Improvement of the Port of Bristol, with respect to £500. payable annually by the Directors of the Dock Company to the Chamberlain of the City of Bristol, the Treasurer of the Society of Merchant Venturers, and the Treasurer of the Dock Company, Trustees appointed by Act of Parliament; to be invested in Dock Shares, when under par; if not to be had, to be placed in the Public Funds, to accumulate for paying off the Debt of the Port.

1815	Dr.	£	s.	d.
May 1.	To balance from the fifth year's account	1	19	7
Oct. 13.	To paid for advertising the fifth year's account in the London Gazette, and two of the Bristol Newspapers	8	4	4
1816 May 1.	To balance in the hands of Harford, Davis, and Co. Bankers	694	18	0
	£	705	2	7

1815	Cr.				£	s.	d.
May 22.	By received half year's interest of thirty-seven Promissory Notes for 3038l. 17s. 4½d. due 1st May 1815	75	19	5			
	Deduct Property Tax at two shillings per £	7	11	10	68	7	7
June 19.	By received of the Dock Directors, per Richard Hart Davis, Treasurer, the sixth year's payment, due 1st May 1815				500	0	0
Nov. 1.	By received half year's interest of thirty-seven Promissory Notes for 3038l. 17s. 4½d. due 1st November 1815	75	19	5			
	Deduct Property Tax at two shillings per £	7	11	11	68	7	6
1816 May 1.	By received half year's interest of thirty-seven Promissory Notes for 3038l. 17s. 4½d. due 1st May 1816	75	19	5			
	Deduct Property Tax at two shillings per £	7	11	11	68	7	6
	N.B. Arrear. The Bristol Dock Company, the 7th year's payment, due 1st May 1816	500	0	0			
					£ 705	2	7

N. B. Total amount of shares purchased

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
25 of 135l. each	3375	0	0	Deduct premium	3247	9	8	Cost	127	10	4
Promissory Notes annexed to said shares, 37 for	3038	17	4½	Ditto	401	11	10½	Cost	2637	5	6
	£ 6413	17	4½		£ 3649	1	6½		£ 2764	15	10

(Errors and omissions excepted.)

Bristol, 1st May 1816.

Chamberlain of the City of Bristol.
Treasurer of the Society of Merchant Venturers.
Richard Hart Davis, Treasurer of the Dock Company.

CONTRACTS FOR PITCH, TURPENTINE, AND TALLOW.

Navy-Office, April 20, 1816.

THE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give notice, that on Wednesday the 8th of May next, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying His Majesty's Dock-Yards, or any one or more of them, with all or any of the following articles, viz.

Stockholm, Archangel, or British-made Pitch,
Turpentine, and
Russia Tallow.

A distribution of the articles, and a form of the tender, may be seen at this Office.

No tender will be received after one o'clock on the day of treaty, nor any noticed, unless the party, or an agent for him, attends.

Every tender must be accompanied by a letter addressed to the Navy Board, and signed by two responsible persons, engaging to become bound with the person tendering, in the sum of 100l. for the due performance of the contract for tallow; 200l. for the performance of the contract for turpentine; and 70l. per 100 barrels, for the performance of the contract for pitch.

R. A. Nelson, *Secretary.*

CONTRACT FOR BUILDING A BASIN AND A WALL AT PLYMOUTH YARD.

Navy-Office, May 2, 1816.

THE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give notice, that on Wednesday the 22d instant, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for building

A Basin and a Wall at His Majesty's Yard at Plymouth.