

# SALE OF HER MAJESTY'S SHIP BERSCHERMER.

Department of the Storekeeper-  
General of the Navy, Somerset-  
Place, August 21, 1838.

**T**HE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that on Thursday the 30th instant, at one o'clock, they will be ready to receive tenders for

The purchase of Her Majesty's Ship Berschermer, now lying at Blackwall, together with all her furniture and stores now on board, except iron ballast.

The purchaser must return into store, at Her Majesty's Dock-yard at Deptford, all the marked copper and mixed metal that may be found in taking the ship to pieces, and for which he will be allowed the following prices, namely,

Copper, 9d. per pound.

Mixed metal, 6½. per pound.

## CONTRACTS FOR SALT BEEF AND PORK.

Department of the Comptroller for Victualling and Transport Services, Somerset-Place, August 4, 1838.

**T**HE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that on Thursday the 20th September next, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for the supply of a quantity of

Salt Meat, of the cure of the United Kingdom, equal to 5000 Navy Tierces of Beef, and 10,000 Navy Tierces of Pork,

in separate tenders, all to be cured in the ensuing season; their Lordships reserving to themselves the power, when the tenders are opened, of contracting either for the whole or for such part thereof only as they may deem fit, or of not contracting for any part.

The said meat is to be delivered, seven eighth parts thereof in tierces, and the remaining one eighth part thereof in barrels, into Her Majesty's Victualling Stores at Deptford, Portsmouth, Plymouth, and Haulbowline, in such proportions as shall hereafter be directed—one half thereof by the 28th day of February, and the other half by the 31st day of May 1839, and to be paid for by bills payable at sight.

The conditions of the contract may be seen at this Office, or by applying to the Agent for the Victualling at Cork; or to the Collectors of Her Majesty's Customs at Limerick, Belfast, Waterford, and Newry, or to the Secretary of the Postmaster-General at Dublin, or the resident Agent for Transports at Leith.

No tender for a less quantity than shall be equal to 300 tierces of beef, or to 300 tierces of pork, will be admitted; but all tenders for such small quantities will be accepted, if at a lower price than that for which larger quantities are offered.

No tender will be received after one o'clock on

the day of treaty, nor any noticed unless the party attends; or some person on his behalf, duly authorised in writing; and it is to be expressly understood, that the tenders must contain a separate price for the beef and a separate price for the pork; and that every tender must also specify the prices both in figures and words at length, or the tenders will be rejected.

Every tender must be addressed to the Secretary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left hand corner of the envelope the words "Tender for Salt Meat," and "Comptroller for Victualling," and must also be delivered at Somerset-place, and be accompanied by a letter, signed by two responsible persons, engaging to become bound with the person tendering, in a sum equal to £25 per cent. on the amount of the contract, for the due performance of the same.

## CONTRACTS FOR OATS AND COCOA.

Department of the Comptroller for Victualling and Transport Services, Somerset-Place, August 27, 1838.

**T**HE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that on Thursday the 6th September next, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying and delivering into Her Majesty's Victualling Stores at Deptford, the under-mentioned articles, viz.

Oats, Scotch Potatoes, 300 Quarters; to be delivered within ten days.

Cocoa, 50 tons; half to be delivered in a fortnight, and the remainder in a fortnight afterwards.

The Cocoa to be exempted from the Customs' duties.

Samples of the oats (not less than two quarts) and of the cocoa (not less than two pounds) must be produced by the parties tendering.

The conditions of the contracts may be seen at the said Office.

No tender will be received after one o'clock on the day of treaty, nor any noticed, unless the party attends, or an agent for him duly authorised in writing.

Every tender must be addressed to the Secretary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left hand corner the words, "Tender for", and must also be delivered at Somerset-place, and every tender for cocoa must be accompanied by a letter, signed by two responsible persons, engaging to become bound with the person tendering, in the sum of £25 per cent. on the value, for the due performance of the contract.

Lead-Office, August 23, 1838.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a General Court of the Corporation of the Governor and Company for smelting down Lead with Pit Coal and Sea Coal will be held at the Company's House, in Martin's-lane, Cannon-street, on Thursday the 27th September next, at twelve o'clock precisely,