife; Mr. William Ladson. Wit: Nathaniel Barnwell, Jane Stone, Thos. Walker.

D: 19 Mar. 1755. P: 16 May 1755. R: nd. p. 355.

CHRISTOPHPR GUY, St. Paul's Parish, Colleton County. Wife: Jean, one-half estate. Dau: Rebecca, under age, other half estate. Brother and sister: William and Mary Chapman. Mentions: Christopher Chapman, son of said brother and sister. Exors: Mr. Christopher Wilkinson; sister Mary Chapman; Mrs. Mary Couliette. Wit: James Christie, Edward Wilkinson.

D: 16 Oct. 1754. P: 27 May 1755. R: nd. p. 356.

BENJAMIN MATTHEWS, Charles Town, merchant. Wife: Anne, use and occupancy of my part lot and buildings given to son Benjamin until he is 21 years. Sons: Benjamin, my brick tenement and lot where I lately lived now in possession of Hector Berenger d' Beaufain, Esq. in Church St. next to tenement which I used as a kitchen; Isaac, other part of said lot on Church St. next to tenement used as a kitchen; John Raven, lot purchased of John Chapman on Church St. Dau: Anne, under 21 years and unmarried. Mentions: residue of estate divided between my said wife, dau. and 3 sons; my books; all children under 21 years; possible unborn child. Exors: wife; brother John Matthews; brother-in-law John Raven. Wit: Edward Lightwood, Samuel Eveleigh, Jacob Milner.

D: 18 Apr. 1754. P: 30 May 1755. R: nd. p. 357.

SAMUEL NICHOLLS, Colleton County. Wife: Elizabeth, £150 to be paid in 1756 and another same sum in 1753 (sic). Son: Samuel. Dau: Mary. Niece: Mary Nicholls, dau. of brother Thomas Nicholls. Mentions: all estate divided between my said son and dau.; wife's dau. Mary Field; said niece and

Solomon Isaac, Charles Town. Brothers: Asher Isaac; heirs of Joshua Isaac. Sisters: Rebecca [Simson?], Judith and Rachel Isaac. Mentions: estate divided between said brothers and sisters. Mentions: Solomon Isaac, under age, son of brother Asher; Solomon Simson, under age, son of Joseph and my sister Rebecca Simson. Exors: Mr. John Savage of Charles Town, merchant; nephew Samson Simson of New York, merchant. Wit: Thomas Oliver, Willm. Ellis, Jno. Paine. D: 26 Aug. 1751. CODICIL. Mentions: executors John Savage and Samson Simson in will of 1751, now appoint Peter Bacot another executor; Elizabeth Tookerman; John Holmes. Wit: Richard Fowler, John Fowler John Wirner.

D: 20 Dec. 1756. P: 14 Jan. 1757. R: nd. p. 8.

HANS GOORGEN, his mark, seaman belonging to the Snow *Minerva*, Capt. Westlade, now in harbor of Charles Town. Mentions: to Charles Pearson, all my estate, executor. Wit: John Barnes, Jno. Remington, not. pub.

D: 13 Dec. 1756. P: 21 Jan. 1757. R: nd. p. 9.

JOSEPH EDWARD FLOWER, Port Royal, Gent. Son: Richard Woodward, under age, all real estate. Daus: Mary, under age and unmarried; Amelia Secraft, wife of John Secraft. Mentions: residue of estate to son and dau. Mary. Exors: Nathaniel Barnwell, John Barnwell. Wit: John Chapman, Will. Davis, William O'Bryan, Dan. DeSaussure.

D: 2 July 1756. P: 14 Jan. 1757. R: nd. p. 10.

[Administration granted Stephen Bull, Jr., as greatest creditor 21 Jan. 1757].

ISABEL KNOTT, St. George's Parish, Berkeley County. Husband: [not named], deceased. Sister: Margaret Hamilton. Brother: John Baxter. Nephews: John and William McPherson, under 21 years. Niece: Isabella Baxter. Mentions: if any relation of my deceased husband should come before nephew William McPherson is 21 years to have an equal share of estate; Mrs. Susanna Payton; Mrs. Eliza. Edwards. Exors: John McQueen, Robert Philip, Hugh Dowse, William McPherson. Wit: Uriah Edwards, James Christie, Susanna Payton.

D: 4 Dec. 1756. P: 14 Jan. 1757. R: nd. p. 11.

ROBERT PEIRU [PEIRIE] HENDERSON, Charles Town, to be buried in French Church Yard near deceased friend William Lesserre. Mentions: since my misfortune at Mederia that residue of estate be turned into money and remitted to Messrs. Hill, Lamar & Hill of Island of Mederia, merchants, to be dis-

tributed among my creditors; Mr. Jasper Farmer of New York, merchant. Exor: Mr. Francis McCartan of Charles Town. Wit: Jacob Motte, Jr., Benjamin Mazyck, Jr.

D: 21 Dec. 1756. P: 22 Jan. 1757. R: nd. p. 12.

