

6 wives - Elizabeth & Watts Dick Tappan the noted highway
man & his wife the man who killed so many horses & cattle
I am making a crown for the King. The exhibition is to take
place on Tuesday evening. Every body comes to me for
prints. None of us had kept with any scraps of finery but I
don't say we shall make something or other. I suppose
Mr. Brier should be helped as a Jack he has quite the face for it.
Saturday 8th A beautiful day I finished the King's crown. It looks
splendid. I covered it with scarlet & put rubies round
it. I beaded each point with a gold button & the setting and
ornament on the top I placed 3 Crystal buttons on which there
like diamonds were one is quite pleased with it. I made up a
crown of crimson velvet & bead for Miss Ormiston. I did not buy
for other things. I was too busy to go on deck besides it would
be afraid of breaking my limbs.

Sunday 9th I gave Mary her lesson & then Hugh told us several
was to be held on the main deck & day as it was warmer
for us there so Hugh & Mr. Bram read as usual. We sang the
100 Psalm which sounded so comforting on the night. Deep as
we were we each read to ourselves & lent books to one another.
I was very glad we had brought Dr. Guthrie's Magazine with us
as those I read it who would not have read at all. It rained
& the darkness & gulls so soon that by the time the girls came
up from their tea we can do nothing. I miss a chaplain very
much & feel it a great want when so many consensual
are on board that there is not one fitted to lead them to
look to the things of eternity. A passenger may give a word in
season & be assisted even though the Capt is a servant &
& knows the value of these things but when it is not so nothing
or at least little like the man example & consistency of conduct is
in the power of a passenger. A word in season may come on here
& there at times so that circumstances must guide the conduct.
I sent my girls a book to read which was all I could do.