

## PERILS OF THE SEA.

### THE SCHOONER J. A. SAWYER WRECKED— OTHER VESSELS IN DISTRESS.

PORTLAND, March 10.—The schooner J. W. Sawyer, 115 tons, owned by J. W. Sawyer & Co., of Portland, is a total wreck near South-west Harbor, Mount Desert. Three seamen were lost, their names being Nathaniel Snow, Frederick Smith, and James Smith, all of Portland. Snow leaves a widow and three children. The Captain, John Orchard, was injured in landing, and James Batten had his leg broken. The schooner sailed hence on Jan. 26 for the George's Banks. She was partly insured. The crew numbered 16.

GLOUCESTER, March 10.—The schooner Bay State, of and for New-York, with paving blocks, sprung a leak in Lancastille Harbor on Thursday, and is full of water. A diver is searching for the leak, and a tug and pump have been sent for.

VINEYARD HAVEN, March 10.—The steamer Elanora, from Portland for New-York, towed in here to-day the schooner G. M. Porter, from Boston for New-York, which was reported last night as having been in collision with the schooner Alfred Brabrook. The Porter has anchored and sent to Boston for assistance.

CASTINE, Me., March 10.—The revenue steamer Woodbury arrived here this evening in a driving storm. She assisted four vessels to shelter to-day. She was sent for to relieve a schooner seen drifting out from Iselon Bay, but could not reach her in the storm.

HALIFAX, March 10.—The British steamer Violet, from New-Orleans, with a cargo of cotton and grain, for Bremen, which put in here last Sunday with her bow stove by ice, has completed repairing and is taking in a supply of coal. She will probably proceed the beginning of the week for her destination.

The fishing schooner Agnes, which it was thought had gone down in last Tuesday night's gale, arrived at Herring Cove to-day, having safely weathered the storm.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—The Signal Corp's observer at Chincoteague, Va., reports that Capt. Tracy, Keeper of Life-saving Station Number Seven, reports that the barkentine Wolverton, aground on Turner's Shoals, floated this afternoon, drifted toward shore, and capsized in deep water, and cannot now be seen.

LONDON, March 10.—The Norwegian bark Arndt, Capt. Bjergo, from Dantzic for Philadelphia, has put in at Christiansand with her hull and rigging damaged.

The German bark Hermann Behrent has taken refuge at Gibraltar. She lost boats and rails and is leaky. A portion of the cargo was jettisoned and the remainder is damaged.

The British schooner Heroine, Capt. Wilkons, from St. John, Newfoundland, Feb. 6, has arrived at Lisbon. She is badly damaged.

The German bark Sophie Helene has arrived at Gravesend. She is leaky and damaged.

The German brig S. Supplicich, Capt. Plagens, from New-York for Copenhagen, has arrived at New-Haven, England. Her cargo is damaged.