

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 500*l.* for the due Performance of the Contract.

Farther Particulars may be known by applying at the Transport-Office, Deptford; where a Draft of the Vessels and Form of Tender may be seen.

Alex. McLeay, Secretary.

OFFICE FOR TAXES, SOMERSET-PLACE.

December 24, 1811.

Pursuant to an Act, passed in the Forty-second Year of His present Majesty's Reign, Notice is hereby given, that the Price of the Three per Centum Reduced Bank Annuities, sold at the Bank of England this Day, was £62 and under £63 per Centum.

By Order of the Commissioners for the Affairs of Taxes, Matt. Winter, Secretary

POST HORSE DUTIES.

Stamp-Office, London, December 3, 1811.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an Act, passed in the last Session of Parliament, intitled "An Act for letting to farm the Duties on Horses hired by the Mile or Stage to be used in travelling, and on Horses hired for a less Period of Time than Twenty-eight Days for drawing Carriages used in travelling Post or otherwise in Great Britain, and for facilitating the Recovery of the said Duties;" the Commissioners of Stamps, duly authorised by the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, will put up such of the said Duties (which were granted by the Act of the Forty-fourth Year of His Majesty's Reign, c. 98.) as shall arise in the Districts under-mentioned, at the Stamp-Office, Somerset-Place, on Saturday the 4th Day of January next, between the Hours of Ten and Twelve in the Forenoon, to be let to farm at Yearly Rents, for the Term of Three Years from the 1st Day of February next inclusive.

No.	DISTRICTS.	Annual Rents at which they will be put up.
1.	North Britain.....	£ 14,000
5.	Lincolnshire	} 11,000
	Nottinghamshire	
	Leicestershire	
10.	Huntingdonshire	} 12,000
	Hertfordshire, with Wandsford	
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Each District will be put up separately at the Sum above set opposite thereto, which, if there be no Bidding, will be gradually abated down to a certain Point, or till a Bidding shall be made. The highest Bidder will be declared the Farmer, and will be required to pay down immediately, in Bank Notes, One-Eighth Part of the Annual Rent as a Deposit; but if no sufficient Bidding shall be made for any District, it will be withdrawn.

And it is intended, that the Districts shall not be put up in the Order above stated, but in any other which the Commissioners of Stamps may think fit, and which will not be declared before the Time of letting.

All Persons intending to bid for any of the said Duties, are to deliver in their Proposals, addressed

to the Commissioners at the Stamp-Office, Somerset-Place; at least Three Days previous to the said 4th Day of January next, that is to say, on or before the 31st Day of December instant, signed with their Names, stating the Places of their Abode, and specifying the District or Districts for which they intend to bid, otherwise their Proposals cannot be proceeded upon.

And no Persons licensed to let Horses for the Purpose of travelling Post, nor any one for their Use, can be admitted to contract for any of the said Duties.

By Order of the Commissioners of Stamps, Wm. Kappen, Secretary.

Port of Penzance.—Caution.

Penzance, September 5, 1811.

THE Pier of the above Port being to be extended 150 Feet, and the Foundation thereof being already laid; the Masters of Vessels are cautioned and requested not to enter it without a Pilot, or in case of Necessity or not having a Pilot, they will steer to the Northward of the Buoy placed at the Extremity of the Work.

Commercial Docks, December 20, 1811.

Notice is hereby given, that the Transfer-Books of this Company will be shut on the 31st Instant, and opened on the 14th Day of January following.

By Order of the Board of Directors, Frederick Hippius, Secretary.

Commercial Docks, December 20, 1811.

Notice is hereby given, that a Half-yearly General Court of Proprietors of this Company will be held at their Office, No. 106, Fenchurch-Street, on Friday the 10th of January next, at One o'Clock precisely, pursuant to Act of Parliament, when a Half-yearly Dividend will be declared, and the Thirteenth Bye-Law taken into Consideration.

By Order of the Board of Directors, Frederick Hippius, Secretary.

WEST INDIA DOCK COMPANY.

West India Dock-House, December 23, 1811.

THE Court of Directors of the West India Dock Company do hereby give Notice, that an Half-yearly General Court of the said Company will be held, pursuant to the Directions of the Act of Parliament, at the West India Dock-House; No. 8, Billiter-Square, on Tuesday, January 7, 1812, at One o'Clock in the Afternoon, at which Meeting a Dividend will be declared on the Company's Stock for the Half-Year ending the 31st Instant.

By Order of the Court of Directors, Thomas Marshall, Secretary.

N. B. The Chair will be taken at Two o'Clock precisely.

British Linen Company's Bank, Edinburgh, December 2, 1811.

THE General Court of Proprietors of the British Linen Company, at their Meeting held this Day, having ordered Half a Year's Dividend on the Company's Capital Stock to be paid at Christmas next; Notice is hereby given to the Proprietors to call for the same at the Company's Office here,

