

Marriages

Amos D. George	25 Nov 1858	Lucy M. Chipman	b 19 Sep 1837
			d 3 Nov 1867
m/2nd	25 Nov 1868	Abby M. March	b 11 Aug 1842
			d 24 Mar 1898
Marcia George	27 Nov 1862	Marshall Dadman	b 9 Jun 1821
			d 30 Oct 1894
Ira P. George	15 Aug 1861	Flora M. Howe	b 31 Aug 1843
Joseph R. George	died young		
Jason R. George	16 Oct 1868	Mary F. Packard	b 14 Apr 1845
Alice R. George	16 Oct 1867	Usher A. Day	b 24 Aug 1837
Mary M. George	25 Sep 1884	George M. Miles	b 11 Sep 1844

*Dodge family***FAMILY BIBLES****"A CATALOGUE OF CALEB & ISABEL DODGE**

Submitted by Mrs. Matilda BARR, , Natick, MA 01760-3249, d/o Oliver DODGE and Inez REYNOLDS, residence Ashdale, NS.

Family of Caleb, b. April 23, 1760, and Isabel, b. March 24, 1763.

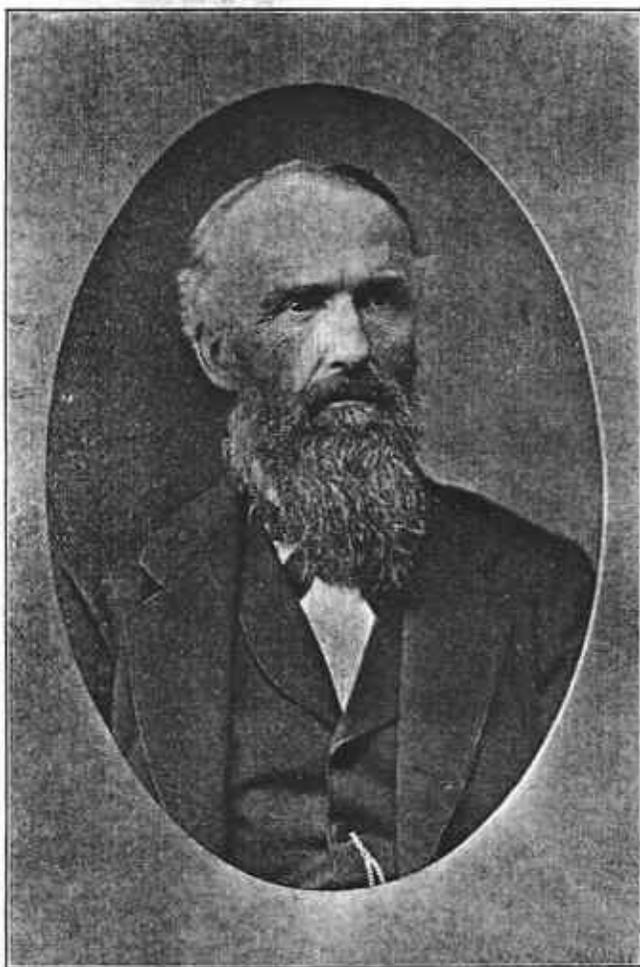
Samuel DODGE, b. June 7, 1783
 Oliver DODGE, b. July 22, 1785 *Horton, Kings Co.*
 William DODGE, b. Sept. 12, 1787
 Susannah DODGE, b. Oct. 28, 1790
 Frances DODGE, b. June 29, 1792
 Anna DODGE, b. Dec. 17, 1794
 Hannah DODGE, b. November 14, 1796
 Caleb DODGE, b. Oct. 27, 1799
 Gardiner DODGE, b. Dec. 10, 1802
 John Thomas DODGE, b. April 4, 1804
 Mary Ann DODGE, b. May 20, 1808

Oliver DODGE entered this life at Horton, Nova Scotia, on the 22 day of July 1785. Tryphosa Sincet, his wife, was born at ____, the 8th day of March 1792.

Their Issue

Albro, was born at ____, 7th December 1815
 Susanna, at ____, 18th September 1818
 Hannah, at Newport, the 30 July 1820
 John, at Newport, May 24, 1822
 William, at Newport, the 6th January 1824
 Samuel, at Newport, the 4th June 1826
 Gardner, at Newport, February 28th, 1829





Joseph T. Dodge

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Dodge Family
GENEALOGY



OF THE

DODGE FAMILY

OF ESSEX COUNTY, MASS

1629-1894.

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COLBY UNIVERSITY, WATERVILLE ME.

1827 Harvey Bingham Dodge.	1852 Francis Macumber Dodge.
1833 Oliver Augustus Dodge.	

UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT.

1818 Nehemiah Dodge, d. 1876.	1860 Bradley W. Dodge, M. D.
1834 William Dodge, M. D.	1878 George Moore Dodge, C. E.
1845 Joseph T. Dodge.	1875 Sidney Wallis Dodge, M. D.
1846 Wm. Appleton Dodge.	1887 Henry Dodge, M. D.
1851 Henry Lee Dodge, hon.	1889 Frank E. Dodge.

UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN.

1874 Marion V. Dodge, Ph. B.	1884 Joseph Dodge, B. M. E.
1879 Flora E. Dodge, A. B.: B. L.	1884 McLellan Dodge, B. C. E.
1883 Martha M. Dodge, B. L.	

AMHERST COLLEGE.

1834 Franklin Dodge, d. 1872.	1857 John Webster Dodge.
1856 John Henry Dodge, d. 1863.	1861 Austin Dodge.

BOWDOIN COLLEGE.

1827 Asa Dodge.	1865 Lorenzo Dodge, M. D.
1834 John Calvin Dodge.	1883 Mark Trafton Dodge, M. D.
1838 Moses Dodge, M. D.	

BROWN UNIVERSITY.

1797 Paul Dodge, d. 1838.	1840 Ebenezer Dodge, d. 1800.
1839 John Wm. Dodge, d. 1875.	

COLUMBIA COLLEGE, N. Y.

1807 Henry S. Dodge, A. M.	1865 Alvan Dodge, M. D.
1832 Henry S. Dodge, A. M.	1868 Frederick N. Dodge, LL. B.
1834 William Dodge, A. M.	1868 Henry N. Dodge, M. D.
1853 Joseph S. Dodge, A. M. M. D.	1870 John H. P. Dodge, LL. B.

