

Know all men by these presents that I Mary Todd of Bourbon  
 County and State of Kentucky for divers good causes and consideration  
 me hereunto moving have made, ordained constituted, & appointed and  
 by these presents do make, or dain constitute and appoint George L. Williams  
 of the County and State aforesaid my true and lawful attorney for me  
 and in my name to sell and dispose of all my right, title, and, interest  
 in and to my portion of the tract of land lying in Gunville District in  
 the State of South Carolina situate on the waters of Ruddy River  
 it being the same tract of land which belonged to my Father Ma  
 thew Wayne dec'd & of which he did possess & a part of which I  
 inherit as one of his heirs and devise, my said attorney is hereby  
 empowered to sell and dispose of the same absolutely in fee simple  
 for such price or sum of money & to such person or persons as he  
 shall think fit and convenient, And also for me and in my  
 name and as my act and deed, to sign seal, execute, and de  
 liver such deed, and conveyance for the absolute sale, alienation  
 and disposal thereof or of any part thereof with such clause  
 covenants and agreements to be therein contained as my said  
 attorney shall think fit and expedient hereby ratifying and  
 confirming and by these presents allowing all such sales deed  
 conveyance & alienations which shall at any time hereafter be  
 made by my said attorney touching or concerning the premises &  
 In testamany whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal  
 the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of April 1828.

Mary <sup>her</sup> Todd <sup>mark</sup> Seal

State of Kentucky Bourbon County Sit. We Boon Ingels and Henry Timber  
 lake Justices of the peace for said County do certify that the within  
 letter of Attorney from Mary Todd to George L. Williams was subscri  
 bed, sealed, and acknowledged by the said Mary Todd to be her  
 act and deed before us given under our hand and seals the 23<sup>rd</sup> day  
 of April 1828.

Boon Ingels Seal

Henry Timberlake Seal

Bourbon County Kentucky Sit. I Thomas P. Smith Clerk of the County  
 Court for said County do certify that Boon Ingels & Henry Timberlake  
 before whom the acknowledgment of the foregoing letter of attorney from  
 Mary Todd to George L. Williams appears to have been taken, and whose  
 Certificate is annexed here to are now and were at the time of the taking  
 of said acknowledgment, acting Justices of the peace in & for said  
 County, duly commissioned & sworn to all whose official acts as such  
 full faith and credit are due & of right ought to be given as well in  
 Courts of Justice as otherwise In testimony whereof I have hereunto set  
 my hand and affixed the office seal of my office at Paris in said County  
 the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of April A.D. 1828 & in the 36 year of the Commonwealth.

Seal

Thos. P. Smith C. C. by  
 John Smith