

AFTER a due Consideration of this Report, the Merchants agreed upon the following Resolutions, viz.

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A COPY of the Resolutions come into, by the General Meeting of the Merchants, after reading the Report from the Committee.

Black-Swan Tavern, March 21, 1727-8.

AT a General Meeting of the Merchants trading to Virginia and Maryland, a Report was made by the Committee appointed to take into Consideration the State of the Trade.

UPON taking the said Report into Consideration, the following Resolutions were agreed to, and ordered to be enter'd fir into the Book, to be sign'd at next General Meeting; and adjourn'd to the Fourth of April next.

THAT Mr. John Walkley be appointed to act as our Secretary, and have a Salary, to be fix'd at next General Meeting, paid him out of the Publick Stock.

AS there are already Twelve Managers appointed, they are continued for this courant Year, and that on the First Thursday in April in every Year in Time coming, there be a Choice of Managers.

FOR the more orderly carrying on Debates in the General Meetings, there be a Chairman; and that one of the Twelve Managers should preside in each of those Meetings, in the Absence of the Treasurer; and that the Chairman have a small Mallet lie by him to keep Order.

THAT every Member when he wants to speak, may stand up and direct his Discourse to the Chairman; and when he has done, to sit down; that other Members may have Liberty to speak in their Turn without Interruption.

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