UNION COLLEGE.

1807 William I. Dodge.	1847 Edward C. Dodge, A. M.
1819 Seabried Dodge, d. 1850.	1849 Nathan Dane Dodge, d. 1853.
1824 Perley Dodge, A. M.	1850 Robert L. Dodge.

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1838 Allen W. Dodge.	1865 Austin Dodge.
1859 John H. Dodge.	1865 Nathaniel S. Dodge.
1860 John W. Dodge.	

THE DODGE FAMILY.

FIRST GENERATION.

We can now present in order the first generations in New England, in addition to the family of John who never came to America, and who died about October, 1635, leaving a will as before stated.

1

JOHN DODGE and his wife Margery had, in Somersetshire, England:

2. i. WILLIAM¹ came to Salem in 1629; d. between 1685 and 1692. A deposition of William Dodge, made in February, 1678-9, says, "aged about 70 years." Another deposition made by the same, 28th September, 1630, says, "aged about 76 years." The latter is believed to be the more correct. Hence, his birth may have been as early as 1604.
3. ii. RICHARD appears in Salem in 1638; d. 15th June, 1671; probably born as early as 1602 as will appear later.
- iii. MICHAEL lived and died in East Coker, Somerset Co., England; was church warden in 1670 in East Coker. Had children per parish register of East Coker:
 1. Margery,² bapt. 18th March, 1639-40.
 2. John,² bapt. 31st Jan., 1641-2.
 3. William,² bapt. 31st Jan., 1643-4; m. Elizabeth Haskell in Beverly, 10th July, 1665. (See Family 14).
 4. Michael,² bapt. 23d Feb., 1646-7.
 5. Richard,² bapt. 30th May, 1650.
- iv. MARY. d. in England. Had a son John.

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WILLIAM¹ DODGE came to Salem in 1629, as before stated.

William Dodge
(1654.)
A tradition was handed down by Col. Robert Dodge to his son Francis, of Georgetown, D. C., that Farmer William came to America when about 21 or so to see how he liked it, and returned to England, telling his father that he had determined to settle in America and asking him for some present. His father said, "get married and I will give it." William is said to have met with two re-

fusals before he succeeded, but he got married and got his present, a pair of bulls.

The name of his wife is not known. It has been called Elizabeth Haskell; but Elizabeth Haskell was wife of "Coker" William, of which there are several proofs. Farmer William died between 1685 and 1692, as shown by deeds of land. During his lifetime only one deed shows the name of a wife; that was Mary, the wife of "Captain" William. She was a Conant, and at the time of her marriage to William Dodge was widow of John Balch.

The standing of Farmer William in the community is indicated by the fact that in thirty-five to forty instances, of which the records have been preserved, he was elected, or appointed, to various public services, such as selectman, grand jurymen, trial jurymen, committee service for town and church interests, laying out roads, etc. There are also evidences that he was on the best of terms with his pastor, Rev. John Hale, and that in the business of preserving public order and good morals he and his sons were clearly on the right side. In May, 1685, he disposed of his real estate by deeds which are of record, conveying his homestead to his son, Capt. William, and it is to-day in possession of Mr. Mason, and lies east of Cabot street and south of Herrick street.

Notes of Farmer William Dodge, collected by Hon. John I. Baker, of Beverly:

- 21 Feb., 1639. William Dodge was granted 5 ac. meadow, had 5 in family and $\frac{3}{4}$ acre therefor.
- 15 Dec., 1645. William Dodge chosen for grand jury.
- 20 Apl., 1646. William Dodge granted about 1 acre bet. his and Hugh Larkin's lot.
- 26 Oct., 1646. William Dodge and Roger Haskell to see to repairs of two bridges.
- 17 May, 1647. William Dodge and John Balch chosen to see to the 2 bridges near their houses; to be made suff. within 1 month. These are "presented."
- 16 Mar., 1649-50. William Dodge, Jac. Barney and Nath'l Putnam app'ted to lay out highway.
- 12 Aug., 1650. William Dodge and Mr. Conant to view land at upper end of William Dodge's and Roger Haskell's ground next swamp asked for by Rober Hibbert. By information of Mr. Conant, there being no exception, 20 ac. is granted to Hibbert for commonage and wood.
- 8 May, 1654. William Dodge, Capt. Hathorne, Mr. Batter and Sargt. Porter to exchange lands with Humphrey Woodbery and lay out the same.
- 20 Oct., 1653. William Dodge chosen for grand jury.
- 25 Dec., 1655. William Dodge had bill granted of £3-17-0.
- 4 Aug., 1656. William Dodge chosen to join with selectmen to make county rate.
- 29 Nov., 1656. William Dodge chosen for grand jury.
- 18 Aug., 1658. William Dodge chosen for grand jury.
- 18 Nov., 1657. William Dodge chosen for jury of trials.
- 15 May, 1665. William Dodge and Humphrey Woodbery to gather "rates" for ministry.

