

ling Stores at Deptford, the undermentioned articles; viz.:

Split Peas, 5,000 imperial bushels (to be tendered for at a rate per 100 gallons); half to be delivered in three weeks from date of contract, and the remainder thereof in three weeks afterwards, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Wheat, 15,000 imperial bushels (to be tendered for at a rate per 100 lbs.); half to be delivered in three weeks from date of contract, and the remainder thereof in three weeks afterwards, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Oats, 2,500 imperial bushels (to be tendered for at a rate per 100 lbs.); half to be delivered in three weeks from date of contract, and the remainder thereof in three weeks afterwards, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Pepper, 12,000 lbs. (to be tendered for at a rate per 100 lbs.); half to be delivered in three weeks from date of contract, and the remainder thereof in three weeks afterwards, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Raisins, 50,000 lbs. (to be tendered for at a rate per 100 lbs.); half to be delivered in three weeks from date of contract, and the remainder thereof 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.

Separate tenders are to be made for each article. 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 pepper and raisins to be exempted from the Customs' duties, and parties tendering are to state where they are lying.

Samples of the split peas, wheat, and oats (not less than 2 quarts of each), of the pepper (not less than 2 lbs.), and of the raisins (not less than 3 lbs.), must be produced by the parties tendering.

No wheat tendered is to be of less weight than 60 lbs. per bushel, and no oats of less than 42 lbs. per bushel.

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

No tenders will be received unless made in accordance with the above denomination of quantities and rates, and contractors in claiming payment for articles supplied are to make out their invoices in accordance therewith, both as to quantities and rates, excepting those for wheat, oats, and peas, as the invoices for the wheat and oats are to be in pounds at per 100 lbs, and for the peas in gallons, at per 100 gallons.

No tender will be received unless made on the printed form provided for the purpose, which may be obtained on application in the Lobby of the Department of the Comptroller of Victualling, Admiralty, Somerset House.

Particular attention is called to the conditions of the contracts, which may be seen in the said Lobby.

No tender will be received after twelve o'clock at noon 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 to 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 the Department of the Comptroller of Victualling, Admiralty, Somerset House.

CONTRACT FOR ESSENCE OF BEEF.

Contract Department, Admiralty,
Somerset House, July 4,
1866.

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 26th instant, at twelve o'clock at noon, 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, all such quantities of

ESSENCE OF BEEF,

as shall from time to time be demanded under a contract for twelve calendar months certain, and three calendar months warning.

Twenty canisters (each containing quarter of a pint) to be produced by the parties tendering.

No tender will be received unless made on the printed form provided for the purpose, and which may be obtained on application in the Lobby of the Department of the Comptroller of Victualling, Admiralty, Somerset House, where the conditions of the contract to which particular attention is called may be seen.

No tender will be received after twelve o'clock at noon 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 Essence of Beef," and must also be delivered at the Department of the Comptroller of Victualling, Admiralty, Somerset House, 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.

Bank of England, July 5, 1866.

THE Court of Directors of the Governor and Company of the Bank of England give notice,

That a General Court will be held at the Bank on Thursday next, the 12th instant, at twelve o'clock precisely, being one of the Quarterly General Courts appointed by the Charter.

Hammond Chubb, Secretary.

East and West India Dock Company.

East and West India Dock House,
Billiter-Square, June 29, 1866.

THE Court of Directors of the East and West India Dock Company hereby give notice, that a Half-yearly Court or General Meeting of the said Company will be held, pursuant to the directions of the Act 1st and 2nd William Fourth, cap. 52, at the Dock House, No. 8, Billiter-square, on Friday, the 13th day of July next, for the purpose of choosing and appointing Directors in the room of those going out of office by rotation, at which Meeting a Dividend will be declared on the Capital Stock of the Company for the half-year ending the 30th June.

By order of the Court,
George Collin, Secretary.

N.B.—The chair will be taken at two o'clock precisely.