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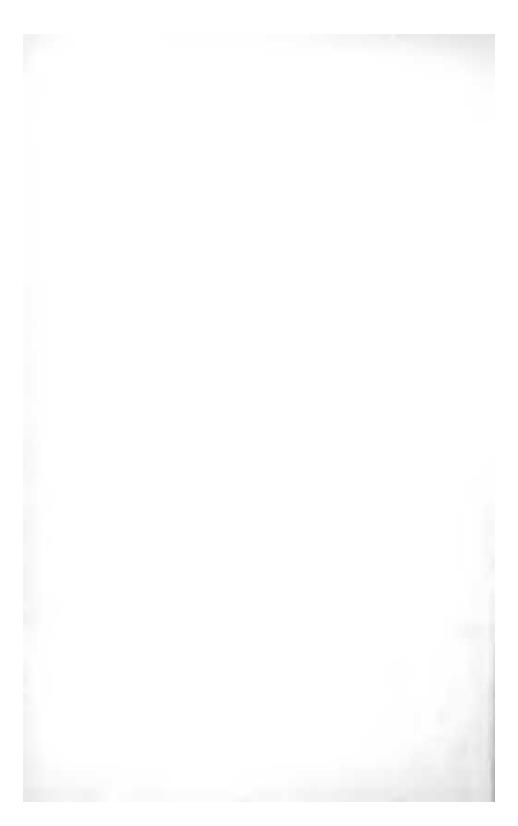
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THE ENGLISH ANCESTORS

WALTER GEERE, Gentleman, of Heavitree, County of Devon, England, born about 1450, married Alice Somaster, daughter of John Somaster, of Wydcombe, Devon, and grand-daughter of Adam Somaster and Julyan, daughter of Sir John Prideaux, of Adeston. He had two children: John, and Juliana, who married William Hurste.

JOHN GEERE, son of Walter, born about 1480, married, 1st, Alice Throwbridge, of Crediton, by whom he had one son: John; married, 2nd, Jane Stowell, of Codleston, Somerset, by whom he had one son, Andrew, and two daughters, Mary and Anne.

JOHN GEERE, eldest son and heir of John, born about 1510, married, 1st, Juliana, daughter of Anthony Butside, of St. Bodockes, Devon, by whom he had two children: John and Mary; married, 2nd, in November, 1546, Beatrix, daughter of John Jermyn, of Exeter, by whom he had four children: Nicholas, Andrew, George, and Alice. Andrew married, and had a daughter Anne, who married Richard Ashe of Sowton, in January, 1615 16. Alice married the Reverend William Varley, of Exeter, in April, 1583. George, the youngest son, was probably the father of Jonathan, and the grandfather of George and Thomas.

JOHN GEERE, eldest son and heir of John, of Hollaway, parish of Kene, Devon, born about 1540, married Elizabeth Burington, by whom he had four sons and four daughters: John, Bartholomew, George, Humphrey, Katherine (m. Richard Walton), Bridget (m. John Walton), Joane (m. John Lange), and Mary (m. Christopher Lamacroft).

JOHN GEERE, eldest son and heir of John, of Hollaway, Kene, born about 1570, buried 24 December, 1645, married Mary, daughter of Gilbert Yarde, of Nuton Bushell, by whom