

AL MANDACRS for the Year of our Lord 1747, to be Sold by the Printer hereof.

W H E R E A S Robert Sutcliffe, upon his arrival in Maryland, published in the Gazette, an Advertisement, desiring those Persons who were indebted to him to come and pay off their respective Balances, by which means he hop'd to be soon able to pay off what might be due from him to others, he having more than four times as much due to him in this Province, as he owes; but instead of any Persons coming to him to pay him any Money, it has been most falsely insinuated (as he has reason to believe, by some Persons who are largely indebted to him, and others that have wrongfully prosecuted Suits against him before his arrival, and have since been apprehensive that their unjust Practices may be discover'd) that the said Robert Sutcliffe intended to receive what he could that was due to him, and carry it out of the Province in detraod of his Creditors: By this, and other Artifices, he supposes they intended to make his Creditors more uneasy, and pressing upon him, and thereby so much embarrass him, that he could not proceed in the Settlement of his Affairs, and that the injustice of the Suits brought against him might not be expos'd: Therefore to remove as far as it is possible for him to do in the present circumstances, all manner of Suspicion that may have been rais'd by any such indirect Means, in the minds of his just Creditors, and to prevent their being impos'd on to Discount their Demands at an under-value, He hereby Declares and Publishes, that his Intentions in coming into this Province, was, Honestly and Fairly to settle all his Affairs here (in which he was likely to suffer, not only by the misfortunes incident to Trade, but by particular abuses he has received) and pay every Farthing justly due from him: And he further also declares, that all probable Deductions being made for Insolvents, &c. he has doubly more than sufficient to do it. And that after a considerable time of stay here, without being able to effect his just Intentions, and being obliged to prosecute other Affairs, he has put all his Business here, into the Hands of *Philip Thomas, Esq;* and Son, who will, to such of the Creditors as chuse to take their Pay in that manner, give them Assignments of such of his Debts as may Balance their just Claims against him, as soon as they have Settled and adjust'd the Accounts of those that are indebted to the said Robert Sutcliffe, which Time shall be known, by a Publication in the *Maryland Gazette*; and in the mean Time, if the Creditors will give themselves the trouble to call on the said Messieurs *Thomas*, they shall be further satisfied as to these Affairs.

And whereas several Actions have been brought against the said Robert Sutcliffe, and *Wells Bowen*, in several of the Courts of this Province, some of them by Persons who are really indebted, others by Persons to whom nothing was due, and the rest (a Few excepted) for a great deal more than was due, and great Sums, of the proper Money of the said Robert Sutcliffe (the said *Wells Bowen* having never been worth a Groat since the said Robert Sutcliffe's knowledge of him) have been Attach'd and Condemn'd; which proceedings are not only manifestly unjust, but also (as the said Robert Sutcliffe is advised) irregular and vexatious: These are therefore to acquaint the Persons concerned, that if they will come to a fair Account, and pay back that they have received more than their Due, without further Trouble or Expence, they will save themselves the Charge of endeavouring to Support unjust and erroneous Judgments, which they may depend the said Robert Sutcliffe will not submit to, be they cost what it will of being reliev'd from them.

ROBERT SUTCLIFFE.

T H E above named Robert Sutcliffe having put the management of his Affairs here, into my Hands, and Son; and by Desire, that upon the Inspection of the Accounts of Mr. Sutcliffe, I have Reason to believe that what he Declares in the above Advertisement, as to the State of his Affairs is true; and that we will use our endeavours in the Settling the Accounts to do Justice to all his Creditors as far as in our Power.

PHILIP THOMAS.

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CARRIE Drawn away from this City by the Acc some short Time since, on Twelve Hoghead Flats, and had a small Anchor and Cable, a middle Thwart nail'd with Spike-Nails, Swims Jaw before, and has self-built Stern, whoever returns her to her Owner shall have Twenty Shillings Reward.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC VENDUR

On Friday the 24th of April next, in the City of Annapolis, A CHOICE parcel of Negroes, consisting of Men, Women and Children, (which lately belonged to Mr. *David Col Henmond*, deceased;) among whom are Nine very good Sawyers.

WILLIAM COCKER, JOSHUA QUINNS.

MRS. *Elizabeth Beale*, having Ten young Country born Negro Women, and a Child about six Months old, whom she would dispose of for Sterling or Current Money: Any Person inclining to purchase all or any of them, may treat with the Subscriber, as to the Price.

VACHEL DEFOUL.

To be LET,

BY the Subscriber for any Term not exceeding 21 Years, his late *Mansion House*, on the North-West Fork of *Nanticoke River*; also sundry *Out-houses*, a *Store house*, *Cooking-houses*, *Pork houses*, *Salt house*, *Granary houses*, *Milk house*, *Kitchen*, a *Prize house* with 16 *Fuzes*, all commodious, and conveniently situated for the Purchase of any Commodities suitable for the *London*, *W^{est} India*, or *Northern Trade*; also sundry other Lands and Tenements, adjoining or contiguous to bold navigable Water; all at reasonable Rates.

Any Person or Persons, capable of undertaking the Building of a Ship, at the Subscriber's Landing on *Nanticoke*, Burthen about 425 Tons, may meet with suitable Encouragement from him, or *Capt. Walter Montgomery*, who is appointed Superintendent of the Affairs: The Plank, Timber, Iron, Provisions, &c. to be furnished by

FRANCIS YEA.

January 30, 1746-7.

R UN away from the Subscriber, living in *Annapolis*, on the Second Day of December last, from his Plantation called *Spin*, upon the Head of *Patuxent River*, commonly called *Shoalens* River, a hired Servant Man named *Roger Connor*: He is an Irish Man of a middle Stature, well set, and of a sandy Complexion: Had on when he went away a blue hair nothing *Pea-jacket*, and old Felt Hat, *Osbribrigs* Shirt and *Trowsers*: He is very Talkative and speaks loud, especially in Liquor.

Whoever will secure the said *Roger Connor* and bring him to the Subscriber, shall have Forty Shillings Reward, besides what the Law allows.

WILLIAM COCKER.

B The said *Connor* has a Discharge from the Subscriber; but since that has Contracted again for another Year.

T H E Commissioners of the Paper-Currency Office, desire all Persons, that have Bonds dated in the Year 1735 to come and take up, or renew the same: And all those that have Interest due on their Bonds, are required to pay the same Yearly, as it becomes due; or they must Expect to be dealt with according to Law.

The Commissioners will attend at the Office every Wednesday, By Order of the Commissioners,

RICHARD DORSET, Clerk of the Paper Currency Office.

T O be Sold by the Subscriber, a Tract of Land containing 400 Acres, lying on *Buff River* in *Baltimore County*: Whoever is inclin'd to purchase the said Land, may be inform'd of the Terms of Sale, by applying to

WALTER DULANY.

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