

**CONTRACT FOR BRITISH OAK TIMBER,
THICKSTUFF, PLANK, AND TREE-
NAILS.**

Department of the Storekeeper-
General of the Navy, Somerset
Place, October 23, 1845.

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 Friday the 16th of January next, at one
o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons
as may be willing to contract for supplying

20,000 Loads of British Oak Timber (rough
contents, but to be delivered in a rough or
sided state as the said Commissioners shall
direct);

7,400 Loads of British Oak Thickstuff and
Plank; and

400,000 British Oak Treennails;
to be delivered at Her Majesty's several
Dock-yards, by the 31st December 1847,
at prices, including all carriage and other
expences.

A tender may be made for the whole contracts
or for the quantities required for any one or more
of the yards, but not for less than the full quantity,
of timber, thickstuff, plank, and treennails required
for any one yard.

A form of the tender, showing the distribution,
sidings, and dimensions of the timber, thickstuff,
plank, and treennails, and all other necessary
particulars, may be had on application to this
Office, by letter or otherwise.

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 authorized
in writing.

Every tender must be addressed to the Secre-
tary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left
hand corner the words, "Tender for British Oak,"
and must also be delivered at Somerset-place,
accompanied by a letter, signed by two responsible
persons, engaging to become bound with the person
tendering, in the sum of £25,000, for the due per-
formance of the whole contract, or in a dis-
proportion for a part only.

CONTRACT FOR LIGNUM VITÆ:

Department of the Storekeeper-
General of the Navy, Somerset-
Place, November 6, 1845.

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 Friday the 21st instant, at one
o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such
persons as may be willing to contract for
supplying and delivering

Into Stores, at Her Majesty's Dock-yard, at
Portsmouth, immediately,

6 Tons of White Bahama Lignum Vitæ, of
from 3 to 4½ inches in diameter.

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

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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 authorized
in writing.

Every tender must be addressed to the Secre-
tary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left
hand corner the words, "Tender for Lignum Vitæ,"
and must also be delivered at Somerset-place.

SALE OF OLD STORES AT GOSPORT.

Admiralty, Somerset-Place
November 11, 1845.

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 27th instant, at twelve
o'clock at noon, the Captain Superintendent will
put up to sale, at the Royal Clarence Victualling-
yard, at Gosport, several lots of

Old Stores,
Consisting of Serviceable Tongues, old Pro-
visions, Biscuit Bags, Slops, Religious Books,
&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.

Birmingham Canal Navigations.

8th November 1845.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the next
General Assembly of the Company of
Proprietors of the Birmingham Canal Navigations
will be held at the Company's Offices, in Para-
dise-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick,
on Friday the 28th day of November 1845, at
eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the usual pur-
poses; also for the purpose of confirming an ar-
rangement made by the Committee of the said Com-
pany of Proprietors of the Birmingham Canal
Navigations, with the Committee of the Company
of Proprietors of the Dudley Canal Navigation,
for amalgamating the two undertakings into one,
and of authorizing the said Company of Proprietors
of the Birmingham Canal Navigations to make an
application to Parliament in the ensuing session,
for an Act to alter, extend, amend, and enlarge the
powers and provisions of the several Acts relating
to the Birmingham Canal Navigations, and to con-
solidate the powers and provisions of the several
Acts relating to the Dudley Canal Navigation,
with the powers and provisions in the several Acts
relating to the Birmingham Canal Navigations,
and to incorporate and consolidate the Company of
Proprietors of the Dudley Canal Navigation with
the Company of Proprietors of the Birmingham
Canal Navigations; also for the purpose of con-
firming an arrangement entered into between the
Company of Proprietors of the Birmingham Canal
Navigations and the London and Birmingham
Railway Company, relating to the affairs of the
said canal, and of authorising the said Company
of Proprietors of the Birmingham Canal Naviga-