

with me. I think it a very fair proposal. What
think you? Now if you agree to my terms I
will visit you soon. I want to get a glimpse
of that wonderful ship Monarch, which will
be off Annapolis next week. My mother and
sisters intend visiting Willie on the 22d. so
if you will consent to comply with my terms,
we all can be home together. I am sure
your Ma can spare you for a week or more
and I will endeavor to make your trip as pleas-
ant as possible, take you around to see the
elephants, which you will find in doors pa-
rading over promenade - the majority wear
jackets and sport caps.

Now Sam. I don't want you to think I coined
that word "trampouser" for I did nothing
of the kind its a name Maggie gave me
I don't know whether to take it as a compli-
ment or not.

I would like to meet your friend Grip Morris.
I flatter myself we could get along fairly, more
especially at trampousing.