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Lib. H. D. That the Officers be Appointed (if possible) Among the Troops and Companies.

That Different Collours be to each County (Vizt) for horse

foot and Dragoons.

ffor St Maries County Red Kent County Blew
An-Arundell White
Calvert County Yellow
Charles County Orange

Baltemore County Green
Talbot County Purple
Somer Sett County the Union
or Jack fflag
being the only Marine County
Dorchester County Buffe Collour
Cæcill County Crimson

Persons excepted from Mustring Viz^t Ministers & their Clerks Justices and Clerks of the County Courts Collectors & Navall Officers and Constables.

Given under my hand and Seale at the City of St Maries the 17th day of October in the Sixth Yeare of the Reign of our Soveraigne Lord and Lady King Will^m & Queen Mary Annoq Dom: 1694.

ffra: Nicholson Seale By His Excency the Gover & Councill &ca

Octobr the 9th 1694

Coll Beale It being Represented in Councill that Collonell Empowered Ninian Beale has allwayes been a person very ready upon cases & Serviceable upon Comotions or insurrections of Insurrection of made by Indians and that he is Seated convenient at Indians the head of Petuxant River to give notice and raise Men upon all such incident and Emergent Occasions—And forasmuch as his Majies by his Royall Instruction to his Execney has Comanded that fiting Officers should be Appointed at the heads of Rivers to the S'd End & purpose Ordered thereupon that the S'd Collonell Beale have a particular Comission for his Exceney to raise and Comand what Men he thinkes fit in all the nighbourhood in those parts upon all Occasions of such Comotions & insurrection so soone as the same shall come to his knowledge

Signed p Ord Hen: Denton Clk Coun¹¹
p. 75 I doe hereby Authorize and Empower Collonell Ninian
Beale to Execute all the powers According to the above Order
of my self and their Maj^{ties} Hono^{ble} Councill, for w^{ch} this shall
be his Comission Given Under my hand and Seale this 18th
day of Octob^r Annoq Dom: 1694 in the Sixth Yeare of their
Maj^{ties} Reigne

ffracs Nicholson Seale