

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.

Samples of the Wine (in pints), from each cask, must be produced by the parties tendering, and not samples only for each import mark.

Samples of the cocoa (not less than 2 lbs.), and of the raisins (not less than 3 lbs.), must be produced by the parties tendering.

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.

Particular attention is called to the recent modifications of the conditions of the contracts, which 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 TEAMS OF HORSES FOR PORTSMOUTH.

Department of the Storekeeper-General of the Navy, Somerset-Place, February 17, 1862.

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 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 Portsmouth, with

TEAMS OF HORSES.

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 Teams," 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 £500 for the due performance of the contract.

CONTRACT FOR COALS FOR THETIS ISLAND, ESQUIMALT HARBOUR.

Department of the Storekeeper-General of the Navy, Somerset-Place, February 21, 1862.

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 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 at Thetis Island, Esquimalt Harbour, British Columbia,

1,500 TONS OF SOUTH WALES COALS, fit for the service of Her Majesty's Steam Vessels.

Conditions of the contract and 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 Coals for Thetis Island," 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 £25 per cent. upon the value, for the due performance of the contract.

The Reversionary Interest Society.

No. 17, King's Arms-Yard, Coleman-Street, London, February 25, 1862.

THE Proprietors are requested to take notice, that a vacancy having occurred in the auditorship of this Society, every Proprietor intending to become a candidate for the vacant office must leave his name and give notice of his intention, in writing, at the office of the Society, within thirty days from the date hereof.

By order of the Board,

C. G. Christmas, Secretary.

Van Diemen's Land Company.

(Established 1825, by Act 6th Geo. 4th, chap. 39, and incorporated by Royal Charter.)

Van Diemen's Land Company's Offices, 6, Great Winchester-Street, London, February 24, 1862.

THE Court of Directors of the Van Diemen's Land Company hereby give notice, that the Thirty-seventh Annual General Meeting of Proprietors will be holden at the Offices of the Company, as above, on Thursday, the 13th of March, at one o'clock precisely, to receive the Annual Report; to elect Directors and Auditors, in the room of those gentlemen who go out of office by rotation, but all of whom offer themselves for re-election; and for other business.

By order,

Henry Cattley, Secretary.

THE Second Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Beaujolais Wine Company (Limited), will be held at the Offices, No. 23, Rood-lane, London, E.C., on Friday, the 14th March, 1862, at 1.30 p.m.

Pemberton Gas Light Company (Limited.)

Pemberton, February 21, 1862.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Special Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company, will be held at the Company's Office, situate in Pemberton, in the county of Lancaster, on Wednesday, the 26th day of March next, at seven o'clock in the evening, for the purpose of examining the accounts and balance sheet which I have made in respect of the affairs of the Company, previously to the winding up of the said Company, in accordance with the Joint Stock Companies Act, 1856.

H. B. Whitburn, Liquidator to the said Company.

To the Shareholders of the Briton Life Association.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Briton Life Association will be held at the