

WILLIAM Holmes, Scituate 1646, or earlier, freem. of the col. 1658, had Abraham, b. 1641; Israel, 1642; Isaac, 1644; Sarah, 1646; rebecca, 1648; Josiah, 1650; Mary 1655; and Elizabeth, 1661; and perhaps John, first b. in Eng.; rem. that yr. to Marshfield, and d. 9 Nov. 1678, by rep. of gr.stone, or by ano. 1690, aged 86; his wid. Elizabeth d. at the same age, 1693 or 1697, Miss Thomas says. I found it useless to distinguish the persons without l in the name. Five of this spell. had, in 1834, been gr. at H. C. and fifteen at the other N. E. coll.