

tary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left-hand corner the words "Tender for Hammocks," and must 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 £2,500 for the due performance of the contract.

CONTRACT FOR GALLIPOLI OIL.

Department of the Storekeeper-General of the Navy, Somerset-Place, February 15, 1859.

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 8th March next, at two o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying and delivering into Store at Her Majesty's Dock Yard at Woolwich

30,000 gallons of GALLIPOLI OIL.

A form of the tender may be seen at the said office.

No tender will be received after two 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 addressed to the Secretary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left-hand corner the words "Tender for Gallipoli Oil," and must 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 £1,300, for the due performance of the contract.

CONTRACTS FOR RAISINS, COCOA, AND TOBACCO.

Department of the Comptroller for Victualling and Transport Services, Somerset-House, February 15, 1859.

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 Thursday the 3rd March next, at half past 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 undermentioned articles; viz.:

Raisins, 50 tons; half to be delivered in three weeks, and the remainder in three weeks afterwards, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Cocoa, 100 tons; half to be delivered in three weeks, and the remainder in three weeks afterwards, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Tobacco, 50 tons; half to be delivered in three weeks, and the remainder in three weeks afterwards, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Tenders may be made for the whole or any portion of the articles.

Their lordships reserve 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.

The articles to be exempted from the Customs' duties, and parties tendering are to state where they are respectively lying.

Samples of the raisins (not less than three pounds), and of the cocoa (not less than two pounds), must be produced by the parties tendering.

Each tender for tobacco must specify the several trade marks and numbers, and the countries or places of its growth or produce, and a fresh drawn dock sample of each cask or package must be produced by the parties tendering, and any cask or package that is found not to be of the same mark, number, or quality as the sample tendered and accepted, will be rejected by the officers.

The samples produced by persons whose tenders are not accepted, are requested to be taken away by them immediately after the contracts have been decided.

No tender will be received unless made on the printed form provided for the purpose, and which may be obtained on application at the said office, or to the Officer conducting the Packet Service at Liverpool, or to the Collector of Customs at Bristol.

The conditions of the revised contracts, to which particular attention is called, may be seen at the said office, and at Liverpool and Bristol.

No tender will be received after half past one o'clock on the day of treaty, and it will not be required that the party tendering, or an agent on his behalf, should attend at the office on the day of contract, as the result of the offer received from each person will be communicated to him and his proposed sureties 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 House.

CONTRACT FOR ELM TIMBER.

Department of the Storekeeper-General of the Navy, Somerset-Place, February 16, 1859.

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 8th March next, at two o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying Her Majesty's Dock Yard, at Pembroke, with

900 Loads of ENGLISH ELM TIMBER, felled between the middle of November last and the end of this present month, and to be delivered (at prices including all carriage and other expenses) by the 30th November, 1859.

A form of the tender, and the conditions of the contract, may be obtained at the said office.

No tender will be received after two 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 addressed to the Secretary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left hand corner the words "Tender for Elm Timber," and must 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 £1 per load for the due performance of the contract.

London Assurance Office.

7, Royal Exchange, London,
February 16, 1859.

THE Court of Directors of the London Assurance Corporation do hereby give notice, that the transfer books of the said Corporation will be shut on Tuesday the 8th day of March next; that a General Court will be held at their Offices, in the Royal Exchange, on Wednesday the 23rd day of the said month of March, at one o'clock in the afternoon, to consider of a dividend, and that the transfer books will be opened again on Friday the 8th day of April following.

John Laurence, Secretary.