

following morning (Thursday) she would leave for the lakes in Cumberland, where she proposed staying a week.—*Manchester Guardian.*

EXTENSIVE FORGERIES UPON THE BANK OF ENGLAND.—*Apprehension of the Forgers.*

The police have for some time past been aware that forged notes, purporting to be of the Bank of England, were extensively manufactured in Birmingham; but it was not until Saturday their plans were sufficiently matured to justify them in apprehending the parties suspected. All being "right," however, about two o'clock in the afternoon, Mr. Superintendent Stephens, accompanied by Inspector Hall and Sergeant Hildon, proceeded to a house in Henry-street, recently taken by an elderly widow, named Mary Pritchard. Having procured a ladder, Inspector Hall ascended to the top story, where he observed a man and woman working a small iron press. He immediately communicated the fact to his brother officers, when Superintendent Stephens and Sergeant Hildon broke in at the lower window, while Inspector Hall threw up the sash, and entered the room in which the parties were at work. The three officers entered at nearly about the same time, and discovered the man and woman employed on each side of the press turning the rollers. Underneath was the plate of a forged Bank of England note for £5; in other parts of the room were four notes in all stages of preparation for issuing, but only a few completed. George Bradnock, the man apprehended, is by trade an engraver, but for some years was employed as an exciseman, at Wellington, in Shropshire, and has been long suspected of being extensively engaged in Bank of England forgeries. The female prisoner, there is little doubt, has also been for a long period connected with the trade. She has a family of eleven children, and is closely related to some of the most respectable families in the town. It is understood that the prisoners were engaged, when disturbed, in getting up an order of 250 £5 notes, and 250 £10 notes, for certain parties from Manchester, who were waiting in Birmingham for its completion. At the time the police were in the house these gentry were seen in the neighbourhood, but catching a sight of the officers, they suddenly and expeditiously escaped. In the course of a few hours the order would have been finished, and Manchester and its neighbourhood, in the course of a week, inundated with forged paper. The notes completed were for £5, dated November 14, 1838, and signed "J. Booth." The press and implements employed are in every respect perfect, and the notes well executed. So complete a case of detected forgery has not occurred in Birmingham since the celebrated case of Badkin and others, executed at Warwick about twenty years ago.

The Queen gave a state ball on Monday evening, at Buckingham Palace. The Queen opened the ball with the Duke de Nemours, Prince Albert dancing in the same quadrille. The attendance was numerous. The answer yesterday to inquiries respecting the Princess Augusta, at Clarence House, St. James's, was that "the Princess Augusta, had had a tolerable night, and was a little better." At six o'clock on Monday afternoon there were not more than five or six carriages in Hyde Park, and by half-past six there were as many hundred. Within a short half-hour the drive was completely inundated by shoals of vehicles, which came pouring in from all quarters. Amongst the first arrivals, we remarked the Marquis of Anglesey, mounted on his beautiful little bay cob; and on their arrival at the end of the drive the father and son were greeted with a remarkably courteous salute from Prince Albert and the Duke de Nemours, who had just entered the Park. The Duke de Nemours was mounted on a superb chestnut mare; His Royal Highness Prince Albert rode a very neat little bay colt. The Duke de Nemours appeared overwhelmed with astonishment at the number and beauty of the fair equestrians and brilliant equipages. His lovely Duchess accompanied Her Majesty, who drove for a long time about the Park. Her Majesty came as usual in her carriage and four with out-riders and Equestriers. The Royal carriage was followed by another containing her Ladies-in-Waiting. The Queen, as well as her beautiful guest, appeared in excellent health and spirits. The Royal and youthful ladies never ceased laughing from the moment they entered the drive until they were whirled out of it.—*Morning Post July 21.*

The gaieties of the Court continue without interruption. A party was invited to meet the Duke and Duchess of Nemours, at Buckingham Palace, on Thursday. It included the Duchess of Kent, Lord Melbourne, Lord Palmerston, Lady Fanny Cowper, Lord Holland, Lord John Russell, Mr. Ellice, and Lord Leveson.

RAPIDITY OF COMMUNICATION WITH INDIA.—The last overland mail reached London in thirty-three days, the most expeditious on record.

