

15th July, 1949.

Dear Sirs,

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s/s "WARREN GROVE"

The Ministry of Transport state that a formal investigation has been ordered into the circumstances attending the foundering of the above ship off Arbroath, Scotland, on the 9th November, 1948, and that the case has been fixed for hearing in the Council Chamber, Municipal Buildings, Hartlepool, on the 25th July, commencing at 10.30 a.m.

It is desired that Mr. Sheffer should give evidence at this formal investigation in connection with the survey carried out by him and reported in Newcastle Report No. 105427, and I shall be glad if he will make the necessary arrangements to attend. The dates on which he will be required to give evidence will be advised later.

I may add that Mr. Sheffer should confine his evidence to statements of fact in connection with the survey carried out by him, and he should not express personal opinions.

Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

The Surveyors,
NEWCASTLE-on-TYNE.



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