

trust money shall remain in the hands of
the said John Garrison or his heirs I give
and devise the same to my said wife
Mary Fletcher McPherson her heirs and
assigns for ever.

I give devise and bequeath
unto Hannah McMay who has for some
years past been a faithful servant in my
house, should she be living at the time of my
decease, the sum of Two hundred dollars.

I nominate John Gorston, Cogins
and Isaac A. Grant Merchant both of
Fiction, Executors of this my Will.

In witness whereof I have hereunto
my hand and seal subscribed and set
this sixteenth day of January. One
Thousand eight hundred and Seventy
three.

Signed Sealed and
executed in presence
of us witnesses.

Signed

Joseph McPherson

(L.S.)

Signed Robert Patterson

Signed G. M. Elliott

County of Pictou, N.S.

In the Court of Probate of Wills &c. &c.

I do hereby Certify that the foregoing
instrument ~~consisting of two pages~~ is an
exact and literal Copy of the last Will and
testament of Joseph Edward McPherson, late
of Pictou, in the County of Pictou, Esquire,
deceased, testator, which has been duly
filed and admitted to Probate, in accordance
with the practice of the Court.

Given under my hand at Pictou
this 31st day of March A.D. 1880.

John H. Law

Registrar

To John Ferguson Esq^r

Registrar of Deeds
for the County of Pictou

Estate of
Joseph C. McPherson
late of Victoria -
deceased, Testate,

Copy of Will
for
Registration of Deeds

Presented at Nova Scotia

Registry Office, Victoria, B.C. June 1890 & certified that the
within instrument is a duly registered will of the
deceased, by the Registry of Wills, B.C. June 20, 1890, in
the presence of three persons.

Attest
John J. McPherson

Ref.

Then in the last will and Testament
of me Joseph Edward McPherson of Pictou in
the County of Pictou lately a Chief Trader in the
Honorable Hudson's Bay Company.

After payment of my just debts
and Charges I dispose of my estate as
follows.

I give devise and bequeath all real
estate and all personal estate of which I
shall be possessed either at law or in equity
at the time of my decease to my wife Mary
Fletcher McPherson (except the devise herein-
after mentioned) To Have and To Hold the
same unto the said Mary Fletcher McPherson
her heirs and assigns for her use and
benefit and for the use and benefit of my
Children Murdoch, Maria, Donald,
Margaret, William, and Alexander.

I give devise and bequeath
unto John Grierson Superintendent of
The Industrial School at Halifax and
his heirs the sum of Four hundred
Dollars upon trust for my son Richard
Edward McPherson to be applied by the said
John Grierson in whatever manner and
at whatever time or times as to him
shall appear most for the benefit and
advantage of my said son, and should
the said Richard Edward McPherson die
without lawful issue, and while any of
said