STEAM SHIPS.—Messrs. Acraman, Morgan & Co. of Bristol, have contracted to build the two first steam ships of the Royal Mail Company, for the West India and South American line. They will be about 1400 tons each, and are to be completed about May, 1841.

The *Trafalgar*, of 120 guns, the largest in the Royal Navy, will shortly be launched from Woolwich dock yard. Her burthen is 3000 tons, and her construction is different from any other ship. She has a circular stern for fighting guns, but quarter galleries are drawn out, so that the ship will present the original external figure.

The Methodist Missionary ship *Triton*, which sailed from Bristol in September last for the South Seas, arrived at Table Bay on the 22d of January. The whole of the Missionaries were in excellent health.

Married. At Halifax, on the 18th inst. by the Rev. Dr. Twining, Mr. William S. Caie, of Miramichi, to Miss Isabella, daughter of Mr. John Trinder, Sen. of the former place.

Died. On the 7th inst. Octavia Lombard, aged 7 months, third daughter of Mr. Richard Dunn of this place.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

Will be sold by Public Auction, on Thursday the fourth day of March, 1841, at the Sheriff's Office in Fredericton, between the hours of twelve and four o'clock, P. M.

ALL the right, title and interest of Charles Nevers, of, in and to the following tracts or parcels of Land, viz: That certain tract of Land, granted to the late James Eccles, on the Eastern side of the River Saint John, in the Parish of Douglas, on which the late John Nevers formerly resided.

ALSO,—A tract of Land in the same Parish, conveyed to the said Charles Nevers, by John N. Foster, by Deed, dated 15th December, 1836, being 32 rods in width, on the River Saint John, bounded on the East by Land owned by Ichabod Grant, and on the West by Land owned by the late John Foster.

ALSO,—At the same time and place will be sold: All the right and title of Patrick M. Nabb, to that Farm on the Eastern side of the River Nashwaak, in the Parish of Saint Mary's, granted to the late James Nabb, in the grant to the late 42d Regiment, and wherein the said Patrick M. Nabb now resides; The said tracts of Land having been taken by virtue of several Executions issued out of the Supreme Court.

E. W. MILLER, SHERIFF.
Sheriff's Office, Fredericton, Aug. 25, 1840.

To be sold by Public Auction on the twenty sixth day of February next, between the hours of twelve and five o'clock in the afternoon, at the Court House in Dorchester.

ALL the right, title and interest of Benjamin Crandall, of, in and to certain Lands and Mills, (called the North River Mills) together with all privileges, buildings and improvements thereto belonging, situate in the Parish of Salisbury, in the County of Westmorland; The same having been taken by virtue of an Execution issued out of the Supreme Court at the suit of Benjamin Harding.

W. P. SAYRE, SHERIFF.
Dorchester, 20th August, 1840.

BRIDGE WORK BY AUCTION.

THE Subscribers will attend at WALTER HAYS, in the Parish of Woodstock, on Monday the seventh day of September next, at 10 o'clock, A. M., for the purpose of selling the BRIDGES to be erected on the Road, on the West side of the River, between W. Hays and Sutherland Creek, above Col. Allen's, in the Parish of Kingsclear, and will continue the same from day to day; the said work to be completed on or before the first day of July 1841.

Good security will be required at the time of Sale, for the faithful performance of the work.

GEORGE HAYWARD,
JAMES KETCHUM.
Fredericton, August 20, 1840.

LAST NOTICE.

ALL Persons indebted to the Rev. Doctor SOMERVILLE, by Mortgage, are requested forthwith to pay the Interest due from them respectively, otherwise the Committee must apply to His Excellency the Chancellor for instructions to put their Bonds in Suit for the recovery of Principal and Interest.

B. WOHLHAUPTER,
R. GOWAN,
Committee for managing the Estate of Dr. Somerville.

Fredericton, Aug. 25, 1840.—4w.

NOTICE.

THE Co-partnership heretofore existing under the firm of

CURRIER & HILL,

is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

JABEZ S. CURRIER,
STILLMAN HILL.

Fredericton, August 26, 1840.

FOUND.

A BUNCH OF KEYS have been left at this Office, the owner may have the same by proving property.

Royal Gazette Office, Aug. 25, 1840.

