

The vessel they had let a rope or something fall on the skylight & it
broke it. Some consolation was his saying "Why if you go on at this
rate breaking the glass will be all come before you get there" These
words before you get there gave me hope but the sickening fright
ened state I got into was most uncomfortable. God be praised
we are now going better. The squalls seem over. I did not get to bed
two o'clock. Mrs. Brien came into my cabin. She had not been to bed
7.00. Mrs. Brien had been very ill all night. He said she thought of
me several times & had she known I was up would have come
to sympathize. Several of the others were wakeful too & dreadfully
frightened. The Capt. blamed the Officer of the night for putting
the ship into what he called the deep sea which caused the waves
to dash upon the sides of the ship as if trying to break it. He said
no ship could stand that sort of treatment long & he went upon
about it. Read McTear's Monods to a cable & James D. Miller
work ^{the} Physiology of the Bill to Mr. Crope which he said he liked
that they are all so thoughtful; he had some pretty arguments &

Palms before I spoke. No general service owing to the racking. It is a great
want - particularly when there are so many who do not care for the day
What a misery that we can fear. I read one bible when you are out of
that whenever we are can be a little sanctuary. Paper Post Philip

Monday 11th Not working & reading all day. In the evening we went to the singing
department. It is a concert which has happened with in the last here. The description
this time. There were only got up the words "There will" out out with an they ten tones
saw every & the boys fellows hid them best finishing with God for the Dece
they then came there sheep for thank; the at also, & the ladies the last part made
a speech to the men thanking them for their under some statement to the
that's which subject was to be done their evening; in this way, then in drinking
causing & how much pleased he had been with their behavior in some other
came on board they do seem a very respectable set. The ship began to go & about
they were singing. The Capt. was able to go down & it got further down. The people
through the audience people's department & saw the women boys working right
light of the lamps & their children sitting by their thumbs a general feast
of 10 & they always look so happy. We came up in time to supper.

Tuesday 12th Ship's Coit was very ill in the night but is much better now. He is such
a gentle & amiable creature & so obliging & grateful to you for any kindness that you can
not help enjoying her. The sea did not have a great of at last from yesterday & it is a little
easier & the many birds are following the ship's Gulls has still several. We have only
been going 6 knots an hour. The Capt. is getting into bad humor with the crew.