

APPENDIX E.

JOURNAL OF THE EXPEDITION UNDER SIR WILLIAM
PHIPPS AGAINST PORT ROYAL, 1690.

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A JOURNAL of the PROCEEDINGS in the late EXPEDITION to PORT-ROYAL, On board Their Majesties Ship, the *Six-Friends*, The HONOURABLE S^r WILLIAM PHIPPS Knight COMMANDER in Chief, &c. A *True Copy, Attested by* Joshua Natsto[ck] Clerk. BOSTON in NEW ENGLAND, Printed for Benjamin Harris at the London-Coffee-House. Anno Domini MDCXC.

Wednesday, April the 23, 1690.

This Morning we set sail in the Road before *Governours Island*, and Anchored in *Nantasket*, and in the evening got on board our Soldiers from *Governours-Island* and the *Castle*.

Munday 28. At six this morning we set sail from *Nantasket Harbour* the wind at S S W fair weather. In Company with us the *Porcupine*, Capt. *Cyprian Southack* Commander; the *Mary-Sloop*, Capt. *John Alden* Commander; the *Mary-Ann*, Capt. *Gregory Sugars* Junior, Commander; the *Batchelour-Ketch*, Capt. *John Welch* Commander; Capt. *Cyprian Southack* in the Afternoon was commanded to *Casko-Bay*, there to make a false Alarum under the French colours against the Fort, in expectation of drawing down the *French* and *Indians*, but the Enterprize failed, the wind serving their order was not to stay, but hasten the *Salem* Vessels with the soldiers, and meet us at *Mount-Desart*, which was the place appointed to Rendezvous. This night about twelve a clock we lost Capt. *Welch* who went in to *Casko*.

Tuesday 29. At seven this morning we set sail from the place aforesaid, the wind at S S E, & S E, close and foggy weather which forced us into *Sheepscutt River*.

Wednesday 30. At seven in the morning we set sail, the wind NW, fair weather, steered to *Mount-Hegan*, where the Boat was set on shoar, and brought off the *Island Carratts & Cabbages*, and several sorts of Garden herbs.

Thursday, May 1st. At 10 in the morning we anchored at *Mount-Desart*, the place appointed as aforesaid; in the evening Capt. *John Alden* who was sent within the Islands and commanded to view *Penobscut-Fort*, and to bring Tydings of *Casteen*, brought us this Intelligence; That *Casteen* was gone from thence, and 200 *Indians* were in the Fort, and that the out-Centinels fired several musquets at them alongst shoar; whereupon the General and Council ordered the Major and the several Captains with their respective Companies to prepare to attacque the said Fort.

Fryday 2. This Morning the wind came up at N E, we weigh'd and sail'd up the Harbour, which lieth W N W, and intended that