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7	29th Feb ...	25th Feb...	90-92	*Seamen.*—Information regarding the estates of certain deceased seamen, furnished.
8	29th Feb...	17th Feb...	58-59	——— Papers relating to the effect of a deceased seamen, forwarded.
9	3rd April..	3rd April.	15-16	*Light Houses.*—Accounts Current of Light dues collected at the several ports of this Presidency, on account of the Little Basses Rock Light vessel, Ceylon for the quarter ending January and for February and March 1867, forwarded.
10	30th April..	29th Mar. 28th April	57-59 29-30	*Ports.*—Intimated that the name of the Port formerly known as "Monsoorcottah" has been changed to "Gopaulpore," and the issue of orders for the necessary alteration of the Charts of this Coast, requested.
11	12th May...	7th May...	11-12	*Seamen.*—Account of the expenses incurred in the relief of four distressed seamen, furnished.
12	20th May...	18th May...	26-27	*Instructions of the Board of Trade to* Officers abroad relative to their duties. Their non-receipt, noticed. The supply of the old copies corrected, requested.
13	26th May...	19th May...	30-31	*Light Houses.*—Accounts Current with vouchers, of Light dues collected at the several ports of this Presidency on account of the "Little Basses Rock Light vessels, Ceylon" for quarters ending June and September 1867, forwarded.
14	30th May...	23rd May..	42-43	*Seamen, deceased.*—Papers relating to two deceased seamen, and to the wages of another who left Calicut without claiming them, forwarded.

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No.	Dates.	Papers reported.		Subjects.
	1868.	1868.	Nos.	
15	9th June..	3rd June..	8-9	*Merchant Shipping Act.*—A summary of the amendments in connection with the revision of the various Acts relating to this Act, forwarded.
16	9th June...	3rd June..	10-21	*Memorial* from Mr. R. F. Eglan, late Head Pilot at the Paumben Channel, praying for restoration to Office, forwarded.
17	10th June..	13th June..	35-36	*Seamen insane.*—Papers relating to an insane seaman of the "Excelsior" stated to have been sent with Despatch of 21st December 1867.
18	30th June...	29th June..	60-61	*Seamen, deceased.*—Papers relating to the effects of two deceased seamen, forwarded.
19	7th July...	20th May...	36-37	*Seamen, distressed.*—Statement of expenses incurred in their relief, forwarded.
		29th June...	58-59	
20	7th July...	6th July...	12-13	*Stores.*—Intimated that with one exception, the whole of the — brought out by the *John Scott*, have been landed.
21	7th July...	4th July...	5-6	*Chart of the Gulf of Manaar.*—An error in the — brought to notice.
22	31st July...	31st July...	51-52	*Sub-Marine diving Establishment.*—Indent for articles for — forwarded.
23	31st July...	31st July...	53-54	*Light Houses.*—Account Current with vouchers of Light dues collected at the several ports of this Presidency on account of the "Little Basses Rock Light vessel, Ceylon" for quarters ending December 1867, and March 1868, forwarded.
24	11th Aug...	4th Aug...	5-6	——— The explanation of the Accountant General of the apparent discrepancy in his account of dues collected at the ports in this Presidency, on account of the "Little Basses Rock Light vessel" in the quarter ended January 1867, forwarded.
25	11th Aug...	3rd Aug...	1-2	*Seamen, distressed.*—Account of the expenses incurred in the relief of two seamen, forwarded.
26	25th Aug...	14th Aug...	32-35	——— Papers having reference to the case of a distressed seamen of the ship "Eastern Empire" whose Commander left him behind in Hospital without either sending him his wages and clothes, or granting him a formal discharge, forwarded.
27	31st Aug...	27th Aug...	49-51	——— Explanation of the Master Attendant, regarding discrepancies noticed by the Board of Trade in the statement of expenses incurred on account of certain —, forwarded.
28	31st Aug...	31st Aug...	54-55	*Seamen, deceased.*—Paper relative to the effects of a deceased seaman, forwarded.
29	25th Sep...	22nd Sep...	60-61	——— Papers relative to the effects of a — forwarded.

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No.	Dates.	Papers reported.		Subjects.
	1868.	1868.	Nos.	
30	25th Sep....	.....	14-15	*Seamen deceased.*—Secretary of State referred to Despatch of June 1868, relative to the effects of two deceased seamen.
31	5th Oct....	28th Sep....	25-26	*Marine Stores.*—Estimate for — for the Master Attendant, Madras, for 1869-70, forwarded.
32	10th Oct...	1st Oct. ...	8-9	*Light Houses.*—Accounts with vouchers of Light dues collected at the several ports of this Presidency on account of the "Little Basses Rock Light vessel, Ceylon" for the quarter ending June 1868, forwarded.
33	19th Oct....	17th Oct....	26-27	*Seamen, deceased.*—Papers relative to the effects of two —, forwarded.
34	27th Oct....	22nd Oct....	31-32	*Seamen, distressed.*—Account of the expenses incurred in the relief of twenty —, forwarded.
35	18th Nov...	18th Nov...	50-51	*Madras Pier.*—A claim of Mr. Black, engaged to superintend the repairs to the — to the re-imbursement of certain expenses incurred by him prior to his arrival in India, submitted for orders. The payment of £20 monthly on his account to Mr. J. Anderson, requested.
36	23rd Nov....	19th Nov...	29-31	*Seamen, deceased.*—Papers relative to the effects of a —, sent.
37	21st Dec ...	15th Dec...	17-18	*Light Houses.*—Information regarding the new — at Coringa, submitted.
38	21st Dec....	15th Dec...	47-48	*Seamen deceased.*—Paper relative to the effects of a — sent.
39	21st Dec...	15th Dec...	9-10	*Light Houses.*—Accounts with vouchers of Light dues collected at the several ports of this Presidency on account of the "Little Basses Rock Light vessels, Ceylon, for quarter ending September 1868, forwarded.

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