

Mary Davis To James Gilleland

Know all men by these presents that Mary Davis of the County of Overton in the State of Tennessee have this day nominated constituted and appointed James Gilleland of said county and state my attorney in fact for me and in my name to sell and convey to the person purchasing the same by General Warranty deed my one eighth part of a tract of land lying in Hendrix County State of Indiana of Two hundred and forty acres thereabouts being my undivided interest and a child's part of a tract of land conveyed by Robert Cooper to my husband, Thomas Davis senr of this said County of Overton which tract of land lies on the United States road near two miles west of Bellville in said Hendrix County and at the time said tract of land was purchased by said Thomas Davis senr was bounded on the East by Samuel Jessup on the West by Thomas Jessup on the South by Edmiston and for a more particular ^{description} of said tract of land reference is hereby is hereby directed to be made and had from the deed of conveyance from said Cooper to said Davis which is believed to be duly authenticated, and in the public office in said County of Hendricks and my said attorney is hereby empowered and authorized to receive purchase money or take notes at his discretion he may in my name him or prosecute any suit that may be necessary to establish my title to the said undivided moiety of a one eighth part of said tract of land and my said attorney is hereby vested with full power and authority to do and perform any and every act or acts necessary to be done in and about the premises which I might or lawfully could do were I personally present and had done the same myself hereby ratifying and confirming any act or thing he my said attorney may lawfully do in the premises as fully as if I were present and doing the same myself In Testimony of which I have hereunto set my name & seal this eight day of August in the year A.D. 1840

Mary Davis's Seal
Mary Davis
Thomas Davis

State of Tennessee Overton County

Personally appeared before me John S. Daugherty clerk of the County Court for said County Thomas Davis and David Davis the within subscribing witnesses to the within Power of Attorney who upon their oath did say that they were acquainted with Mary Davis the within assignor that they saw her execute the same to James Gilleland for the purpose therein contained Given under my hand at office the 7th day of September, 1840

John S. Daugherty Clerk

State of Tennessee Overton County. I Hardin P. Oglesby Chairman of the County Court of said county hereby certify that John S. Daugherty whose signature appears to foregoing certificate is and was at the time of making the same the legal acting clerk of the County Court for said county and that full faith and credit should be given to all his official acts as such given under my hand at office the 7th day of September, 1840 Hardin P. Oglesby Chairman

State of Tennessee Overton County. I John S. Daugherty clerk of the County Court for said County hereby certify that Hardin P. Oglesby is the acting Chairman of the County Court for the County aforesaid and was at the time the date of his attestation as such

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of our said Court at office the 7th day of September 1840

John S. Daugherty Clerk

The above power of Attorney recorded October 25th 1840