the Act of Parliament, 54 Geo. 3. chap. 93, and the 40th section of the Act, 55 Geo. 3. chap. $\overline{60}$, intended to prevent frauds being practised on seamen, under which Acts all orders made beyond the aforesaid limits are required to be attested only by the Minister and Churchwardens of the parish where the grantor resides; notice is, therefore, hereby given, that all orders in which those provisions are not strictly attended to, must be invalid for prize or bounty-money; and on information being received At this Office of any improper practices in this respect, the Treasurer of His Majesty's Navy will give the necessary directions for recovering the penalties under the last mentioned Act. John Smith, Paymaster.

CONTRACT FOR CAST IRON MOORING BLOCKS.

Navy-Office, August 8, 1810.

THE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Nuvy do hereby give notice, that on Thursday the 22d instant, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying His Majesty's Yards at Deptford, Woolwich, Chatham, Sheerness, Portsmouth, and Plymouth, with

Cast Iron Mooring Blocks.

Models of the blocks, 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 a responsible person, engaging to become bound with the person tendering, in the sum of £300, for the due performance of the contract. G. Smith.

Office of Ordnance, July 17, 1816.

THE Principal Officers of His Majesty's Ordnance do hereby give notice, that they will sell by public auction, at the Tower, on Monday the 12th of August next and following day, at eleven o'clock precisely on those days, sundry lots of old and unserviceable stores, consisting of

Hames, collars, bit halters, rope traces, and various other articles of saddlery and harness; clothing and sundry articles of bedding; powder horns, tents, tent poles and pieces; drunns, bugles, and trumpets; musket and pistol stocks and flints, cast and wrought iron round and double-headed shot; cast iron trucks, and wrought iron carriage work; bushel iron, steel, copper, pewter, and mixed metal, tools of sorts, spades, shovels, bellows, lanthorns, standing vices, wheelbarrows, empty casks, old packing cases, accoutrements, sundry old building materials, tarpaulins and painted covers, portable forges, handscrews and anvils, match, and junk;

together with a variety of other articles; the whole of which may be viewed upon application at the Principal Storekeeper's Office in the Tower, and at

the Royal Arsenal at Woolwich, until the day of sale; at which places printed lists of the lots will be delivered to those persons who may apply for the same. By order of the Board,

R. II. Crew, Secretary.

Office of Ordnance, August 2, 1816.

THE Principal Officers of His Majesty's Ordnance do hereby give notice, that proposals will be received at their Office in Pall-Mall, on or before Friday the 16th instant, from such persons as may be willing to undertake the supply of

Copper Hoops,

for service of this Department, for a period of one year.

Patterns of the articles may be viewed upon application at the Principal Storekeeper's Office in the Tower; and farther particulars, together with the terms and conditions of the contract, may be known at the Secretary's Office, in Pall-Mall aforesaid, any day between the hours of ten and four o'clock; where the proposals must be delivered, sealed up, and indorsed " Proposals for Copper Hoops;" but no proposal can be admitted after the said 16th instant, at twelve o'clock at noon of the same day; neither will any tender be noticed, unless the party making it, or an agent in his behalf, shall attend.

By order of the Board,

R. H. Crew, Secretary.

Custom-House, London, August 6, 1816.

FOR sale (by order of the Honourable the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs), on Wednesday the 14th instant, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Commercial Sale Rooms, Mincing-Lane, the following prize goods (having remained in the warehouses beyond the time allowed by law),

For Exportation,

Printed cottons, blue calicoes, serge cloth, &c.

For Home Consumption,

Calico, muslin, linen, drugs, tortoiseshell, tea, coffee, sugar and other grocery, bagging, hosiery, boot legs, shoes, skins, hops, red wood, soap, train oil, muskets, winc, needles, and sundry other goods, as mentioned in the catalogue.

Clear of all duties.

To be viewed at the different warchouses, stated in the catalogue, on Thursday the 8th, Friday the 9th, Saturday the 10th, and Tuesday the 13th instant, during the usual hours of business.

Catalogues may be had at the King's Warehouse, No. 90, Lower Thames-Street, price 1s. each.

Bank of England, August 8, 1816.

THE Court of Directors of the Governor and Company of the Bank of England give notice, That they have made an agreement with the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, to circulate Exchequer Bills, made or to be made forth pursuant to several Acts of Parliament for that purpose now in force, for one year, to end the 5th August 1817.

Robert Best, Secretary,