MECHANICS' Whale Fishing Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders for the purpose of electing Seven Directors for the ensuing Year, will take place on Monday the 7th day of September next, at the St. John Hotel, between the hours of 12 o'clock, A. M. and 2 P. M., when the affairs of the Company will be laid before them.

THOMAS NISBET, President.

St. John, 10th August, 1840.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons indebted to the Subscriber are respectfully requested to call and make an early settlement of their accounts, or liquidate their notes. He further notifies them and all other persons who may become indebted to him that he shall in future in all cases make up and charge interest on the amount of his outstanding debts, computing the time, three months from the purchase of the Goods.

F. W. HATHEWAY.

Fredericton, August 17, 1840.

LOST.

ON Friday last, the 7th instant, between Fredericton and Sheffield, two NOTES of HAND, drawn by SANFORD BOIES, in favor of JAMES GORDON, being for the sum of Five Pounds each, one of which was payable in December, 1839, and the other in June, the present year; all persons are hereby cautioned against purchasing said Notes of Hand, as payment of the same has been stopped.

JAMES GORDON.

Fredericton, August 12, 1840.—3wp.

FOR SALE.

A FARM containing 300 acres, situate on the Meadows of the Magaguadavic in the County of York, and adjoining Land owned by Mr. REUBEN BLACKWAY. It is about one third Meadow Land and cuts at present about 20 tons of hay, and with a trifling expense may be made to cut more than one hundred; the Meadow is covered every spring by the water, and the hay growing upon it is of the first quality. The Great Road between Fredericton, St. Andrews and St. Stephens, crosses the River on the Lot, and it must very soon be a valuable stand for a house of entertainment, as the Road is about being finished. Persons wishing to purchase, will please apply to the Subscriber at Fredericton.

THOPHOLIS R. ESTEY,

PHILO SEELYE, St. George.

or to August 5, 1840.—3m.

DEEDS, LEASES, Bonds and Mortgages.

For sale at this Office.

NEW BRUNSWICK IN CHANCERY.

Tuesday the fourth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty.

Between Lemah Hendricks, and Samuel Hallett, Plaintiffs, and Edward Lake, Defendant.

FORASMUCH as the Court was this present day informed by Mr. G. Botsford, being of the Plaintiff's Counsel, that the Plaintiffs on the third day of October last filed their Bill in this Court against the Defendant, as by the Certificate of the Registrar appears, and took out process of Subpoena, requiring the Defendant to appear and answer the same, but that the said Defendant departed from the Province after the cause of action upon which the Suit is commenced accrued, and hath not since resided within the Province, as by Affidavits appears; and the said Certificate and Affidavits being now read, and the truth of the above allegations being made out to the satisfaction of the Court, it is ordered that the Defendant do appear to the Plaintiff's Bill on or before the thirtieth day of January next.

By the Court.

D. LUDLOW ROBINSON, REGR.

NEW BRUNSWICK IN CHANCERY.

Tuesday the seventh day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty.

Between Charles Lee, Francis E. Beckwith, and Henry B. Rainsford, Plaintiffs, and

Thomas Baillie, William Hall, Robert Powers, Robert W. Crookshank, William Walker, Peter Duff, John M. Wilmut, the President, Directors and Company of the Central Bank of New Brunswick, and Robert Rankin, Arthur Pollok, John Pollok, Allan Gilmour, James Gilmour and Alexander Rankin, Defendants.

FORASMUCH as the Court was this present day informed by Mr. Wilmut, being of Plaintiff's Counsel, that the Plaintiffs on the second day of June last had filed their Bill in this Court against the Defendants, as by the Certificate of the Registrar appears, and took out process of Subpoena, requiring the Defendants to appear and answer the same, but that William Hall, one of the said Defendants, resides in Devonshire, England, and has never been in this Province, and that the said William Hall cannot be served with such process, as by Affidavit appears, and the said Certificate in and Affidavit being now read, it is ordered, that the said Defendant, William Hall, do appear to the Plaintiff's Bill on or before the first day of January next; and it is further ordered that this order be published in the Royal Gazette for the space of three months.

By the Court.

D. LUDLOW ROBINSON, REGR.

[First Published in Gazette, July 15, 1840.]

