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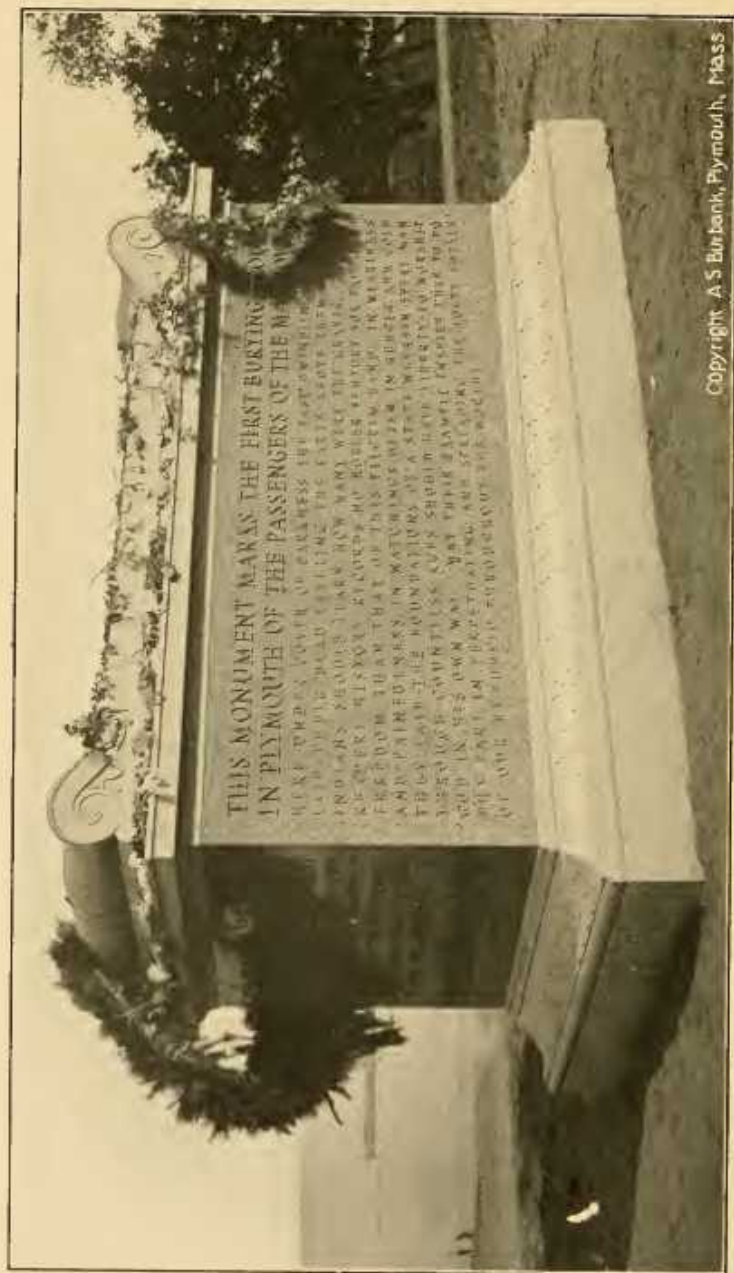
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1921

AT THE

FIRST CHURCH
PLYMOUTH, MASS.

PRESIDING:

Former Governor General HOWLAND DAVIS, Chairman of the
Committee on the Tercentenary Celebration
and Permanent Memorial



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COLE'S HILL MEMORIAL
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*INSCRIPTIONS ON MONUMENT

THIS MONUMENT MARKS THE FIRST BURYING GROUND
IN PLYMOUTH OF THE PASSENGERS OF THE MAYFLOWER

HERE, UNDER COVER OF DARKNESS, THE FAST DWINDLING COMPANY
LAID THEIR DEAD, LEVELING THE EARTH ABOVE THEM LEST THE
INDIANS SHOULD LEARN HOW MANY WERE THE GRAVES.

READER! HISTORY RECORDS NO NOBLER VENTURE FOR FAITH
AND FREEDOM THAN THAT OF THIS PILGRIM BAND. IN WEARINESS
AND PAINFULNESS, IN WATCHINGS OFTEN, IN HUNGER AND COLD
THEY LAID THE FOUNDATIONS OF A STATE WHEREIN EVERY MAN,
THROUGH COUNTLESS AGES, SHOULD HAVE LIBERTY TO WORSHIP
GOD IN HIS OWN WAY. MAY THEIR EXAMPLE INSPIRE THEE TO DO
THY PART IN PERPETUATING AND SPREADING THE LOFTY IDEALS
OF OUR REPUBLIC THROUGHOUT THE WORLD!

OF THE ONE HUNDRED AND FOUR PASSENGERS THESE DIED IN PLYMOUTH DURING THE FIRST YEAR

John Allerton	Thomas English	Ellen More and	Edward Tilley and
Mary, First Wife of	Moses Fletcher	a Brother (children)	Ann His Wife
Isaac Allerton	Edward Fuller and	William Mullins	John Tilley and
Richard Britteridge	His Wife	Alice His Wife and	His Wife
Robert Carter	John Goodman	Joseph Their Son	Thomas Tinker
John Carver and	William Holbeck	Solomon Prower	His Wife and Son
Katharine His Wife	John Hooke	John Rigdale and	John Turner
James Chilton's Wife	John Langmore	Alice His Wife	and Two Sons
Richard Clarke	Edmund Margeson	Thomas Rogers	William White
John Crakston Sr.	Christopher Martin	Rose, First Wife of	Roger Wilder
Sarah, First Wife of	and His Wife	Myles Standish	Elizabeth, First Wife of
Francis Eaton	Degory Priest	Elias Story	Edward Winslow
	Thomas Williams		



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THE BONES OF THE PILGRIMS
FOUND AT VARIOUS TIMES IN
AND NEAR THIS INCLOSURE
AND PRESERVED FOR MANY
YEARS IN THE CANOPY OVER
THE ROCK WERE RETURNED AT
THE TIME OF THE TERCENTENARY
CELEBRATION AND ARE DEPOSITED
WITHIN THIS MONUMENT.

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A. D. 1920

"ABOUTE A HUNDRED SOWLS
CAME OVER IN THIS FIRST
SHIP AND BEGAN THIS WORK
WHICH GOD OF HIS GOODNESS
HATH HITHERTO BLESSED: LET
HIS HOLY NAME HAVE YE PRAISE"

BRADFORD 1650

