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I shall be a dutifull obseruer of your pleasure and commandement.

And so with the like humiliay, I doe present your Honour with the good tydings of all our healths, safety and good successe in our proceedings (Gods holy Name be praised for it.) It followeth now (as my durie requireth) that I render vnto your Honour a due account of what hath beene done by vs here this yeare, and of all things else, which appertaines vnto me to doe.

This was the
last Letter sent
into England
the yeare be-
fore, 1621.

Therefore it may please your Honour, that as soone as I had deliuered my last Letters of the 5. of September, I immediatly addresssed my selfe onely to our businesse: Notwithstanding our diligent labour and extraordinary paines-taking, it was Alhallontide before our first range of building was fitted for an habitable being. The which being 44. foot of length, and 15. foot of bredth, contayning a hall 18. foot long, an entry of 6. foot, and a Cellar of 20. foot in length, and of height, betweene the ground floore and that ouer head, about 8. foot, being deuided aboue, that thorowout into foure chambers, and foure foot high to the roose or a halfe storie. The roose buer the Hall, I couered with Deale boords, and the rest with such thatch as I found growing here about the Harbour, as sedge, flagges and rushes, a farre better couering then boords, both for warmth and titenesse. When I had finished the same with onely one Chimney of stone-worke in the Hall, I went forward with our kitchin, of length 18. foot, 12. foot of bredth, and 8. foot high to the eues, and walled vp with stone-worke, with a large Chimney in the same. Over the
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