In the Name of God Amen The 3 day of Jan.y in the year of our Lord 1727/8 I Upshur King of Somerset County being very sick & weak in Body but of perfect mind & memory thanks be given to God therefore Calling unto mind of mortality of my Body and knowing that tis appointed for all men Once to die, do make & ordaine this my last Will & Testament that is to say Principally & first of all I give and Recommend my Soul into the Hands of God wt gave it and for my Body Recommend it to the Earth to be Buried in Christian like manner at ye discretion of my Executor nothing doubting but at the Generall Resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty Power of God as touching such worldly Estate wherr it hath pleased God to Bless me in this life I give and devise and dispose of ye same in the following manner and form

Imp.s I give unto my Eldest Son Arthur King the land that I now live on Called Ox Road what land Lyes on the North side of Traiding Branch belonging to the said Tract to him and his heirs for ever

Item I give unto my Son Jerobel King the remainder part of ye aforesd Tract of land Called Ox Road lying on the South side of ye aforesd Branch to him and his heirs for ever

Item I give unto my Son Planner King the Plantation Called Kings Chase and ye part of land Called Gulletts adviesment wt lies on the South side of Traiding Branch and the fifty Acres lying on the Southermost side of the aforesd Branch to him and his heirs for ever

Item to the paragraph next under this ought to have come in here with original

Item I give unto my Son Jesse King one hundred Acres of land lying in the North side of the aforesd Branch Called Indian Bones to him and his heirs for ever

Vide Mem.m above

Item I give unto my Son Jesse King the remainder part of the aforesd Tract of land Called Gulletts adviesments lying on the North side of the aforesd Branch to him and his heirs for ever

Signed Sealed & delivered in ye Presence of us
Before Sign Seal & delivered in Blind Interlined
I do Appoint my Well beloved Wife
To be my whole Executrix of my Estate } Upshur King (Seal)

Testes
John Wm Cornick
Daniel his Mark Monroe
Elenr. King

On the Back of the aforegoing Will was this Written Viz.t
June ye 26th 1728 Then Came John Wm Cornick Daniel Monroe and Elenor King & made Oath upon the holy Evangelists of Almighty God that they saw the within Named Upshur King ye Testator Sign and Seal ye within Instrument as his last Will and Testament & that they heard him Publish & declare ye same to be that at ye time of his so doing he was of sound disposing mind & memory to the Best of their knowledge Sworn before me the day & year above Written

David Wilson Dep.y Com.ry
of Somerset County

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In the Name of God Amen I Nath.l Wale Being Weak in Body but of perfect memory thanks be given unto Almighty God for the same and Calling to mind the Uncertainty of this life and knowing that man was Ordained once to die and minding to Settle things in order do make this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say first I Recommend my Soul into the hands of Almighty God that gave it me and my Body unto the Earth from whence it was taken and touching such things as the Lord in mercy hath lent me I have in manner and form following first I renounce and revoke Frustrate and make Void all Wills by me formerly made and appoint this my last Will and Testament

Imprimis I give and bequeath unto my Son William Wale the Plantation where I now live and all the land and Marsh that is below that Gum Swamp that runs a Cross part of the Neck and Points against the Plantation of Charles Hackliffe and unto the North East side of the same from the Mouth Road going out of the Neck unto the division line between my land and Charles Hackliffe to him and his heirs & assigns for ever But in Case my Son William should depart this life without lawfull Issue the same to be for my Son Charles and his heirs for ever

Item I give and bequeath unto my Son Charles Wale all the remainder