

7	Waihora, s.s., 2 years	Schooner	1269	..	..	General	Fire; slight damage	..	At Wharf, Auckland Harbour	..	..	Fire occurred among cargo in forehold	Thomas Pop-ham.
13	Waikato, 10 yrs., AI Lloyds	Ship	1021	28	..	General	Loss of life only	1	Lat. 37° 30' S., long. 18° 20' E., about off the pitch of Cape of Good Hope	S.W.	Strong gale	A heavy squall struck the ship, carrying away the maintack, and the clew of the mainsail struck the carpenter with such force as to knock him over the lee side. He was probably killed by the blow	William Hutchison Taylor.
23	Grafton, s.s., 30 years	Schooner	297	25	8	Coal	Stranded; no damage	..	On sandbank about 3 mile off Cape Farewell, about midway between Pillar Point and elbow of Farewell Spit	..	Calm	Vessel steered too close into shore	Henry Edward Hill.
30	Ada Melmore, 8 yrs., AI Lloyds	Barque	569	15	..	General	Loss of life only	2	Lat. 39° 41' S., long. 57° E.	S.W.	Heavy	Two A.B.s, Henry Beeze and Joseph Axelson, while engaged in stowing the main upper-topsail, were thrown over the sail. The former fell into the sea, and was not seen after. The latter fell on to the deck and was killed at once	William Millikin.
..	Malletoa, 1½ years	Schooner	79	5	..	Coal	Supposed foundered; total loss	5 (supposed all hands)	On voyage from Whangarei to Timaru	..	..	Vessel left Whangarei on the 28th September, 1885, for Timaru, and has not since been heard of. Supposed to have foundered, with loss of all hands	Alexander Godfrey.
Oct. 1	Dragon, 21 yrs., AI Lloyds	Barque	696	20	4	General	Bulwarks, &c., carried away; slight damage	1	Lat. 47° S., long. 90° E.	N.W.	Whole gale	A sea broke over the poop, and washed overboard from the wheel Emil Nauratzky, quartermaster. By the same sea the cabin-doors were stove in, and a portion of the bulwarks on both sides carried away	Samuel Milner.
4	Ransom, 9½ yrs.	Brightine	237	10	7	Copra	Stranded; total loss	..	Pleasant Island, South Pacific	..	Calm	Wind having fallen when vessel loading, current drove her on to the reef	John Bushell.
7	Jane Douglas, s.s., 10 years	Schooner	75	13	15	General	Stranded; slight damage	..	Long Point, Kapit Island, Cook Strait	N.W.	Moderate breeze	Vessel was being brought up to an anchorage, with engines stopped, when she forged too far ahead and struck	James W. G. Fraser.
12	Dunedin, 25 yrs.	Schooner	66	6	..	Timber	Stranded; total loss	..	On Black Reef, off Cape Kidnappers	S.	Whole gale	Vessel struck on rock, where she remained fast until high water, when she came off, and was taken into Napier Harbour, beached, and abandoned	Jacob Eckhoff.
14	Wallace, s.s., 18 years	Schooner	108	16	6	General	Stranded; total loss	..	At entrance to River Grey, west coast Middle Island	S.W.	Fresh breeze	Vessel wrecked on protective works through heavy sea striking her when crossing the bar, and causing her to become unmanageable	Edward Stafford Williams.
20	Tui, s.s., 10 yrs.	Schooner	55	12	..	General	Collision; no damage	..	Point Halswell to Worser Bay, Wellington Harbour	N.W.	Moderate	Collision attributable to indiscretion of Captain Pope, of "Tui," in not giving a wider berth to "Jane Douglas," when overtaking her. Captain Pope reimprisoned, and ordered to pay costs of inquiry	Charles Quentin Pope.
20	Jane Douglas, s.s.	Schooner	75	12	..	General	Collision; no damage	..	South Breaksand, the Downs, English Channel	W.	Fresh	Vessel grounded through missing stays	James William Grant Fraser.
24	Dunelm, 22 yrs., AI Lloyds	Barque	507	12	..	Creosote	Stranded; no damage	..	Orwell Bank, Manukau Harbour	S.W.	Moderate	Vessel touched several times when entering the harbour	Alexander Swietoslawski.
27	Lalla Rookh, s.s., 9½ years	Schooner	44	6	..	Kaurigum	Stranded; partial loss	..	Nine miles north of Table Cape, east coast, North Island	..	..	Ship took fire from some cause of which there was not sufficient evidence given on inquiry. Evidence shows deficiency in arrangements for patrolling or visiting the saloon deck through the night	Charles Bonner.
Nov. 1	Wairapa, s.s., 3 years, AI Lloyds	Schooner	1023	64	97	General	Fire; partial loss	..		..	..		Henry William Holbrook Chaffield.