

cease) all my estate, right, title and interest to the Drift-Fish at Panath†, with all my lands and privileges at Easton Harbor, so far as the purchased lines goes during her life, and after her decease, to fall to her youngest son then living by John Rogers.

All the rest and residue of my estate, real and personal, goods and chattels, whatsoever, I, do give and bequeath unto my loving wife, my executrix, equally joint with my sons Stephen Twining and William Twining—all equally joynt-executors full and sole to this my last will and testament And I do hereby revoke and disanulle & make void all other or former wills and testaments by me heretofore made.

In witness whereof I yé said William Twining to this my last will and testament have hereunto set my hand and seal yé 26th day of yé fourth month in the year 1697.

*
WILLIAM TWINING.

Signed and delivered in ye
presence of

ANN X SCAIFE
JONATHAN SCAIFE.

Then personally appeared ——— Twining and Stephen Twining (William Twining the other executor being beyond the sea) and proved the above will, in due form of law, and probate was to them granted under the seal of the office for probate of Wills, &c. JOHN EVANS.

To the honorable John Evans, Esq., Lieutenant Governor of Penna and the territories annexed, or to his lawful ordinary for the probate of wills.

Whereas there is a will of William Twining, of Newtown, in our county of Bucks, which said will the executors witnesses being somewhat difficult to be got to Philadelphia through age and other infirmities, they desired me to attest & examine the said witnesses which accordingly I did (viz) the witnesses being legally attesfed and examined before me, did evidence that they did see and hear the said Wm. Twining seal and acknowledge & declare this said will bearing date the 26th 4 mo 1697 to be his last will and testament,

the 6th of 2d mo. called April 1705.

JOSEPH KIRKBRIDE, Justice."

The above will was found in the Philadelphia Register's office, in the Autumn of 1885, where it had evidently lain 180 years, untouched by the hand of a descendant.

†The word "Panath" in will is wrongly given. It should be "Pamet" or "Paomet." Indian name for Truro, Mass.