

Daniel McLeod Will Continued

the first place I want my funeral
Expence, and what debts I may owe ~~personally~~
paid after that I give and bequeath to my
brother John McLeod, to him and his heirs for ever
all the land I hold under my fathers Will.
I also give and bequeath unto said brother John
McLeod my three Negroes, men, Abram, Isaac, and
Nedley also my two Mules, also what cattle and
hags I have. Also House hold furniture and
farming tools I have, also what Cash I may have
or debts due me in any way, in short I give and
bequeath to him every species of property of which
I may die possessed except the old Negro Woman
Ans. I privilege her to choose her home, and live
with whom she may the above is the disposition
I after mature reflection make of my Earthly effects
Let no one dissent therefrom after I am gone
Now I constitute and ordain my brother John
McLeod above named, sole Executor of this my
last Will and Testament in Witness Whereof I
set my hand and affix my seal August 3rd 1852
Executed in presence of
John H. Dalrymple } Daniel McLeod
Francis W. Edwards }

A paper bearing purporting to be the last Will and
Testament of Daniel McLeod dec^d was offered for
probate in open Court by John McLeod the Executor
therein named and John H. Dalrymple and Francis
W. Edwards the subscribing Witnesses thereunto being
known upon their holy Evangelist of Almighty God proved
the Executor thereof Whereupon it is considered by the
Court, and declared to be the last Will and
Testament of the said Daniel McLeod and it is
ordered that the same be recorded and

Daniel McLeod Will

John McLeod the Executor therein named was
duly qualified according to law as the
Executor of the said last Will and Testament.
A. b. Kelly & Co.

William Shaw Will

I William Shaw of the County of Moore and
State of North Carolina being of sound
mind and memory but considering the
uncertainty of my earthly existence do
make and declare this my last Will and
Testament in manner and form following
that is to say. First That all my real and
personal property be sold either publically or
private by whichever may seem to be most
advantageous except so much as shall be herein
after mentioned and that all my just debts be
paid out of the proceeds of said property I also
give and devise to my son Will William
Shaw Three hundred Dollars to be paid out of
the proceeds of said property. I also give and
devise to my son Malcomb Shaw Three hundred
Dollars of the proceeds arising from the sale
of said property. I also give and devise to
my beloved wife one two year old mare
(called nance) and her choice of two milk cows
together with all the House hold and kitchen
furniture which she may deem necessary to
keep during her natural life and should any
thing remain after her death to be equally
divided between my three daughters Mary
Jane and Catherine. I also give and
devise to my aged daughter one young cott.
three months old. I also give and devise to

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Kill William Shaw (Jail) one hand saw three
 Augers one drawing knife and a foot and two
 wheels. My Will is that a sufficiency of the crop
 now on hand be exempt from sale for the
 benefit of the family for one year after all
 my debts are paid and the above devised
 satisfied then all the surplus remaining to be
 equally divided among all my children
 Dugald C Shaw not Excepted. I will that
 three twenty five cent Bibles be procured
 one for Dugald C Shaw one for William H.
 Shaw and one for Margaret C Shaw I will
 that my religious books be kept (or distributed)
 which are not already disposed of for the
 use of the Family. - I also appoint Kill
 William Shaw Guardian of Dugald C Shaw
 until he becomes twenty one years old.
 I do hereby appoint Kill William Shaw and
 Malcolm Shaw (my sons) my lawful
 Executors to execute this my last Will
 and Testament. This September 25 A.D. 1852
 This Will acknowledged in the
 presence of: William Shaw Seal
 Norman Ferguson +
 Murdoch Ferguson

North Carolina's Court of Pleas and Quarter
 Moore County 3 Sepemr January Term 1853
 The foregoing paper writing was brought into
 open court by Kill W. Shaw and offered
 for probate as the last Will and Testament
 of William Shaw and Norman Ferguson
 a subscribing witness to the same was
 examined by the court who swore that he
 heard said William Shaw acknowledge his
 signature to said paper writing and that

it did contain his Last Will and Testament
 and that said Shaw was at that time of sound
 and disposing mind and memory wherefore
 it is considered by the court that said paper
 writing has been duly proven and admitted
 to probate in common form and the same
 is ordered to be recorded by the clerk and
 filed among the records of his office and
 Kill W Shaw one of the executors therein
 named is duly qualified as such in open
 court -

A. C. Gentry Clerk