

Sunday September 1st 1865
 Weather foggy and some rain with a light breeze from the
 S.W. East left at 9 a.m. in the morning. Left early spent as again
 and about 12 miles and of course had to make us a visit
 which was quite a relief and having been absent 12 or 13 long hours
 we had a very agreeable time the Cooper
 being very good company. It is now
 about 8 and they have just retired
 leaving me time to write and think and
 sleep. The prospect appears to be good for another year or
 so. I do not like to pass on the Sabbath day

This day we made off down the
 coast of St. Paul's leaving L.E. 30 or 40
 miles off. In the afternoon saw two ships
 ahead beside our neighbour and
 as they were heading this way we
 came together at 2 when all the
 Capt. took on board the Magnolia
 where they will get no liquor as Capt.
 Cox does not touch hard as hands
 Charles Carroll, Capt. Tuttle, and the Tamerlain
 of the both from Kodiak. The Carroll has
 been this season and the Tamerlain 1300. The most
 of the Kodiak fleet have done well. The last we could
 not have spent the season there.
 The wind begins to blow fresh from the S.W. and
 with a steadily rain so I suppose they will not go
 away late. Returned at 9.

10.00. The morning star shined beautifully. The appearance
of the house was hailed with joy and was greatly improved by
his cheering appearance to day wearing of our work clothes
and a new hat. The wind very light from the E. S. W.
about the Charles Carroll shot 6.40
off. Our Captain wanted to go very
as he had not done so for nearly 2 days
so he started at 8. Their mate
Winters came here bringing 3 bags of store coal. They hailed
their comrades for the Magnolia to join them but he did not
consider it desirable to start though they kept their colors flying
and waved as did General Nelson at the battle of Trafalgar
he might shot and saved a boat for which he will expect
much praise from the Capt. who doubtless. Bro out the
light and found we have 12 bl of meat, 4 casks of
molasses, 100 lbs of soap made for their ship yet
Our Captain obtained something for the night

Our Captain has knocked off dancing,
The dance for good
And better to be
At home