

be Captain over and to exercise all the Inhabitants of the  
the plantations of the aforesaid Mr Brooks downwards on  
both sides the River and Creek to the mouth of the River  
including the plantation of Mr Eton head on the one side  
downwards and upwards as high as the plantation of Henry  
Cox and Mr Philip Morgan to be empowered by Commission  
to be Captain over and to exercise all the Inhabitants upon  
the Bay Side from the plantation of the said Henry Cox  
upwards to the highest extent of the County of Patuxent

September 28<sup>th</sup> 1657

Lieutenant Richard Smith is constituted and appointed  
by this Court to be Attorney General for his highness the  
Lord Protector of the Commonwealth of England and the  
Dominions thereof to prosecute in his highness Behalf  
all suits and actions Criminal depending before this Court

At a Court holden at Providence May 27<sup>th</sup>  
Anno Domini 1655

- Present
- Captain General Fuller
- Mr William Duward
- Mr Edward Lloyd
- Capt. Richard Evans

It is Ordered by this Court that according to an act of  
Assembly in that case provided Mr Thomas Hatton  
late Secretary of this province of Maryland shall have power  
of distress for such fees as were due to him before the Resigna-  
tion of the Government by Captain William Stone July 1654

William Duward Sec<sup>o</sup>

These are in the name of his Highness the Lord Protector  
of England &c to give notice to all the Inhabitants within