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Whitehall, September 3.

**T**HE King has been pleased to approve of the Appointment of the Honourable Charles Howard (commonly called Earl of Surrey) to be Deputy Earl-Marshal of England.

Berlin, August 15. The King of Prussia set out this Morning for Silesia, as did his Royal Highness the Prince of Prussia Yesterday. His Prussian Majesty was accompanied by General Mullendorf.

Navy-Office, August 28, 1782.

**T**HE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy give Notice, That on Tuesday the 17th of next Month they will be ready to treat with such Persons as are willing to supply Portsmouth and Plymouth Yards with Tin Machines for sweetning Water: The Contract to commence the 24th of February, 1783.

Navy-Office, August 28, 1782.

**T**HE Principal Officers and Commissioners of the Navy do hereby give Notice, That on Tuesday the 10th of next Month, they will be ready to treat with such Persons as are willing to supply His Majesty's several Yards with Pit Sand; the Contract to commence immediately.

Victualling-Office, August 28, 1782.

**T**HE Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Monday the 9th of September next they will be ready to receive Tenders in Writing, (sealed up) and treat with such Persons as will undertake to furnish what Quantity of Vinegar may be wanted for the Service of His Majesty's Victualling for Twelve Months certain, and further until Six Months Warning shall be given, from the 15th of January, 1783.

The Conditions of the Contract may be seen at the Secretary's Office.

N. B. No Tenders will be received after One o'Clock.

Victualling-Office, August 28, 1782.

**T**HE Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Wednesday the 25th of September next they will be ready to receive Tenders in Writing, (sealed up) and treat with such Persons as will undertake to furnish Sea Provisions to such of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels as may come to Liverpool, and be in Want thereof, for Twelve Months certain, from the 17th of January, 1783, and further until Six Months Warning shall be given.

The Conditions of the Contract may be seen at the Secretary's Office at this Office; or by applying to the Collector of His Majesty's Customs at Liverpool.

N. B. No Tenders will be received after One o'Clock.

Office of Ordnance, August 30, 1782.

**T**HE Master-General and Principal Officers of the Ordnance give Notice, that on Wednesday the 4th of September they will receive Proposals for hiring a Ship of about 400 Tons Burthen, to carry Stores to the Coast of Africa. No Proposals delivered after One o'Clock will be attended to, nor unless some Person attends to answer to the same.

By Order of the Board,  
John Boddington.

Office of Ordnance, August 29, 1782.

**W**HEREAS there will be wanted, for the Works carrying on at Portsmouth, large Quantities of the following Articles, viz.

- Best Purbeck Platners, with proper Bond-stones, scapled Faces, and wrought Joints and Beds, per Ton £. s. d.
- Best scapled Purbeck Ashler, with Bond-stones in Courses, from 14 to 18 Inches, per Ton - - -
- Purbeck Stone for Foundation and Backing, per Ton - - -
- Lime-stone from Plymouth, per Ton - - -
- Marble in Blocks from ditto, per Ton - - -
- Portland Casual Block, per Ton - - -
- Coals, per Chaldron - - -
- Bricks, per Thousand - - -

To be delivered, free of all Charges, at Cumberland Fort, Stoke's Bay, and in the Harbour of Portsmouth:

Whoever is willing to supply the Board of Ordnance with any of the above Articles, to be paid in Course of Office, will send their Proposals, (sealed) and marked on the Outside "Proposals for" to the Office of Ordnance, St. Margaret's street, Westminster, on or before the 13th of September next.

John Boddington.

Custom-House, London, August 29, 1782.

**W**HEREAS the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs have received Information, that great Quantities of Foreign Tobacco, and Tobacco Stalks, and Snuff, are frequently brought to London in Stage Coaches, Waggon, and other Carriages, having been first clandestinely imported and run on different Parts of the Coasts of this Kingdom And whereas by an Act passed in the Fifth Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, and several other Acts of Parliament now in Force, it is enabled, that the Persons employed in the Running, Removing, Carriage, or Conveyance of such Goods, shall forfeit Treble the Value thereof, and the Vessels, Horses, Cattle, Carts, and other Carriages made Use of in Landing, Loading, Carrying, or Removing such Goods, shall also be forfeited and lost; and if any Tobacco or Tobacco Stalks, exceeding in Quantity Twenty-four Pounds Weight, or any Snuff, exceeding Ten Pounds Weight, is found removing with-