

THE Subscriber hath obtained a Patent for keeping a FAIR at Frederick-Town, near Monocacy, on the 21st Day of October, and the 10th Day of May next, each Fair to continue Three Days; and for a Market to be held there every Saturday after the first of November next. All Persons who will bring any Goods, Merchandizes, Cattle, or any Thing else to the said Fairs, or Markets, to sell, shall be free and exempt from the Payment of any Toll, Stalage, Piccage, or any other Charge, for the Term of five Years next ensuing this last Day of August 1747.

D. DULANY.

THE Subscriber intends for England, in the *Passant-Merchant*, Capt. Alexander Jolly, now in Patuxent River. All Persons who have any Accounts with him are desired to Settle forthwith: Attendance will be given every Saturday at Calvert County Court-house, for that purpose, by

DAVID ARNOLD.

To Messrs: SPRIGG, CLARK, and BELT.

Gentlemen,

HAVING seen in the Maryland GAZETTE of the 11th Instant, an Advertisement, where-in, among several reflections on Robert Sutcliffe, I observe you express yourselves in these Terms, viz. "that before Robert Sutcliffe left this Province, we often proposed to him to leave our Accounts to indifferent Merchants, or other Gentlemen here, to be settled (as Mr. Sprigg had to him in London, to Merchants) in this Trade, which he declined, and have done the same to his Attorneys in Fact before and since he went away, which they all have refused to do." Now, Gentlemen, as I am one of the Attorneys in Fact of Robert Sutcliffe, and am not sensible that ALL, or any of his Attorneys, have given you even a pretence for this Assertion, which seems, at least, to insinuate that they ALL have OFTEN refused some very reasonable Proposal of yours: I must therefore, in the like public manner, call upon, and desire, you to explain yourselves, and say when, where, and how, you have OFTEN made THE SAME, or any Proposal, to Robert Sutcliffe's Attorneys, since he went away, which they ALL have refused. And as to what you have said of him, I shall take no other Notice of it here, than to say, He came recommended here, by as eminent a Merchant as any in the Tobacco Trade, which Mr. Sprigg in a very particular manner well knows; and refer to the following Letter from the late Governor of Pennsylvania, for a better Character of him, than you give. And give me leave to tell you, the Differences in the Accounts, between Robert Sutcliffe and you, can never be fairly understood, by publishing abusive Advertisements, or Letters, obtained from Persons who may perhaps see through a false light, and therefore may seem much surpris'd, at very trifling appearances. Nor can the World, whom you appeal to, ever Judge of the Justice of Gratitude, on either side, where the particulars of the Dispute, and the circumstances, are unknown to them; however such things may operate on prejudiced or unthinking People. And I will venture to add, that the Treatment Robert Sutcliffe met with, from People in this Province, both before and after his coming here, with an honest design to settle his Affairs, has been such, as if the example was to be followed, must ruin every Merchant in this Trade. Whether you are concerned in this Charge, or not, may be the subject of an enquiry elsewhere.

In the mean time the Attorneys of Robert Sutcliffe are ready, as they always have been, to hear any determinate Proposal you may think proper to make them. I am, Gentlemen,

Yours, &c.

P. THOMAS.

Aug. 24 1747.

To PHILIP THOMAS, Esq; in Maryland.

Philadelphia, March 12. 1746, 7.

SIR,

MR. Robert Sutcliffe having inform'd me, that he has considerable Sums of Money due to him in Maryland, some of which are like to be equipt at Law; and that some of his Debtors have insinuated things prejudicial to his Character, I think myself oblig'd in Justice to him, to acquaint you, that his general Character in Anugua, where I knew him many Years, was that of an honest Man and a fair Dealer.

Your most obedient humble Servant,
GEO. THOMAS.

TA K E N up in the Bay off Chesir River, on Saturday the 15th Instant, a CANOE of an uncommon Size and Make, and may possibly be much esteem'd by the Owner, who, on applying to the Subscriber, may have her again, paying the Charge of this Advertisement.

Aug. 17. 1747.

WM. GOVANE.

ALL Persons Indebted to the Subscriber, living at the Sign of the Indian King, in Annapolis, are requested to make Payment.

MARY FRAZER.

ALL Persons who are Indebted to the Subscriber of the City of Annapolis, are desired to pay their respective Balances; and those who have any Demands on the said Subscriber, are desired to bring in their Accounts, in order to be adjusted.

GEORGE DEWING.

RA N-away from the Subscriber, on the 16th Instant, a Servant Man named John Fiack, alias Evans. He is a short sprightly Man: He is a very artful, sly, smooth-tongued Fellow; has his story by heart, is pretty much given to drink, and when in liquor is very Impudent. 'Tis probable he will pass for a Sailor or a Sail maker, which Businesses he knows very well; and 'tis likely he will appear in a sailor's dress. He is very much mark'd with Gun-Powder. Under his right Breast, he has the representation of Adam and Eve sitting under a Tree; and on the back of one of his Hands JOHN, and on the other F L A C K, and has many other Marks on his Arms and Body. It is suppos'd he is gone Northward.

Whoever takes up said Fiack, and brings him to the Subscriber, in Annapolis, shall have Three Pounds Reward, beside what the Law allows, if taken in this Province; and three Pistols if in any other Province.

WILLIAM THORNTON.

N. B. There is run away from the said Thornton, a tall lusty Negro Fellow named Caro, he speaks bad English, and has lost part of each Foot by the Frost.

TO B E S O L D in Baltimore-Town, on Monday the 14th of September, by the Subscriber, by way of Bidding, about 20 Lots of Land, at the East end of said Town, situate near to Col. William Hammond's, betwixt the North Branch of Patuxet River, and Jones's Falls, near the Neck. Any Person may see the Title at the House of

THOMAS HARRISON.

ON the 29th of September, will be Run, on the Race Ground near Annapolis, a Match for Fifty Guineas. And the Day following, a Subscription Race for Twenty Pounds Current Money, by any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, carrying Nine Stone, the best of Three Heats. A Non-Subscriber to Twenty Shillings Entrance.

LE F T by Capt. German's Sailors, when he was last in the County, at the House of Mr. Benjamin Allen, at Pocomoke Point, a BUNDLE, mark'd P D (in a Dramon) N^o. 1. The Owner may have it, on application to the said Mr. Allen, and paying the Charge of this Advertisement.

Queen-Anne's County, near Queen's Town, Aug. 8. 1747.

TO B E S O L D, for Bills of Exchange, Current Money, or shippable Tobacco.

A L A R G E sortment of English and India Goods, at reasonable Rates, in Wholesale or Retail, by

CHARLES BROWN.

WH ereas there is a Vacancy for a Master in Queen Anne's County School: Any Person properly qualified, upon applying to the Visitors, will meet with such encouragement as the Law relating to Free-Schools will support them in.

Signed by Order, NATHAN WRIGHT, Register.

A N Y Gentlemen, or Gentlewomen, may be furnish'd with a two-Wheel'd Chair and Horse, also a Man to attend upon them, for their convenient travelling between Chester-Town and Mrs. Wilson's House at Kent-Island, or to the Court-House, at a reasonable Rate.

per MATTHEW DICKSON