

N^o. 2. To Captain James Nicholson

Sir

You will please to proceed to Baltimore and
wait our further orders, - we send this by Mr. Middleton,
whose boat you may keep with the ship, ~~the~~ your
com^{er} off Annapolis, presuming you will not want
her further - if however it should be necessary
for her to attend you, you will order down the bay,
to gain what intelligence she can, of the ships you
left below.

W^m Annes

May 30th

N^o. 3. To Captain Duncan Hill

Sir

You are immediately to return to your vessel,
and convey at the expense and risque of this Province,
across the Country to the first Inlet to the Northward
of Cape Charles, such of your Cargo, as you may find
necessary, and proceed round with the residue in y^{our}
said vessel between Smith's Island and Cape Charles -
upon your arrival in that Inlet you to take