

to your Lordships Consideration that there is another Neck of Land  
between St. Georges and Opequimus Creek bounded on the East with  
Delaware River on the South with Opequimus Creek to the head thereof  
on the West with Bohemia Manor and the Head of Back Creek and  
on the North with a Cart Road leading from said Back Creek to Jacob  
Youngs and St. Georges Creek which for some part thereof is yet  
unto taken up

Your petitioner therefore humbly prays your Lordships  
Consideration of the premises So as in View of the aforesaid Pray to your  
Petitioner said falling to give and Grant unto your petitioner the last  
mentioned Neck or Tract of Land between St. Georges and Opequimus  
Creeks as according to the bounds above specified to be Erected into a  
Manor by the name of Saint Austins Manor as before upon such  
Reasonable Rents and Services as your Lordships in your abundant  
Goodness shall think fitt. Reserving unto all persons that have  
already Taken up and Seated upon or within the same or any part  
thereof, and that shall Own and Acknowledge your Lordships Right  
and Dominion thereunto and Submit themselves to your Lordships  
protection Rule and Government their equitable Right Title and Interest  
of in and to any part or parcel of the said Necks upon humble address  
made to your Lordships with such acknowledgment and Submissions  
as aforesaid to be granted unto them (if your Lordships shall think meet  
as freeholders of the said Manor.

And your Pet. as in all Duty bound shall pray  
Eph: Herman Signed

Order for special  
Warrant and  
reserve made  
for Ephraim  
Herman

Ordered by his Lordship and Council in Council  
that the Neck or Tract of Land within mentioned to be between  
Saint Georges and Opequimus Creeks be laid out for and in the name  
of the petitioner by special Warrant for that purpose to be granted him (the  
same being hereby reserved for the same end and not to be taken up by, or granted  
to any other person, and upon Return of the Certificate thereof that patent  
issue for the same with Reservation of Each persons Inhabitants already there  
Seated or therein truly Interested, their equitable right and Title to what part  
or parcels thereof they have taken up or Seated as aforesaid under the Rents they  
now hold. To be holden of the petitioner as of his Manor of Saint Austins  
by which name the said Land shall be Called. To have and Enjoy the  
Liberties and Privileges of a Manor. The petitioner paying or securing  
to be paid to his Lordships for the same as by the Conditions of Plantation  
now in force within this Province is required or otherwise as to his Lordships  
shall seem meet

(Herman)