by Thomas Harvey, and that it is expected such petition will be heard before the Vice Chancellor of England, on Friday the 16th day of November 1849, and any person desirous to oppose the making of an Order absolute for the dissolution and winding up of the said Company under the said Acts should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose, and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any contributory of the said Company requiring the same, by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

> Jones, Blaxland, and Jones, Solicitors for the Petitioner, No. 7, Crosbysquare, London.

## SALE OF HER MAJESTY'S SHIPS.

Department of the Storekeeper-General of the Navy, Somerset-Place, November 2, 1849.

**THE** 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 20th instant, between twelve and one o'clock, they will be ready to receive sealed tenders for the purchase of Her Majesty's ships under-mentioned, lying at Brombro' Pool, Liverpool; viz:

Newcastle, 1556 tons.

Redbreast, 179 tons.

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 to make a deposit of £25 per cent. on the amount of each purchase.

Every tender must be addressed to the Secre-tary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left-hand corner the words "Tender for ,"

and must also be delivered at Somerset-place.

Persons wishing to view the ships must apply to Commander Bevis, R. N. Liverpool, for permission.

Catalogues and conditions of sale may be had here and of Commander Bevis.

CONVEYANCE OF HER MAJESTY'S MAILS BETWEEN HOLYHEAD AND KINGSTOWN (DUBLIN).

> Department of the Comptroller for Victualling and Transport Services, Somerset-Place, October 26, 1849.

THE 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 11th December next, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat, under conditions which may be obtained at the above Office,

For the Conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails Steam-vessels, twice a day each way, in between Holyhead and Kingstown.

All tenders to be made upon the printed form provided for the purpose, which may be obtained upon application at the said Office, and to be addressed to the Secretary of the Admiralty, at Somerset-place, with the words "Tender for the Conveyance of Mails," and "Comptroller for Victualling and Transport Services," in the lefthand corner of the envelope.

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

Every tender must be delivered at the above Office, and must express when and where the vessels will be ready for survey, and when they will be completely ready for sea, and also state the address of the party tendering.

ONTRACT FOR THE SUPPLY WOOD FOR LIGHTING FIRES THE FOLLOWING BARRACKS CONTRACT OF AΤ IN AND NEAR LONDON :---

Croydon and Carshalton School. Hounslow and Hampton Court. Hyde-Park and Kensington. Regent's-Park, Portman-Street, and St. John's-Wood. Tower.

Wellington, St. George's, and Horse Guards. Woolwich.

Office of Ordnance, October 29, 1849.

SEALED tenders, addressed to "The Secretary to the Brard of Ordnance, Pall-mall," will be received at this Office, until Tuesday the 13th of November next, from such persons as may be willing to contract for the supply of

Split, Dry, Sound Fir Wood, or of Split Birch, Ash and Hazel, mixed, made up into Bundles of one and a half and three pounds' weight, and nine inches long; to be firmly bound with Rope Yarn, and delivered free of every expense (except the contract price), into the Barrack Stores of the respective Stations, at such times and in such quantities as the Barrack Masters may require, from the present date to the 30th September 1850.

Blank forms of the tender, and other information relating to the contract, may be had on application at the Barrach Office, 85, Pall-mall, or to the respective Barrack Masters.

The terms for each station are to be stated separately.

It is clearly to be understood, that the Board of Ordnance reserve to themselves the power of accepting or rejecting any of the tenders, without assigning any reason or entering into any corre-spondence on the subject.

By order of the Board of Ordnance,

G. Butler, for the Secretary.

East and West India Docks.

East and West India Dock-House, 8, Billiter-Square, November 1, 1849.

OTICE is hereby given, that unless some old Boats, an old Top-Mast, and some old Iron Tanks, which have been left by ships in these Docks are claimed, and the charges due upon them are paid on or before the 1st of December next, they will be sold to defray the same.

By order of the Court,

- George Collin, Secretary. Particulars may be seen at the Western Docks.

Western Gas Light Company.

Incorporated A.D. 1846.

9, Holles-Street, Cavendish-Square,

London, November 5, 1849.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Special Court of Proprietors will be held at this Company's Works, at Kensal Green, on Thursday the 22nd of November instant, to take into consideration the propriety of reducing the number of Directors to eight; and, in the event of such a measure being carried, to remove one Director.

The chair to be taken at one o'clock precisely.

By order of the Board,

S. Barber, Secretary,