

such as shall be granted between the 31st of January and the 16th of March in any Year, will be dated on the 1st of February, and will protect from that Day. The Act also contains divers new Provisions and Regulations for better securing the Duties and preventing Frauds, as well as for facilitating the Recovery of the Duties, and the Penalties for Offences relating thereto; which will be found beneficial to the Farmers thereof; and Innkeepers and others letting Horses to hire will be subject to Penalties if they neglect to conform to such Regulations.

By Order of the Commissioners of Stamps,
C. E. Beresford, Secretary.

Office of Ordnance, October 16, 1808.

THE Principal Officers of His Majesty's Ordnance do hereby give Notice, that Proposals will be received at their Office, in Pall-Mall, on or before Monday the 14th Day of November next, from such Persons as may be willing to undertake the Supply of Hosiery Articles for Service of this Department, for a Period of Three Years, commencing from the 1st of January next.

Patterns of the Articles may be seen upon Application at the Principal Storekeeper's Office in the Tower, where further Particulars, together with the Terms and Conditions of the Contract, may be known, and also at the Secretary's Office in Pall-Mall aforesaid, any Day between the Hours of Ten and Four o'Clock; where also the Proposals must be delivered, sealed up, and endorsed "Proposals for Hosiery Articles;" but no Proposal can be admitted after the said 14th Day of November, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon of the same Day; neither will any Tender be noticed unless the Party making it, or an Agent in his Behalf, shall attend.

By Order of the Board,
R. H. Crew, Secretary.

Office of Ordnance, November 2, 1808.

THE Principal Officers of His Majesty's Ordnance do hereby give Notice, that Proposals will be received at their Office in Pall-Mall, on or before Friday the 2d Day of December next, from such Persons as may be willing to undertake the Supply of Stoves, Ranges, and other Iron Articles, for Service of this Department, for a Period of Three Years.

Patterns of the Articles may be seen upon Application at the Principal Storekeeper's Office in the Tower; where further Particulars, together with the Terms and Conditions of the Contract, may be known, and also at the Secretary's Office, in Pall-Mall aforesaid, any Day between the Hours of Ten and Four o'Clock; where also the Proposals are to be delivered, sealed up, and endorsed "Proposals for Stoves, Ranges, &c.;" but no Proposal can be admitted after the said 2d Day of December next, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon of the same Day; neither will any Tender be noticed, unless the Party making it, or an Agent in his Behalf, shall attend.

By Order of the Board,
R. H. Crew, Secretary.

Transport-Office, November 7, 1808.

THE Commissioners for conducting His Majesty's Transport Service, for taking Care of Sick and Wounded Seamen, and for the Care and Custody of Prisoners of War, do hereby give Notice, that they will be ready at this Office, on Thursday the 1st Day of December 1808, to receive sealed Tenders, and treat with such Persons as may be willing to contract for

supplying the undermentioned Articles for the Service of the Royal Hospital at Plymouth, and for the Service afloat, from the 1st Day of January to the 31st December 1809:

Ox Beef,	Soap,
Wether Mutton,	Candles,
Bread,	Spermaceti Oil,
Cheese,	Refined Seal Oil,
Carolina Rice,	Carrots,
East India Rice,	Lump Sugar,
Scotch Barley,	Muscovado Sugar,
Pearl Barley,	Red Port Wine,
Oatmeal,	Mountain Wine,
Sago,	Beer,
Salt,	Bavins.
Vinegar,	

No Tender will be received after One o'Clock on the Day of Treaty, nor any noticed unless the Party, or an Agent for him, personally attend. Each Tender must be accompanied by a Letter from Two respectable Persons engaging to become bound with the Person tendering in the Sum of 500l. for the due Performance of the Contract.

Further Particulars may be known, and printed Forms of Tenders had, by applying at this Office, or to the Steward and Agent of the said Hospital.

Alex. McLeay, Secretary.

East India-House, Nov. 10, 1808.

THE Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England, trading to the East Indies, do hereby give Notice,

That a Quarterly General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Leadenhall Street, on Wednesday the 21st December next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, for the Purpose of declaring a Dividend from Midsummer last to Christmas next.

William Ramsay, Secretary.

East India-House, Nov. 10, 1808.

THE Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England, trading to the East Indies, do hereby give Notice,

That the Transfer Books of the said Company's Stock will be shut on Tuesday the 29th Instant, at Two o'Clock, and opened again on Tuesday the 17th January following:

And that the Dividend Warrants on the said Stock, due on the 5th January next, will be ready to be delivered on Monday the 9th of the same Month.

William Ramsay, Secretary.

Navy-Office, November 9, 1808.

POOR KNIGHTS OF WINDSOR.

THE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice to such Lieutenants in His Majesty's Navy as are desirous of being recommended for the Appointment of Poor Knight of Windsor under the Will of the late Samuel Trawers, Esq; that they must apply at this Office on or before the 31st December next, when they will be informed of the Nature of the Certificates and Testimonials which are required to shew that they come within the Meaning of the said Will, which expresses that they "are to be superannuated or disabled Lieutenants of English Men of War," and shall be "single Men without children, inclined to lead a virtuous, studious, and decent Life, to be removed if they give Occasion for Scandal."

R. A. Nelson, Secretary.