- 16 Sept., 1665. Farmer William shall be paid for his ground had for the ministry.
- 3 Nov., 1665. William Dodge, Sen., with John Patch to look after Mr. Hale's maintenance.
- 9 Nov., 1667. Farmer William Dodge, with John Patch, John Raiment and John West, to lay out ways.
- 23 Nov., 1668. William Dodge, Sen., chosen selectman.
- 23 Nov., 1668. William Dodge, Sen., with others, to divide the ground between us and Salem.
- 18 Dec., 1669. William Dodge, Sen., on town committee to treat at Salem court.
- 18 Dec., 1669. William Dodge, Sen., and others laid out land near Long Hill to Thos. Pickton for damages on ac. of highway bet. Manchester and Salem Ferry.
- 13 Dec., 1669. William Dodge, Sen., with others laid out to Paul Thorndike land by Sawyer's Plain on highway account.
- 17 Mar., 1671. William Dodge, Sen., with others to view bounds bet. Bev. and Salem.
- 29 May, 1671. William Dodge, Sen., with others laid out land to Richard Brackenbury.
- 31 Oct., 1671. William Dodge, Sen., accepts from town the land bought of him for minister and not paid for.
- 13-18 Mar., 1672. William Dodge, Sen., with others settle bounds with Manchester.
- 18 May, 1672. William Dodge, Sen., and others attend Salem town meeting about limits of town.
- 18 May, 1672. William Dodge, Sen., and others to find convenient place for town pound.
- 5 Nov., 1674. William Dodge, Sen., and others chosen selectmen.
- 1 Sept., 1674. William Dodge, Sen., and others to lay out 3 acres to David Perkins.
- 22 Oct., 1675. William Dodge, Sen., and others to oversee building four f rts.
- 5 Nov., 1675. William Dodge, Sen., to answer for town about defective highways and pound.
- 5 Nov., 1675. William Dodge, Sen., chosen grand jurymen for the year.
- 1 Nov., 1676. William Dodge, Sen., chosen selectman with others.
- 4 Nov., 1676. William Dodge, Sen., to provide $7\frac{1}{4}$ cords wood (for minister).
- 5 June, 1678. William Dodge, Sen., with others to inspect their neighbors as to tipping, etc.
- 18 Mar., 1679. William Dodge, Sen., as to Salem bounds (with Capt. Williams).
- 10 Oct., 1679. William Dodge, Sen., on committee to general court about Wenham boundary.
- 3 Nov., 1679. William Dodge, Sen., chosen selectman.
- 12 July, 1680. William Dodge, Sen., received £10, 5s. about Wenham controversy.
- 21 Apr., 1682. William Dodge, Sen., delegate to Ipswich about Mason's claim.
- 23 Oct., 1682. William Dodge, Sen., was paid for service as deputy at general court.
- 5 Dec., 1682. William Dodge, Sen., with others to seat inhabitants in new meeting house.

His Children were as follows:

4. i. Capt. JOHN, b. 1636; m. Sarah Proctor, 10th April, 1659.
5. ii. Capt. WILLIAM, b. 19th Sept., 1640; d. 24th March, 1720, aged 79.
6. iii. HANNAH, b. 1642; m. Samuel Porter, who d. 1680; m. 2d, Thomas Woodberry, 2d Dec. 1661.
- JOSHUA DODGE, killed in the Narragansett war in 1675, may have been another son.

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RICHARD' DODGE appeared at Salem in 1638, and "desired accommodation." It was learned in 1881 from the Parish register of East Coker, Somersetshire, England, that in 1628, Richard, son of Richard, was bapt. date missing. Sept. 7, 1630, Margery, dau. of Richard was bapt. Feb. 2, 1630-1, Margery, dau. of Richard, was buried. Dec. 29, 1631, John, son of Richard was baptized. April 19, 1635, Marie, dau. of Richard and Edith was baptized.

As immigrants were admitted to the colony only by applying to the town and obtaining leave, it is quite certain that Richard and his family came in 1638, and as the King was at that time obstructing emigration, it is probable that he left England without royal permission.

After living awhile on land of his brother William, he settled on "Dodge Row" in North Beverly, not far east of Wenham Lake. The house he built stood probably where Mr. Lucius B. Dodge lately lived very near the present north line of Beverly, or possibly where Mr. H. W. Dodge now lives, a few rods farther east. The farm lately owned by Mr. Lucius B. Dodge was inherited from his father Richard, the son of Deacon Richard b., 1783, who bought it of his father-in-law, Jacob Edwards, b. 1746, by deed dated 23 April, 1819. Apparently the same land was bought by John Edwards, of Edward Dodge, cordwainer, Beverly, 15 March, 1781.

It had been held in the male line from the death of Richard.' Mr. Lucius B. Dodge says the house now occupied by Mr. H. W. Dodge was formerly used as a cabinet shop by his father Richard, and by him turned partly around and converted into a dwelling. It is unlikely that either house is as old as 200 years.

Richard,' the immigrant, evidently gave his attention more to farming and the care of his domestic affairs, than to town or church business; although he was a loyal church member, and one of the most liberal contributors to the support of the church. He and his wife Edith were members of the Wenham church before 1648 according to its records, John Fiske being pastor.

He also had a high appreciation of the value of education, for in 1653, in a list of twenty-one subscribers to Harvard College, his name ranks first, while the next largest sum was only one-fourth as much as his. He dedicated a piece of his land to a burying ground, which is now known as the Cemetery on Dodge Row. It was probably inherited by his son Edward, who died in 1727, for in February, 1730-1, the three sons of Edward, by a deed, confirmed the grant to their relatives and neighbors. The

near neighbors of Richard' were Zechary Herrick who married his daughter Mary, Peter Woodberry who married Sarah, John and Humphrey Woodberry and John Galle. He died 15th June, 1671, leaving an estate valued at the large sum of £1764 2s. He gave his sons John, Richard and Samuel each a good farm, valued in his inventory at over £100 each. To sons Edward and Joseph he gave the home farm, valued at £1000. To his wife Edith he gave certain appropriate personal property, "to be her own absolutely," and gave her "the sole and proper use of the parlor & chamber over it in my now dwelling house," and made liberal provision for annual payments to be made to her by her five sons. She outlived him seven years, dying 27th June, 1678, at the age of 75. (For wills, see appendix.) From this it is probable that Richard may have been born about 1602, and was about two years older than William. Edith, before her death, also made a will, and the inventory discloses a very comfortable state of worldly affairs. No grave stones, however, disclose their resting place. Their children were as follows:

7. i. JOHN, bapt. 29th Dec., 1631, in England; lived at No. Beverly; d. 11th Oct., 1711, aged 80.
8. ii. MARY, b. 1632; m. 1653, Zechary Herrick; d. 18th Aug., 1710.
9. iii. SARAH, bapt. 1644; d. 1726; m. (Peter Woodberry, b. 1640, d. 1704).
10. iv. RICHARD, b. 1643; lived at Wenham; d. 13th April, 1705, aged 63.
11. v. SAMUEL, b. 1645; lived at Ipswich; d. 4th Dec., 1705.
12. vi. EDWARD lived at No. Beverly; d. 13th Feb., 1727.
13. vii. JOSEPH, b. 1651; lived at No. Beverly; d. 10th Aug., 1716, aged 65.

SECOND GENERATION.

