

SECOND GENERATION.

2 **William Twining**, son of William Sr., was b. in early part of seventeenth century, Savage says, "probably in Eng.," and died in Newtown, Bucks Co., Pa., Nov. 4, 1703; m. Elizabeth Deane (dau. of *Stephen of Ply., whose wid. m. Josiah Cooke) at E. about 1653, possibly several years sooner. She d. in N. Pa., Dec. 28, 1708. The court records mention him first, June 3, 1652, when he was admitted and sworn; 1652 he was one of the Grand Jury or Enquest; 1667-8 on same, to examine as to a child found dead in the woods, etc.; June 5, 1671, sworn as one of the Grand Enquest.

He was a deacon at the Eastham Church, as early as 1677. Freeman nor Platt, in their histories of Cape Cod, do not mention this fact, however, the old clerk says, under date Feb. 26, 1677, "Deacon Twining and dea. Freeman," "to take and keep a clear account of Mr. Treat's maintenance given him by the town," "Dea. T. and dea. F. to take care about underpinning the house that Mr. Treat now lives in, to see that it is sufficiently done, etc. Again he is alluded to as "deacon Twining" as late as 1681. From old records of E.:—

"May 5, 1693, Granted to Joseph Young, a

*"Stephen Deane of P., one of the first comers, in the Fortune, 1621, built the first corn mill in N. E. 1632; m. about 1627, Elizabeth, dau. of wid. Ring; had Eliz., Miriam and Susanna, and d. Sept. 1634. His wid. m. Josiah Cooke and d. 1687" "Andrew Ring of P. (whose wid. mother made her will there in 1633), came probably about 1629: was freeman 1646. His sister Elizabeth who m. Stephen Deane, was older than Andrew, whether the father came or died in England is not certain."