

May	20	Go Ahead, s.s., 30 years	Schooner	129	14	3	General	Stranded; total loss	1	Rocky shore, about 2 miles S. of Cape Kid- nappers	S.	Strong gale	Master over-estimated speed of vessel, and did not allow enough for leeway; and, even if vessel had been in position master calcu- lated, she was too close to shore. Master also erred in turning vessel's head in shore to take soundings. Master's certificate was suspended for three months, and he was ordered to pay costs of inquiry	Samuel Plumley
"	24	West Riding, 12 years	Barque..	913	19	..	General	Collision; slight damage	..	Close to Inconstant Point, Port Nichol- son, Wellington.	N.N.W.	Strong breeze	Collision caused by error in judgment on part of Pilot Holmes, who was in charge of "West Riding," in not keeping clear of "Port Sonachan." The "Port Sonachan," which was in charge of Assistant-Pilot Shilling, was two or three cables ahead and to wind- ward of "West Riding," on port tack, and Pilot Holmes should have put his fore- or main-yard aback, and so have brought his ship to. Pilot Holmes was ordered to pay the costs of the inquiry	William Thomas
"	24	Port Sonachan, 2 years	Barque..	1112	27	..	General	Collision; dam- aged to extent of £84 for re- pairs	..					John Watt.
June	16	Clematis, 15 yrs.	Ketch ..	67	7	..	Sawn timber	Stranded; par- tial loss	2	Two and a half miles south of Waimakariri River	E.S.E.	Strong breeze	Vessel went ashore while on her way from Havelock to Lyttelton	Charles Green.
"	19	Oceola ..	Brightine	231	..	..	Coal ..	Stranded; total loss	..	West Spit, Buller River	S.E.	Strong breeze	Vessel went ashore while being towed to sea.	George Bell.
"	25	Rio Loge, 18 years; Al Liverpool Red Book	Brig ..	241	10	..	Sugar, 337 tons	Deck swept by heavy seas; partial loss	..	Lat. 40° 49' S., long. 96° 24' E. On voyage from Mauritius to Lyttelton	W.S.W.	Strong gale	Casualty caused by heavy sea coming on board during a gale	Hugh Monro.
"	28	Dauntless, 7 yrs.	Cutter ..	28	3	..	Sawn timber	Stranded; total loss	..	Catlin's River Bar, about 200 yards from Old Man Rock	W.S.W.	Light ..	Casualty caused through wind falling when vessel was on bar	Thomas Hill.
"	29	Deva, 14 years; Al 100 Lloyds	Barque..	761	19	..	General	Collision with iceberg; loss of jibboom, bowsprit, and gear attached	..	Lat 50° 20' S, long. 118° 20' E. On voyage from London to Dunedin	S.	Moderate breeze	At 3 a.m. a large iceberg was suddenly seen right ahead; helm was at once put up, and vessel began to pay off, when she struck the berg	John Thomas Pierrepont.
July	5	Reward, 10 yrs.	Schooner	40	4	..	Timber..	Stranded; total loss	..	Cavalli Island, North- east coast	N.W.	Moderate	Vessel went ashore when trying to recover her boat, which had broken adrift	Edwin McDonald
"	6 (since)	Columbia, 15½ years	Schooner	46	4	..	Drainpipes and tim- ber	Supposed foun- dered; total loss	Supposed 4 (all hands)	On voyage from Mercury Bay to Napier	..	..	Vessel left Mercury Bay on the 6th July for Napier, and has not since been heard of. Supposed to have foundered, with loss of all hands	George William Conway.
July	18	Presto, 25 years; Al, 90 British Lloyds	Barque..	384	10	..	Coal ..	Vessel pooped; deck swept by heavy seas; partial loss	..	Lat 37° 30' S., long. 157° 30' E.	W. by S.	Strong gale	Vessel pooped, and deck swept during heavy gale	Thomas Laid- man.
"	19	Orawaiti, s.s., 4 years	Schooner	283	15	..	Coal ..	Collision; slight damage	..	Western Quay, Inner Harbour, Napier	..	Calm	"Orawaiti," s.s., when coming up to the wharf collided with the "Wairoa," and "Waihi," which were moored at the wharf	John Gibb: Henry Anderson.
"	19	Wairoa, s.s., 3 years	Ketch ..	48	6	..	..	Collision; slight damage	..					Thomas Rutler.
"	19	Waihi, s.s., 5 years	Ketch ..	63	7	..	..	Collision; slight damage	..					