

1144 of Mendon in the County of Worcester and Common
wealth of Massachusetts former being in somewhat
impaired health, and of sound and disposing mind and
memory do make and publish this my last will and
testament hereby revoking all former wills by me or
any mine heretofore made.

First, I hereby constitute and appoints William Fairbanks
of Bellingham in the County of Norfolk Executor of this my last
will, hereby directing my said Executor to pay all my
just debts and funeral expenses and the legacies
hereinafter given out of my Estate.

Second, I do hereby give devise and bequeath to my
son John R. Hayward of said Mendon the tract of land
known as the Pine woods situated in said Bellingham
containing about six acres more or less being the tract
deeded to me by my late father John Hayward, and
by him purchased of Dr. Samuel Scammett. So have
and to hold the same to said John R. his heirs and assigns
to his and their use and behoof forever.

Third, I do hereby give devise and bequeath to said
John R. Hayward an undivided fourth part of the Home-
stead Farm whereon I now live and privileges and appurtenances
thereto belonging subject to my wife's occupation for one year
of a portion of the dwelling house as hereinafter mentioned
of so to elect to have and to hold said one fourth part
to said John R. his heirs and assigns to his and their use
and behoof forever.

Fourth, I hereby give devise and bequeath to my son
Samuel P. Hayward of Ellipton in said County of Worcester
one undivided fourth part of said Homestead farm & appurtenances
thereto belonging subject to my wife's occupation as aforesaid
as provided herein. To have and to hold to said Samuel P.
his heirs and assigns to his and their use and behoof forever.

Fifth, I do hereby give devise and bequeath to each of
my three daughters to wit, to Lavina P. Pickering wife of
Gerrit Pickering, to Mary P. Fairbanks wife of said William
Fairbanks & to Ruth Ella Hayward one undivided sixth
part of my said Homestead farm and appurtenances to
the same belonging subject to my wife's occupation as aforesaid
as herein provided. To have and to hold one undivided
sixth part to each of my said daughters & each of their
heirs and assigns, to their use & behoof forever, meaning

to devise one undivided sixth part of said Homestead 1145
farm to each of my said daughters in fee simple.

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Sixth, I do hereby give devise and bequeath to my beloved
wife Rosa Hayward one thousand dollars in money to be
paid to her by my executors, administrators and assigns
within one year after my decease to be for the sole use of herself her heirs
and assigns.

Seventh, I do hereby give and bequeath to my said wife
all the goods and chattels which she brought to me or of
which she was possessed at the time of our marriage, to be
for her sole use & favour. Also all the articles of wear
or furnishing which she has made up with her own hands
except my wearing apparel since our said marriage.
Eighth, I do hereby give devise and bequeath to my said
wife all the provisions including meats and provisions which
shall be in the house at the time of my decease, to her sole
use forever.

Ninth, I do hereby give devise and bequeath to my
said wife the right and privilege for the term of one year
after my decease to hold and occupy the east part of
my dwelling house from cellar to garret consisting of
two rooms by me occupied for a sleeping apartment, the
dining room in the rear thereof, chamber and milk room
above said east room & said dining room and room in attic
above and cellar underneath said described rooms, with
right of way out of and through the front and back doors
of said dwelling house and to pass through

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other rooms in said house for the enjoyment of said rights
of way, and with right of way up and down all stairs and
stair ways leading to rooms in second story or attic or to other
rooms above as aforesaid, meaning to devise to my said
wife all rights of way & other rights necessary to her said
occupation.

Tenth, I do hereby give and bequeath to my said wife the
right to take and use wood from my wood pile during
said year of her occupation.

The foregoing provisions in favor of my said wife being numbered
Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, and Tenth in this will are
hereby declared to be and are to be taken to be in full sat-
isfaction of all claims on my Estate either for dower
or distributive share thereof or otherwise which she may have
now or at the time of my decease, and in case she
shall claim a dower or have her dower out of my real