

I Alexander P. R. Stalker do make, publish and declare this to be my last will and testament hereby revoking all wills by me at any time heretofore made. I appoint as Executrix and Executor of this my will my wife Alice J. Stalker and my brother John A. Stalker and my nephew Alexander S. Stalker. I direct my Executrix and Executors out of my monies in the Dominion Savings Bank to pay the sum of one hundred dollars in reduction of the debt on the Building of the young Men's Christian Association Pictou and the like sum of one hundred dollars to the Foreign Mission Fund of the Presbyterian Church in Canada (Eastern Section). I give devise and bequeath to my brother John A. Stalker all my shares interest and estates in the Brick house and Shop Premises and in the frame ware house both on the East side of Coleraine Street in the Town of Pictou and also all monies and securities for money in the nature of cash owing or belonging to the firm of John A. Stalker & Co. I give devise and bequeath to my nephew Alexander S. Stalker all my shares and interest in the partnership business of John A. Stalker and Co. including book debts owing to said firm stock in trade and excepting only the monies heretofore referred to. I give and bequeath to my

Wife Alice J. Stalker all the household furniture and moveables of what soever nature and kind in about or appertaining to the messuage and premises where I reside and the sum of five thousand dollars absolutely to her own use also my life insurance. All the residue and ~~remains~~ ~~of my estate of whatsoever nature~~ and kind and whatsoever situate I give devise and bequeath to my executrix and Executors hereinafter named in trust that they or the survivor of them shall as same as conveniently may be after my decease sell get in and convert into money all such parts of such residue as do not consist of money or securities for money and after payment of my just debts and testamentary expenses from the proceeds of such sale getting in or conversion shall invest the residue in bank stocks or other interest bearing security with power for my executrix and Executor at their discretion to vary and transfere such stocks or securities for any others of the kind hereinbefore prescribed and at their discretion to continue any such investments as I in my life time made have made and shall pay the annual income of the said stocks and securities to my said wife during her life and after her death to divide the corpus

or principal sum invested <sup>3</sup> between my brother John A. Stalker and his children and the children of my sisters Annie, Harriat and Georgiana in such proportions as my wife shall by her last will or deed or deeds appoint. In Witness thereof I have my hand subscribed to this my will this twenty fifth day of February one thousand nine hundred and seven.

Signed, published and declared by the above named Alexander P. R. Stalker as his last will in the presence of us both present at the signed his same time when in this Alexander P. R. Stalker and the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witness, the word "trustee" on this page having been previously ~~erased~~

Signed John U. Ross

Signed Susie Currier

I, Alexander P. R. Stalker do hereby declare this as a codicil to my will dated the twenty fifth day of February A. D. 1917. Whereas by said will I have made certain devises and bequeats to my brother John A. Stalker. Now it is my will and to be read as part of my said will that if the said John A. Stalker should die before me the property and estate to him ~~be~~

devised and bequeathed shall go to such persons as he shall by his will appoint and in default of such appointment to his heirs at law or legal representatives according to the respective nature thereof. In all other respects I confirm and republish my said will. In Witness whereof I have my hand subscribed to this codicil to my will bearing even date herewith to date the twenty fifth day of February one thousand nine hundred and seven.

Signed published and declared by the above named Alex. P. R. Stalker as and for a codicil to his will in the presence of us both present at the same time who in this presence and the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses

Signed John U. Ross  
Signed Susie Currie

Signed  
Alex. P. R. Stalker  
mark

County of Peter 551

In the Court of Probate

I John Van Hook Registrar of  
said Court do hereby certify that  
the foregoing paper writing is a true  
copy of the last will and testament  
of Alexander P. R. Stalker late of  
Peter in said County deceased  
Signed which said will was duly  
admitted to Probate in said Court  
at Peter aforesaid on the 18 day of  
March A.D. 1907

Witness my hand at Peter  
this 18 day of March 1907

John Van Hook  
Registrar

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Province of Nova Scotia, Registrar of Deeds  
Office, County of Hecoua

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certified that the within instrument was duly re-  
corded at 3:15 pm of the above day in Book

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on the certificate

John D. McLeod, Reg.

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Registrar