

other public officers authorized to receive subscriptions to Government loans, and exchanged for acknowledgments of subscription to the 4 per cent. loan of 1842-43.

These acknowledgements, together with the promissory notes for which they may have been issued, shall, without fee or expense of any kind to the Proprietors, be transmitted to the Deputy Accountant-General at Calcutta, who will forthwith cause to be prepared and issued to the parties entitled thereto, promissory notes in the 4 per cent loan of 1842-43.

Prompt settlement of principal and interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, to the date of advertized discharge will be made with Proprietors, who may tender their notes for transfer to the 4 per cent. loan of 1842-43; provided, however, that interest at the rate of 4 per cent. shall be allowed only from the date advertized for the discharge of the 5 per cent. notes.

The fractional amount necessary to convert any note into one of even hundreds in Company's rupees at the prescribed rate of 16 Company's for 15 Sicca rupees, will be either paid to or received from the Proprietor at his option.

It is further notified that, for the accommodation of Proprietors, who are not resident in India, and who have not furnished full powers to their agents to receive the principal amount to be paid, the Most Noble the Governor-General of India in Council has authorized the Deputy Accountant-General to allow the conditional transfer of their notes to the 4 per cent. loan of 1842-43, leaving it optional with the Proprietors to confirm the transfer or to require payment in cash; provided, however, that no notice disallowing a transfer will be received after six months from the present date.

Published by order of the Most Noble the Governor-General of India in Council.

(Signed) C. Allen, Secretary to the Government of India.

James C. Melville, Secretary.

East India-House, August 3, 1853.

**T**HE Court of Directors of the East India Company hereby give notice, that they have received a Bombay Gazette, containing the under-mentioned notices of Petitions filed in the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors there, under the provisions of the 11th Victoria, cap. 21 :

*Petitions filed praying for Relief.*

- Cassinath Rungnathjee, late a Clerk in the Remount Agent's Office, Hindoo, without the Fort, in New Hanooman-street, filed 18th May. Date of Gazette containing notice, June 9, 1853.
- Gregorio Monteiro, late a Baker by trade, Christian, without the Fort, at Mazagon, filed 25th May. Date of Gazette containing notice, June 9, 1853.
- Damjee Omersey, a Firewood Dealer, Hindoo, without the Fort, in Hanooman Gullee, filed 26th May. Date of Gazette containing notice, June 9, 1853.
- Cassuvjee Norarjee, late a General Merchant, Hindoo, without the Fort, in Sootar Chall, near Market, filed 27th May. Date of Gazette containing notice, June 9, 1853.
- Thucker Vussonjee Khimjee, trading under the name and firm of Dyal Khimjee, as a Dealer in Grain, &c., Hindoo, without the Fort, in Bhoosary Bazar, near Mandvee Bunder, filed 28th May. Date of Gazette containing notice, June 9, 1853.

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Doolubdass Ramdass, a Metta, in the service of Cowasjee Tamooljee, Hindoo, without the Fort, in Bhoowada, near Bhooleshwar, filed 30th May. Date of Gazette containing notice June 9, 1853.

Gunnoo Succaram, lately carried on business as a Tailor and Dealer in Firewood, Hindoo, lately without the Fort, in Wittulwady, and at present in the Bombay Gaol, filed 30th May. Date of Gazette containing notice June 9, 1853.

Hurjeevan Bhowaneydass, lately carried on business as a borer of Pearls, Hindoo, lately without the Fort, near Moombadavees Chowkey and at present in the Bombay Gaol, filed 3rd June. Date of Gazette containing notice, June 9, 1853.

Balcrustna Runsordjee, a Clerk in the Accountant-General's Office, Hindoo, without the Fort, in Funneshwady, filed 3rd June. Date of Gazette containing notice, June 9, 1853.

Edward Thomas (sued by the name of Thomas Jetta) formerly employed as a Servant in the Service of the Reverend George Candy, Christian, lately without the Fort, in Jamboolwady, and at present in the Bombay Gaol, filed 4th June. Date of Gazette containing notice, June 9, 1853.

John Domingode Rozario, a Clerk in the Prothonotary's Office, Supreme Court, Portuguese, without the Fort, at Omercarry, filed 4th June. Date of Gazette containing notice, June 9, 1853.

James C. Melville, Secretary.

**CONTRACTS FOR SALT BEEF AND SALT PORK.**

Department of the Comptroller for Victualling and Transport Services, Somerset-Place, July 21, 1853.

**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 15th 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 the undermentioned Ports, the following quantities of

**SALT MEAT,**

of the cure of any country, and all of the cure of the ensuing season, viz. :—

**NAVY BEEF. NAVY PORK.**

	Tierces.	Barrels.	Tierces.	Barrels.
Deptford .....	550	200	2,250	1,300
Gosport .....	550	200	2,250	1,300
Plymouth ...	550	200	2,250	1,300
Haulbowline	1,550	500	2,600	1,000

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 for a greater quantity, or of not contracting for any; and also an unlimited power of selection, according to quality.

A separate tender must be given for beef, and a separate tender for pork, and every tender must specify where the meat is intended to be cured.

Persons tendering for more than one Port, must give a separate tender for each Port, and every tender must contain a separate price for tierces, and a separate price for barrels.

The beef and pork to be delivered into the respective Stores as follows, viz. :— One-third of each by the 31st day of January, another third by the 15th day of March, and the remainder by the 30th day of April 1854, or any greater portion, or the whole, at any earlier period if preferred by the