

Baltimore July 11th 1821 -

Dear Sir,

I have at hand your favor of 9th Inst returning me the Promissory note of Saml Gover which I forwarded to you for collection. I am obliged to you for the information respecting Capt Gover, also for the other part of your letter relative to myself. Mr Carroll when here appeared very friendly to me & I have no doubt ^{will} do all in his power to serve me. I should be pleased, if he would put the Books in the hands of Mr Stephen with such remarks as he might think proper to make it would be well for me perhaps that Mr Stephen should not know I requested it. I have by me a recommendation to the Legislature for the place, signed by about 200 of our Citizens, heads of Families. Should it ever be necessary I can have it changed & addressed to the Governor & Council. I some expect next week to take a ride to Annapolis to spend a day or two. I can do it ~~without~~ now without incurring the suspicion of being on an Electioneering Visit. In fact I shall not mention the Subject to any person. Several of the Eastern Shore Delegates have repeatedly & warmly urged me to come.

With great respect
I am Dear Sir yr friend
Joseph Sandy Esg - N. F. Williams