

James J. Warren,  
Signed and declared to be his last will and testament by the  
above named James J. Warren, in the presence of us, who in his  
presence, at his request, and in the presence of each other  
have hereunto written our names as witnesses.

Henry F. Harris.  
Samuel Elliott.  
Wm. Henry Hayden.

At test record:

Artist: George H. Harlow Registrar

Case 15272.

Arrested Word.

Be it remembered, that I Austin Word, of Mendon, in the  
Commonwealth of Massachusetts, being of sound mind and memory,  
but knowing the uncertainty of this life, do make this my last will  
and testament.

After the payment of my just debts and funeral charges, I be-  
queath and devise as follows:

To my nephews, Frank Word and Samuel Word, I give and devise  
my Pond Hill word lot, (or called) also my my Micer's Hill  
word lot, my Samson word lot, and my Fuller word lot,  
with adjacent my Pond Hill word lot, also, One thousand dollars  
each, in money.

To my nieces, daughters of my brother Perry Word, viz: Mighty  
Mary, Harriet, Caroline and Nancy, I give and bequeath the sum  
of Five hundred dollars each.

To Mary Word, daughter of John C. Word, I give and bequeath the  
sum of Three hundred dollars.

To Minnie Allen, daughter of Charles Allen, I give and bequeath  
the sum of Three hundred dollars.

To Helen Haskell, daughter of Lewis Word, I give and bequeath  
the sum of One thousand dollars.

To Fred Taft, and Elias Taft, sons of Samuel H. Taft, I give  
and bequeath the sum of Three hundred dollars each.

To my niece Abby Peabody, I give and bequeath, the sum of Three  
hundred dollars.

To Lillian Word, wife of my nephew, Joseph H. Word, I give and  
bequeath the sum of Three hundred dollars.

To Charles Word, Benjamin Word, and Mary Word, children  
of my nephew William P. Word, I give and bequeath, the sum  
of Three hundred dollars, each.

To my niece-keeper, Carrie B. Quinn, I give and bequeath, the  
sum of One thousand dollars, and if she remains with me,

during the remainder of my life time, I give and bequeath to her  
the additional sum of One thousand dollars, the same to be ac-  
cepted in full for all services and claims which shall not have  
been paid to her at the time of my death.

To Lotta F. Mathews, niece of my wife, I give and bequeath the  
sum of Three hundred dollars.

To said Lotta F. Mathews and Carrie B. Quinn, I give, bequeath,  
and devise my homestead house and lot in Mendon, where I now  
reside, and all my furniture and personal effects therein, to them  
and their heirs and assigns forever.

To Frank Word, my nephew, I give and bequeath, the sum of One  
hundred dollars, his wife, the income thereof to be applied  
to the care of my cemetery lot.

To the Home for Little Wanderers, in Boston, I give and bequeath  
the sum of Five hundred dollars.

To the Unitarian Society, of Mendon, I give and bequeath the sum  
of Five hundred dollars.

To the Town of Mendon, where I now reside, in its corporate ca-  
pacity, I give and bequeath, the sum of Five hundred dollars,  
in trust, to be disbursed by the selectmen of said town to  
the worthy poor of said town, who are not paupers, nor  
assisted by the town, under the pauper laws; according to  
the discretion of said town officers.

I nominate and appoint Perry Adams, of Upton, Executor,  
of this my last will, and I give and bequeath to him the sum  
of Three hundred dollars, to be in full for all services in the  
settlement of my estate, and I request that no surty be  
required on his part as bond.

Finally, I order and direct my Executor, if there shall be  
any surplus of money, over and above the foregoing legacies, to  
divide it among the legatees named herein, in proportion to  
their several legacies, and if there shall be a deficiency,  
the same shall be shared by said legatees in the same pro-  
portion.

In testimony whereof, I hereunto set my hand, and in the  
presence of three witnesses, declare this to be my last will  
this seventh day of July in the year one thousand eight  
hundred and

Austin Word.

On this seventh day of July, A. D. 1890, Austin Word, of  
Mendon, Massachusetts, signed the foregoing instrument in  
our presence, declaring it to be his last will; and as witnesses  
thereof, we three do now, at his request, in his presence, and in  
the presence of each other, hereto subscribe our names.