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Capt. JOHN' DODGE (*William*'), 1636-1723, married Sarah Proctor for 1st wife, 10th April, 1659; married for 2d wife, Elizabeth, widow of John Woodberry; she died 6th January, 1726, aged 94. He lived in Beverly, and owned a mill at the head of Beverly Cove. In 1710 he gave thirty-three acres in Wenham to his grandson John,' the son of John,' who died about 1700; and four acres to his grand-daughter Sarah, which, in case of her death, was to go to her sister Mary. Capt. John served against the Narragansetts in 1675, was chosen Representative to the General Court in

John Dodge

(1664.)

1693-96 and 1702, was often on grand and petit jury, and on a variety of committees for town and parish business, and was a decidedly prominent and useful man. The children were as follows:

15. i. JOHN, b. 2d Jan., 1661-2, at Salem; d. in Wenham about November, 1700
16. ii. WILLIAM (Quartus), b. 1635; m. Hannah Woodberry, dau. of his father's 2d wife.
17. iii. SARAH, bapt. 16th Feb., 1668; m. Moses Gage, seaman. Beverly.
17. iv. HANNAH, b. 16th May, 1669; died soon.
18. v. HANNAH, b. 2d July, 1671; m. Ebenezer Woodberry, 15th May, 1690.
19. vi. MARTHA, b. 5th February, 1672-3; m. John Gilbert, Jr., 23d Dec., 1699.
20. vii. JONATHAN, m. Elizabeth Goodhue of Ipswich, 17th Dec., 1772. She d. 28th July, 1703. Married 2d, Jerusha Rayment, 15th May, 1705.

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Capt. WILLIAM² DODGE (*William*¹), born 1640; died 1720. Lived in Beverly, was a malster. Inherited his father's homestead. Deputy in 1689, overseer in 1679, freeman in 1683, Representative in 1690. In 1674, September 29th, helps make inventory of

estate of Lot Conant (born 1624). In 1675 he was engaged against the Narragansetts, and acquired distinction for courage and skill. Hubbard, in his narrative, gives a particular account of his bravery and success. In this expedition, Josiah Dodge, perhaps brother of Capt. William, Peter Woodberry and John Balch, were killed at Muddy Brook, under Capt. Lathrop. In the historic controversy about the bell of Bass River Church (First Church of Beverly), which was captured at Port Royal in 1654, William Dodge, Jr., and Thomas Tuck, Sr., with military spirit, took the bell and put it to its intended use. He married 1st, Mary (Conant), widow of John Balch (drowned). He married 2d, 26th May, 1685, widow Joanna Larkin, daughter of Dea. Robert Hale, of Charlestown, who died 18th August, 1694, aged 47. He married 3d, in 1698, Mary Creaty, who died about 1st February, 1701-2. She was widow of Capt. Andrew Creaty of Marblehead. Her will was dated 23d January, 1701-2.

Notes of Capt. William Dodge, by Hon. John I. Baker.

- 2 June, 1670. Wm. Dodge, Jr., with others to repair meeting house.
 19 Sept., 1670. Wm. Dodge, Jr. and Exercise Conant, to gather in Mr. Hale's rates.
 1 Nov., 1676. Wm. Dodge, Jr., and Exercise Conant settled their account.
 20 Feb., 1671. Wm. Dodge, Jr., chosen surveyor of highways.

- 20 Feb., 1673. Wm. Dodge, Jr., chosen surveyor of highways.
 5 Nov., 1674. Wm. Dodge, Jr., with others to provide Mr. Hale's firewood at 6 sh. per cord.
 18 Nov., 1679. Wm. Dodge, Jr., with Farmer Wm. as to Salem bounds.
 26 May, 1679. Constable William Dodge paid in part of his rate.
 2 Mar., 1674. Wm. Dodge, Jr., swine herd.
 1 Sept., 1674. Wm. Dodge, Jr., surveyor of highways.
 11 Apr., 1676. Wm. Dodge, Jr., with constables to look into families that no idle person be found in town.
 5 Dec., 1681. Wm. Dodge, Jr., on committee to build new meeting house.
 20 Feb., 1682. Maulster Dodge, Jr., had £ — paid him mault expended about meeting house and 16 sh.
 6 Nov., 1682. Malster Dodge, Jr., chosen on jury of trials.
 12 Feb., 1683. Malster Dodge, Jr., to help exchange land with Joseph Hebard.
 5 Feb., 1683. Malster Dodge, Jr., to help in sale of land to James Taylor.
 30 Oct., 1683. Malster Dodge, Jr., settled with constableness; 19 bush. barley recv. of Samson on town's acc't.
 3 Nov., 1684. Qr. Master Malster Dodge, Jr., chosen selectman.
 11 Mar., 1685. Qr. Master Wm. Dodge, settled his constableness and accepted 16½ bush. malt for 40 sh. in money and 20 sh. in pay for money disbursed about new meeting house.
 19 June, 1684. Qr. Master Wm. Dodge, chosen on jury of trials.
 21 May, 1688. Lieut. Wm. Dodge and Capt. Paul Thorndyke, to report to selectmen done selling land to pay Wm. Raiment.
 24 May, 1689. Lieut. Wm. Dodge, chosen selectman.
 12 July, 1689. Malster Wm. Dodge, selectmen met at his house.
 28 Mar., 1690. Lieut. Wm. Dodge lent £4-10 for forts, etc., and was paid back.
 13 June, 1690. Malster Wm. Dodge, ac. approved for £7-19 and recv. in part £3 of Constable Wm. Elliot.
 19 June, 1690. Malster Wm. Dodge, to have rate of 1-2-6 deducted from above.
 1 July, 1691. Lt. Wm. Dodge, on committee to protect commons against encroachments.
 25 Dec., 1690. Lt. Wm. Dodge, on committee to sell lands to James Taylor and John Clark.
 25 June, 1691. Lt. Wm. Dodge, on committee to trade lands with Sam'l Hibbert for land for a drift way.
 29 Nov., 1692. Lt. Wm. Dodge, on committee to trade com. lands to Thos. Whittredge.
 23 Dec., 1692. Lt. Wm. Dodge, on committee about dividing com. lands.
 20 Mar., 1692. Lt. Wm. Dodge, chosen commissioner.
 8 May, 1693. Lt. Wm. Dodge, on committee to draft orders and by-laws for approval of court of Sessions.
 19 Mar., 1693-4. Lt. Wm. Dodge, 2d, chosen to see to due observance of an act relating to horses going on our common.
 7 Apr., 1694. Lt. Wm. Dodge and others, to perambulate Wenham line acc. to orig. grant.
 15 June, 1694. Lt. Wm. Dodge, on committee to sue, etc., to gain and maintain town rights in bounds with Wenham.
 19 Mar., 1694-5. Lt. Wm. Dodge, chosen town treasurer.
 4 Apr., 1695. Lt. Wm. Dodge, was paid 10s. 11d. in discount of his rates.
 8 May, 1695. Lt. Wm. Dodge, on committee to take ac. of former selectmen as to disposal of town rate of 1694.
 7 Jan., 1695-6. Lt. Wm. Dodge, was paid in discount of rates 13 sh. 5 d.
 27 Feb., 1695-6. Lt. Wm. Dodge, was paid in discount of rates 25-10d. and still due him 8s. 11d. in pay and 5s. 9d. in money.

