

Date	Leicester Castle, years	Ship	Age	Ballast	Damage	No.	Location	Direction	Weather	Incident	Personnel
July 2	27 years	Ship	26	Ballast	Damaged spars, &c.	1	Lat. 34° 42' S., Long. 154° E.	N.E.	Gale	Vessel fell in with heavy gales, and sustained considerable damage to spars and rigging.	C. Hunter.
July 14	30 years	Cutter	3	Shingle	Foundered; partial loss	1	Near Railway Wharf, Auckland Harbour		Gale	The "Flora" was overlaid and leaking, and sank at her moorings; and one of the crew, named Frederick Clark, was drowned. The Court was of opinion that the master did not take reasonable precautions to guard his vessel during the night, suspended his certificate for three months, and ordered that costs, £37 14s. 6d., be paid by the master and owners.	Thomas Dowd.
" 5	Manuka, s.s., 6 years	Schooner	90	General	Stranded; trifling damage	133	Tewaiwai Point, Bluff Harbour	S.	Light	Vessel touched an uncharted rock or other obstacle	W. J. Newton.
" 11	Jane Douglas, s.s., 35 years	Schooner	9	Sleepers	Stranded; no damage		N. Spit, Okarito		Calm	Vessel grounded in the channel through being a little too much to the northward	James Irvine.
" 17	Himitangi, s.s., 10 years	Schooner	15	Coal	Stranded; trifling damage		Manawatu Bar	E.	Light	Stranded on bar, but was got off with trifling damage	W. Manley.
" 17	Rakiura, s.s., 31 years	Schooner	9	Timber	Stranded; trifling damage		Catlin's River		Calm	Grounded in river, but was got off with trifling damage	G. A. Marks.
" 20	Mangapapa, s.s., 6 years	Schooner	11	Timber	Stranded; trifling damage		Karamea River	W.	Light	Vessel touched the bank in a narrow channel, and was left aground by the falling tide	F. Fletcher.
" 29	Pukaki, s.s., 23 years	Schooner	23	General	Collision; no damage		Off Ravensbourne, Otago Harbour		Calm	The s.s. "Kotare" was towing the s.s. "Rakiura," but, not showing rowing lights, was mistaken by the master of the "Pukaki" for the dredge moored alongside the channel	J. G. Watson.
" 29	Kotare, s.s., 6 years	Schooner	9	Timber	Collision; trifling damage		Off Cape Egmont	S.E.	Gale	A heavy sea came on board and washed L. M. Matsen, A.B., overboard	H. J. Treurn.
Aug. 2	Huia, 15 years	Schooner	9	General	Loss of life	1	Off Cape Egmont		Gale	A heavy sea came on board and washed L. M. Matsen, A.B., overboard	D. McKenzie.
" 12	Kapanui, s.s., 11 years	Schooner	10	Fruit, &c.	Fire; total loss		At Warkworth Wharf		Calm	Vessel gutted by fire; cause unknown	W. J. McManus.
" 26	Rona, 24 years	Barque	15	Timber	Collision; trifling damage		Wharf, Dargaville		Calm	The mooring-lines of the "Haere" carried away, and she bumped into the "Rona," moored at the wharf	W. H. Woebling.
" 26	Haere, 7 years	Schooner	99	Coal	Collision		Off Cape Farewell	E.	Fresh	Vessel put into Nelson with starboard thrust-shaft broken	George Page. R. Rodger.
" 29	Gertie, s.s., 18 years	Schooner	14	Coal	Broken shaft		Off Cape Farewell		Fresh	The "Duco" left Wellington for Waitangi, Chatham Islands, at 1.30 p.m. on 7th September, and has not since been heard of. On the evening of her departure a strong southerly gale set in, and it is supposed she foundered at sea, probably on the night of her departure. The Court was of opinion that the "Duco," when leaving Wellington, was not in a condition to encounter such perils of the sea as she might be fairly expected to encounter in going to the Chatham Islands, and that the deck cargo which she carried rendered her unseaworthy. The owners of the vessel (the Wellington Harbour Ferries Company, Limited) were ordered to pay costs of inquiry, £14 5s.	J. Abram.
Sept. 7 or 8	Duco, s.s., 17 years	Cutter	15	Fishing-vessel	Foundered	15	Not known				