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Gilbert
Ramsey
Will

In the name of God Amen I Gilbert Ramsey of the County of Muller-
 burg sick man planter in perfect mind and memory thanks be given to
 God for the same telling to mind the mortality of my body and knowing
 that it is appointed once for all men to die do make and ordain this
 my last will and Testament that is to say principally and first I
 Recommend my soul unto the hands of the almighty God that gave it
 me and my body I Recommend to the earth to be buried decent Christian
 Burial at the discretion of my executors nothing doubting at the General
 Resurrection I shall receive the same again by the almighty Power of
 God and as Touching such worthy estates where with it hath pleas-
 ed God to bless me in this life with I give and demise & dispose
 of the same in the following manner and form Item I lend to
 my loving wife Patsy Ramsey the Land that I now live on
 containing 222 Acres which I bought of John Mennas and all
 my stock of all kinds and all my household and furniture &
 all the rest of my estate that is not mentioned after my debts

the death of my loving wife my will and desire is that at
the death of my loving wife that all the rest of my estate be
set up and sold at the highest bidder by my executors and of
all and the money equally divided among my children and
last of all I do appoint Thomas Culbreath and John Munroe
Holey and sole executors of my estate. This my last will &
Testament given under my hand and seal this 5 day of
October 1706. My will and desire is that my estate shall
not be appraised after my death

Signed Sealed and delivered }
In the presence of us. }

Test
John Culbreath

Edward Culbreath

^{his}
William Culbreath
mark

^{his}
Gilbert Ramsey
mark

(90)
At Court held for Mecklenburg County the 8 day of January 1768
This will was proved by the Oaths of John Culbreth & William

Culbreth Witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded and on the motion

of Thomas Culbreth and John Munro the executors therein named
who made oath thereto and together with William Culbreth their

freely entered into acknowledged their in the penalty of one thousand

said pounds conditioned as the said devisor's Certificate was granted

them for obtaining a probate of the said will in due form

Teste

John Brown Cl. Cor.

Pursuant to an order of Mecklenburg County Court bearing

date the 11th day of January 1768 the subscriber being appointed to lay off

and a plan of the same in pursuance of the will of William Munro

deceased his daughter in the slaves and personal estate of