General's Department, Admiralty, Somerset House.

No tender will be received after two o'clock on the day of treaty, nor will any, be 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 Teams of Horses," and must also be delivered at the Storekeeper-General's Department, Admiralty, Somerset House, accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, engaging to become bound with the person tendering, in the sum of £500 for the due performance of the contract.

## CONTRACTS FOR VINEGAR, SOAP, SPLIT PEAS, WHEAT, AND OATS.

Contract Department, Admiralty, Somerset House, September 25, 1865.

TYHE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that, on Monday, the 9th October next, at noon, 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, the undermentioned articles; viz.:

Vinegar, 20,000 gallons (to be tendered for at a rate per 100 gallons); half to be delivered in one calendar month from date of contract, and the remainder in one calendar month afterwards, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Soap, 500,000 lbs. (to be tendered for at a rate per 100 lbs.); half to be delivered in one calendar month from date of contract, and the remainder in one calendar month afterwards, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Split Peas, 5,000 imperial bushels (to be tendered for at a rate per 100 gallons); half to be delivered in three weeks from date of contract, and the remainder thereof in three weeks afterwards, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Wheat, 20,000 imperial bushels (to be tendered for at a rate per 100 lbs.); half to be delivered in three weeks from date of contract, and the remainder thereof in three weeks afterwards, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Oats, 2,500 imperial bushels (to be tendered for at a rate per 100 lbs.); half to be delivered in three weeks from date of contract, and the remainder thereof in three weeks afterwards, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Tenders may be made for the whole or any portion of the articles.

Separate tenders are to be made for each article. Their Lordships reserve to themselves the power, when the tenders are opened, of contracting either for the whole, or for such part thereof only us they may deem fit, or for a greater quantity, or of not contracting for any; and also an unlimited power of selection.

Samples of the vinegar (not less than a quart), which the parties tendering may propose to supply, must accompany their tenders, as the delivery will be required to be made in accordance with the samples which may be accepted, and the vinegar tendered is to be of No. 20, trade denomination.

Samples of the soap (not less than a bar), and of the split peas, wheat, and oats (not less than 2

quarts of each), must be produced by the parties tendering.

No wheat tendered is to be of less weight than 60 lbs. per bushel, and no oats of less 42 lbs. per bushel.

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

No tenders will be received unless made in accordance with the above denomination of quantities and rates, and contractors in claiming payment for articles supplied are to make out their invoices in accordance therewith, both as to quantities and rates, excepting those for wheat, oats, and peas, as the invoices for the wheat and oats are to be in pounds at per 100 lbs., and for the peas in gallons at per 100 gallons.

No tender will be received unless made on the printed form provided for the purpose, which may be obtained on application in the Lobby of the Department of the Comptroller of Victualling, Admiralty, Somerset House.

Particular attention is called to the conditions of the contracts, which may be seen in the said Lobby.

the contracts, which may be seen in the said Lobby. No tender will be received after noon 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 to 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 the Department of the Comptroller of Victualling, Admiralty, Somerset House.

## CONTRACT FOR SEAMEN'S MESS UTENSILS.

Contract Department, Admiralty, Somerset House, September 19, 1865.

Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that on Thursday, the 5th October next, at noon, 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 ut Deptford, all such quantities of

## · SEAMEN'S MESS UTENSILS,

as may be from time to time demanded under a contract for twelve calendar months certain, and further, until the expiration of three calendar months' warning.

A form of the tender, including a schedule of the articles, and conditions of contract may be obtained on application at this Department, where the average annual consumption may be ascertained.

No tender will be received after noon 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 Seamen's Mess Utensils," and must also be delivered at the Department of the Comptroller of Vivtualling, Admiralty, Somerset House, accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, engaging to become bound with the person tendering in the sum of £500 for the due performance of the contract.

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