jesty's Orders in Council, a bill for the amount of the half-pay or retired-pay due will be made out in this Department, which will be payable by the Treasurer of His Majesty's Navy, on the following days, viz.

On the 10th and 12th of January, to Masters, Surgeons, and Pursers, and their Attorneys.

On the 13th, 14th, and 15th of January, to Lieutenants at 5s. a day and under, and their Attorneys.

On the 16th and 17th of January, to Lieutenants at 7s and 6s a day, and Chaplains, and their Attorneys.

On the 20th, 21st, and 22d of January, to Admirals, Lieutenant-Generals, Major-Generals, Colonels, Lieutenant-Colonels, Majors, Captains, Commanders, and Retired Commanders, and their Attorneys.

Great inconvenience having been experienced by the claims of Officers, who have not chosen to receive their half-pay or retired-pay on the days fixed for their rank, being brought forward on the days appointed for the payment of half-pay and retired-pay to Officers of different ranks; notice is hereby given, that no such claims can in future be attended to on the days not appointed for Officers of those ranks; but for the accommodation of such Officers, and also for the convenience of those who may not have transmitted their affidavits or certificates sufficiently early to admit of payment on the abovementioned days, a recall will take place on the 24th and 26th of January.

After which the half-pay and retired-pay will be payable on the first and third Wednesday in every month, excepting during the general payment.

Officers residing in or near London, and wishing to receive their half-pay or retired-pay in person, are requested to deliver their affidavits or certificates into the Wages-office at the Admiralty, Somerset-house, or transmit them to the Secretary of the Admiralty, immediately on the expiration of each quarter; and those employing agents are also requested to furnish their agents with their affidavits or certificates with the same dispatch, for unless such documents are delivered into this Office early, delay in the payment must unavoidably ensue.

As it sometimes happens that Officers apply personally for their half-pay or retired-pay, without having previously sent in their affidavits or certificates as required by the usual advertisement; any delay or inconvenience to which they might be subject by this oversight, it is in the power of the Officers themselves to prevent, by an adherence to the existing regulations.

Under the authority of the Statutes relating to the pay of the Navy, besides the above-mentioned modes, Officers may receive their half-pay or retired-pay in any of the following ways, viz.

1st. By drawing a bill for the amount, on a form to be transmitted from this Office

2d. By a remittance bill, or permanent remittance bill, payable to them at or in the neighbourhood of their residence, by the Collector of Customs or Excise. 3d. By extract or permanent remittance bill, at a Dock-yard, where there is at establishment of Pay Clerks.

If they wish to receive it by bill of exchange, they are to give notice thereof, by letter, to the Secretary of the Admiralty, marked, in the corner, "Half pay, or Retired-pay, Accountant-General," and thereupon the proper form will be sent to them.

If they wish to have it remitted to them, they must give a like notice to the Secretary of the Admiralty, marked in the same manner, and a bill will thereupon be made out and transmitted to them.

In all cases, the Officer signifying his desire of payment is to state at the foot of his letter, his Christian and surnames, his rank, and a full description of his residence.

MEM.—Bills of exchange drawn under or by virtue of the Act of 11 Geo. 4, cap. 20, are not liable to the stamp duty.

No persons residing out of His Majesty's dominions are entitled to the privileges of this Act.

SALE OF OLD VICTUALLING STORES AT DEPTFORD.

Admiralty, Somerset-Place, January 9, 1835.

Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that on Thursday the 22d instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, the Captain Superintendent will put up to sale, in His Majesty's Victualling-yard at Deptford, several lots of

Old Provisions, Staves, Heading, Rum Puncheons, Casks, Fathom Wood, &c. &c. &c.

all lying in the said Yard.

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

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

Marine Society's-Office, 54, Bishopsgate-Street.

THE Quarterly General Court of Governors of this Corporation will be held at their Office, on Wednesday the 21st instant, at one o'clock precisely. The lamented decease of the late Earl Spencer has occasioned a vacancy in the list of Vice-Presidents.

The office of Schoolmaster on board the Society's ship is vacant. Thomas King, Secretary.

Union Assurance-Office, Cornhill, January 9, 1835.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Subscribers to the additional capital will be holden at the Office, in Cornhill, on Friday, January 30, 1835, at twelve o'clock at noon, pursuant to the 16th article of the deed of settlement; also to consider of an alteration in the first article of the said deed.

By order of the Board, Thomas Lewis, Secretary.