Light-vessel No. 16 has two masts-but no bowsprit-a black funnel and steam whistle between the masts, the hull is yellow, with "Relief" on sides and "No. 16" in black letters on each bow and quarter.

The fog signal will not be altered.

Light-vessel No. 51 will return to her station when repairs are completed, of which notice will be given.

Approximate position, lat. 40° 28′ 20′′ N., long. 73° 50′ 0″ W.

This Notice temporarily affects the following Admiralty Charts: Halifax to the Delaware, No. 2670; Nantucket to Great Egg Harbour, No. 2480; approaches to New York, No. 2491. Also, List of Lights, Part VIII, 1898, No. 863.

No. 421.—ENGLAND-RIVER TYNE. Wreck South-Eastward of South Pier.

THE Tyne Improvement Commissioners have given notice, dated July 14th, 1898, that the wreck of a steamer lies sunk in six fathoms, with the outer end of South Pier bearing N.W. by W., distant 250 yards.

A green buoy has been moored a little to the eastward of the wreck, and at night a steam tug showing two white lights horizontally placed will, when practicable, mark the position.

Approximate position, lat. 55° 0′ 40″ N., long. 1° 23′ 45″ W.

[Variation 18° Westerly in 1898.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—River Tyne Entrance, No. 1934. North Sea Pilot, Part III, 1897, pages 77, 79. By command of their Lordships,

W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer. Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London, 20th to 23rd July, 1898.

Registration of Births and Deaths.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of the provisions of the twenty-first section of an Act passed in the thirty-eighth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "The Births and Deaths Registration Act, 1874," I, Sir Brydges Powell Henniker, Bart., Registrar-General of Births, Deaths, and Marriages in England, have, with the sanction of the Local Government Board, ordered and declared that on and after the 1st day of August next, in order to place Exeter County Borough entirely within one Registration Sub-District, Exeter Eastern and Exeter Western Sub-Districts of Exeter Registration District shall be united and form one Sub-District, to be called and known as Exeter Sub-District.—Witness my hand this 22nd day of July, 1898.

Brydges P. Henniker, Registrar-General.

General Register Office.

Somerset House, London.

OTICE is hereby given that a separate building named Primitive Methodist Chapel situated at Thorney in the civil parish of Thorney in the county of Cambridge in the registration district of Peterborough being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the 18th day of July 1898, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this 20th day of July WM. PETTIT Superintendent Registrar.

OTICE is hereby given that a separate building named Wesleyan Church situated at Hempnall in the civil parish of Hempnall in the county of Norfolk in the registration district

of Depwade being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the 18th day of July 1898, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this 20th day of July 1898.

A. E. Scarlett Superintendent Registrar.

OTICE is hereby given that a separate building named Zion Chapel situated at White Lee, Batley in the civil parish of Batley in the county of York in the registration district of Dewsbury being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the 18th day of July 1898, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85. -Witness my hand this 20th day of July 1898.

JOSEPH PEACE Superintendent Registrar.

OTICE is hereby given that a separate building named Bennett Park Hall situated at Bennett Park, Blackheath Village in the civil parish of Charlton in the county of London in the registration district of Woolwich being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the 18th day of July 1898, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.-Witness my hand this 20th day of July 1898.

Tom CUTTER Superintendent Registrar.

OTICE is hereby given that a separate building named Wesleyan Methodist Chapel situated at Kirby Grindalyth in the civil parish of Kirby Grindalyth in the county of York in the registration district of Malton being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the 20th day of July 1898, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this 22nd day of July 1898.

GEORGE SIMPRIN CATTLE Superintendent

Registrar.

Friendly Societies Act, 1896.

Advertisement of Dissolution by Instrument. OTICE is hereby given that the Court Forest Oak No. 3163 Ancient Order of Foresters Friendly Society, held at 8 Police-st. Gt. Harwood in the county of Lancaster is dissolved by instrument, registered at this office, the 20th day of July, 1898, unless within three months from the date of the Gazette in which this advertisement appears proceedings be commenced by a member or other person interested in or having any claim on the funds of the Branch to set aside such dissolution, and the same is set aside E. W. BRABROOK Chief Registrar.

28, Abingdon-street, Westminster, the 20th day of July 1898.

Advertisement of Cancelling.

OTICE is hereby given that the Chief Registrar of Friendly Societies has, pursuant to s. 77 of the Friendly Societies Act, 1896, by writing under his hand, dated the 20th day of July 1898, cancelled the Registry of the Hampton Liberal and Rudical Club (Register No. 5598), held at Station-road, Hampton, in the county of Middlesex at its request. The Society (subject to the right of appeal given by the said Act) ceases to enjoy the privileges of a registered Society, but without prejudice to any liability incurred by the Society which may be enforced against it as if such cancelling had not taken E. W. Brabrook Chief Registrar.