

The Court Holden for the County of Kent at the Towne of New-Yarmouth the 22th day of June By his High Commission: 1686
Capt. W^m Lawrence

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Comission
m^r. John Hinton : m^r. Isaac Wmchistey
m^r. W^m. Frisby : m^r. John Comeggs
m^r. Charles Dole : m^r. Hance Napton
m^r. Christo. Goddard : m^r. Danu. Horrit

m^r. Mich^l. Turbutt Producing a Comission for the Clerk's office or place for said County as followeth

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W^m. Digges
Nicholas Parrell

William Digges & Nicholas Parrell Esq^{rs} primeisall Secretaries of the Province of Maryland To: Mich^l. Turbutt of Talbot County Gent: Greeting
That for the speciall Trust and Confidence we have and hope in yo^r Knowledge Skill & Experience we have ordained constituted and appointed and by these presents do ordaine constitute & appoint you the said Mich^l. Turbutt to be Clerk & keeper of our Records of the County of Kent Hereby Willing and Requiring you to: ask & demand receive and take into yo^r Custody of and from Dias King's new Clarke of the said County of Kent All Records Remains precept papers and Emoluments what so ever unto the said County Court belonging or in anywise appertaining and to del. del. and p^r. performe in the Office aforesaid by himselfe or his Deputy as fully & amply as any Clarke of a County Court in this Province may or ought to doo Having & taking to yo^r owne Charges and behoofe all singular the perquisites and profits of right to this said place and Office belonging paying therefor yearly unto us the sum of fouer thousand pounds of Tobacco for long as you shall continue in the said Office and to hold the said place of Clarke of the County Court of Kent during Pleasure or so long as you shall well & lawfully serve in the said Office as