

To the Honourable the House of Representatives of the
Delaware State Convened —

The Petition of Adonijah Stanburrough
in behalf of himself and others
Humbly sheweth

That your petitioner presented a Memorial
to your Honourable House dated the sixth which
was referred to a Committee on the seventh instant
praying redress of certain grievances particu-
larly — that the Commissioner nor surveyor —
appointed in an act for the removal of the seat
of justice from the town of Lewis and other purposes
passed the 2^d of January 1791 and confirmed by a
supplement of the 26th of October following —
are not vested with power to make authentic and
record a map or plat of Georgetown in Sussex —
showing the lots and numbers with those set apart for
public uses — the streets alleys and other privileges
whereby the proprietors and inhabitants may be
encouraged to build with safety — and unnecessary
expense in future be prevented — by putting it in the
power of each person to find their own ground —
and the whole secured as customary in this and other
States in similar cases —

Which Memorial was accompanied with several
papers as testimony and evidence thereof —

That the time being near at hand when it is expected
your Honourable House to adjourn — and the whole
of said papers except the Memorial are indispens-
ably necessary for your petitioner to have again

as part of them are authorities for his proceedings
—and others— Sureties for private property made
Valuable by Improvements— and not recorded—

The aforesaid reasons together with the urgent
Necessity of your petitioners returning home
having a Number of hands Employed at his buildings
in said George Town— Strongly Induce him to
pray that your Honourable house may be—
~~pleased~~ pleased to direct that he may receive
his said papers again— or otherwise Expedite ~~this~~
business in such way as in their Wisdom may seem
Meet—

and your petitioner as in duty bound shall ever pray

Dover 15th June 1793

J^h Stanburrough

In behalf of himself and others—

to have again
 well and independent
 and the whole
 when it is equal
 thereof
 named with several

in this and other
 over ground
 cutting it in the
 and unimproved
 abundant on the
 the present day
 has set apart for
 down in boxes

Petition
 A. Stanborough

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Mr. Bury, m^r by Mr. Hall. 1 D. Boston
 Mr. Stockley, m^r by W. Lockwood 50 c^t - Hall.