

Land in Delaware Bay which Warrant hath been issued for your
Petitioner but the time limited for him to make good his Rights
was so short that it is now expired and he could not procure all
his Rights to make good

Wherefore he humbly craves your Lordship to grant him further
time to make good the Remainder being Nine Hundred & fifty Acres

And as in Duty Bound he shall pray &c^a

Ordered that the said Stevens have time given him till the tenth
of March next to make good the Remainder of his Rights

At A Council held at the City of Saint Marys
the 11th day of November Anno Domini 1682 Present

The Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary

the honble } Philip Calvert Esq^r Chancellor } Col^o Henry Darnall
} Col^o Thomas Tailor } Col^o William Stevens
} Vincent Lowe Esq^r Sur^o General } Col^o William Burgis }

John Brookes petition next read as follows Viz^t

To the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary and his honble Council

The humble Petition of John Brooke of Dorchester County
Humbly Sheweth

Unto your Lordship that your Petitioner being desirous
to Seat a plantation in Delaware Bay and being fully perswaded
that the same is your Lordships Just Right is willing under your
Lordship to seat there in Order whereunto he hath endeavoured to
procure some Rights to perform your Lordships Conditions of planta-
tions but cannot procure any as yet ^{so that} without your Lordships special
Favour he hath no way at present left to forward his Intentions

Wherefore your Petitioner humbly supplicates your Lordship to
grant him a special Warrant for Twelve Hundred Acres and that
the same may be laid out for him in some convenient Time in the
Place or Bay aforesaid and that your Lordship will be further pleased
to allow him twelve Months time to make good his Rights for the
same

And your Petitioner in duty Bound shall pray

His Lordship in Answer saith that he will consider of this Petition