

St. Johns, Nrdl, Dec. 19.—News reaching here from the west coast states that the continuous storms of last week have caused havoc at many points sweeping away wharves, boats, nets and other fishing property worth tens of thousands of dollars. Another Tale is added to the list of vessels already missing or destroyed in the storm with the announcement that nothing has been heard for ten days of the schooner Lowell F. Parks, which left here on a voyage to Marysdown, on the South coast. The schooner was commanded by Captain Sutfen, D. C. M., M. M. G. D. G., and had five others of a crew.

Mr. Arthur W. Smith of Ottawa is in the city today.