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with
of
Francis S. Lawrence
deceased Trust

Outward Copy on
Reg of Deeds

Province of Nova Scotia, Registrar of Deeds
Office, County of Pictou, FEB 7 1901

certify that the within instrument was duly re-
gistered at 3 p.m. of the above day in Book
3, page 279-281 on the certificate

John L. McLeod Reg.
~~John L. McLeod~~
Registrar.

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I Francis Duke Laurie of New Glasgow in the County of Pictou and Province of Nova Scotia Gentlemen make this my last will and testament

As I have heretofore made ample provision for my wife I bequeath and devise to Wallace in Donald of Halifax in the County of Halifax Barrister at Law and Healey & Jamison of New Glasgow in the County of Pictou and Province aforesaid Barrister at Law whom I hereby appoint Executors and Trustees of this my last will and testament the whole of my estate and effects of every kind wherever situate to them and the survivors of them his heirs and assigns in trust to sell the same by private or public sale at such time or times as they shall think fit with power to execute deeds and conveyances thereof upon the following trusts -

First - To pay all my just debts

Secondly - To pay to my personal friend Alexander M. Baird for the first twelve years after my decease three hundred dollars per year and two hundred and fifty dollars per year thereafter so long as he lives and also direct that he have my gold watch and chain and such of my clothing and flowers as he may desire

Thirdly - I direct that at the death of my wife Murdoch P. Mc Bain have the free and uninterrupted use and occupation of my house and lands in New Glasgow together with the household furniture and effects so long as he lives, but should he desire and make his request in writing my executor's shall sell the said house and lands and invest the proceeds in some good security and pay over to Murdoch P. Mc Bain yearly the interest realized therefrom in addition to the sum I heretofore have directed to be paid him.

Should the said house and lands be not sold in the life-time of Murdoch P. Mc Bain then at his death I direct that my house and lands in New Glasgow be sold.

Fourthly - Should Murdoch P. Mc Bain marry and die leaving issue then surviving I direct that two hundred and fifty dollars be paid yearly to his widow for her support and that of the issue of Murdoch P. Mc Bain so long as she lives unmarried together with the interest on the moneys realized from the sale of my house and lands.

Fifthly - In the event of Murdoch P. Mc Bain dying and leaving issue I direct that all the residue of my estate be paid over to his issue without condition or limitation, and if there are more than

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one issue the residue be divided equally
 between or among the issue. The time
 of payment to be made immediately
 after the death of his widow or should
 she marry again immediately after her
 decease if the youngest child living
 is then twenty five years of age or
 is married, but if the youngest child
 is not twenty one years of age nor
 married, then so soon as either of
 these events occur, my executors are
 hereby empowered unless they deem
 it inadvisable to advance at any
 time after the death of Muddock P M Bain
 for the support and education of
 his issue, the interest on any
 portion of it of the monies that form
 the residue of my estate

Sixthly - I bequeath to Wallace
 and Donald of Glasgow Barrister at
 law and to Hedley D. Ferguson of
 New Glasgow Barrister at law one
 hundred dollars each to be taken
 by them out of the residue of my
 estate

Seventhly - In the event of my friend
 Muddock P M Bain dying without
 issue then surviving I direct
 that one third of the residue of
 my estate be paid over to the
 Church Wardens of Saint Georges
 Church New Glasgow for the benefit
 of the Church and the other

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two thirds to be paid over to the Trustees
of Aberdeen Hospital Near Glasgow
for the general benefit of the Hospital
I declare it to be my will that in
Case of the death, resignation or
incapacity of either of my said
executors or substituted executors as
hereinafter provided, that the Surviving
or Continuing executor shall immediately
in such an event happening appoint
by writing under his hand and Seal
and which writing is to be filed in
the Probate Court of Pictou County
some fit and suitable person to act
with him as substituted executor who
shall have the same power and
authority in the management of my
estate as if he had been directly
appointed by me.

In witness Whereof I the said
Francis Duke Laurie have to this
my last will and testament subscribed
my name this eighth day of February
in the year of our Lord one thousand
nine hundred

Eighty six and
declared by the above
named Francis Duke
Laurie the Testator as
and published and read
and Testament in the
presence of us who at his
request and in his presence
and in the presence of Francis Duke Laurie
each other have here
unto subscribed our
names as witnesses
J. Howard
Joshua Flann

Province of Nova Scotia
County of Pictou S.S.

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In the Court of Probate
I John Dm Lewis Registrar of
Said Court do hereby certify that the
within paper writing is a True Copy
of the will of Francis Duke Lawson
late of New Glasgow in the County of
Pictou Gentleman deceased admitted
to probate in said Court on the 21st
day of April 1900

I witness under my hand at
Pictou in the County of Pictou
this 26 day of April 1900
John Dm Lewis
Registrar