

ert and Alice Rand, who died at that place March 12, 1714, aged 90 years.*

Issue of *Lawrence Dowse* and *Martha* ———, his first wife: †

- i. SAMUEL, of whom hereafter.
- ii. JOHN, b. 8th mo. (October), 1644; bapt. at the First Church, Boston, 1st mo. (March) 23, 1645, aged 22 weeks, and d. 6th mo. (August), 1645.

Issue of *Lawrence Dowse* and *Margery Rand*, his second wife: ‡

- i. ELIZABETH, b. 1st mo. (March) 15, 1649; m., first, Thomas Larkin, and, secondly, ——— Drew.
- ii. JOHN, b. about 1652; m. Relief Holland.
- iii. MARY, admitted to church May 16, 1675, and dismissed to Second Church, Boston, June 4, 1691.
- iv. JOSEPH, b. about 1654.
- v. BENJAMIN, b. July 4, 1656.
- vi. NATHANIEL, b. November 24, 1658.
- vii. JONATHAN, b. about 1661; m., first, Elizabeth Ballott, and secondly, Katharine Harbert. He was a justice of the peace, and sometimes styled "The Honourable."
- viii. SARAH, b. July 26, 1663.
- ix. ELIAZER, b. January 25, 1688-89; m. Mary Edmunds; was styled "Captain."

One of the great grandsons of Lawrence and Margery was the late Thomas Dowse, Esq., who presented the valuable "Dowse Library" to the Massachusetts Historical Society.

II. DEACON SAMUEL DOWSE, of Charlestown, Middlesex County, Mass., (eldest son of Lawrence and Martha,) was born October, 1642; baptized at the First Church, Boston, 1st mo. (March) 23, 1645, aged 2 years and 14 weeks; admitted to church at Charlestown February 9, 1672-73; appointed deacon and sealer of weights in 1712, and sometimes styled "Gentlemen."§ He possessed an extensive property at Charlestown, the greater part of which he bequeathed to his eldest surviving son, Maximilian, leaving smaller portions to his younger children. His son Ebenezer received a legacy of £10. He died in the early part of the year 1735, his will being dated January 4, 1733-34, and presented for probate July 12, 1735, but was disallowed on the 18th of that month. See *Appendix XXVIII.*

* Wyman, Vol. I, p. 301, and Vol. II, *Rand Family.*

† Church and County Records; Boston Records, Vol. I, p. 162; and Wyman, Vol. I, p. 301.

‡ Ibid.

§ Boston and Charlestown Church Records.