NEW BRUNSWICK IN CHANCERY.

Saturday the eleventh day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty.

Between Mary Nichols, Administratrix of Noah Dismore, Junior, Administratrix, de bonis non of Samuel Nichols, deceased, Plaintiffs, and David Hatfield, Peter Hatfield and Robert Ray, Defendants.

FORASMUCH as the Court was on Tuesday last informed by Mr. Kinnear being of Plaintiff's Counsel, that the Plaintiffs on the sixth day of April last, had exhibited their Bill in this Court against the Defendants, as by the Certificate of the Registrar appears, and took out process of Subpoena requiring the Defendants to appear and answer the same, but that Peter Hatfield one of the Defendants left the Province some time in or about the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight, and has not since resided within the jurisdiction of this honorable Court, and that from the best information the Plaintiffs can obtain, the said Defendant, Peter Hatfield is now residing at Sierra Leone, in Africa, as by Affidavit appears, and the said Certificate and Affidavit having been read, His Honor doth this present day order that the said Defendant Peter Hatfield do appear to the Plaintiff's Bill on or before the first Tuesday in July next; and it is further ordered that this order be published in the Royal Gazette for the space of four months.

By the Court.

D. LUDLOW ROBINSON, REGR.

[First Pub. 8th July, 1840. Am 1w.]

NEW BRUNSWICK IN CHANCERY.

Saturday the eleventh day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty.

Between Francis E. Beckwith, Plaintiff, and John Hilditch and Mary Hilditch, his Wife, Defendants.

FORASMUCH as the Court was this present day informed by Mr. Robinson, being of the Plaintiff's Counsel, that the Plaintiff on the fourteenth day of May last filed his Bill in this Court against the Defendants, and sued out process of Subpoena, requiring the Defendants to appear and answer the same, and for a long time past have resided at or near Montreal, in the Province of Lower Canada, and cannot be served with such process, all which by Affidavits appears; and the said Affidavits being now read, it is ordered that the said Defendants do appear to the Plaintiff's Bill, on or before the thirty first day of October next; and it is further ordered that this order be published in the Royal Gazette for the space of three months.

By the Court.

D. LUDLOW ROBINSON, REGR.

IN CHANCERY.

Monday, 27th April, 1840.

WHEREAS in and by an Act of the General Assembly, made and passed in the second year of the Reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled, "An Act, for the improvement of the practice in the Court of Chancery," it is among other things enacted, That from and after the passing of that Act, it should and might be lawful for the Chancellor, by and with the consent of the Master of the Rolls, to prepare and cause to be printed a Table of Fees for the Court of Chancery, in lieu of the Table of Fees established at the time of the passing of that Act, in the said Court, which Table of Fees, so to be made and established as aforesaid, should be in force and effect from the time notice thereof should be given by the Master of the Rolls in the Royal Gazette, until altered by any Legislative enactment in this Province: **NOTICE** is hereby given, That a Table of Fees for the said Court of Chancery, bearing date the twenty first day of April in this present year, has been duly made and established in pursuance of the direction of the said Act, which said Table of Fees so made and established, has been duly filed in the Registry of the said Court of Chancery.

By order of His Honor the Master of the Rolls.

D. LUDLOW ROBINSON, REGR.

Printed copies of the above TABLE OF FEES may be had at the Office of the Royal Gazette.

By the Honorable Ward Chipman, Esquire, Chief Justice of Her Majesty's Supreme Court of Judicature for the Province of New Brunswick.

To all whom it may concern Greeting:

NOTICE is hereby given, that upon the application of James T. Handford, to me duly made, according to the form of the Act of Assembly in such case made and provided, I have directed all the Esquires, Justices and Clerks of the said Province of New Brunswick, (which said Joshua Gidney is departed from and without the limits of this Province, with intent and design to defraud the said James T. Handford and the other creditors of the said Joshua Gidney, if any there be of their just dues, or else to avoid being arrested by the ordinary process of the Law, as is alleged against him,) to be seized and attached, and that unless the said Joshua Gidney do return and discharge his said debt or debts, within three months from the publication hereof, all the Estate as well real as personal, of the said Joshua Gidney, within this Province, will be sold for the payment and satisfaction of the Creditors of the said Joshua Gidney, within this Province, as by the said James T. Handford, dated at the City of Saint John, this first day of June, 1840.

