

Liber H. H. Commission Cap:
William Evans

Iosias Fendall Esq^r Captaine Generall of all the forces within this Province of Maryland vnder the Right Honorable Cæcilius absolute lord & proprietary of the same To Captaine William Evans Greeeteing According to the power to me by his said Lordship Committed and vpon the speciall trust and confidence I haue in your fidelity circumspection courage and good conduct I doe heereby constitute ordaine & appoint you Captaine vnder me of all the forces, betweene Wicocomaco River and Poplar Hill exclusiue, them to muster Exercise and traine vp in the art of Warre & discipline military & in all things to do as any
p. 24 Captaine of a Company of foote may or of right ought to do to the resistance of all ennimys suppression of all mutinys insolencys insurrections & rebellions whatsoever according to such orders and directions as you shall from time to time receaue from me and to that end to list such & so many of the inhabitants within the precincts aforesaid as you shall thinke fitt, and them when and as often as you shall thinke convenient to muster and traine so that they may be in a readynesse as occasion shall require to attend my further Comands with fitting armes and Ammunicōn for the purpose aforesaid. To haue and to hould the said office & Command till the Lord Proprietary or his heires or his or theyr Lieutenat cheife Governor or Captaine Generall for the time beeing shall signify his or theyr pleasure to the Contrary And all persons Whatsoever are heereby Strictly Charged and required to yeald all due obedience to you the said Captaine Evans in all things appertaining to the Command & office heereby conferred on you as they will answer the contrary at theyr perill Given vnder my hand & seale this 15th day of June in the 26th yeare of his l^o^{ps} dominion ouer this Province Annoq Domini 1658.

Iosias Fendall.

Brooke
Hooper. The same mutatis Mutandis For Captaine Thomas Brooke Likewise for Captaine Henry Hooper.

Commission Lieut:
John Jarbo.

Iosias Fendall Esq Captaine Generall of all the forces within this Province of Maryland vnder the Right Hon.^{ble} Cæcilius Absolute Lord & Proprietary of the same to Lieutenant Iohn Iarbo Greeeteing According to the power to me by his said Lordship Committed & vpon the speciall trust & confidence I haue in your fidelity circumspection courage & good conduct I doe heereby constitute ordaine & appoint you Lieutenant vnder Captaine William Evans of the foote company by him to be raised betweene Wicocomaco River & Poplar hill exclusiue, them to Muster Exercise & traine vp in the Art of Warre & discipline military