- 3 Mar., 1695-6. Lt. Wm. Dodge, chosen town treasurer.
 17 Nov., 1696. Capt. Wm. Dodge, was paid £2 17-6d. for money disb. in setting forth the soldiers 13 Aug., 1696, and also for small casks to divide the powder and shot: 10 Mar., 1697, recv. £2 2s. 6d. on above.
 27 Feb., 1696-7. Capt. Wm. Dodge, town treas. recv. 15 sh. in money to prosecute those who have fallen trees or cut wood on town common; Edw. Dodge lent the 15s.
 26 Feb., 1696-7. Capt. Wm. Dodge, town treas. recv. 18s. to provide flints for the town stock; lent by Capt. John Dodge, Capt. Wm. and others.
 10 Mar., 1696-7. Capt. Wm. Dodge, the whole due him on previous ac. is £1 in money.
 11 May, 1697. Capt. Wm. Dodge with Capt. John, on committee to sue for and defend our rights in Wenham boundary line.
 17 May, 1698. Capt. Wm. Dodge, recv. 15s. on account; and 14sh. now due him.
 4 Mar., 1701-2. Wm. Dodge Malster, chosen town treas.; sworn 10 March.
 7 Jan., 1702-3. Capt. Wm. Dodge, on committee to procure a meet person to keep school, etc.
 8 Jan., 1702-3. Capt. Wm. Dodge, committee agreed with Daniel Dodge to teach.
 12 Mar., 1702-3. Capt. Wm. Dodge, chosen town treas.
 7 Apr., 1702-3. Capt. Wm. Dodge, on perambulation of Salem line.
 22 Apr., 1703. Capt. Wm. Dodge, on perambulation of Salem line, previous day very wet and foul.
 23 May, 1703. Capt. Wm. Dodge and others, to look up records, etc., as to Wenham line and authorized to settle boundary.
 26 May, 1703. Capt. Wm. Dodge, to serve on grand jury.
 7 Dec., 1703. Capt. Wm. Dodge, on jury of trials for trial of an Indian for murder.
 5 Nov., 1705. Capt. Wm. Dodge, on grand jury.
 23 Sept., 1706. Capt. Wm. Dodge and others, committee agree with Daniel Dodge, school teacher.
 20 Mar., 1707. Capt. Wm. Dodge, on committee to treat with Riall side men.
 21 Nov., 1707. Capt. Wm. Dodge, on grand jury.
 25 Mar., 1708. Capt. Wm. Dodge, on committee to treat with Joseph Herrick about highway thro. his land and with Ephraim Kimball.

The children were as follows:

- 21 i. (Dea.) WILLIAM, b. 20th March, 1663-4; d. 17th Jan., 1747.
 22 ii. MARY, b. 26th May, 1666; m. Jo. Herrick. She d. 1706.
 23 iii. JOSHUA, bapt. 29th Aug., 1669; m. Joanna Larkin, dau. of Joanna (Hale) Larkin. He d. 15th April, 1694, aged 25. Joanna, widow of Joshua above, m. John Thorndike, 20th April, 1696.
 24 iv. HANNAH, b. 9th July, 1671; m. John Green, 4th Jan., 1696.
 25 v. ELIZABETH, b. 26th Oct., 1673; m. Jonathan Herrick. She d. 1712-3.
 vi. SARAH, b. 3d March, 1677-8; prob. d. young.
 26 vii. ROBERT, { m. Lydia Woodberry of Chebacco.
 { b. 9th Oct., 1686; twins; { d. 22d June, 1687.
 viii. REBECCA,
 x. JOSIAH, b. 8th Jan., 1688-9; prob. d. young.
 xi. ELISHA, " " " " " "

The will of Roger Conant, dated 1st ———, 1677, gives to his daughter, Mary Dodge, wife of Capt. William, £5, and £5 more for her five children. His inventory was £258 10s.

In the will of Capt. William, he says: my brother, the Rev. Mr. Hale of Beverly, "To Edward Larkin his late wife's son he forgives a debt, makes his son Dea. William his executor, his bro. Capt. John, Rev. Mr. Hale & Lot Conant his overseers.

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HANNAH DODGE (*William's*), born 1642; died January, 1689; married Samuel Porter, who was a seaman. Had one son, John, born 1658. The will of Samuel is in Essex Inst. Hist. Coll., Vol. 1, page 93, dated 10th February, 1658-9. It names his father, Porter, and his father-in-law, William Dodge, as his "overseers," and states that he was bound for the Barbadoes. His estate, left to his young wife and infant, amounted to £331 19s. His widow, Hannah, married 2d, 2 December, 1661, Thomas Woodberry, by whom she had nine children. They lived on the Capt. Thomas Lowthrop farm.

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LIEUT. JOHN² DODGE (*Richard's*), born in England, 1631; died 1711; had wife Sarah (surname not known), who died 8th February, 1705-6, aged 60. This John Dodge was mentioned in the will of his grandfather John, who died in Somersetshire, England, in 1635. He probably came to Salem with his father, Richard, in 1638. He settled in what was then included in Beverly, but later was annexed to Wenham. He built a saw mill and, perhaps, grist mill on Mill River at Wenham Neck, which was in use till about 1822, and received from his father's estate about eighty acres lying about his mill, and five acres of meadow on the same side of Longham Brook, where his house stood, near what was then the north line of Beverly. On 5th May, 1708, he deeded to his son, Andrew, his homestead of forty acres and other lands near by. Lieut. John Dodge was a man of more than ordinary standing in the community. He was elected deputy to the General Court, was often elected one of the selectmen of the town, and served in almost every public capacity where good sense and integrity were required. There are many bits of evidence preserved, showing that he was on the side of temperance and good order.

