

Sergeant, who married Benjamin Gerhard; third, Sarah Sergeant, who was the great-granddaughter of Rev. Elisha Spencer and Joanna Eaton, married Henry Alexander Wise, Governor of Virginia; fourth, Maria Reed Sergeant, who married Harrison Smith; fifth, John Sergeant; sixth, John Sergeant; seventh, Spencer Sergeant; eighth, Katharine Sergeant, who married Henry A. Cram; ninth, William Sergeant, who married Eliza Espy; tenth, Ellen Sergeant.

"Governor Wise's 'Seven Decades of the Union,' dedicated to the Rector, the Board of Visitors, Alumni and students of William and Mary College, Virginia; a memoir of its Rector and Chancellor, John Tyler, tenth President of the United States, is a valuable and interesting production. Mr. Tyler's life ran through seven decades, from 1790 to 1862. It is full of the themes of many and mighty events and thoughts. It has a divine moral in its teachings and lessons for the deepest study of mankind. This book is handsomely bound and delineates salient points and parts in the important and impressive life and actions of a good and great man, and should be universally read."—*Copied.*

Governor Wise had children as follows: Richard Alsop Wise, who married Maria D. Peachy; Margaretta Ellen Wise, who married William C. Mayo.

John Sergeant Wise, attorney at law, New York, to whom I owe thanks for the chart of the Spencer family, married Evelyn Douglas. His children are: Hugh D., Henry A., John Sergeant, D. Hamilton, Eva Douglas, Jennings C., Margaretta Walmough, and Byrd Douglas.

Hon. John Sergeant Wise was born under the United States flag at Rio Janeiro, Brazil, 27th December, 1846, and represents the seventh generation of a distinguished Virginia family, who came from England and settled in Accomac County, Virginia, in 1635. Mr. Wise served in the Confederate Army when very young and had the distinction of carrying the last dispatch from General Lee to President Davis. Mr. Wise wrote articles for the *American Field*, signing himself "Plover." He has recently published an interesting book, "The Life and Observations of a Dog," called "Diomed," which has already reached the sale of over a thousand copies and reflects great credit upon his labor of a year.