

of whom were for the first time joining the company, sailed from Southampton. On the 23d they put into Dartmouth, with the Speedwell leaking and on the 31st sailed again. Further disasters to the Speedwell obliged a return to Plymouth where it was abandoned and eighteen passengers including Robert Cushman gave up the voyage. It is presumed that Philip De-la-Noye was one. Davis's Ancient Landmarks of Plymouth, Goodwin's Pilgrim Republic & Winsor's History of Duxbury from which many extracts are taken. In 1621 another vessel was fitted out, the "Fortune" of 55 tons burden. Goodwin says on Nov 11th 1621 just one year from the day the "Mayflower" sighted the hills of Cape Cod their sentry on Fort Hill shouted "Sail, ho!" The joyful discovery was made that she was the "Fortune," among her list of passengers we find that of Philip De-la-Noye his age given as 19 years old. In 1624 at the distribution of land Philip was awarded one acre as his share. It appears that he gave up possession of this by reason of becoming a resident of Duxbury.

Various writers speak of him in connection with others at that time. Winslow says, "Delano, originaly De-la-Noye. He was born of French parents and came from Leyden to New Plymouth and coming to the age of discerning demanded communion with us and proving himself to become of such Parents as were in full communion with the French Churches was hereupon admitted by the Ch of Plymouth, and after, upon his removal of habitation to Duxborrow, where Mr Ralph Partridge is Pastor of the Church, and upon letters of recomendation from the Ch at Plymouth he was also admitted into fellowship with the Ch at Duxborrow and I dare say of him, if occasion requires he may travel from church to church throughout New England. He was admitted permanently Jan 1632-3, being then a resident of Duxborrow." Winsor's Hist. of Duxbury gives same account with his place of residence. "He was admitted a freeman Jan 1 1632-3 and early removed to Duxbury and settled a little north or northwest of Alden, on the north side of stony or Mill brook, below the site of the late tack factory. His farm was confirmed to him in 1637 extending from the marsh at the farther end of the town on the north to Alden's on the south, and from Bumpus' land on the west, to the sea at the east, comprising about forty acres. He was a man of much respectability and employed in surveying lands and was often one of the grand inquest of the Colony. Records of Plymouth Colony Vol I pp 32 gives the following. "Philip Delano to Hester Dewesbury Dec 19-1634. He was taxed 18 shillings in 1633, and 9 shillings in 1634. On jury May 2-1637 "Volunteer in Pequot War June 7-1637" granted 40 acres in Duxbury Oct 2-1637 drawn on jury Dec 4-1637 on grand jury June 4-1639. From Hist of Middleborough Mass. in Vol 3 N E Hist and Genl Register 1849 is given the names of the first purchasers twenty six in number. Philip Delanoy's name in the list. Appendix in His of Duxbury gives the following. The grant of Bridgewater to the inhabitants of Duxbury was made in 1645, fifty four persons - Philip Delano's name appearing. Record of Deeds Plymouth County Book 2d.