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1	1883. 6th Feb.	..	1883. ..	" <i>Kersonese</i> ."—Enclosing copy of letter from the Master Attendant, Madras, reporting on the subject of the late outbreak of scurvy on board the —.
2	7th Feb.	..	..	<i>Wrecks—Courts of Inquiry</i> .—Forwarding for transmission to the Board of Trade the report of the special court appointed to inquire into the circumstances which attended the stranding of the British ship <i>Southern Monarch</i> at Madras on the 20th December 1882.
3	6th May.	..	..	<i>Madras Harbour</i> . — Forwarding an indent for six Tyzack's patent anchors for use in the —.
4	" "	..	..	<i>Seamen—Distressed</i> .—Forwarding copy of a letter from the Master Attendant, Madras, respecting the question of the further payment, to the owners of the <i>Ganges</i> , of a sum of £5-19-0 on account of the passage home by that vessel of the seaman James Main.
5	22nd "	..	..	<i>Notices to Mariners</i> . — Forwarding, for communication to the Board of Trade, tabular statement furnished by the Master Attendant, Madras, regarding the exhibition on the 17th February last, of a small red light at Beypore.
6	31st "	..	..	<i>Madras Steam Tug</i> .—Forwarding a detailed report from the Master Attendant, Madras, as to the merits of this steam tug and her suitability for the service for which she was required.
7	4th July	..	..	<i>Stores</i> .—Requesting to press the claim against the owners of the S.S. <i>Clan Drummond</i> for loss amounting to Rs. 3,395-6-11 sustained in respect of certain Government stores landed at Madras in a damaged state.
8	26th Sept.	..	..	<i>Wrecks—Courts of Inquiry</i> .—Forwarding for transmission to the Board of Trade three copies of Proceedings embodying the report of a special court appointed to inquire into the circumstances attending the collision between the S.S. <i>Oulna</i> and the <i>Gungah Lakshmaprasad</i> off Tellicherry on the 27th August last.
9	10th Oct.	<i>Stores</i> .—Forwarding copy of correspondence relating to a claim against the S.S. <i>Dacca</i> , and requesting that proceedings may be taken in this case similar to those advocated in letter of 4th July last, No. 7, Marine.

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