Calendar of State Papers Colonial, America and West Indies, Volume 17: 1699, Cecil Headlam, ed. (London: Longman, 1908), no. 120, p. 74:

- Feb. 120. Order of King in Council, referring the petition of John and Nicholas Hallam, merchants of Connecticut, to the Council of Trade and Plantations. *Signed*, John Nicholas. *Endorsed*, Recd. Read March 6, 1698/9. *Enclosed*,
  - **120.** I. The petition of above. The petitioner's mother, a widow, married one John Liveen, who, being *non compos mentis* at the time, willed the greatest part of his estate away from the petitioners and their mother. If the will be set aside, there being no heir at law or next of kin, the estate will be escheated to the King, whom the petitioners pray to grant them his interest and title therein. *Copy. 2 pp. [Board of Trade.* Proprieties, 2. *Nos.* 54, 54 I.; *and* 25. *pp.* 340–342.] [Now CO 5/1257, Nos. 54, 54I.]

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