(1703.)

John Dodges

Sarah Dodge

64. iii. SARAH, bapt. 9 Nov., 1701; d. 30 Sept., 1732; m. Jo. Creesy, b. 19 June, 1696
 65. iv. ABIGAIL, bapt. 1 Aug. 1703; m. Samuel Nichols, Reading.
 v. EXPERIENCE, bapt. 29 July, 1705. Probably died soon.

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SARAH¹ (*Capt. John,² Wm.¹*) bapt. 16 February, 1668; m. Moses Gage, of Beverly, seaman, who d. 30 June, 1748, aged 80. Sarah d. in 1747, aged about 77 (b. 1668-9). They probably lived near her father's grist mill on five acres which he deeded to his son-in-law, 20th March, 1699-1700. Their children were:

- i. SARAH GAGE, b. 3 Apr., 1692.
- ii. HANNAH GAGE, b. 18 Sept., 1694.
- iii. JOHN GAGE, b. 7 Apr., 1702; rem. to Dover, N. H., by 1725; m. Wid. Hubbard (Roberts); he was judge probate.
- iv. WILLIAM GAGE, b. 23 Sept., 1703; d. 20 March, 1775; age 70.
- v. MARY GAGE, b. 15 Aug., 1705; m. Livermore Whittredge.

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JONATHAN¹ (*John,² William,¹*) b. between 1675 and 1680 and d. in Beverly about February, 1756. After the death of his brother William, "*quartus*", he took a lease of the lands formerly owned by their father, for the term of 7 years and eventually became owner. Lived on the Salem side of Beverly cove until about the time of the death of his father, when he appears to have moved to the Beverly side till his own death. He was holder of such town offices as juryman, constable, fence-viewer and was a warm friend of Rev. John Hale. He was prosperous, as shown by his will, dated, 12 May, 1748, and proved, 8 March, 1756-7. The inventory of his estate made 30 December, 1756 by William and John, his sons and executors, and amounting to 1822£-5 sh.

Enumerates 84 acres homestead land.....	£1008.
42 acres n. side of highway.....	420.
23 acres at Sam. Woodberry's.....	138.
5 acres at Leeches and 2½ at King's farm.....	50,-6-8
3 acres of meadow at the pond and 1 silver cup.....	3,-3-2

It mentions w. Jerusha, sons George, William, John, Jonathan and Peter, also son Francis; daughter Hannah, wife of Dea. Joshua Dodge, Jonathan, a son of said Francis, Jonathan, a son of said George, both minors, and a granddaughter, Elizabeth, dau. of Francis. He gave to 2d church £5, to son Peter, his silver cup, to Francis, £500, to George, £1000; to Elizabeth, his negro girl, Dorcas, to Jonathan, £500; to Hannah, the dau. of his 2nd wife by

her former husband and now w. of Dea. Joshua Dodge, 1 chest of drawers and one great chair which came to him by her mother. He m. (1) Elizabeth Goodhue of Ipswich, 17 Dec., 1702. She d. 26 July, 1703. (?) m. (2) wid. Jerusha Rayment (with 1 dau. Hannah), 15 May, 1705 by Rev. Thos. Blowers. Their children were

66. i. FRANCIS,⁴ b. 7 March, 1703; m. Sarah Dodge, 19 Feb., 1729-30.
- ii. PETER, b. 15 Feb., 1705-6; d. 12 April, 1723, in eighteenth year.
67. iii. GEORGE, b. 5 May, 1709; m. Martha Fisk of Wenham.
68. iv. WILLIAM, b. 1 May, 1712; m. (1. Mary Balch, 2nd Deborah Balch.
69. v.; ELIZABETH, bapt. 5 Feb., 1715-6; m. Thomas Dodge, 2 Apr. 1731.
70. vi. JOHN, bapt. 24 Aug., 1718; d. 9 Feb., 1779; m. Hannah Fowler. She d. 10 March, 1807, age 88.
71. vii. JONATHAN, bapt. 3 Sept., 1721; m. Deborah Balch.
72. viii. PETER, b. 12 Oct., 1724. 1st m. Sarah Dodge, 2nd Eliz. (Cressy) Batchelder.

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DEA. WILLIAM¹ (*Capt. William,² William¹*) 1662-1747, m. Mary Porter of Salem Village, 12th Dec. 1689. At the death of his father in 1720, he probably inherited the homestead of his father and grandfather, and about that time he is described in a deed as husbandman or "*malster*." He was a member of First Church in Beverly, near which he and his wife were buried. Their grave-stones have been removed since 1875, to allow a street to be opened through the burial ground. His will dated 19th Dec., 1739, gave his wife Mary one-third of his real estate for life. It gave "to Benj. Standley a small dwelling house on the hill near Isaac Woodberry's house with one quarter of an acre;" to his son-in-law, John Rea and his wife, Anna, and their heirs certain real estate; to the First Church of Beverly, a silver tankard to hold one quart, which was duly put upon the communion table 15 Nov., 1747, after his death. It gave to Rev. Joseph Champney, five pounds, and made John Rea and Anna his wife, joint executors. In May, 1757, a commission was appointed to divide his real estate among the seven heirs of John and Anna Rea. The character and standing of Dea. William are shown by the following items of record:

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| 3 Mar., 1695-6. | William Dodge, 3d, chosen surveyor of highways. |
| 22 Dec., 1696. | William Dodge, Jr., ch. sen on jury of trials. |
| 23 May, 1697. | William Dodge, Jr., chosen on jury of trials. |
| 10 May, 1698. | William Dodge, Jr., chosen on jury of trials. |
| 14 Mar., 1698-9. | William Dodge, Jr., chosen constable for Bass river ward. |
| 3 Mar., 1700-1. | William Dodge, Jr., settled fully his accounts for all rates committed to him. |
| 20 Mar., 1703-4. | William Dodge, Jr., chosen treasurer of town Beverly. |
| 22 Mar., 1704-5. | William Dodge, Jr., chosen treasurer of town Beverly. |
| 14 May, 1705. | William Dodge, Jr., with others, surveyors of hauling gravel about meeting house. |
| 26 Feb., 1706-7. | William Dodge, Jr., on committee to seat meeting house. |

