

until you come here, after which we will understand exactly what course to pursue. Depend on me being your friend and be assured of my confidence in you, and if we work together we must rely on each other also. If we manage right we can make a good winter's work, but you must do as I direct you here and not write me, but come at sight and see me. I have been from home one week, and the bank has redeemed only \$105 out of her issues in the time. I must go to Baltimore and remain there, but cant do so until you and I understand each other. When you come, stop at McSherry's. You speak in your letter of the 16th, of persons having an eye on you; of this we care not, we ask no favors of any, and are doing nothing we are ashamed of.

Truly your friend,

J. T. GUTHRIE.

HAGERSTOWN, *November 23rd*, 1842.

T. N. DAVIS, Esq.

DEAR SIR,—We are all moving along quietly in this place; business, in the way of exchange, has been rather more brisk than usual this week. I mean in the redemption of our own paper, caused no doubt, by the numerous collections of people in town attending court, which commenced on Monday last.

I told Mr. Williams, when he left here, that I would be in your city on Saturday next, but I now find that I shall not be able to leave here before Sunday next, so that I shall not be in Washington before Monday morning, at which time you may look for me. I should like to see you when I arrive, and I shall not be in the city probably more than one day, as it is very difficult for me to leave at this time. I wish you would let Mr. Williams know that I cannot be there before Monday.

Yours truly,

J. S. POLLARD.