I N pursuance of the provisions in that behalf of the Expeditionary Forces Amendment Act of 1918, the Minister of Defence for the Dominion of New Zealand doth hereby amend the Military Defaulters List as published in the *Gazette* of the 14th May, 1919, by deleting therefrom the name set forth in the Schedule hereto. Deted this 14th days of October 1925

Dated this 14th day of October, 1925.

F. H. D. BELL, for Minister of Defence.

SCHEDULE.

DELETION under section 10 of the Expeditionary Forces Amendment Act, 1918 :-

1833. Campbell, Jack, Farm Labourer, Five Rivers, sometime of St. Leonard's Station, Culverden.

Meetings of Nelson Land Board.

Department of Lands and Survey, Wellington, 12th October, 1925. N OTICE is hereby given that His Excellency the Governor-General has, in pursuance of section 54 of the Land Act, 1924, approved of meetings of the Nelson Land Board being held at the District Lands and Survey Office, Nelson, at 10 o'clock a.m. on Thursday, 14th January, 11th February, 11th March, 15th April, 13th May, 10th June, 8th July, 12th August, 9th September, 14th October, 11th November, and 9th December, during the year 1926.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Meetings of Taranaki Land Board.

Department of Lands and Survey,

Wellington, 12th October, 1925. N OTICE is hereby given that His Excellency the Governor-General has, in pursuance of section 54 of the Land Act, 1924, approved of meetings of the Taranaki Land Board being held at the District Lands and Survey Office, New Plymouth, at 10 o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, 27th January, 24th February, 24th March, 28th April, 26th May, 30th June, 28th July, 25th August, 29th September, 27th October, 24th November, and 15th December, during the year 1926. A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Crown Land declared to be Settlement Land.

Department of Lands and Survey.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to section 20 (3) of the Land Act, 1924, that the undermentioned Crown land shall be deemed to be settlement land, and to be subject to the provisions of the Land for Settlements Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

ALL that area of Crown land in the Auckland Land District, to be included in Te Miro Settlement, situated in Block VI, to be included in Te Miro Settlement, situated in Block VI, Cambridge Survey District, containing by admeasurement 722 acres 32 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north-west by part Section 41s, Te Miro Settlement, 2222-1 links, the crossing of a road, Section 39s of the aforesaid settlement, 2543.8 links and 1271.7 links: towards the north-east by part Sections 1s and 3s of the aforesaid settle-ment, the abutment of a road, and again by part Section 3s of the aforesaid settlement, 6390.7 and 9254.2 links; towards the south-west generally by a road, 543.3, 590.4 links, the crossing of a road, and by Section 3 (scenic reserve), Block VI, Cambridge Survey District, 531.8, 1413.7, 409.9, 318.3, 655.7 links; by a road, 606.8 links; the crossing of a road; again by Section 3 aforesaid, 374.7 and 293.3 links; towards the south generally by Section 3 aforesaid, 1527, 472.1, again by Section 3 aforesaid, 374-7 and 293-3 lmks; towards the south generally by Section 3 aforesaid, 1527, 472-1, 357-4, 685-9, 710-4, 892-8, 1260-1 links; towards the south-west by Section 1, Block VI, Cambridge Survey District, (Fencourt Settlement), the abutment of a road, Section 25, and Lot 3 of Section 24, Block V, of the aforesaid survey district (Fencourt Settlement), 7646-9 links; the crossing of a road; and again by Lot 3 of 24 aforesaid, 817-2 links: save and excepting an area of 7 acres 1 rood 10 perches, more or less, taken for roads: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 21/36, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged pink.

F. H. D. BELL, for Minister of Lands.

Notice to Mariners No. 78 of 1925.

NEW ZEALAND .--- NORTH ISLAND .--- EAST COAST .--- POVERTY BAY.

Marine Department, Wellington, N.Z., 17th October, 1925.

Buoy temporarily removed.

