

cause of the guns been fired - and immediately returned
and went down to the river side in order to get
a canoe. The tide was down, and I could not go
until the return of the tide - George's brother
Wippocke saw I was alarmed, and wished to
know the cause - I told him, that several muskets
had been fired down the Harbor, and I was
afraid some difference had taken place between
the natives and the Europeans - He told me
I need not be under any apprehensions, for if
any injury was done to the Europeans
through ~~it~~ ^{would} kill a number of them -

*Great
joy
for
rejoice* while we were standing upon the banks of the
river some natives arrived, and informed
us that a party had returned from the war
and the guns we had heard had been fired on
the occasion, which removed all our fears -
In about an hour afterwards Mr. White &

*Apprehensions
of the master
of the
Snapper* Turner returned from the vessel, and told
me the master wished me to go down, that
he was very uneasy in consequence of such
numbers of natives assembled about the
Snapper - I determined to ~~go down~~ ^{comply with his request} in order

*purchase
of land* to prevent any difference before I set off
George returned, we examined the land
lined the boundaries, and made an agree-
ment with him, ^{for it} which he signed in his way
and he received payment, and the business
was finally settled - I told George I was
going down to the cutter - he came to be