- 1 Nov., 1706. William Dodge, Jr., on jury of trials.
 29 Mar., 1707. William Dodge, Jr., chosen town treasurer.
 28 Oct., 1708. Dea. William Dodge on jury of trials.
 7 Jan., 1708. William Dodge, town treasurer, to pay wid. Sarah Haskett 6s., 4d. rent of school house.
 18 Mar., 1708-9. William Dodge, town treasurer, reckoned his accounts for several years past and allowed him 17 shillings.
 4 Nov., 1708. William Dodge, town treasurer, received from Thomas Whittredge, constable, his part of school rates, by order of Henry Rust, schoolmaster.
 21 Mar., 1708-9. Dea. William Dodge chosen town treasurer.
 31 Oct., 1709. Dea. William Dodge and Capt. Jo. Herrick had lately fenced in a spot of low land w. of highway, ag. side Dodge's malt house.
 23 Mar. 1709-10. Dea. William Dodge chosen town treasurer.
 13 June, 1710. William Dodge, son of Capt. William Dodge, to be prosecuted for a piece, 2 ac. of land in dispute, bounded n. the Stepping Stone, w. Bass river, s. by a brook, e. the country road, and lying by his malt house between the brook that runs by Capt. Herrick's tan house and the brook that runs by Sam Herricks's brick yard, w. of country road.
 22 Mar. 1710-11. Dea. William Dodge chosen selectman and town treasurer.
 22 Mar. 1710-11. Town voted to renew their action against him.

In 1737 John Conant by will made Dea. William Dodge and Jonathan Conant his executors, and gave each £50. He died 17 January, 1747. and his wife 13 March, 1750. in 79th year per g. s. Their children were:

- i. CALEB, b. 19 Feb., 1693-4; d. May, 1712, age 18.
- ii. ISRAEL, b. 1 Sept., 1697; d. June, 1712, age 15.
- iii. WILLIAM, bapt. 14 Dec., 1701 (Porter Genealogy, p. 233); d. 9 Jan. 1701-2.
- iv. ANNA, b. 30 Oct., 1706; d. 17 Sept., 1751, in 45th year; she m. 1st, Dr. Timothy Clements, 22 Nov., 1722; he was b. 1699; d. 2 Aug., 1731, age 32¼ years; she m. 2d, John Rea, who d. in 1750, age 48.

Their children were:

1. William Rea, bapt., 5 Jan., 1734-5. 2. Emma Rea, b. 3 Apr., 1736; d. young. 3. Anna Rea, b. 12 Sept., 1737; m. Thomas Stevens. 4. Mary Rea, b. 14 Dec., 1738; m. Michael Cross, Danvers. 5. Sarah Rea, bapt. 4 May, 1740. 6. Emma Rea, b. 5 Dec., 1740. 7. Lucy Rea, b. 16 March, 1742; m. Joseph Lovett. 8. Ebenezer Rea, b. 20 Nov., 1745; m. Lydia Putnam, Danvers. 9. John Rea, 10. Benjamin Rea, b. 6 Sept., 1751.

Of the above only seven were living in May, 1757.

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MARY² (Capt. Wm.² Wm.¹) b. 26 May, 1666, d. —, 1706. m. Joseph Herrick, Beverly, who d. 1726. By a deed from Capt. William, to his son Dea. William, *Deeds Vol. 23, p. 3*, Joseph Herrick is shown to be the son-in-law of the former, and that the relations between them had been marked by a suit for trespass. They were living as near neighbors.

Their children were:

- i. MARY, b. 15 May, 1686; m. Andrew Elliott, 7 May, 1717.
- ii. HENRY, b. 9 Sept., 1688; m. Joanna Woodbury, 1 Dec., 1709.
- iii. JOANNA, b. 29 May, 1695; m. Ebenezer Rayment, 6 Jan., 1715.
- iv. JOSHUA, b. 22 Feb., 1699; m. Lydia Cushing, 30 June 1720; m. (2) Mrs. Abigail Saul, Hingham, 1737.
- v. LYDIA, b. —; m. Josiah Woodbury, whose descendants have acquired distinction.

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JOSHUA¹ (William, William), bapt. 29 Aug., 1669, d. at Beverly 15 Apr., 1694, age 25. He m. Joanna Larkin, the dau. of his step-mother, Joanna (Hale) Larkin, the 2d wife of Capt. William Dodge. The cause of his early death is not known. Letters of administration were granted to his widow, Joanna, 30 Sept., 1695. Inventory of his estate amounted to £76-12s-4d. In April, 1693, Joshua and others were authorized to build a seat in meeting house (First Church) by the west end of pulpit. After the death of the husband a son was born, who became the worthy parent of a numerous progeny, viz:

- i. JOSHUA, b. 20 Sept., 1694; m. Hannah Rayment. On 20th April, 1696, wid. Joanna m. John Thorndike, who was b. 22 Jan., 1674-5, and d. 23 March, 1760. They lived in Beverly and had children as follows:
 - i. ROBERT THORNDIKE, b. 4 Feb., 1697.
 - ii. PAUL THORNDIKE, b. 5 Feb., 1699.
 - iii. JOHN THORNDIKE, b. 22 Aug., 1701.
 - iv. JOANNA THORNDIKE, b. 1 Aug., 1703.
 - v. JAMES THORNDIKE, b. 11 Jan., 1706.
 - vi. HERBERT THORNDIKE, b. 3 Jan., 1708.
 - vii. EDWARD THORNDIKE, b. 21 Apr., 1711.
 - viii. SARAH THORNDIKE, b. 17 Sept., 1712.

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ELIZABETH (Capt. Wm.² Farmer Wm.¹) b. 1673, d. 1712-3. m. Jonathan Herrick 28 Oct., 1696, by Rev. John Hale. They had children, viz:

- i. ELIZABETH HERRICK, b. 6 May, 1697.
- ii. WM. HERRICK, bapt. 14 May, 1699.
- iii. HANNAH HERRICK, bapt. 9 Nov., 1701.
- iv. REBECCA HERRICK, bapt. 28 May, 1702.
- v. JONATHAN HERRICK, bapt. 8 Aug., 1706.
- vi. LYDIA HERRICK, bapt. 12 Aug., 1709.

