

the words "Tender for Coals for Gibraltar," 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 £3,000 for the due performance of the contracts.

CONTRACTS FOR FRESH OX BEEF.

Department of the Comptroller
of Victualling, Somerset-House,
May 21, 1863.

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 Monday, the 8th June next, at half past one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying (under separate contracts) all such quantities of

FRESH OX BEEF,

as may be demanded for the use of Her Majesty's Ships and Vessels at the following places, from the 1st July to the 31st December, 1863, both days included, viz. :

ENGLAND, &c.

- Aldborough
- Chatham to Gillingham, inclusive
- Cowes
- Barking
- Berwick
- Dartmouth
- Deal, and in the Downs
- Dover
- Exmouth
- Falmouth
- Gravesend
- Greenhithe
- Hastings
- Harwich
- Holyhead
- Hull, Hawke Roads, and in the Humber
- Jersey and Guernsey
- Littlehampton
- Liverpool
- London Bridge to Woolwich, inclusive
- Lyme Regis
- Lymington
- Millford Haven, Pembroke and Pater
- North Shields
- Penzance
- Plymouth (Oxen)
- Portland and Portland Roads
- Portsmouth (Oxen)
- Ramsgate
- Sheerness, from below Gillingham to the Great Nore, inclusive
- Southampton
- Swanage
- Weymouth
- Whitstable
- Yarmouth (North)

SCOTLAND.

- Granton
- Greenock
- Queensferry

IRELAND.

- Belfast and Carrickfergus
- Galway
- Kenmare
- Kingstown and Dublin
- Kilrush
- Lough Foyle
- Mill Cove (Berhaven)
- Queenstown and Kinsale

Skibbereen
Westport

N.B. *The contractors are to supply good, fat, well-fed Ox Beef, as NO HEIFER MEAT will be admitted.*

Separate tenders must be made for each port, and no attention will be paid to any offers not so made.

None of the contracts to be sub-let, and the cattle for Chatham, Sheerness, and Portland to be slaughtered on the spot.

The contractor for any of the above places to reside on the spot, or to have an agent resident there.

Particular attention is called to the conditions of the contracts, which may be seen at this Office, or by applying to the Superintendents of the Victualling Establishments at Deptford, Gosport, and Plymouth; the Superintendents of Her Majesty's Dock Yards at Woolwich, Chatham, Sheerness and Pembroke; the Clerk in charge of Her Majesty's Yard at Deal; the Agent for the Victualling at Haulbowline; the Agent for Transports at Leith; the Officers conducting the Packet Service at Dover, Liverpool, and Southampton; the Secretary to the Postmaster-General, Dublin; to the Collectors of Her Majesty's Customs at Belfast, Berwick, Cowes, Dartmouth, Falmouth, Galway, Greenock, Harwich, Hull, Jersey and Guernsey, Londonderry (for Lough Foyle), Lyme, Penzance, Ramsgate, Shields, Skibbereen, Westport, Weymouth, Yarmouth; and to the Postmaster at each of the other places.

Forms of tender may also be obtained, on application to the proper officer at either of the above places.

No tender will be received after half-past one o'clock on the day of treaty, nor any noticed unless made on the printed form provided for the purpose; but it will not be necessary that the party tendering, or an Agent appointed by him, should attend at this Office, as the result of the offer received from each person will be communicated to him and to his proposed sureties in writing.

Every tender must be delivered at the above Office, and signed by two responsible persons, engaging to become bound with the person tendering in the sum of £1,500 for the due performance of each of the contracts for Sheerness, Chatham, Portsmouth, Plymouth, and Queenstown and Kinsale; and in the sum of £300 for each of the other contracts.

The Contractors to pay half the amount of the Stamps on their Contracts and Bonds.

SALE OF OLD STORES AT SHEERNESS.

Admiralty, Somerset-Place,
May 21, 1863.

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 25th June next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, the Captain Superintendent will put up to sale in Her Majesty's Dock Yard at Sheerness, several lots of

OLD STORES;

Consisting of Buntin, Brushes, Canvas Rags, Hammock Rags, Coal Sacks, Painted Canvas, Block Straps, Shakings, Rope Cable-laid and Hawser-laid, Lamps, &c., &c., &c., all lying in the said Yard.

Persons wishing to view the lots must apply to the Superintendent for notes of admission for that purpose.

Catalogues and conditions of sale may be had here and at the Yard.