sex, and for the general improvement of the said canal navigation; and that it is also intended to take powers for the continuance and extension of the said canal from a basin now forming at or near to Counters-bridge aforesaid, and proceeding from thence through the several parishes of Saint Mary Abbotts Kensington, Saint Luke's Chelsea, All Saints Fulham, the hamlet or chapelry of Saint Paul Hammersmith, and the parish of Paddington, all in the said county of Middlesex, and joining or entering into the Grand Junction Canal, at or near to the bridge leading to Harrow, which crosses the said Grand Junction Canal, in the said parish of Paddington, on the western side of the said bridge; and that it is also intended to raise money for the purpose of completing and improving the said canal, and for the general purposes of such Act or Acts.—Dated the 21st day of November 1825

John Llewelyn, Clerk to the Kensington Canal Company.

10, Adam-street, Adelphi.

HANTS LIEUTENANCY.

Winchester, 24th November 1825

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Lieutenancy of the county of Southampton, will be holden at the White Hart Inn, in the city of Winchester, on Tuesday the 13th day of December next, at twelve o'clock at noon.

By order of his Grace the Duke of Wellington, K. G., His Majesty's Lord Lieutenant,

T. Woodham, Clerk of the General Meetings.

MIDDLESEX.

WHEREAS the Acts of the 5th Geo. IV. cap. 74, and the 6th Geo. IV. cap. 12, for establishing the new imperial standard weights and measures take effect from the 1st of January 1826; and whereas the same penalties which were levied by the 29th Geo. II. cap. 25, 31st Geo. II. cap. 17, 35th Geo. III. cap. 102, and 55th Geo. III. cap. 43, will be applicable in all instances where the measures or weights now in use shall be used after the 1st January, without having the proportion which they bear to the new imperial standards marked on them;—

Notice is hereby given, to all persons using weights and measures for the measuring and weighing for sale of any commodity, in the county of Middlesex, that Mr. W. Gutteridge, is appointed by the Magistrates of the aforesaid county, to perform the duties of Conservator of weights and measures for the said county, for the purpose of verifying all new weights and measures, and to aid the public in conforming to the provisions of the said Acts, by marking the several weights and measures now in use, with the proportions they respectively bear to the imperial standards, which may from time to time be brought to him for that purpose, of which he will duly advertise them and thus afford them that protection from the penalties incident upon neglect or ignorance of the 15th and 16th clauses of 5th Geo. IV. cap, 74.

N. B. The following extracts from Captain Kater's report upon this subject to the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury, dated 2d July 1825, are important to the public, viz.:—

"The standard of weights and of linear measure remain the same as heretofore; it may, nevertheless, be desirable, that standard weights and measures now in use should be examined in order to ascertain that they have sustained no injury by wear.

H. C. Setby, Clerk of the Peace for the county of Middlesex.

10th November 1825.

CONTRACT FOR FIREHEARTHS FOR REVENUE CRUISERS.

Navy-Office, November 11, 1825.

THE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give notice, that on Thursday the 1st of December next, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying His Majesty's Yards at Deptford and Woolwich with

Firehearths for Revenue Cruisers.

Patterns of the firehearths may be seen at His Majesty's Yard at Deptford, and a form of the tender may be seen at this Office.

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, attends.

Every tender must be accompanied by a letter, addressed to the Navy Board, and signed by two responsible persons, engaging to become bound with the person tendering, in the sum of £500, for the due performance of the contract. G. Smith.

General Penitentiary, Millbank, September 21, 1825.

THE Superintending Committee of this Establishment do hereby give notice, that, on Friday the 9th December next, they will be ready to receive sealed tenders, for the supply of the following articles, for six months, from the 1st January to the 30th of June 1826, or for twelve months, to the 31st of December 1826, the rate for both of which periods to be stated in the respective tenders, viz.

Butcher's Meat, Wheat, Scotch Barley, Peas (whole and split), Rice, Oatmeal, Salt, Pepper, Cheese, Potatoes, Sperm and Seal Oil, Soap, Candles, Potash, Starch, Pails, Tubs, Mops, Birch and Hair Brooms, Brushes, Combs, Comb Brushes, Coals, and Charcoal.

Persons desirous of contracting will be furnished with forms of tender, upon applying to Captain Chapman, the Governor The names of two respectable sureties, for the fulfilment of the proposed contract, must be specified in the tender; and the party who makes the tender, or some person on his behalf, must attend on the day appointed, at two o'clock, to answer when called for.

Rob. Auld, *Secretary.*