JANE BAYNES TAYLOR, wife of David Taylor of James' Island, planter. Husband: David Taylor. Son: David, under 21 years. Sisters: Mary Chapman and Rebecca Godfrey, executrices. Mentions: marriage articles signed by my said husband. Wit: Sarah Baker, John McCall.

D: 12 Apr. 1755. P: 28 Jan. 1757. R: nd. p. 12.

STEPHEN FOGARTIE, St. Thomas' Parish, Berkeley County, planter. Wife: Esther. Sons: Stephen, my plantation; Joseph and James; all under 21 years. Daus: Ann, Mary, Sarah and Christian, under 21 years. Mentions: plantation not to be sold during widowhood of my wife. Exors: sons Stephen and Joseph; brother-in-law Capt. Stephen Miller; brother David Fogartie. Wit: Benja. Singletary, David Singletary, John Sanders.

D: 1 Nov. 1755. P: 28 Jan. 1757. R: nd. p. 13.

MILLER ST. JOHN, Charles Town, Gent. Wife: Mary. Son: James, under 21 years. Mentions: son to be maintained and cloathed out of profits of estate and said wife to be guardian of son James during her widowhood. Exors: wife; Lambert Lance. Wit: [J?] Terh. Theus, James Grindlay, Audn. St. John. D: 23 Dec. 1756. CODICIL. Mentions: wife Mary; cousin Audian St. John; son James; plantation on John's Island. Wit: Wm. Ancrum, Aron Seecock, James Grindlay.

D: 26 Dec. 1756. P: 4 Feb. 1757. R: nd. p. 14.

THOMAS BURTIN, his mark, Craven County. Son: Thomas, all my books. Dau: Sarah Potts, wife of Thomas Potts. Grandchildren: Francis Burtin, under 21 years, plantation where I lately lived; Thomas Burtin, under 21 years, plantation bounding north on said plantation, lot No. 39 in George Town; Mary, Sarah and Hannah Burtin, under 16 years. Exors: son[-in-law] Thomas Potts; John Walker. Wit: Geo. Atkinson, Joshua Screven, Thomas Potts, Jr.

D: 22 Jan. 1756. P: 4 Feb. 1757. R: nd. p. 16.

JAMES ASH, St. Paul's Parish, Colleton County, planter. Wife: Ann, to live on said plantation during her widowhood. Son: James Cochran Ash, under 21 years, executors to purchase plantation as soon as convenient, residue of estate.

Mr. William Brown. Wit: James Bolton, Ephraim Payne, Nath. Payne.

D: 18 Aug. 1757. P: 1 Sept. 1758. R: nd. p. 119.

JOHN SEACRAFT [SEECRAFT], Beaufort, mariner. Wife: Amelia, executrix. Son: John, infant. Mentions: unborn child; executrix to dispose of land and buildings on Island of Bermuda in S. Hampton County in Parish of Port Royal formerly occupied by my Aunt Elizabeth Seacraft, but now or late by my mother Sarah Seacraft, for benefit of said son and unborn child. Wit: John Chapman, D. Desaussure, Henry Talbird.

D: 10 July 1758. P: 18 Aug. 1759. R: nd. p. 120.

SAMUEL PEYRE, St. Stephen's Parish, Craven County, planter. Wife: Sarah, use of plantation where I now live for life and maintenance during widowhood. Sons: Samuel, John, and Charles, under 21 years, plantation where I now live, the river swamp leading to Capt. Joseph Cantey's. Daus: Sarah and Ann. Mentions: residue of estate divided between my 5 children at 18 years. Exors: Messrs. Charles Cantey, Peter Porcher, Philip Porcher, and Samuel Cordes. Wit: William Vanvelsen, William Matthews, Hezekiah Maham.

D: 24 Jan. 1758. P: 18 Aug. 1758. R: nd. p. 121.

WILLIAM BUCHANAN, Granville County, planter. Sister: Meizy Buchanan, dau. of John Buchanan, Jr., merchant of Glasgow, deceased, "Six of Eight parts" of estate. Mentions: to Mr. George Seaman, Charles Town, merchant, other "two of Eight Parts" of estate. Exor: George Seaman. Wit: David Deas, David Jervey.

D: 17 May 1740. P: 11 Aug. 1758. R: nd. p. 122.

James Taylor, James' Island, St. Andrew's Parish, Berkeley County, planter. Wife: Hester, use of estate during life for maintenance of children until of age. Sons: eldest John, land on south side New Town Creek bounding on Broad Road that leads from bridge to Mr. Paul Hamilton's plantation; Christopher, 40 acres. Daus: Hester and Eleanor, 40 acres each. Exors: wife; son John; Robert Rivers, Esq. Wit: Daniel Clement, Jr., Thomas Graves, Samuel Heyward.

D: 27 May 1755. P: 22 Sept. 1758. R: nd. p. 122.

JAMES JENINS, his mark, St. James' Parish, Santee, planter. Wife: Mary, residue of estate for life. Sons: Edward, plantation where I now live purchased of Michael Mahon, Gent., deceased, part of land adjoining; Peter and John, remaining part

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