

persons as may be willing to contract for the supply of a quantity of

#### SALT PORK,

Of the Cure of the United Kingdom, or of any Foreign Country whatsoever, equal to 6,000 Tierces,

to be cured in the ensuing season, and to be delivered in tierces, excepting a part thereof, equal to 100 tierces, which is to be delivered in casks containing 100lbs. each, and for which separate tenders are to be made; 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; and also an unlimited power of selection, according to quality.

Every tender to specify where the meat is intended to be cured, and a separate price for each denomination of cure comprised therein.

The pork to be delivered into Her Majesty's Victualling Stores at Deptford, Portsmouth, Plymouth, and Haulbowline, in such proportions as shall hereafter be directed, and within the following periods:

One-third on or before the 31st March 1850,

Two-thirds on or before the 31st May 1850,

and to be paid for by bills payable at sight, but not during the first period of delivery, for any quantity beyond that specified.

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 to the Resident Agent for Transports at Leith.

No tender will be admitted for a less quantity than 300 tierces, except for the quantity to be delivered in casks containing 100lbs. each.

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 authorized in writing.

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 Pork," 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 AFRICAN AND MAHOGANY TIMBER.

Department of the Storekeeper-General of the Navy, Somerset-Place, September 10, 1849.

**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 Tuesday the 9th October next, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying Her Majesty's several Dockyards with

3500 loads of African Timber,  
and

3500 loads of Spanish Mahogany Timber; 1000 loads of each to be delivered in the year 1850, and the remainder in equal proportions in the years 1851 and 1852.

Specimens of the Timber, together with distributions and forms of the tenders, 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 authorized 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, accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, engaging to become bound with the person tendering in the sum of £5000, for the due performance of each of the contracts.

#### CONTRACTS FOR PIG LEAD AND WHITE AND RED LEAD.

Department of the Storekeeper-General of the Navy, Somerset-Place, September 15, 1849.

**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 Tuesday the 9th October next, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying Her Majesty's Dockyards, at Chatham, with

#### PIG LEAD AND WHITE LEAD,

and Her Majesty's Dockyards, at Deptford, Woolwich, Chatham, Sheerness, Portsmouth, and Devonport, with

#### RED LEAD.

Forms of the tenders 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 authorized 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, accompanied by a letter, signed by two responsible persons, engaging to become bound with the person tendering in the sum of £1000 for the due performance of each of the contracts.

Bank of England, September 13, 1849.

**T**HE Court of Directors of the Governor and Company of the Bank of England give notice,

That a General Court will be held at the Bank, on Thursday next the 20th instant, at twelve o'clock precisely, to consider of a dividend: this will also be one of the Quarterly General Courts appointed by the charter.

John Bentley, Deputy Secretary.

South Eastern and Continental Steam Packet Company.—(Registered.)

South Eastern and Continental Steam Packet Office, London Terminus, September 15, 1849.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that, at the Half-yearly General Meeting of the Proprietors of the South Eastern and Continental Steam Packet Company held this day, in pursuance of the terms of the deed of settlement, at the Bridge-house Hotel, opposite the Railway Station, London-bridge;

It was resolved to declare a dividend of four shillings per share, free of income tax, payable on the 2nd October next.

G. S. Herbert, Secretary.