

To His Excellency Sir Jeffery Amherst: Annapolis the 26th Jan^y 1762
Sir As I have not had the honour of a Line from Your Excellency since I
took the Liberty to write to You the 12th of Nov. last I am inclined to think
that my Letter which was sent by a private Hand to Phila. to be put into
the Post-Office there never reached Your Excellency, but therefore that should have
been the Case I presume to trouble Your Excellency with a Duplicate hoping
hoping You will be so kind when convenient as to favour me with an Answer
& thereby much oblige Y^r. Excellency's most obed^t

To Captain Adams of the Diana. Annapolis the 27th Jan^y 1762.
Sir I am extremely sorry that the long Detention in Virginia of the Letter You
were pleased to write to me the 4th of Dec. should have given You the trouble of
writing to me again the 22nd Inst & have laid You under a Necessity of dispatching
an Express to this Place, lest my Answer to the first Letter I had the honour
to receive from You should not have come to Your hands before the Express re-
turns I have thought fit to inclose a Duplicate of it together with a Dupli-
cate of a Letter I took the Liberty to address to Lord Colwill & wishing You a successful
Journey

To the Earl of Egremont: Annapolis the 6th of Feby 1762
My Ld
Having been lately favoured with the Letter by which Your Lop did me
the honour to Notify to me that His Majesty had been graciously pleased to
grant Mr Pitt's Request to retire from Business & thereupon to appoint Your
Lop Secretary of State for the Southern Department I embrace the earliest
Opportunity to acknowledge the Receipt of Your Lop's Letter as well as of two
dated the 11th & 20th of Sept. last which Mr Pitt was pleased to advise me of the happy
Events of the Kings Marriage & of their Majesty's Coronation, upon the former
the Gentlemen of the Council I have presumed to express our Joy in Address