Dear Sir

Frederick 14th Sept 1849

I rec'd your favor yesterday by Fanny, you may send 6, 7, or 8 yds of Cloth as it best suits yourself. The Note being due on the 10th (Sunday) according to the Custom in this Country is payable on Saturday, it would therefore be well to send it before the Stage comes — Is there any Indorser on it, so that if not paid to a day it would be necessary to protest it — altho there is no doubt of the goodness of the Note. Whatever Instructions you give shall be carefully attended to. — All here are well — I remain

My dear Sir
Yours truly
Andw Thomson

I send this by Mr Fisher who goes to bring the result of the Poll

Dear Father

Frederick August 26th

Since I have been here I have seen Mr Taney but once Monday following my arrival I went to Acadia where I found him & the family & where he has since remained he read your letter & said he would consider on it tomorrow I hope to see him & if he has not already written to you I will do so as soon as I know his opinion on the subject. The personal property of Mr Shaff was sold. Mr Thomson has purchased a horse for $5 from an English man whose whole family & connexions are going to Illinois to purchase & settle he it is said has 125 thousand dollars in Specie with him, when he arrived he had fourteen servants but they are all leaving him, one of his high waggons that he brot with him sold for Five & twenty Dollars the axle was too long for our country roads & the fore & hind wheels the same height he had also thirteen ferrets I saw them killing rats which they do in great style. An Inventory has been made of Mr Brooks property Henry is valued at $400 & Abraham $350. This cold weather has caused the Yellow Fever to abate in Balto. I see by the papers our country men on the western road are riding fast towards high way robbers in one or two instances they committed murder & frequently broke the horses legs. This English family are determined to exchange balls