

and Thompson came before the said A. B. Bennett Joseph M. Brannon & John of Bennett the subscribing witnesses thereto who being duly sworn depose & say as follows: The said John M. Bennett depose & say that he is as present and saw said testator sign & seal three that he signed & sealed and acknowledged the same in his presence to be his last will & testament. The said John M. Bennett Joseph M. Brannon depose & say they were not present when said testator signed said paper writing but that he acknowledged the same in their presence to be his last will & testament. Upon the day at above date said witnesses all state that they were personally acquainted with the testator in his lifetime he delivered said paper writing and that they signed their names thereto as witnesses at the request and in the presence of the testator. Therefore it was ordered by the Court that said will be recorded as the said directs. Witness My E. Taylor Clerk of said Court at office this day of January 1855.

Wm. E. Taylor Clk.

2^d Codicil to
the will of
James Lewis

State of Tennessee, Be it remembered that at a Conference Court held at the Court house in Nashville on 1st Monday in Dec 1850 Present Judges Green W. R. & Taylor when the following proceedings were had
13th Dec 1850
Ed Robbins & wife Pls 3

vs.
David L. Lewis Def 1

3 This day came the parties aforesaid by their attorneys. Thompson as true that record and proceedings aforesaid as the main for the assigned day said Ed Robbins & wife having seen and heard the Court there freely understood and for them it is to the Court that neither in the record and proceedings aforesaid nor in understanding the judgment aforesaid in anything in there wrong. It is therefore considered by the Court that the judgment rendered in said cause in the Court below be in all things affirmed and that the paper writing in the proceedings mentioned to be a paper writing purporting to be codicil to the Last will and Testament of James Lewis decd dated 2nd of March 1847 is the true and correct codicil to the Last will and Testament of the said James Lewis decd and that the said codicil be established as part of the will and Testament of the said James Lewis decd and be confirmed as such and be committed in the Clerk's office of the County Court of Franklin County and that the Clerk of the County Court certify to the County Court this judgment and that the said Ed Robbins & wife and Joseph M. Brannon the security men appeal pay the cost of this cause and that execution be thereon.

State of Tennessee

I D. P. Clark Clerk of the Supreme Court at Nashville do hereby certify that the above is a true copy of the judgment of said Court in said cause as the same appears of the records of my office.

in testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed
the seal of said Court at office in Nashville this the 16th Decr 1850
and 75 yrs or of age can subscribe same
J. P. Coloss & Clerk.



2nd Codicil to
the Will of
James Lewis
dicto

Codicil No 2 To the Last Will and Testament of James Lewis of
Franklin County Tennessee " I James Lewis of the County of
Franklin State of Tennessee having heretofore testator on the
1st day of April A.D. 1841 duly made obtained and published my
last Will and Testament and having made certain amendments
or alterations thereto by a codicil dated the 15th day of September
A.D. 1845 and being desirous of making some other alterations in my
said Will and Codicil in the following particulars to wit: It is
my Will and desire that the portion of my estate which in two thirds
of my said last Will or Codicil shall be due to my Grand
daughter Missador a Adeline wife of R. Robinson she be vested in
my Executors hereafter mentioned in trust for the separate
use support and maintenance of said Missador and the heirs
of her body for and during her natural life and at her death
then to the heirs of her body if any shall in default thereof
then to my children and grand children according to the provisions
of my said Will and Codicil and my said Executors are hereby
directed to effectuate this provision of my Will by carrying
by deed the portion of said Missador a Adeline into a Trust in
accordance according to the provisions of this clause of my Will
I in my said Will in making a provision for my Grand
daughter Mary Ann wife of Octavus Spencer her name
is erroneously in said Will and Codicil Mary Spencer Lewis the
name therefore to Mary Spencer Lewis as hereby corrected
and made to Mary Spencer " I do hereby set for altered and
change my said Will and Codicil in giving to my son
D. C. Lewis my negro woman Harriet being then aged about thirty
years old and the place of the negro woman Fanny & Cornelia
which said woman and child since the death of my Will
and Codicil I have conveyed to Simpson E. Robinson. It is
also my Will and desire that the portion of my estate bequeathed
to my son D. C. Lewis and his wife and to the survivors thereof
of the vested in the Trustees provided in said Will and
Codicil but it is my desire that my said son is authorized
to dispose of the same and in the whole devised for the
use of himself and his wife as aforesaid either by deed or
Will to dispose of the remainder in said Estate to anyone
or more of my children or grand children as he in his
discretion may think proper " Upon reflection and Examination
I am satisfied that my daughter Mary E. Robinson wife of Ed
Robinson has been by way of advances received her full
portion of my Estate. Therefore I do hereby move and amend
every thing and clause in my said Will and Codicil bearing

any portion of my estate to her ⁱⁿ my way of amending and
altering my said Will and Codicil ⁱⁿ this shape &c. I desire
and direct that the negro slave named ^{to} said Henry Robinson
in my said Will and Codicil be by my Executors applied to the
satisfaction of the Legacy to the children of Mary & Barton
I desire to my wife Mary B Lewis my negro woman an Lavinia
for her natural life in the room and instead of the Carriage
and harness mentioned in my Will. At the death of my Wife
it is my Wish and desire ^{that} my Executors are hereby directed
to cause my horses and of faithful servant to remain until
after four & in addition to the Execution mentioned in my
former Will and Codicil I hereby nominate constitute and appoint
my friends ^{to} the said Henry B Wagner ^{and} James Harris
to act as Executors with the those named in my said
Will and Codicil. In testimony whereof I have hereunto signed
sealed and published this Codicil as a part of my last Will
and Testament. In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed
my name ^{and} affixed my Seal this 27th day of March 1847
at second estate twice mentioned
before signed signed sealed published
and delivered in presence of
H. Wagner M. Wagner