

“ Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy, instead of receiving the same by remittance bill, he shall signify such desire, by letter, to the Treasurer of His Majesty's Navy; and that if any Officer in His Majesty's Navy, who shall be entitled to receive any sum of money for or on account of half-pay, shall be desirous of having his half-pay paid to him by extract at any of His Majesty's Dock-Yards where Clerks for the payment of wages for the Navy shall reside, instead of receiving the same by remittance bill or bill of exchange, he is to apply either to the proper Clerk, at the Navy Pay-Office, in London, or at the Pay-Office at such Dock-Yard, signifying such his desire;” notice is hereby further given, that the half-pay ending the 30th of September 1820, will commence paying on the 13th of November; and all persons desirous of drawing for or of having their half-pay remitted to them, may apply as above directed. *G. Smith.*

MEM.—Bills of exchange drawn under or by virtue of the Act above recited, are not liable to the stamp duty.

No persons residing out of His Majesty's dominions are entitled to the privileges of the Act.

Navy-Office, October 31, 1820.

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 Travers, Esq. that they must apply at this Office, on or before 30th November 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 devout life, to be removed if they give occasion for scandal.” *G. Smith.*

POST HORSE DUTIES.

Stamp-Office, London, October 24, 1820.

NOTICE is hereby given, that, by virtue of an Act, passed in the last session of Parliament, intituled “ An Act to continue, until the thirty-first day of January one thousand eight hundred and twenty-four, an Act of the fifty-seventh year of His late Majesty, for letting to farm the Post Horse Duties, and to amend the Acts relating to the Post Horse Duties,” the Commissioners of Stamps will put up the duties therein mentioned to be payable for horses, mares, and geldings, hired by the mile or stage to be used in travelling, or hired for a less period of time than twenty-eight successive days (with the exceptions therein specified), at the *Crown and Anchor Tavern, in the*

Strand, on Friday the 24th day of November next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, to be let to farm at yearly rents, for the term of three years from the 1st day of February next inclusive, in the several districts or lots following, viz.

| No. | DISTRICTS. | Annual Rent at which they will be put up. |
|-----|---|---|
| 1. | North Britain..... | £ 15,000 |
| 2. | Northumberland, with the town of Newcastle-upon-Tyne | } 10,000 |
| | Cumberland | |
| | Westmorland | |
| | Durham | } 18,000 |
| 3. | Yorkshire, with the city of York, and town of Kingston-upon-Hull | |
| 4. | Lancashire | |
| | Cheshire, with the city of Chester | } 19,000 |
| | Derbyshire | |
| | Staffordshire, with the city of Litchfield, and the whole of Tamworth | |
| 5. | Lincolnshire, with the city of Lincoln | } 10,000 |
| | Nottinghamshire, with the town of Nottingham | |
| | Leicestershire | |
| 6. | Northamptonshire, except Wandsford Inn | } 17,000 |
| | Rutlandshire | |
| | Warwickshire, with the city of Coventry, excepting Tamworth Oxfordshire | |
| 7. | Wiltshire | } 18,000 |
| | Worcestershire, and city of Worcester | |
| | Gloucestershire, with the city of Gloucester, excepting the city of Bristol | |
| 8. | Norfolk, with the city of Norwich | } 17,000 |
| | Suffolk | |
| | Essex | |
| | Cambridgeshire | } 19,000 |
| 9. | Bedfordshire | |
| | Buckinghamshire | |
| | Hertfordshire | } 13,000 |
| | Huntingdonshire, with Wandsford Inn | |
| 10. | Surrey | |
| 11. | Middlesex, with the cities of London and Westminster | } 28,000 |
| 12. | Kent, with the city of Canterbury, and the Cinque Ports .. | |
| | Sussex | } 23,000 |
| 13. | Hampshire, with Southampton .. | |
| | Berkshire | } 17,000 |
| 14. | Devonshire, with the city of Exeter | |
| | Dorsetshire, with the town of Pool | |
| | Cornwall | } 22,000 |
| | Somersetshire, with the city of Bristol | |