A Time Line of Images of the McLean House
April 9, 1865: Pencil sketch by Eustice Collett
April 9, 1865: Pencil sketch by Alfred Waud
Circa Fall 1865: Wet plate photograph by Timothy O’Sullivan
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Circa 1866: Painting by George Frankenstein
Circa 1865: Photograph for stereographic view.
Circa 1880's: Stereoscopic photography by photographer/publisher B.W. Kilburn.
Circa 1885: Photograph of house draped in mourning after Grant’s death.
Circa 1891: Photograph of Myron Dunlap and Investors?
Circa 1890: Photograph by A.H. Plecker of Lynchburg and Salem.
Post 1893: Photograph by A.H. Plecker showing piles of material from the house in front of the main kitchen.
Spring 1920: W. E. Burgess postcard.
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August 1940: Photograph of the McLean house site by NPS staff.
August 1940: McLean house site with War Department Marker.
September 1940: Clearing of the McLean house site.
McLean house site and environs ~ before final clearing, 1940.

Looking north from back yard. Center of photograph is approximate center of house site. Three existing village structures appear at upper right.
August 23, 1941: Mr. Ragland Featherston, born in the McLean House, talks with junior archeologist Preston Holder, kneeling, and Superintendent Hubert A. Gurney, and his son.
April 20, 1941: Archeology at the McLean house site by NPS staff.
April 3, 1941: Uncovering of the hearth at the McLean house site.
Specifications for the McLean House drawn before dismantling and used during the house’s reconstruction.
June 17, 1948: Reconstruction of the house with War Dept. marker moved.
November, 1949: Setting locust trees to replace historic ones in front of the house.
April 16, 1950: Dedication ceremony at the McLean House.
April 16, 1950: U.S. Grant III and R.E. Lee IV cut the ribbon at the dedication ceremony at the McLean House.
Circa the 1950s: McLean House with Highway 24 still out in front.
August 1964:
This McLean House photo by Bruce Dale appeared in the April 1965 Civil War Centennial issue of National Geographic magazine.
April 1965: The McLean House at the Centennial.
July 1983: photo courtesy Elizabeth Sherriff
April 11, 2015: photo courtesy Shenandoah Sanchez.