

twenty-five Canadians on the south shore. He took five prisoners, and killed and wounded *several* more, without any loss on our side. The 10th, in the morning, the whole detachment landed on the South shore, in the parish of Saint Antoine; the landing was opposed by about one hundred and fifty Canadians and fifty Indians, who were soon *drawn off*. There *were several of them killed and wounded*. The whole detachment encamped here upon a spot of ground above the Church. The 12th, there was a detachment of four hundred men, under the command of major Dalling, ordered to proceed at *one o'clock* next morning and surprise the back concession of Saint Antoine. They were fired upon before day-break, and had a captain and four men wounded by some of the inhabitants, who went off immediately after; upon which there was a *paper posted* up on the Church-door to *acquaint them* that since they had fired several times upon our Troops, notwithstanding General Wolfe's Manifesto, all the houses in the Parish should be burnt; that the Church only should be saved, but should undergo the same fate if they continued *making signals* from it. The houses were accordingly burnt *that day and the day following*. The 17th, at about eight at night, the land-troops re-embarked; the marines remained in camp in a strong redoubt, with orders to make the usual number of fires that night, and all the show they could the next *day*. About eleven, the Troops proceeded in the flat-bottomed Boats for Deschambault, which is eight leagues higher up on the North shore. About an hour after day-break, next morning, they landed, without opposition, at "Portneuf," which is a league below; then marched and took possession of the Magazine; and, having posted a party there, with Orders to touch nothing on pain of Death, marched forward and took possession of the Church, *which is a little higher up*. Upon a movement of the *Light-Infantry* to surround a small party of the enemy that seemed disposed to dispute the way to the Church, they went off *without firing a shot*. The magazine was now examined,