

persons as may be willing to contract for supplying and delivering into Her Majesty's Victualling Stores at Deptford the undermentioned articles; viz.:

Sugar (the produce of the British Possessions), 50 tons; half to be delivered in three weeks, and the remainder in three weeks afterwards.

Cocoa, 50 tons; half to be delivered in three weeks, and the remainder in three weeks afterwards.

Soap (Mottled), 30 tons; half to be delivered in three weeks, and the remainder in three weeks afterwards.

Oats (Scotch potato), 300 quarters; to be delivered within ten days.

The sugar and cocoa to be exempted from the Customs' duties.

Samples of the cocoa (not less than 2lbs.), of the soap (not less than a bar), and of the oats (not less than two quarts), must be produced by the parties tendering, and a sample of the sugar, together with the conditions of the contracts, 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 authorized in writing.

Every tender must be addressed to the Secretary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left-hand corner the words "Tender for _____," and must also be delivered at Somerset-place; and those for sugar and cocoa must be accompanied by a letter, signed by a responsible person, engaging to become bound with the person tendering in the sum of £25 per cent. on the value for the due performance of the contracts.

East India-House, January 30, 1850.

THE Court of Directors of the East India Company do hereby give notice,

That a Quarterly General Court of the said Company will be held at their House, in Leadenhall-street, on Wednesday the 20th March 1850, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

James C. Melvill, Secretary.

East India-House, January 30, 1850.

THE Court of Directors of the East India Company do hereby give notice,

That the transfer books of the said Company's stock will be shut on Tuesday the 5th March next, at three o'clock, and opened again on Thursday the 11th April following.

That a General Court of the said Company will be held at their House, in Leadenhall-street, on Wednesday the 10th April 1850, from nine o'clock in the morning until six o'clock in the evening, for the election of six Directors of the said Company for four years.

That the form of a letter of attorney and of a declaration for enabling Proprietors of East India Stock to vote by proxy on this occasion may be obtained on application at the Treasury in this House.

That the lists of the members of the said Company will be ready to be delivered on Tuesday the 26th March next.

James C. Melvill, Secretary.

Bank of England, January 31, 1850.

THE Court of Directors of the Governor and Company of the Bank of England give notice,

That the transfer books for Bank Stock will be shut from Tuesday the 12th March next, till Friday the 12th April following.

John Knight, Secretary.

Hand in Hand Fire and Life Office,
New Bridge-Street, Blackfriars,
January 30, 1850.

THE Directors of this Society give notice, that a ballot will take place at the Office of this Society, in New Bridge-street, Blackfriars, on Tuesday the 19th February next, for filling up the vacancy in the direction occasioned by the death of Sir Felix Booth, Bart. and such ballot will commence at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and close at two o'clock in the afternoon.

The Directors also give notice, that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of this Society will be held at the said Office, on the same day, for the purpose of declaring the result of such ballot; which Meeting will commence at two o'clock.

By order of the Board,

Robt. Steven, Secretary.

Office of the Gas Light and Coke Company,
No. 19, New Bridge-Street, Blackfriars,
London, January 30, 1850.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Court of Directors of the Gas Light and Coke Company do hereby declare that a vacancy has occurred in the Court of Directors, by the decease of William Bateman, Esq. Governor.

Notice is hereby also given, that a Special General Court of the Proprietors of this Company will be held at this Office, on Tuesday the 26th day of February next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the election of a Governor to supply the said vacancy; and that, should a ballot be required, it will continue open for four hours from its commencement.

By order of the Court of Directors,

C. Burls, Secretary.

N. B. The chair will be taken at twelve o'clock precisely, and none but Proprietors admitted.

United Mexican Mining Association.

No. 5, Finsbury-Circus, London,
January 30, 1850.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a dividend of seven shillings and six pence per share will be payable at the Office of the Association, on and after the 1st of February proximo, between the hours of eleven and three. Forms for claiming the dividend may be obtained at the Company's Office, and must be left, two clear days, for examination, previous to payment.

By order of the Court of Directors,

John Mather, Secretary.

London, January 28, 1850.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the account sales of the proceeds arising from the capture of the slave vessel, name unknown, by Her Majesty's steam-vessel *Styx*, Henry Chads, Esq. Commander, on the 24th February 1848, will be registered in the High Court of Admiralty on or after the 8th of February next.

J. Woodhead, Agent.

January 28, 1850.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the account sales of the proceeds arising from the capture of the slave vessel *Sylphide* by Her Majesty's steam-vessel *Styx*, Henry Chads, Esq. Commander, on the 24th January 1848, will be registered in the High Court of Admiralty on or after the 8th of February next.

J. Woodhead, Agent.