WARD CHIPMAN, Attorney for Petitioning Creditor.

[First Published in Gazette, June 10, 1840.]

By the Honorable Joseph Cunard, one of Her Majesty's Justices of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas for the County of Northumberland, in the Province of New Brunswick.

To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:

NOTICE is hereby given, that upon the application of Pheneas Williston, William Williston and Alexander Williston, to me duly made, according to the form of the Act of Assembly, in such case made and provided, I have directed all the Estate as well real as personal, of Charles B. Brymer, late of Chatham, in the County of Northumberland, Black Smith, (which said Charles B. Brymer is departed without the limits of this Province, with intent and design to defraud the said Pheneas Williston, William Williston and Alexander Williston, and other Creditors of the said Charles B. Brymer, if any such there be, of their just dues, or else to avoid being arrested by the ordinary process of the Law, as is alleged against him,) to be seized and attached, and that unless the said Charles B. Brymer do return and discharge his said debt or debts within three months from the publication hereof, all the Estate as well real as personal, of the said Charles B. Brymer, within this Province, will be sold for the payment and satisfaction of the Creditors of the said Charles B. Brymer. Dated the 3d day of August, 1840.

JOSEPH CUNARD, J. C. P.

CARMAN & WILLISTON, Attys. for Pet. Creditor.

By the Honorable William Botsford, Esquire, one of Her Majesty's Justices of the Supreme Court of Judicature for the Province of New Brunswick.

To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:

NOTICE is hereby given, That upon the application of Thomas E. Percy, to me duly made, according to the form of the Act of Assembly in such case made and provided, I have directed all the Estate as well real as personal of Carlos Copeland, late of Wakefield, in the County of Carleton, and Province aforesaid, (which said Carlos Copeland has departed from and without the limits of this Province with intent and design to defraud the said Thomas E. Percy, and other Creditors of the said Carlos Copeland, if any such there be, of their just dues, or else to avoid being arrested by the ordinary process of the Law, as is alleged against him,) to be seized and attached, and that unless the said Carlos Copeland do return and satisfy his said debt or debts within three months from the publication hereof, all the Estate as well real as personal, of the said Carlos Copeland, within this Province, will be sold for the payment and satisfaction of the Creditors of the said Carlos Copeland. Dated at Fredericton, in the County of York, this twenty second day of June, A. D. 1840.

W. BOTSFORD.

[First Published in Gazette, June 24, 1840.]

By William Botsford, Esquire, one of the Justices of Her Majesty's Supreme Court of Judicature for the Province of New Brunswick.

To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:

NOTICE is hereby given, That upon the application of John Rhodes, to me duly made, according to the Acts of Assembly in such case made and provided, I have directed all the Estate as well real as personal, within this Province of James Balloch, late of the City of St. John, in the Province of New Brunswick, (which said James Balloch is departed from and without the limits of this Province, with intent and design to defraud the said John Rhodes, Arthur Pollok, Alexander Rankin, Robert Rankin, James Gilmour, Allan Gilmour, Junior, and John Pollok, Junior, and the other Creditors of the said James Balloch, if any such there be of their just dues, or else to avoid being arrested by the ordinary process of the Law, as is alleged against him,) to be seized and attached, and that unless the said James Balloch do return and discharge his said debt or debts within three months from the publication hereof, all the Estate as well real as personal, of the said James Balloch, within this Province, will be sold for the payment and satisfaction of the Creditors of the said James Balloch. Dated at Fredericton, the sixteenth day of June, 1840.

W. JACK, Attorney for Petitioning Creditors.

[First Published in Gazette, June 17, 1840.]

By the Honorable Ward Chipman, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Judicature for the Province of New Brunswick.

