

- ii. ARNOLD, of Pasquotank Precinct, Albemarle County, North Carolina; m. Mary ———, who d. in March, 1678-9. He d. 3d mo. (May) 23, 1690, leaving issue an only son, Arnold. In his will, for which see *Appendix II*, he mentions his brothers, Henry White and Thomas Symons. See *Appendix I*, No. 3.
- iii. [A DAUGHTER], m. Thomas Symons, of Symons Creek, Pasquotank Precinct, Albemarle County, North Carolina.

II. HENRY WHITE, 2d, of Little River, Pasquotank Precinct, Albemarle County, North Carolina, planter, (son of Henry, 1st, and ———,) born in 1635, and, September 25, 1663, obtained from the Governor of Virginia, Sir William Berkeley, Knt., who at that time claimed the right of granting land in North Carolina, a patent of 700 acres in that province, which is described as being "on a small creek called Corawtucks, that falls into the Kecoughtauk River." See *Appendix III*. In the patent the water-courses are described by their Indian names, but this land was situate in what was afterwards Pasquotank Precinct, the river referred to being the Little River, as appears by a deed dated April 16, 1717, when his eldest son, Robert White, in consideration of £100, conveyed to Robert Lowry "all that land lying "and being within the patent of the s'd Robert Lowry, which "belonged to the s'd Robert White as eldest son of Henry White, "dec'd, & which was granted to his father in a King's patent, "bearing date ye 25: 7<sup>br</sup> (September), 1663."\* In 1696 the authorities of North Carolina granted to "Mr. Henry White" a tract of land in Pasquotank Precinct, containing 100 acres.†

Mr. White was one of the most prominent members of the Society of Friends, being a minister and recorder of the Little River Quarterly Meeting. The first book of records of that meeting is principally in his handwriting, and, besides the matter usually entered in records of that character, contains copies of several wills and an original sermon in verse entitled "The Fall of Man," written and recorded by Henry White. The quarterly and monthly meetings were usually held at his house at Little River, and the following record of his death shows in what esti-

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\* Virginia Patent Records: Book IV, p. 595; Book A, Pasquotank County Deeds, p. 150.

† North Carolina Patent Records, Book I, p. 71. At that time the title of "Mr." was only given to some one having a claim to the rank of gentleman.—W. F. O.