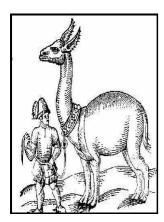
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#### In Drake's Wake

This business arrangement, in which Drakeobtained the right to build and operate grist mills on the canal, has given rise to a fanciful tale that Francis Drake brought the first supply of water to the grateful citizens of Plymouth. Some of the inhabitants came on board this day, who told us that the wind usually blew strong at W.

### DRAKE'S ATTACK ON CADIZ, 1587

By the time of Sir Francis Drake the hostilities had ended. The riches of this prize seemed so great to the whole fleet, as in truth they were, that every one expected to have sufficient reward of their labour, and thereupon it was unanimously resolved to return to England, which we happily did, and arrived safe the same summer in Plymouth with our whole fleet and this rich booty, to our own profit and due honour, and the great admiration of the whole kingdom.

#### Francis DRAKE (Sir Capt.)

They had neither bell, drums, nor trumpet, to call the parishioners together, but wait for the coming of the sovereign, when those that have devotion follow him.

#### Sir Francis Drake Attacks Cadiz

Drake had been for some time suffering from dysentery; disappointment and vexation probably enough aggravated the disease, and it took a bad turn. When the ship's chaplain Francis Fletcher in a sermon suggested that the woes of the voyage in January 1580 were connected to the unjust demise of Doughty, Drake chained the clergyman to a hatch cover and pronounced him excommunicated. Drake stayed in the area for almost a year, raiding Spanish shipping and attempting to capture a treasure shipment.

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