To all whom these presents shall come, Greeting:

NOTICE is hereby given, that upon the application of John Rhodes, to me duly made, according to the Acts of Assembly in such case made and provided, I have directed all the Estate as well real as personal, within this Province, of Joseph Blake and Nathaniel Blake, late of Saint Mary's, in the County of York, (which said Joseph Blake, and Nathaniel Blake are departed from and without the limits of this Province, with intent and design to defraud the said John Rhodes and others, Creditors of the said Joseph Blake and Nathaniel Blake, if any there be of their just dues or else to avoid being arrested by the ordinary process of the Law, as is alleged against them,) to be seized and attached, and that unless the said Joseph Blake and Nathaniel Blake do return and discharge their said debt or debts within three months from the publication hereof, all the Estate as well real as personal of the said Joseph Blake and Nathaniel Blake, within this Province, will be sold for the payment and satisfaction of the Creditors of the said Joseph Blake and Nathaniel Blake. Dated at Fredericton, the tenth day of June, A. D. 1840.

WARD CHIPMAN.

[First Published in Gazette, June 17, 1840.]

NEW BRUNSWICK IN CHANCERY.

TRINITY TERM, 3d VICTORIA.

THE following days are appointed by His Honor the Master of the Rolls, for the Sitting of the Court, during the ensuing Vacation viz:

1st Tuesday in July.

1st Tuesday in August.

1st Tuesday in September.

By the Court.

D. LUDLOW ROBINSON, REGR.

NOTICE is hereby given, That we the Subscribers have been duly appointed Trustees for all the Creditors of Edward N. Kendall and William P. Kay, surviving partners of William Braithwaite, deceased, and have been duly sworn to the faithful execution of the said trust, pursuant to the directions of the Acts of Assembly in such case made and provided, and do hereby require all persons indebted to the said Edward N. Kendall and William P. Kay, as surviving partners as aforesaid, or to the said Edward N. Kendall, or the said William P. Kay, in their individual right, on or before the first day of September next, ensuing the date hereof, to pay us, or some one of us, all such sum or sums of money, or other debt, duty or thing, which they owe to the said Edward N. Kendall and William P. Kay, either as surviving partners as aforesaid, or in their individual capacity, and to deliver up the effects of the said Edward N. Kendall and William P. Kay, as aforesaid, which they or any other of them may have in his, her or their hands, power or custody, to us or some one of us as aforesaid, and we also authorize and desire all the Creditors of the said Edward N. Kendall and William P. Kay, as surviving partners as aforesaid, on or before the first day of September next, to deliver to us at the Office of David S. Kerr, whose name is hereunto subscribed, their respective accounts and discounts against the said Edward N. Kendall and William P. Kay, as surviving partners as aforesaid, in order that right and justice may be done, agreeable to the form of the Acts of Assembly in such case made and provided: Given under our hands this tenth day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty.

JAMES TAYLOR,

DAVID S. KERR, Trustees.

THOMAS STEWART.

INDENTURES for Sale at this Office.

Feb. 11.

BARRACK CANTEN.

OFFICE OF ORDNANCE,

St. John, N. B. 3d August, 1840.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the CAN-

TEEN in the Barracks at Fredericton,

is to be Let upon the following conditions, for

THREE YEARS, from the 1st October next, to

the 30th September, 1843.

No person but of unexceptionable character,

or who will not undertake, bona fide, to reside

in the Canteen, and conduct the business thereof

in his own person, will be approved; and two

Sureties will be required for the regular pay-

ment of the Rent, and of all sums which may

become due in respect of the said Canteen, and

for the due performance of the several condi-

tions and stipulations of the Lease.

The person whose proposal shall be accepted,

and his Sureties, must execute the Indenture

of Lease and Covenants relating thereto, the

particulars whereof may be known by applying

at this Office, or to the Barrack Master at

Fredericton.

The names of two respectable persons, with

their Christian names, professions and places

of abode, who will join the Tenant in execut-

ing the Indenture, as his Sureties, must be inserted

in the proposals; and the Ordnance Depart-

ment does not undertake to procure the Tenant

a Licence.

Scaled Proposals, addressed to the Respec-

tive Officers of Her Majesty's Ordnance, with

the words "Tender for Canteen" written on

the outside cover, will be received at the above

Office, on or before twelve o'clock, at noon,

of Friday the 11th September next,—after

which hour any proposals received cannot be

noticed.

By the Mutiny Act, Canteens are not liable

to have Troops billeted on them.

All persons making Tenders, to specify the