

Provided the Lower house will think fitt to request it as a thing that will Oblige / at this time / the Inhabitants of this Province of whom they are the Representatives and this we hope will be Sufficient for the Satisfaction of all Persons that Govern themselves by reason and not altogether by Will —

Signed by Order

Wm J. Kerollin C of the Assembly —

Sent to the Lower house by the Secretary and Col Barnab —

they return again into this house —

A Petition presented to this house by Henry Stockett of Ann Arundell County praying the confirmation of a Judgment Obtained by him against Robert Pece and the Quashing of all Judgments & Orders Obtained by Pece against him there being Verors Assigned in the Assembly and Pece Deceased —

Which Petition was thus under written Viz<sup>t</sup>

Upper house August the 22<sup>th</sup> 1651

Just Justice in his Lordships answer to this Petition

Signed by Order of J. L. Clerk of the Assembly.

To the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietors of the Province of Marylande in the Upper house of Assembly —

The humble Petition of Samuel Holdsworth of the City of Calvert County Merchant —

Humbly Desires your Good Lordship

To Order the Reading of the Bill heretofore presented by your said Petitioner for the confirming his Title to his Land and upon hearing of the same that your Lordship will be pleased to Order a Committee of both houses to examine your Petitioners Witnesses in the said Bill named for the making good thereof whereby the Truth of the said Bill may appear to your Lordship. And your Petitioner shall pray &c

A Message from the Lower house by M<sup>r</sup> Hall, M<sup>r</sup> Waterston M<sup>r</sup> Smith and Captain Land Viz<sup>t</sup> —

Lower house of Assembly 24<sup>th</sup> August 1651 —

This house willing to know of all Disputations about Woods do now Humbly make request to his Lordship that Writts may Issue out to fill up the house, well knowing that his Lordships Just Considerations to us herein will be matter of great Content and Rejoycing to the good People of this Province, and herein trace the concurrence of the Upper house and his Lordships gracious Answer —

Signed by Order

(Robert C Assistant of the Lower house of Assembly

Upper house Aug<sup>t</sup> 24<sup>th</sup> 1651 —

The Upper house are willing to concur with the Lower house in requesting his Lordship to issue Writts out for the Supplying the Vacancies in the Lower house for this Assembly (it being as the Lower house informs us) matter of great Content and Rejoycing to the good —