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ROBERT¹ (William,² William¹), b. 9 Oct., 1686, and d. 1 Jan., 1764. He m. Lydia Woodbury, dau. of Isaac and Elizabeth (Herrick) Woodbury of Chebacco Parish, published 26 June, 1709. She d. 6 April, 1759, in her 68th year. He was a prosperous farmer in North Beverly where

they had a large family; three sons being coopers, one, Robert, a cordwainer and William a joiner. At 24 years of age he was chosen surveyor of highways and he held other town offices. He and his wife, Lydia, were buried at the old church-yard of 2nd church where their grave stones are in a perfect state of preservation. Their children were:

75. i. ISAAC, b. 12 June, 1710; m. Lois Herrick of Wenham, 1732.
76. ii. REBECCA, b. 3 June, 1712; m. Jonathan Thorndike, 1731, b. 5 Feb. 1708-9.
77. iii. CALER, b. 11 Dec., 1714; m. Hannah Woodbury, of Salem, 1736.
78. iv. LYDIA, b. 12 Sept., 1716; m. Jonathan Woodbury, 1736, or, Robert Dodge, 1742.
79. v. JOANNA, b. 13 June, 1719; (?) m. Capt. Andrew Woodbury, of Salem.
80. vi. ELIZABETH, b. 17 June, 1721; m. Benj. Dodge, of Bev., 23 Apr., 1742.
81. vii. ROBERT, b. 18 Feb., 1723-4; m. Mary Tarbox, pub. 10 Nov. 1745.
82. viii. WILLIAM, b. 12 April, 1726; d. young.
83. ix. NICHOLAS, b. 16 April, 1728; m. Experience Woodbury, 1752, res. Londonderry, N. H.
84. x. WILLIAM, bapt. 2 Jan., 1732; m. Mary Baker, 1752.

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JOHN³ (*John,² Richard¹*), b. 15 Apr., 1662; d. 18 Jany. 1703-4, in his 42d year. His first wife was Martha, dau. of Thomas and Martha Fisk, who died 29 Dec., 1697. He m. (2) Ruth Grover, of Beverly, 11 Apr., 1698. They lived in Wenham, probably not far from his father, Lt. John. His will, dated 7 July, 1703, was made in the presence of his father and mother and the father of his first wife, all of whose signatures are preserved on the original document and are shown herein.

It was made six months before his death, which suggests some slow disease. His brother, Josiah, and his widow, Ruth, were made executors. His inventory amounted to £453 less debts £13.

In 1712 she was made guardian of her son, Nehemiah, then 14 years of age. Amos sold his interest in the estate to his step-mother and his older brother, who subsequently divided it.

Their children were:

84. i. PHINEAS, b. 23 May, 1688, per g. s.; d. 19 July, 1759, in 72d year.
85. ii. AMOS, b. about 1620. Was a carpenter.
86. iii. MARTHA, b. —
87. iv. ELIZABETH, b. 15 Aug., 1695.
88. v. NEHEMIAH, b. 17 July, 1698-9; m. Sarah Dennis, 1724.
89. vi. RUTH, b. 13 March, 1699-1700.
90. vii. SARAH, b. 6 March, 1701-2.
91. viii. JOHN, b. 13 Dec. 1703.
92. ix. MARY, b. —

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JOSIAH³ (*John,² Richard¹*), b. 1665, d. 19 Jan'y, 1714-5, age, 50 per g. s. in cemetery at Dodge's Row. He lived in Wenham, on Longham Brook, having a small farm, a tannery and part of a saw and grist mill.

In 1695, 1698 and 1701, he purchased parts of the estate of Robert Claffin, and in the deeds was termed *tanner*; in October, 1713, he sold to William Dodge of Wenham (probably the one who married Prudence Fairfield), "onethird part of a corn mill and one-third part of materials and irons of the old saw mill, with all parts and utensils belonging to the same; one third part of dam and privilege of stream, * * * being on Brook called Longham brook near to the house of said Josiah Dodge and is between the lands of himself and the heirs of his brother, John Dodge, deceased." This deed was signed on the 16th of October by Josiah and Sarah Dodge in presence of Daniel Claffin, Phineas Dodge (probably a nephew), and Josiah, Jr. It was not acknowledged till 14th of Jan'y following, eight days before his death, before Robert Hale, J. P.

In 1709 he was one of the selectmen of Wenham and may have held other offices. He m. 1st, Lydia Fisk, 18 Dec., 1690; 2d, he m. Sarah Fisk, who d. 17 March, 1729-30, in her 60th year. Administration was granted on his estate 31st Jan'y, 1714-5, to his widow, Sarah, and Wm. Rogers. The estate was valued at 368£, 15 shillings.

His widow received one third, = 122£, 18 sh.

Josiah, the eldest son, a double share, = 54£, 12sh., 6d. Thomas, Mary, Sarah, Anne, Rebecca, Hannah and Jemima, 27£, 6sh, 2 1-2d. each, = 191£, 3sh. 5 1-2d.

Their children were:

93. i. SARAH,⁴ b. 1693, d. 14 Dec. 1718; m. Mark³ Dodge, son of Edward².
94. ii. JOANNA, b. 12 April, 1696; m. John Gridley of Beverly, 19 Dec. 1717.
95. iii. JOSIAH, b. 16 Aug., 1698; m. Prudence Dodge, dau. of Wm. and Prudence.
96. iv. THOMAS, b. 30 Nov., 1700; m. Sarah Porter, 23 June, 1724.
- v. REBECCA, b. 21 March, 1702-3.
- vi. MARY, b. —
- vii. ANNA OR ANNE, b. —
97. viii. JEMIMA, b. 14 Nov. 1707.
- ix. JOHN, (?) d. at Wenham, 19 Nov., 1714. (R. R. D.)
- x. ABIGAIL, b. 12 June, 1710; d. soon.
- xi. ABIGAIL, b. 7 June, 1713; d. soon.

Probably Joanna was called Hannah in settlement of the estate above.

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EBENEZER³ (*John,² Richard¹*), b. 1 Aug., 1670 d. 19 March, 1717-8, was a farmer and "house wright," and resided in