THE Gisborne Harbour Board notify that on or shortly after the 1st of Neverther 1997 THE Gisborne Harbour Board notify that on or shortly after the 1st of November, 1925, the lighted buoy marking Temoana Rock will be removed for overhaul, and during its absence an unlighted black buoy will take its place. It is expected the lighted buoy will be replaced in its original position prior to the end of November. No further notice will be given. Publications affected : Admiralty Plan No. 3321 and Chart No. 3343; "New Zealand Pilot," ninth edition, 1919, page 261; "New Zealand Pilot," ninth edition, 1919, page 261; C. GODFREY, Sceretary.

G. C. GODFREY, Secretary.

Notice to Mariners No. 79 of 1925.

Marine Department, Wellington, N.Z., 20th October, 1925. The following Notices to Mariners, which have been received from the Hydrographic Office, London, and the Department of Trade and Customs, Melbourne, are published for general information published for general information.

G. C. GODFREY, Secretary.

[PRELIMINARY.]

ENGLAND, EAST COAST .- RIVER THAMES APPROACH. Galloper Light-vessel.—Intended Alteration in Fog-signal.

Date of Alteration.—On or about 12th November, 1925. Position.—Lat. 51° 44' N., long. 1° 58' E. (approx.). Alteration.—The fog horn will be altered to sound one blast of 4 sec. duration every minute. Note.—Further notice will be given when the alteration

has been carried out. UNITED STATES, ATLANTIC COAST .--- NANTUCKET SHOALS.

Great Rip Shoal.-Light-buoy established.

Position.—Off southern end of Great Rip shoal, at a distance of about 15 miles south-eastward of Sankaty Head Lighthouse. Lat. 41° 07' 09" N., long. 69° 42' 53" W. on chart No. 2489.

Description.—A light-buoy, painted red and numbered "2," exhibiting a *flashing white* light every 3 sec, thus: Flash 0.3 sec., eclipse 2.7 sec.

UNITED STATES, PACIFIC COAST .--- CALIFORNIA, SAN PEDRO CHANNEL.

Vincente Point.-Fog-signal established.

Position.-Lat. 33° 44′ 30″ N., long. 118° 24′ 35″ W., on chart No. 899.

Abridged Description.—Whistle (2) ev. min. Description.—A fog whistle, operated by compressed air, sounding two blasts every minute, thus: Blast 1 sec., silent 2 sec.; blast 4 sec., silent 53 sec.

CHINA SEA.-RHIO STRAIT APPROACH.

Temiang Strait.-Amended Position of Shoal; Further Details.

Former Notice.-No. 1058 of 1925.

Position .-- At a distance of about 31 cables north-eastward of position given in former notice and one mile 152° from southern extremity of South Dua Island. Lat. 0° 23' N., long. 104° 23' E. (approx.).

 $\begin{array}{c} \text{Iong: 10+2.5 i.} (approx.).\\ Depth.-1\frac{3}{4} \text{ fathoms (3m2).}\\ Note.-The shoal is to be moved on the charts to the amended position given above and the note "Shoal repd. \\ \end{array}$ (1925) " is to be expunged.

BORNEO, NORTH COAST .- MARUDU BAY APPROACH.

Kalampunian Island Light.-Alteration in Period.

Former Notice.—No. 481 of 1925. Position.—Lat. 7° 03' N., long. 116° 45' E. (approx.). Abridged Description.—(U) Fl. ev. 30 sec., 15 M. Alteration.—The period of the flashing white light has been altered from 20 seconds to 30 sec., thus: Flash 5 sec. eclipse 25 sec.

BORNEO, SOUTH COAST .--- JAVA SEA.

Tanjong Selatan.—Further Amendment to Position of Shoal South-westward of.

Former Notice .- No. 1114 of 1925.

Position.—At a distance of about 30 miles south-westward of Tanjong Selatan, and about half a mile eastward of position given in former notice. Lat. 4° 36' 00" S., long. 114° 22' 24" E.