

✓ Times past, where each accuses the other of the very Facts, which occasioned the Breach of all their former Agreements, I conclude, that there's no Reason to be had to their private Accusations and Letters, if any of them should take that Method; therefore I heartily wish Success to this Proposal, as it will be an effectual-Means both to advance the Price of Tobacco, and oblige the Gentlemen there, to abide steadily to their Agreements, yet I find it will meet with great Opposition; for, since my Arrival here, I received a Letter, dated the 15th of July, from Mr. Sawyer, with his Objections to this Project inclosed; which were to be given into the next Meeting of the Trade, in a very few Days: Which Objections are as follow, &c.

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A COPY of John Filson's *Observations and Thoughts, upon a Scheme proposed by Samuel Hyde.*

**T**HE Proposal given in, the Second Current, by *Samuel Hyde*, to the General Meeting, being by them referred to us their Managers, to consider thereof; and to report our Opinion to the next General Meeting; I intend now to give you my Thoughts upon that Project, which I here put down in *Samuel Hyde's* own Words, &c.

I. **T H A T** the Price of *Oronsko's* Tobacco be fixed by the General Meeting, according to its Nature, *viz.*

Fine Colour.	First Leaf.
Second Colour.	Second Leaf.
Dry Tobacco.	Third Leaf.
Worst Scrubs.	

II. **T H A T** the Managers (or any Five of them) be appointed to view every Loading of Tobacco, as soon as landed, and before sold.

III. **T H A T**