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No.	From and to	Date.	Subject.
1	From the Collector of Sea Customs.	17th August.	Submits a letter from Messrs. Kerakoose and Co. requesting permission to import one Case of Percussion Caps, and suggests that the Principal Commissary of Ordnance be authorized to receive and keep in Custody any Military Weapons transmitted to him.
2	Order thereon.....	21st August.	The Principal Commissary of Ordnance instructed to examine the Caps and report if they are fit to be purchased by Government; and that Officer also directed to receive temporary charge of any Arms or Ammunition which the Collector of Sea Customs may send to him for security.
3	From the Marine Board.....	13th August.	Solicit sanction for the excess of charge above the Estimate for constructing a Lantern for the Santapilly Light House.
4	Order thereon.....	22nd August.	Sanctioned.
5	From the Marine Board.....	13th August.	Report that the want of a sufficient number of Scupper holes on the deck of the "Coromandel" was noticed in their letter of the 5th January, and that Captain Campbell will cause the defect to be remedied.
6	Order thereon.....	22nd August.	Recorded.
7	From the Marine Board.....	17th August.	Recommend for sanction a Bill for making up two Brass Anchor Badges for the Belts of Peons on the Establishment of the Master Attendant.
8	Order thereon.....	22nd August.	The Civil Auditor instructed to pass the above Bill.
9	From the Collector of Sea Customs.	12th August.	Reports that the Revolvers imported by Mr. H. Fox have been forwarded to the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines, and recommends that they be charged to the Ordnance Department at Rupees 85 each, and sold at that rate.
10	From Mr. H. Fox.....	14th August.	For reasons stated, solicits the delivery to him of the Revolvers above alluded to for distribution to certain parties booked in his Office.
11	Order thereon.....	25th August.	Under the circumstances of the case, direct that the Pistols be made over by the Inspector General of Ordnance to the parties for whom they were imported at a fair valuation, and enough of the proceeds handed over to Mr. Fox, to save him from the loss he would otherwise sustain.
12	From the Colonial Secretary at the Mauritius.	24th July.	Intimates that 558 tons of Coal have been purchased at £4 per ton, on account of this Government.
13	Order thereon.....	24th August.	Communicated to the Marine Board and the Accountant General, in view to the adjustment of the expenses incurred by the Mauritius Government.

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14	From the Registrar of Shipping.	11th August.	Forwards, for transmission to the Chief Registrar of Shipping and Registrar General of Seamen in London, certain Returns agreeably to the Merchant Shipping Act of 1854.
15	To the Secretary at the East India House.	25th August.	Transmit the Returns for delivery to the above mentioned Functionaries.