

A COLLISION CASE.

Suit Decided Against a Philadelphia Vessel.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 29.—In August last the yacht Curlew, owned in this city, was run into and capsized by the steamer David Reeves, in the Chesapeake, off the mouth of Chester river. The yacht soon righted, but a young man, Newton B. Keene, aged seventeen, a passenger on the yacht, was thrown overboard by the collision and drowned. The steamer was owned in Philadelphia, and was libeled in the United States District Court for Maryland by the owners of the yacht, and, at the same time, suit was brought by the mother of young Keene for damages sustained in the loss of her son. Judge Morris today decided the cases, awarding \$80 damages to the owners of the yacht, and \$700 to Mrs Keene for the drowning of her son. Notice was given of an appeal to the Circuit Court.