

the Superintendent for notes of admission for that purpose.

Catalogues and conditions of sale may be had here and at the Yard.

SALE OF ENGLISH OAK TREENAILS.

Contract Department, Admiralty,
Somerset House, July 23,
1868.

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 Tuesday, the 11th August next, at two o'clock, they will be ready to receive sealed tenders for the purchase of about

5,500 ENGLISH OAK TREENAILS,
from 27 to 42 inches long,
lying in Her Majesty's Dockyard at Pembroke.

Further particulars may be obtained and a form of the tender and conditions of sale may be seen in the Lobby of the Storekeeper-General's Department, Admiralty, Somerset House, and at the office of the Captain Superintendent, Pembroke Dockyard.

No tender will be received after two o'clock on the day of treaty, and it will not be necessary for the parties tendering to attend on that day as the result will be communicated to them in writing.

Every tender must be addressed to the Secretary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left hand corner the words "Tender for English Oak Treenails," and must also be delivered at the Department of the Storekeeper-General, Admiralty, Somerset House.

CONTRACT FOR VEGETABLES AT PORTSMOUTH.

Contract Department, Admiralty,
Somerset House, July 31,
1868.

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 Monday, the 17th August next, at twelve o'clock 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 Gosport, all such quantities of

VEGETABLES,

as may be demanded for the use of Her Majesty's ships and vessels from 1st October, 1868, to the 30th September, 1871, both days included.

The Contractor is to reside on the spot, or to have an agent resident there.

Tenders are to be made at a rate per 100 lbs., and not at per cwt., and no attention will be paid to offers not so made. The Contractor in claiming payment for vegetables supplied is to make out his invoices in pounds at per 100 lbs.

The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty reserve to themselves an unlimited power of selection in accepting the tenders.

No tender will be received unless made on the printed form provided for the purpose, and which may be obtained on application in the Lobby of the Department of the Controller of Victualling, Admiralty, Somerset House, and also by applying to the Captain Superintendent of Her Majesty's Victualling Yard at Gosport. The conditions of the contract may also be seen at the above places.

No tender will be received after twelve o'clock at 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 Vegetables at Gosport," and must also be delivered at the Department of the Controller of Victualling, Admiralty, Somerset House, signed by two responsible persons, engaging to become bound with the person tendering in the sum of £100 for the due performance of the contract.

CONTRACTS FOR STAVES AND IRON HOOPS.

Contract Department, Admiralty,
Somerset House, July 31,
1868.

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 Tuesday, the 18th August next, at twelve o'clock 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, Gosport, and Plymouth, the undermentioned articles; viz.:-

DEPTFORD.

	Quantity.
	No.
Baltic Pipe Staves (new fresh) ...	30,000
Baltic Hogshead Staves (new fresh) ...	36,000
Quebec Pipe Staves (new fresh) ...	15,000
Fiume Barrel Staves (new fresh), long...	80,000
Fiume Barrel Staves (new fresh), short	80,000

GOSPORT.

Quebec Pipe Staves (new fresh) ...	4,800
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DEPTFORD.

	Length.	Wire	Width.	Quantity.	
	Ft.	Ins.	Gauge.	Inches.	Pounds.
New Iron Butt Hoops	8	2	13	1½	11,200
	7	10			44,800
	7	6			44,800
	7	0			44,800
	6	7			44,800
	9	0			33,600
	8	3			22,400
	6	9			67,200
	6	3			67,200
	New Iron Stout Plate Hoops	5			11
6		1	17,920		
5		9	22,400		
5		5	44,800		
5		1	11,200		
4		10	15,680		
6		8	11,200		
6		2	4,480		
5		11	4,480		
6		1	6,720		
New Iron Slight Plate Hoops	5	9	15	1½	11,200
	5	5			8,960
	5	1			11,200
	4	10			8,960
	9	2			13,440
	7	6			17,920
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PLYMOUTH.

New Iron Slight Plate Hoops	25	0	16	1½	5,000
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One-half of each of the said quantities to be delivered within two months from the date of the