mouth, Devonport, and Chatham, on presenting to the Pay Clerks the usual declaration or certificate on the days appointed for payment at the respective ports. This mode will be found more convenient to Officers living near any one of these ports, than either a bill of exchange or remittance.

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.

By order of His Majesty's Paymaster-General,

T. Haultain, Assistant Paymaster-General.

SALE OF OLD STORES AT PLYMOUTH.

Admiralty, Somerset-Place, March 17, 1837.

Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice that on Tuesday the 11th of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, the Admiral Superintendent will put up to sale, in His Majesty's Dock-yard at Plymouth, several lots of

Old Stores,

Consisting of old Rope, Shakings, Spun Yarn, unlayed Yarn, Canvas, Hemp Toppings, Wood Tanks, Anchors, &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.

CONTRACT FOR ENGLISH ELM THICKSTUFF.

Department of the Storekeeper-General of the Navy, Somerset-Place, March 29, 1837.

Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that on Thursday the 4th May next, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying, by the 31st March 1838,

150 Loads of English Elm Thickstuff.

To be delivered at prices (including all carriage and other expences), in the following proportions, at His Majesty's Dock-yards hereunder mentioned:

Woolwich, - 50 loads. Chatham, - 80 loads. Sheerness, - 20 loads. Tenders may be made for the supply of any one or more of the Yards, or for the whole of them.

A form of the tender may be seen at the said. Office.

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

Every tender must be addressed to the Secretary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left hand corner the words, "Tender for Elm Thickstuff," and must also be delivered at Somerset-place, accompanied by a letter, signed by a responsible person, engaging to become bound with the person tendering, in the sum of £1 per load, for the due performance of the contract.

CONTRACT FOR ENGLISH ELM THICKSTUFF.

Department of the Storekeeper-General of the Navy, Somerset-Place, April 1, 1837.

I'HE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that the contract for supplying

150 Loads of English Elm Thickstuff,

advertised for Thursday the 27th instant, is deserved until Thursday the 4th May next, on which latter day, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat for the supply.

CONTRACT FOR SUGAR.

Department of the Computaling and Transport Services, Somerset-Place, March 31, 1837.

Lord High Admirat of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that on Thursday the 6th of April next, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying and delivering into His Majesty's Victualling Stores at Deptford,

50 Tons of Sugar, the produce of the British possessions.

To be exempted from the Customs' duties, and to be delivered half in a fortnight, and the remainder in a fortnight afterwards.

A sample of the sugar, together with the conditions of the contract, may be seen at the said Office.

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

Every tender must be addressed to the Secretary of the Admirolty, and bear in the left hand corner the words, "Tender for Sugar," and must also be delivered at Somerset-place,