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Old Resident's Death – Our obituary this week includes the name of Mr Charles Dore Harvey, who died on Sunday at the age of 81 years. Mr Harvey was for 35 years a Trinity pilot, and was in the employ of the Norddeutscher Lloyd Steamship Company, his principal duties being between Hamburg, Bremen and Southampton. He was one of the survivors of the ill-fated Elbe steamship, which was wrecked on the Kentish Knock in 1878. On that occasion he was 48 hours in the rigging before a rescue was effected. Mr Harvey made some 800 voyages to and from Germany in the course of his duties. His sterling character was greatly appreciated by the Company, who on his retirement presented him with a very valuable clock in recognition of his long and valuable services.

The funeral took place at the Cemetery on Wednesday, and a large attendance testified to the esteem in which the deceased was held. The coffin, which was covered with lovely flowers, was of polished elm, with heavy brass mountings, the name-plate bearing the following inscription:

Charles Dore Harvey  
Died January 17<sup>th</sup> 1909, aged 81 years

The mourners were Mr J T Harvey, Mr T Harvey, Mr C Russell, Mr Russell jnr, Mr Wilkins, Mr Dore, Mr L Woods, Mr R Greenham, Mr C Loader, Mr E Sweetman, Mr J Sweetman, Mr Bushell, Mr Saunders, Mr N Caws, Mr Wiltshire, Mr Austin, Mr H Long, Mr S Gawn, Mr Marrant, Mr T Paine, and many others. Messrs Coombes were entrusted with the funeral arrangements.

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