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do Interpreter between them and said Indians if Occasion shall
Require or they shall think fit to employ you therein according to
such Orders and directions as they shall give you also to come with
them down to St Marys at their Return thence for all which you
shall be duly satisfied & for the same this shall be your warrant
Dated at the Councill Chamber at the City of St Marys the day &
Year abovesaid Signed by Order J. S. C. Councill

To Capt^t Jacob Young
These

By the Gov^t & Councill Mar 9 1737th

Maryland^s
Cott^o Hutchins
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The Alarm lately received from Cecil County by the Co-
ming thither of a Parcell of strange Indians to seat upon Col-
Hermans land with many more expected hath put us upon con-
sulting of the most proper and effectual measures to be taken for
the securing the Inhabitants and preventing if possible any
Violence or Injuries to be offered them by the said Indians or others
making Incursions upon us one necessary expedient we thought
to be the securing the Frontiers and having 3 Forts Erected for
Communication and ranging all along the outward part constantly
between one and the other for discovery each fort to be manned with
a Captain and Nine Souldiers and four Indians under his Com-
mand for the Compleating whereof it is thought fitt that you be
& you are hereby advised and desired to treat with the Emperor
of Nautecoke and demand of him Six Men of his to serve in at
that Affair as his Proposition of the charge having taken the same
Course with the Emperor of Pascattoway for his part you are also
to put him in mind of his League and the Preservation thereof by
complying with his Yearly acknowledgment or Tribute accor-
ding to the Articles Care is also taken to treat with those Indians
at the head of the Bay as Friends if such they appear & to get
a French Man that is with them and some of their great men to