

but all Notes and Memorandums, whether signed or not, which shall import any acknowledgment, that a sum of £2, or upwards, has been paid, settled, balanced, or otherwise discharged, or satisfied, are liable to these Duties; and that all persons paying money are intitled to have stamped Receipts, as the expence of the persons receiving it, and on tendering a proper Stamp, may insist on having a Receipt written thereon, and on being paid for the Stamp; and that all persons refusing to give such Receipt and pay for the Stamp, as well as all persons giving a Receipt, or any such Note or Memorandum as aforesaid, without a Stamp, or upon a Stamp of insufficient value, will incur a penalty of ten pounds for every offence, which will be strictly enforced on every occasion.

By order of the Commissioners,  
Wm. Kappen, Secretary.

Navy-Office, July 8, 1815.

**B**Y His Majesty's Order in Council, dated 20th September 1809, a plan of education was established at the Royal Naval College at His Majesty's Dock-Yard at Portsmouth, for a superior class of apprentices to shipwrights, and it being determined that two more students shall be admitted; the Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy hereby give notice, that the examination of candidates will take place in His Majesty's Dock-Yard at Portsmouth, on the 1st November next, at eight o'clock in the morning; and that such persons as may be desirous of becoming candidates for admission, are required to send notice of their intention to the Navy Board, or the Commissioner of the aforesaid Yard, on or before the 27th day of October.

The candidates must be at least fifteen, and not more than seventeen years of age.

The plan of education may be obtained on application at the Navy-Office, or the Office of the Commissioner of any of His Majesty's Dock-Yards; where also information may be obtained as to the nature of the qualifications required of the candidates, the documents they are to produce on the day of examination, the salaries they will be allowed on being admitted students, and of the offices to which they will be eligible after they have served the term of apprenticeship.

J. W. Morton, for the Secretary.

Navy Pay-Office, London,  
August 8, 1815.

**N**otice is hereby given, that, by virtue of an authority vested in me by the Act of Parliament, forty-ninth George the Third, chap. 123, I do hereby revoke the licence granted to Henry Phillips, of No. 11, College-Street, Portsea, on the 31st May 1813, to act as an agent in the receipt of pay, wages, prize, and bounty-money, for and in respect of the services of petty officers, seamen, and others serving in any of His Majesty's ships; which licence is withdrawn by me on the ground of his having quitted his place of abode, and of his not having informed me thereof.

GEORGE ROSE.

Navy Pay-Office, August 8, 1815.

**N**otice is hereby given, by direction of the Paymaster-General of the Forces, that the payment of three months half-pay to retired Officers of His Majesty's Forces, to the 24th June 1815, will commence on Thursday next the 10th instant; and that attendance will be given at this Office accordingly, every day except Saturday, between the hours of eleven and two, for four weeks, terminating on Wednesday the 7th of September 1815, after which time the days of payment will be Mondays, Tuesdays, and Wednesdays, only, in each week.

George Gillam Mills, Cashier of Half-Pay, &c.

Royal Hospital for Seamen at Greenwich,  
April 19, 1815.

**T**HE Commissioners and Governors of the said Hospital hereby give notice, that at Sallers-Hall, in London, on Wednesday the 25th day of October next, or as soon after as conveniently may be, the undernamed farms will be let on leases, to commence upon the 12th day of May 1816, and for the terms of years hereinafter respectively mentioned, that is to say,

Glororum Farm, Colliery, and Limestone Quarry; Spindlestone Farm, Spindlestone and Warren Mills and Ground; Outchester and Chesterhill Farms, in the parish of Bambergh and county of Northumberland, for the term of twenty-one years; Plankey Mill and Ground, in the parishes of Haltwhistle and Warden, in the said county, for the term of eleven years; and Tarretburn Common Allotment, in the parish of Bellingham, in the said county, for the term of seventeen years, from the said 12th day of May 1816.

Such persons as may be desirous of taking any of the said farms, are requested to deliver or send their proposals, in writing, to John Eyer, Esq. at Greenwich-Hospital, so as that the delivery thereof at that place shall not be later than on Tuesday the 24th day of October next; and all such proposals as shall be received after that day, will be returned as inadmissible.

Such alterations and additional buildings as may be thought essentially necessary by the rectifiers, and approved by the Directors of Greenwich-Hospital, will be made as soon as conveniently can after the commencement of the terms, the respective tenants being at the expence of, leading up materials.

In the present and all future lettings by the Commissioners and Governors of Greenwich-Hospital, the tenants will be required to pay on Monday of the expence of the leases.

Mr. John Wising, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, will shew the farms in the parish of Bambergh; Mr. William Coats, of Haydon Bridge, will shew Plankey Mill and Ground; and Mr. Joseph Storey, of Wark, will shew Tarretburn Common Allotment.

Messrs. Fortter and Wallis, upon being applied to at their Office in Newcastle-upon-Tyne, will give any further particulars which may be required.