tendering, or an agent appointed by him, should attend at this Office, as the result of the offer received from each person will be communicated to him and his proposed sureties in writing.

Bills in payment for any beef or pork delivered into Her Majesty's Stores will be sent to parties upon transmitting the usual certificates of receipt.

Every tender must be addressed to the Secretary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left-hand corner of the envelope the words "Tender for Salt Meat," and "Comptroller for Victualling," and must also be delivered at Somerset-House.

CONTRACTS FOR WHEAT, OATS, COCOA, AND SOAP.

Department of the Comptroller for Victualling and Transport Services, 'Somerset-House, August 10, 1858.

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 26th instant, at half past one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying and delivering into Her Majesty's Victualing Stores at Deptford and Plymouth, the undermentioned articles, viz.:

- Wheat, 2,000 quarters, Deptford; half to be delivered in three weeks, and the remainder in three weeks afterwards, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.
- Oats 300 quarters, Deptford; 150 quarters, Plymouth; half to be delivered in three weeks, and the remainder in three weeks afterwards, or earlier, if preferred by the party tendering.
- Cocoa, 150 tons, Deptford; half to be delivered in three weeks, and the remainder in three weeks afterwards, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.
- Soap, 100 tons, Deptford ; half to be delivered in three weeks, and the remainder in three weeks afterwards, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

A proportional part of the price per bushel of wheat will be paid for any weight exceeding 60lbs, per bushel.

Tenders may be made for the whole or any portion of the articles, but separate tenders must be made for each port, and no attention will be paid to any offers not so made.

Their lordships reserve to themselves the power, when the tenders are opened, of contracting either for the whole, or for such part thereof only as they may deem fit, or for a greater quantity, or of not contracting for any, and also an unlimited power of selection.

The cocoa to be exempted from the Customs' duties, and parties tendering are to state where it is lying.

Samples of the wheat (not less than 2 quarts, of the oats (not less than 2 quarts for each port), of the cocoa, not less than 2lbs. and of the soap not less than a bar, must be produced by the parties tendering.

The samples produced by persons whose tenders are not accepted are requested to be taken away by them immediately after the contracts have been decided.

No tender will be received unless made on the printed form provided for the purpose, and which may be obtained on application at the said Office, at the Victualling Yard at Plymouth, or to the Officer conducting the Packet Service at Liverpool, or to the Collector of Customs at Bristol.

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The conditions of the revised contracts, to which particular attention is called, may be seen at the said office, at the Victualling Yard at Plymouth, and at Liverpool and Bristol.

No tender will be received after half past one o'cloch on the day of treaty, and it will not be required that the party tendering, or an agent on his behalf, should attend at the Office on the day of contract, as the result of the offer received from each person will be communicated to him and his proposed sureties 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-house.

CONTRACT FOR KNAPSACKS, AND KNAPSACK SLINGS, FOR THE ROYAL MARINES.

Department of the Comptroller for Victualling, Somerset-Place, August 6, 1858.

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 19th instant, at half past one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying and delivering into Her Majesty's Victualling Stores at Deptford, all such

KNAPSACK AND KNAPSACK SLINGS, for the use of the Royal Marines as may from time to time be demanded, under a Contract for twelve months certain, and afterwards until the expiration of three months' warning.

The conditions of the revised contract may be seen at the said office, and patterns of the articles, at the Marine office, New-street, Spring-gardens, between the hours of one and four o'cloch.

No tender will be received after half past one o'clock, on the day of treaty, nor any noticed, unless made on the printed form provided for the purpose, and which may be obtained on application at the said office.

Every tender must be addressed to the Secretary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left-hand corner, the words "Tender for Knapsacks, &c.," and must also be delivered at Somerset-place.

CONTRACT FOR STOCKS, CLASPS FOR STOCKS, AND CAPS WITH BALLS, FOR THE ROYAL MARINES.

Department of the Comptroller for Victualling, Somerset-Place, August 16, 1858.

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 2nd September next, at half past one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying and delivering into Her Majesty's Victualling Stores at Deptford, all such quantities of

STOCKS, CLASPS FOR STOCKS,

CAPS WITH BALLS,

as shall from time to time be demanded for the use of the Royal Marines, under a contract for twelve months certain, and afterwards until the expiration of three months' warning.

The conditions of the revised contract may be seen at the said office, and patterns of the articles at the Marine Office, New-street, Spring-gardens, between the hours of one and four o'clock.