

RETURN of ACCIDENTS to SEAMEN and Others on board Ship reported to the MARINE DEPARTMENT during the Financial Year ended the 31st March, 1907.

Date of Accident.	Name of Vessel, Port of Registry, and Official Number.	Name of Person injured.	Nature of Injury: Fatal or otherwise.	Place where Accident occurred.	Particulars as to Accident and its Cause, and Verdict of Jury where Coroner's Inquest held.
1906.					
April 3	Endeavour (schooner), Fremantle, 117813	J. Rand, A.B.	Injured right shoulder	Auckland Wharf	Stepped on gangway, which was not made fast, and fell on the deck.
" 4	Clansman, s.s., Auckland, 87520	W. Donald, greaser	Strained back	Auckland	In attempting to lift a heavy brass bush he strained his back.
" 4	Kahu (scow), Whangarei, 102314	J. Johansen, A.B.	Injured right foot	Whangarei	Whilst unloading bricks one fell and injured right foot.
" 4	Canopus, s.s., Dunedin, 101490	John Taft, A.B.	Sprained ankle	Lyttelton	Slipped on deck and sprained ankle.
" 10	Cygnat, s.s., Lyttelton, 91893	E. J. Etheridge, mate	Right arm broken	Lyttelton	Bundle of leather fell out of sling and struck his right arm, breaking it.
" 12	Seagull (scow), Auckland, 87534	George White, seaman	Back hurt	Mercury Bay	While hauling vessel to wharf the line slipped off a post, and White fell against spokes of wheel, causing injury to his back.
" 16	Mararua, s.s., Dunedin, 89380	J. Livingstone, A.B.	Strained right foot	Wellington	Whilst working about hydraulic gear he slipped and caught his foot in the pipes, straining it severely.
" 28	Wimmera, s.s., Melbourne, 123722	E. Wright, fireman	Contused right thigh	On voyage, Lyttelton to Wellington	Washed by a sea against fore-hatch, and bruised right leg.
" 28	Rimutaka, s.s., Plymouth, 111355	Robert McEllenney, greaser	Drowned	Timaru Wharf	Fell off wharf, and was drowned.
May 9	Gannet (scow), Auckland, 82683	James Evans, seaman	Internal injuries	Freeman's Bay, Auckland	While engaged discharging logs one slipped and crushed him, causing internal injuries.
" 11	Kanieri, s.s., Auckland, 84490	M. Anderson, A.B.	Right ankle sprained	Whangarei	A sack of wheat fell from slings striking him on the leg, and spraining his ankle.
" 17	Mangapapa s.s., Auckland 112600	John Kelly, fireman	Little finger crushed	Hauraki Gulf	Whilst engaged trimming, a piece of coal fell and crushed his little finger.
" 17	Kia Ora, s.s., Auckland, 102289	Mrs. F. Nelson, stewardess	Broken arm	New Plymouth	Slipped on deck and fell, fracturing her right arm.
" 18	Taniwha, s.s., Auckland, 102302	J. Malley, fireman	Bruised hand	Auckland	Hand was caught by wheel of dynamo, and bruised badly.
" 19	Seagull (scow), Auckland, 87534	G. Broadfoot, mate	Left hand bruised	Auckland	Whilst engaged discharging logs the jack slipped, and bruised his hand badly.
" 21	Taniwha, s.s., Auckland, 102302	T. Clayton, O.S.	Right hand cut	Auckland	When coming out of forecastle, slipped and fell on some pipes, part cargo, and cut a piece of flesh out of palm of right hand.
" 24	Kassa (scow), Hobart, 55310	Karl Anderson, A.B.	Drowned	Wellington Harbour	Deceased was found drowned in Wellington Harbour.
" 26	Apartima, s.s., London, 116807	Frederick Perara, wharf labourer	Killed	Wellington Wharf	Presumed he slipped and fell into hold while engaged in putting on hatches. Inquest verdict: "Accidental death."
" 31	Niwaru, s.s., London, 114854	John Richardson, O.S.	Fractured left wrist, and ^{right eye} out over right eye	Queen's Wharf, Wellington	While descending ladder into No. 2 hold he slipped and fell into lower hold.
June 2	Mararua, s.s., Dunedin, 89380	E. Darnoch, greaser	Injured foot	Between Wellington and Lyttelton	Foot jambed in levers of valve-gear, badly damaging left heel.
" 8	Tongariro, s.s., Plymouth, 111356	A. Barratt, bosun's mate	Fractured right leg, and several bruises	Wellington Wharf	While fixing weather-screens on promenade-deck, fell between ship's side and wharf.
" 15	Mokoia, s.s., Dunedin, 101483	G. Hampshire, fireman	Arm injured	Between Wellington and Lyttelton	Whilst putting coal on port fire the door slammed, owing to ship rolling, and caused the shovel in his hand to injure the arm.
" 15	Southern Isle (scow), Nelson, 102334	Karl Johansen, A.B.	Fractured skull	Lyttelton Wharf	When going on board at night he fell from wharf to deck, and fractured his skull.
" 26	Niwaru, s.s., Auckland, 114854	C. Pitt, A.B.	Crushed hand	Auckland	Whilst shipping insulator-hatches the cross-piece of the upper hatch fell and struck his right hand.
July 3	Manuka, s.s., Dunedin, 117582	M. McCann, A.B.	Injured leg	Dunedin Wharf	While taking in timber the end of a log struck McCann, and pinned him against the skylight.