## Proceedings of the Council of Maryland, 1696/7-98. 135

Mr Jno Wests Navall Officers Comission Signed & Seal'd by his Excy &c2 A Commission Constituting Mr John West Lib. H. D. Nav<sup>II</sup> Officer of Pocomoke District was pursuant to Ordr prepared Signed and Sealed by his Exncy at the Board and deliver'd to Coll: Hutchins together with the Ordr of Councill and Copy of

the Oath of Trade and Navigation to be Administred to the s<sup>d</sup> West with directions likewise for taking good Bond for the Execution of his Office.

At the Port of Annapolis, June 11th 1697.

Majr Edwd
Dorseys Rect
to his Excy for
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49: 19: 00 pd
for towards
building the
Church &
School

Then Recd: of his Ex<sup>ncy</sup> ffrancis Nicholson Esq Cap<sup>t</sup> Gen<sup>11</sup> & Gov<sup>t</sup> in Cheif of maryland & Two hundred and Twenty two Dollars, amounting to the Sume of fforty nine pounds nineteen Shillings sterl. being in part Satisfaction of what was Contracted for towards building the Church & Schole within the s<sup>d</sup> Port; I Say Recd by me the day &

Year aboves<sup>d</sup>

Test

Edward Dorsey

Hen: Denton John Morrogh

June the 12th 1697.

The Councill again Sate and were p'sent His Exney ffrancis Nicholson Esq Capt Gen &ca

Sr Thomas Laurence Baront Secryt Coll Nicho Greenberry Coll Charles Hutchins

A Sffes Comission for Dor.
Co: Order'd to issue with a blanck to be left for the Name to be inserted by Coll Hutchins

Ordered that a Commission for a New Sherriff in Dorchester County be prepar'd with the other Usuall Instruments with a blanck to be left for the Name to be inserted by the honrible Coll: Charles Hutchins whom he thinks fitt to put in; this Board not being Rightly Inform'd about one at present.

Ordered that the Commissions issue a New to the Sherriff of S<sup>t</sup> Maries, Kent, Ann Arrundell, Calvert, Charles, Baltemore Talbot, Cœcill and Prince Georges County's thereby Constituteing the prent sherriff of the s<sup>d</sup> Severall Counties with full Power to Act and be Continued their respective Offices and places for the next Year Ensuing but that Caution goe therewith to the