

This is the last will and Testament of me
Samuel M. Mead of Westville in the County of
Hector Widow, my will is that my just debts and
funeral expenses be paid and also that a monument
be erected to mark my last resting place, with a
suitable inscription thereon, also on the same
Monument an inscription in memory of my brother
~~My Sister the wife to~~ ~~the whole to cost not more than thirty~~
dollars. The above matters to be attended to by my
Executors hereinafter named. The residue and re-
-mainder of my real and personal property which
shall not be required for such I give devise and
dispose thereof as follows -

I give and devise my pew in Carmel Church
to Carmel Church Congregation to be leased or rented
and the proceeds to go into the general funds of
the Congregation.

I give and devise to my Nephew
William H. Fraser son of my brother Donald my
Family Bible.

I give and devise to my Niece Catherine
Fraser of Brooklyn all my furs.

I give and devise to William Fraser one of
my executors my shares in the Acadia Corporation
Society of Westville with interest or dividends accruing
In Trust for my adopted daughter Mary Ston-
M. Mead to hold the same or make over to her
at her death, hoping my said Sister will
act in this matter with a view to my said
adopted Daughters best interest, and I hereby
give him power at any time to appoint a trustee
with the same powers as he has to act in his place.
Should my said adopted daughter die without
heirs, I order the above shares to be sold and the
proceeds divided between Carmel Church

and Middle river Church share and share alike. The remainder of my property both real and personal I order my Executors to dispose of at either public Auction or private Sale to the best advantage and the amount realized to be disbursed as follows—

I give and devise to the Middle river Church ~~Twenty dollars to be applied to paying off their debt.~~

I give and devise to the foreign Mission of the Presbyterian Church of Canada, Twenty Dollars to be applied to any part of that field my Executors in their discretion think proper.

I give and devise to Adam W. Kean Esq. of Pictou town Twenty dollars.

The balance still remaining of the above mentioned amount I divide into Twenty Eight Shares and dispose of as follows.

~~I give and devise to Alexander D. Fraser my brother John's son Five Shares—~~

I give and devise to Alexander D. Fraser my sister Elizabeth's son Two Shares.

I give and devise to Walter S. Fraser my sister Elizabeth's son Two Shares—

I give and devise to Mary A. McMay my sister Elizabeth's daughter One Share.

I give and devise to Catharine M. Cullow my sister Elizabeth's daughter One Share.

~~I give and devise to David J. Fraser my brother Alexander's son Two Shares—~~

I give and devise to Anthony J. Fraser my brother Alexander's son Two Shares.

I give and devise to Elizabeth Crockett my sister Marion's daughter Two Shares.

I give and devise to Sarah Murray my Brother William's daughter Two Shares.

I give and devise to Alexander S. Fraser my brother
William's son Two Shares.

I give and devise to Alexander J. Munro of
Westville my friend and Relative - Two Shares.

I give and devise to Samuel Fraser my
friend and Relative of Durham Two Shares.

I give and devise to Nathaniel S. Uryahart
my friend Two Shares.

I give and devise to Jessie Munro
wife of Edward F. Munro my friend and
Relative One Share.

Whereby nominate and appoint
my Nephew William S. Fraser Esq. of Middle
River and Rev. Robert Cumming of Westville
Executors of this my last Will and Testament,

In testimony whereof I the testator
have hereunto set my hand and Seal this fourth
day of February in the year of our Lord One
Thousand Eight hundred and Eighty Six.

Witness
James M. McLean

(L.S.)

Signed, published & declared
by the said James M. McLean
to be her last Will and
Testament in the presence of
us who in her presence at
her request and in the
presence of each other have
hereunto subscribed our
names.

Lt. Alex. Munro
Samuel W. Fraser

County of Victoria B.C.

In the Court of Probate of Wills -

I do hereby Certify that the

foregoing instrument consisting of three pages is
an exact and literal copy of the last will and
testament of Jacob M. Newell of Westville in
the County of Pictou, Widow, deceased, Testator
and which has been duly filed and admitted to
probate in accordance with the practice of the Court;
Given under my hand at Pictou, this
4th day of May A.D. 1887.

Wm. Kane

to the Registrar of Deeds }
for the County of Pictou.

Registrar

Provincia de La Paz

Legislative Officer Dec 19th March 1888 & certify that the within statement was duly registered at 4 PM of the above day in the registry of Mr. E. B. Bond No 2 shape 27. 1888 29 on the certificate of J. H. Samliff of Probate.

John Jay

Estate of
 Sarah McKean
 late of Westville
 Widow, deceased
 Testate

Copy of Will
for
Registrar of Deeds.