

C H A P. II.

His first journey, on a religious visit, into East-Jersey, in company with Abraham Farrington—His thoughts on merchandizing, and his learning a trade—His second journey, with Isaac Andrews, into Pennsylvania, Maryland, Virginia, and North-Carolina.—His third journey, with Peter Andrews, through part of West and East-Jersey—Some account of his sister Elizabeth, and her death—His fourth journey, with Peter Andrews, through New-York and Long-Island, to New-England—And his fifth journey, with John Sykes, to the Eastern Shore of Maryland, and the Lower Counties on Delaware.

MY esteemed friend Abraham Farrington, being about to make a visit to friends on the eastern side of this province, and having no companion, he proposed to me to go with him; and after a conference with some elderly friends, I agreed to go: so we set out the fifth day of the ninth month, in the year 1743; had an evening meeting at a tavern in Brunswick, a town in which none of our society dwelt; the room was full, and the people quiet. Thence to Amboy, and had an evening meeting in the court-house; to which came many people, amongst whom were several members of assembly, they being in town on the public affairs of the province,