

and hee the rather beleives this because hee this depon<sup>t</sup> did see the Sec<sup>ry</sup> of the s<sup>d</sup> province by name Will: Calvert Esq<sup>re</sup> putt his hand to a pass or writteing under the lesser seale of the s<sup>d</sup> province toe Lycence the s<sup>d</sup> Christopher to depart the s<sup>d</sup> province & did see the s<sup>d</sup> Sec<sup>ry</sup> deliver the same to the s<sup>d</sup> Christopher and all this was done as it soe happened in an open & full Co<sup>rt</sup> held for the s<sup>d</sup> province at S<sup>t</sup> Marys about the beginning of May last past and hee this depon<sup>t</sup> did afterwards see the s<sup>d</sup> Christopher shew and deliver the s<sup>d</sup> pass unto Sam<sup>l</sup> Groom Command<sup>r</sup> of the said shippe to warrant his said Transportacōn and sayth that the said Christopher did come for Engl<sup>d</sup> in the s<sup>d</sup> shippe Globe accordingly (this depon<sup>t</sup> being passanger then in the same) and that they did embarq and depart from the province of Maryland the eleaventh day of May 1681 and sayth that being at my Lord Baltemores the same day that the shippe sayled to take his leave of my Lord and Lady hee was told by severall of the Family there that the s<sup>d</sup> Christopher had been twice there two days before to take his leave of my Lord but his Lord<sup>spp</sup> would not bee seen by him the s<sup>d</sup> Christopher and this Depon<sup>t</sup> further sayth that it did manifestly appeare to this depon<sup>t</sup> that his said Lordshippe did very well know of the s<sup>d</sup> Christopher Rousby's intencōn to come for England at that time in the said Shippe Globe for that when hee this depon<sup>t</sup> upon the s<sup>d</sup> eleaventh day of May last offered to go away & to bidd his Lordshippe farewell in ord<sup>r</sup> to take water and go on board his Lords<sup>pp</sup> told him hee needed not make so much hast for he belcived M<sup>r</sup> Rousby was not yett gott on board or words to that effect and further this depon<sup>t</sup> sayth hee being in Comp: with my Lord Baltimore & the s<sup>d</sup> Chr: Rousby at my Lords House about a month before the said Christopher Rousby came away, he heard my Lord ask the s<sup>d</sup> Christopher Rousby if he held his resolucōn to goe for England and the s<sup>d</sup> Chris: answered him yes God willing or words to that effect:

Jur: 23 die Septemb

Tho: Raymond.

John Lynes Affidavit ab<sup>t</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Rousby's  
departure from Maryland.

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23<sup>rd</sup> September 1681.

Jane Slye aged about thirty yeares maketh oath that shee being with her husband M<sup>r</sup> Gerrard Slye at the Lord Baltemores house in Maryland about the tenth day of May last to take their leaves of his Lo<sup>pp</sup> and his Lady shee did heare my Lord and Lady Baltimore use severall words and expressions touching Christopher Rousby his Ma<sup>ties</sup> Collector there, whereby it did plainly appeare that they both were acquainted with