Mr John Abington - - - - - - - - - - - - } Pr. Pet.'s Petition

1st Nov. 7ber John Hoddert Exec.r of James Hoddert Esq.r } There having been a Copy of the said John Abington's Petition served on the Defendant John Hoddert together with the following Notice (viz.t)

Prerogative Office 1st November 1728

x.d Sr You are hereby required to take Notice that Mr. John Abington of Prince George's County (who married Mary one of the Daughters of William Hutcheson late of Prince Georges County deceased) hath applyed to His Honour the Com.dy Gen.l for Letters De bonis non, p.d on the Estate of the said Hutcheson, which will be granted him unless you appear at the Prerogative Court to be held at Annapolis the Second Tuesday of January next & shew cause to the contrary

Signed p Order Geo. Slater Reg.r

To Mr. John Hoddert of Prince Georges County Exec.r of James Hoddert Esq.r late of the a.d County deceased with Copy of John Abingtons petition inclosed

On the back of which was the following probat (viz.t)

x.d Prerogative Court 14th January 1728/9

Mr. John Abington makes Oath on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God that on the 18th Day of November last he served the within Notice on the within John Hoddert by delivering him a Copy thereof and shewing the same to him and likewise by delivering to him a Copy of a Petition filed against him to shew cause why Letters de bonis non of the Estate of William Hutchinson deceased should not be granted to this Deponent

Sworn to before me Cha: Calvert Com.y Gen.l

Nevertheless the said John Hoddert doth not appear Thereupon it is ordered that Citation issue against Gabriel Parker of Calvert County Gent who married one of the Daughters of the said William Hutcheson to join with the said John Abington in the (Administration de bonis non

Administration de bonis non p.d of the said William Hutcheson's Estate or renounce his right thereto, And also that Citation issue against John Hoddert to shew cause why Administration should not be accordingly granted both which issued returnable to next Court. And it is further ordered That unless the said John Hoddert appear next Court & shew cause to the contrary, Administration be granted on the said William Hutcheson's Estate, to the said John Abington.

Mr. William Hutcheson Son of the aforesaid William Hutcheson deceased having renounced his right of Administration on the said Deceased's Estate to the aforesaid John Abington, and the said Renunciation being now exhibited, is ordered to be entered and is as follows (viz.t)

I do hereby renounce my claim to the Adm.n of any part of the Estate of my ~~Dec.d~~ Father Mr. William Hutcheson not formerly made up by Mr. James Hoddert Exec.r thereof, but that I am willing John Abington have the right of Adm.n Witness my hand this 20th Dec.r Anno 1728

Witnes Henry Butler

Wm Hutcheson

And also Mr. William Pile who married Elizabeth one of the Daughters of the said William Hutcheson Deceased renounces his right to the said Admon which Renunciation being now exhibited is likewise ordered to be entered & is as follows (viz.t)

I do hereby renounce my Title of Administration of any part of the Estate of Mr. William Hutcheson not heretofore made up by Mr. James Hoddert as Exec.r thereof but that my desire is that John Abington have the right thereof Witness my hand this 15th Jan.y Anno 1728/9

Witnes Geo: Neilson

Will: Pile

And thereupon this Cause is continued untill next Court.

On the Petition & Prayer of William Wheeler Jun.r & Constance his Wife Admin.r of Stephen Price late of Baltimore County deceased praying further time to pass an Additional Account of the said Deceased's Estate, till they have Accounts from England the same is granted them for Six Months.