

James Sherley's Plymouth Company Accounts, 1628

1628. The Company of Plymouth in New England are debtors as foll. viz.

To so much paid for Mr. Rogers' passage, 20s. his diet 11 weeks at 4s. 8d	3 11 4
Paid for Constant Souther's passage, 20s. and diet 11 weeks at 4s. 8d.	3 11 4
John Gibbs, for freight of beaver and other skins, 30s. charges at custom house,	1 13 0
To Mr. Elbridge for freight of 3 hogsheads,	3 0 0
For primage of the said 3 hogsheads,	10 0
For custom thereof at Bristowe,	8 0 0
To the boatswain, by Mr. Winslow's order,	2 5 0
For bringing the beaver from Bristowe,	1 15 0
Paid to Mr. Elbridge for 125£. Taken up at 50£. p.c. for 2 years,	137 10 0
Paid to John Pocock for 20£ taken up at 30£. P.c. for 2 years,	32 0 0
Paid to Edward Basse for 5£ taken up at 6s. p. £. for 2 years,	8 0 0
Paid to Timothy Hatherley for 10£ taken up at 6s. p. £. for two years,	16 0 0
Paid to Wm. Thomas for 10£. Taken up at 6s. p. £. for 2 years	16 0 0
Paid to Mr. Linge for 5£. At 6. p. £. for 2 years	8 0 0
Paid, being the first year's payment towards the purchase,	200 0 0
Paid to Mrs. Armstrong in full for her debt, which now belongeth to the Company,	2 0 0
To Mr. Viner about the patent, and spent thereabouts,	39 15 0
More since laid out by Mr. Hatherley, as in your account, for the patent,	7 0
To so much paid for custom and charges by Mr. Brand for the goods out of Mr. Wm. Peeters,	<u>7 12 4</u>
	541 10 0
So here you are indebted to the Company which I set here to balance,	<u>118 6 11</u>
	659 16 11

But now I find in your letter of the 7th and 12th of December, 1628, that you have laid out for the Company as followeth, besides what you know belongeth unto them, and that I have not taken out of the account betwixt you and me:

Paid for shoes and leather,	30 0 0
Paid for cloth,	40 0 0
Irish stockings and cloth of all sorts,	40 0 0
Pitch, tar, ropes and twine,	5 0 0
Knives, scissors, and the piece of rowle,	18 0 0
Rudge of divers sorts,	14 0 0
Lead, shot and powder	25 0 0
Hatchets, hoes, axes, scythes, reap-hooks, shovels, spades, saws, files,	

nails, iron pots, drugs and spices,	60 0 0
All these I find you put down, which amount to	232 0 0
Besides many other I imagine you omit, and the charge of your servants. So now I find the Company are in your debt (the 118:6:11 above being set off) the sum of	<u>131 13 1</u>
	James Sherley.

1628. The Company of Plymouth in New England are creditors for goods sent by them, and sold here, as foll.

Rec. out of the <i>Marmaduke</i> , by John Gibbs, 220 otters' and minks' and quash skins, sold at	78 12 0
Rec. out of the <i>White Angel</i> , by Christopher Burkett, 494 lb. 8 d. beaver, sold at 15s. 6d. amounts to	383 14 3
Rec. out of the <i>Pleasure</i> , Wm. Peeters master, 209 lb. 12 d. beaver, at 16s. 4d.	171 5 11
40 otters' skins sold together,	<u>29 0 0</u>
	200 5 11
Rebated, because they were exceeding wet, and doubtful some mistake in weight, the sum of	<u>2 15 3</u>
So they yielded, to be put to account,	<u>197 10 8</u>
	<u>659 16 11</u>
	James Sherley

Memorandum. The Company stand indebted unto these several men following, for principal moneys borrowed of them, as foll.

To John Beauchamp, p. bond bearing date the 18 th day of November, 1628, payable on the 25 th of October, 1629, being principal money only,	160 0 0
To James Sherley, p. bond dated 18 th of November, 1628, payable on the 25 th day of October, 1629, being principal money only,	80 0 0
To Richard Andrews, p. bond dated the 18 th of November, 1628, payable the 15 th of October, 1629, being principal money,	<u>40 0 0</u>
	280 0 0