

**CONTRACTS for FRESH BEEF, MUTTON,
BREAD, VEGETABLES, &c.**

FOR THE ROYAL MARINE INFIRMARIES AT WOOLWICH AND CHATHAM.

Admiralty, February 5, 1853.

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 24th instant, at one o'clock, they will be ready, at the Office of the Director-General of the Medical Department of the Navy, Somerset-place, in London, to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for the supply of all such quantities of all or any of the following articles as shall from time to time be required for the use of either one or both of the Royal Marine Infirmaries at Woolwich and Chatham, from the 1st day of April next to the 31st day of March, 1854; viz.:

BEEF AND MUTTON.

BREAD.

MILK.

SOAP, YELLOW.

CANDLES, MOULDS AND DIPS.

And also for the supply of VEGETABLES at WOOLWICH, from the 1st day of April next to the 31st day of March, 1856.

Samples of the soap and candles, together with the conditions of the revised contracts, to which particular attention is called, may be seen at this Office, or by applying to the Purveyor at the Infirmaries at Woolwich and Chatham.

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, accompanied by a letter, signed by a responsible person, engaging to become bound with the person tendering in the sum of £100 for the due performance of the contracts for beef and mutton, for bread and for vegetables, and in the sum of £50 for each of the others.

**SALE OF MARINE STEAM ENGINES, &c.
AT WOOLWICH.**

Admiralty, Somerset-Place,
February 9, 1853.

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 1st April next, at one o'clock, the Commodore Superintendent of Her Majesty's Dock Yard at Woolwich will be ready to receive sealed tenders for the purchase of the undermentioned articles; viz.:

Lot 1. One pair of Marine Condensing Steam Engines, diameter of cylinders $43\frac{1}{2}$ inches, length of stroke 3 feet 6 inches, of the collective power of 120 horses (computed by the Admiralty rule), having side levers and intermediate shaft, but not paddle wheels nor shafts.

Lot 2. One pair of Marine Condensing Steam Engines, diameter of cylinders $40\frac{1}{4}$ inches, length of stroke 4 feet 9 inches, of the collective power of 112 horses, having side levers and paddle and intermediate shafts, but not paddle wheels.

Lot 3. One pair of Marine Condensing Steam Engines, diameter of cylinders 40 inches, length of stroke 4 feet 4 inches, of the collective power of 107 horses, having side levers, and paddle

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and intermediate shafts, and spare gear as usually supplied to H. M. steam-vessels, paddle wheels not included.

Lot 4. One pair of Paddle Wheels, 10 feet diameter, length of boards 3 feet 10 inches, width 9 inches.

Lot 5. Three cast-iron Spur Wheels, geared, each wheel in two parts, the cogs 5 inches pitch, $9\frac{3}{8}$ inches wide, diameter of pitch-line 11 feet 3 inches, with 3 cast-iron pinions adapted to work into the above-mentioned Spur Wheels, the diameter of the pitch-line 4 feet 5 inches.

Lot 6. Seven Wrought-iron Shafts, turned and polished, and 9 cast-iron driving pulleys, turned and keyed on the same, with one cast-iron friction clutch, and 10 cast-iron couplings on the ends of the above shafts—the shafts are 3 inches in diameter, and total length 70 feet.

all lying in the said Yard.

Persons wishing to view the lots must apply to the Superintendent for notes of admission for that purpose, and to whom all communications should be made with reference to the sale of the above.

Thames Tunnel Office, Rotherhithe,
February 8, 1853.

NOTICE is hereby given, that, pursuant to the Act of the fifth of George the Fourth, cap. 156, being the Act of Incorporation, a General Assembly of the Proprietors of this Company will be held at Radley's Hotel, Bridge-street, Blackfriars, London, on Tuesday the 1st of March next, for general purposes.

By order of the Court of Directors,
W. W. Mason, Clerk to the Company.

N.B. The chair to be taken at four o'clock precisely.

County Fire Office, 50, Regent-Street,
London, February 11, 1853.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Annual General Meeting of the Proprietors of this Office will be held, as above, on Tuesday the 22nd instant. The chair will be taken at twelve o'clock precisely, immediately after which a Meeting will be held for the county of Middlesex.

By order,
Charles Stevens, Secretary.

Provident Life Office, Regent-Street,
London, February 11, 1853.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Annual General Meeting of the Proprietors of this Office will be held, as above, on Wednesday the 23rd instant, when a statement of accounts will be submitted, a division of profit, in accordance with the provisions of the 54th and 55th clauses of the deed of constitution, be recommended, a dividend proposed, and a ballot take place for the election of Directors in place of those who go out by rotation. The chair will be taken at one o'clock precisely.

By order,
John Hoddinott, Secretary.

English and Scottish Law Life Assurance
and Loan Association, 12, Waterloo-
Place, London, February 11, 1853.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Annual General Meeting of the Proprietors of this Association will be holden, according to the provisions of the deed of constitution, at their Office, No. 12, Waterloo-place, London, on Wednesday the 23rd day of February instant, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.

By order of the Board,
J. Hill Williams, Actuary and Secretary.