a Senator, now here, from the Eastern shore, he i
well known as a character, perhaps the most pop
among the seafaring men on the Eastern shor
of any man in Maryland; he was in the ser
of this State the latter end of the War, and com
ed at that time a galley, in which service he
behaved on several occasions with great Gallan
and honour to himself — he is Rich and at h
care, but declares if you will give him a
appointment, he will quit the Senate and serv
under me, I have promised to write you
the subject, and with your consent have al
agreed to give him the Command of One div
of my flotilla, of course he will expect to be
on the same footing with Capt. Rutter, I am
fully of opinion he will be able to procure
men sufficient to man his Division, between