

Boston April 27th 65
My Dear Wife.

I have been looking for you a letter from you yesterday & to day, but none came. I suppose that you are busy getting ready for another voyage, do not know where she will go the next voyage, but there is some talk of her going to Philadelphia to board coal for New Orleans, if so think you had better go as far as Philadelphia with me. If the weather continues good shall be all discharged by Saturday night. then I suppose it will be driving times till they

get her away. Youve not
settled with them yet
but see that they have
the voyage made up and
charged me the rate of
exchange on all money
drawn away. which
bring me in debt to the
shop. instead of having
5000 coming to me.
but I do not think that
is the way they intend
to settle with me. if they
do I want to make one
more voyage for them
and pay myself, that
I should call mean
enough would make
my wages less than \$20
per month. Sailors are
getting \$20. but will say
no more till I know
what they intend to do.

to day we have the news
that they have got Booths
body which is good. but
well in hopes they would
have taken him alive.
write me so that I can
get it Saturday night to
the Weber House, Emma
has a little girl

Your affectionate
husband

Joseph Lincoln