

Dr Thom

I had yours of the Friday night and  
gives me great pleasure to hear you are all in health  
& that my dear girl Thine is so well & home. I long  
to see you Saturday evening (at 7 o'clock) was to have  
Mr Ballman's sales bonds out of Mr Ballman (concerning  
of some hurt that night at Savannah) preventing  
his receiving them. He has left the money with  
Mr Dorritt to do it & I shall receive it in a day  
or two. So I propose to settle with Fairbairn about  
the negroes this morning. You wrote me Ballman  
had drawn an order for of Ballance; but I can tell  
how he stands as I believe he does not know the  
Ballance having never settled it especially the affair  
of the Cannon Lot of him which he charged 20 ad  
pounds & was not worth above £1000 the most  
one will allow him more for it. Besides as I told him  
it he had an abatement in the weight & price of the  
Cotton which I am sure he did not behave very  
honestly in & when that is done I believe there  
will be little Ballance due.

I have enclosed you Mr Lane's bond of  
which you'll see there is about 1000 pounds due  
you'll put the drum on her for it & assist in  
paying it either in sugar or molasses. There is an order  
in Lane's letter that I have so many demands for  
money that I must have it.

1740  
25 April.







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to Thomas Hall (b.1725), 1748 April 25**



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