

Dalzell's servant
in carrying the letters
from his house to the vessel
met with an accident
and dropt Hailer's
packet out of the hand
kerchief - it contained
among others all your
English letters & a letter
to Mr. Wheelwright -
none of them were
recovered but the letter
to Mr. Armstrong, which
was so wet and dirty

as to be hardly legible.
I made a fair copy of it
& inclosed fresh certifi-
cate. Hutchinson
went by the way of
Annapolis and in all
probability will be there
as soon as the express
man, so he took it with
particular caution
to forward it early and
safe - If you write the
other letters again & send
them soon they can go