

many years; and according to our observation, her life and conversation were according to her profession, and we never had any grounds or cause to suspect her of any such thing as she is now accused of.

Israel Porter, Elizabeth Porter, Edward Bishop, Sr., Hannah Bishop, Joshua Rea, Sarah Rea, Sarah Leach, John Putnam, Rebecca Putnam, Joseph Hutchinson, Sr., Lydia Hutchinson, William Osburn, Hannah Osburn, Joseph Holton, Sr., Sarah Holton, Benjamin Putnam, Sarah Putnam, Job Swinnerton, Esther Swinnerton, Joseph Herrick, Sr., Samuel Abbey, Hepzibah Rea, Daniel Andrew, Sarah Andrew, Daniel Rea, Sarah Putnam, Jonathan Putnam, Lydia Putnam, Walter Phillips, Sr., Nathaniel Felton, Sr., Margaret Phillips, Tabitha Phillips, Joseph Houtton, Jr., Samuel Endicott, Elizabeth Buxton, Samuel Aborn, Sr., Isaac Cook, Elizabeth Cook, Joseph Putnam.

"The jury, impressed by her conduct and conversation, in spite of the prevailing excitement against any accused person, brought in a verdict of "Not Guilty."

But alas! the favorable verdict was overruled and the venerable woman condemned to death. Her death occurred on Witch Hill and after dark her body was removed by her family and now lies in the little cemetery on the old farm. A suitable monument marks the spot.

Children:

- 2 John,² b. (?) 1645; d. 1719.
- 3 Rebecca, b. (?) 1647; d. 1719; m. 15 Apr., 1669, Thomas Preston.
- 4 Samuel, b. 3 Feb., 1649; d. 15 July, 1715.
- 5 Mary, b. ———; m. 25 Oct., 1678, John Tarbell, who died in 1715.
- 6 Francis, b. 3 Feb., 1661; d. 5 Feb., 1716.
- 7 Sarah, b. 1663; m. July, 1700, Michel Bowden of Marblehead and Salem.
- 8 Elizabeth, b. 9 Jan., 1665; m. 25 Oct., 1678, William Russell.
- 9 Benjamin, b. 22 (? 26 Savage) Jan., 1666; d. 1748.

II. 2 John Nurse (Francis) born 1645; died 1715 (1719, Savage); married 1 Nov., 1672, Elizabeth, daughter of John Smith, born 5 June, 1662, died 12 Oct., 1673; married, second, 17 Aug., 1677, Elizabeth, daughter of Samuel and Alice Very, born 1655. Farmer, Salem Village.

Children:

- 10 John, b. 13 Oct., 1672 (1678, Savage); d. 21 Feb., 1700.
- 11 Elizabeth, b. 18 March, 1678; m. Joseph Doughty.
- 12 Samuel, b. 20 Aug., 1679; d. 1719.
- 13 Sarah, b. 10 Nov. 1680; m. Peter Twist.
- 14 Jonathan, b. 3 May, 1682; m. ———.
- 15 Joseph, b. 30 (20, Sav.), Sept. 1683.
- 16 Benjamin, b. 20 Feb., 1686; d. 22 May, 1718; m. Sarah Boston or Bosson.
- 17 Hannah, b. 22 July (Jan., Sav.), 1687; m. Joseph, son of John Very.
- 18 Deborah?

II. 3 Rebecca (Francis) born 1647; died 1719; married 15 April, 1669, Thomas, son of Roger and Martha Preston, born Ipswich, 1643; died in Salem Village, 1697.