

Samuel Higham, sworn this day, and the exhibits respectively marked A and B therein referred to, and now on the file of proceedings in this matter; it is peremptorily ordered that a call of two pounds per share be made on all the contributories of this Society; and it is peremptorily ordered that each of such contributories do, on or before the 1st day of September, 1862, pay to Robert Palmer Harding, the Official Manager of the said Company, at his office, No. 3, Bank-buildings, in the city of London, the balance (if any) which will be due from him after debiting his account in the Company's books with such call.

The Vice-Chancellor Wood at Chambers.

*Saturday, the 9th day of August, 1862.*

In the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies' Winding-up Acts, 1848 and 1849; and the Joint Stock Companies' Winding-up Amendment Act, 1857; and in the Matter of the British Exchequer Life Assurance Company, Registered.

**U**PON the application of the Official Manager of the above-named Company, and upon reading the London Gazette, of the 5th and 8th days of August, 1862; the Times newspapers of the 6th and 8th days of August, 1862; the Daily News newspapers of the 6th and 8th days of August, 1862; and the Morning Herald newspapers of the 6th and 8th days of August, 1862; and the affidavit of Edward Lavender Biden, sworn this 9th day of August, 1862, and the schedules or exhibits respectively marked A, B, and C therein referred to, and the affidavit of Samuel Higham, sworn this day, and the exhibits respectively marked A and B therein referred to, and now on the file of proceedings in this matter; it is peremptorily ordered that a call of ten shillings per share be made on all the contributories of this Society; and it is peremptorily ordered that each of such contributories do, on or before the 9th day of September, 1862, pay to Robert Palmer Harding, the Official Manager of the said Company, at his office, No. 3, Bank-buildings, in the city of London, the balance (if any) which will be due from him after debiting his account in the Company's books with such call.

#### CONTRACT FOR SALT PORK.

Department of the Comptroller for Victualling, Somerset-House, August 11, 1862.

**T**HE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that on Tuesday the 7th October 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 the undermentioned Ports, the following quantities of

#### SALT PORK,

all of the cure of the present season, viz. :—

	NAVY PORK.	
	Tierces.	Barrels.
Deptford .....	2,400	... 2,400
Haulbowline .....	2,400	... 2,400

When to be delivered :

The Pork to be delivered into the respective Stores as follows; viz. : one-third of each quantity for each place by the 31st day of January,

1863; another third thereof by the 10th day of March, 1863; and the remainder thereof by the 30th day of April, 1863; or any greater portion, or the whole, at any earlier period, if preferred by the party tendering, and to be paid for by bills at seven days after date, which will be sent to parties as usual.

*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.*

*Every tender must specify the name of the person by whom the meat is intended to be cured, the brand of the meat, and the place of cure.*

*Tenders for pork, of the cure of the United States of America, will not be admitted.*

*Persons tendering for more than one Port must give a separate tender for each Port.*

*Persons tendering must give a reference to a banker for each surety proposed; and they are desired to take special notice that the use of wooden hoops is abolished, and that iron hoops only will be required for the casks in accordance with the conditions of the contract.*

*A form of the tender may be obtained, and the conditions of the contract, to which particular attention is called, may be seen at this office, at the Victualling Yards at Gosport and Plymouth, or by applying to the Agent Victualler at Haulbowline, or to the Collectors of Her Majesty's Customs at Bristol, Limerick, Belfast, Waterford, and Newry, or to the Secretary to the Postmaster-General at Dublin, or to the Commander conducting the Packet Service at Liverpool, or to the Resident Agent for Transports at Leith.*

*No tender will be admitted for a less quantity than 100 tierces, or 100 barrels.*

*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; but it will not be necessary that the party 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.*

*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 Pork," and "Comptroller for Victualling," and must also be delivered at Somerset-House.*

#### SALE OF OLD STORES AT SHEERNESS.

Admiralty, Somerset-Place, August 14, 1862.

**T**HE 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 11th September next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, the Captain Superintendent will put up to sale, in Her Majesty's Dock Yard at Sheerness, several lots of

#### OLD STORES;

Consisting of Buntin, Canvas and Hammocks in Rags, Canvas Cuttings, Tarred and Painted Canvas, Shakings, Old Rope, Cable-laid and Hawser-laid Lignum Vitæ, &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.*