

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. S. 309.—It is hereby notified that sealed tenders in duplicate, which should be clearly marked “Tender for Medical Department Contract”, will be received at the Colonial Secretary’s Office until Noon of Friday, the 31st October, 1919, for the supply of Aerated Waters; Bedding and Clothing; Beers, Spirits, Wines, etc.; Spirit of Wine; Chemicals, Drugs, Surgical Instruments, and Sundries; Furniture, etc.; Milk, etc.; Provisions; Sundries; and Washing, (Schedules Nos. 1 to 10), required locally by this Department, for the period of one year from the first of January next inclusive.

Tenders may be made for the 10 Schedules, or for each separately.

No tender will be considered unless the person tendering produces a receipt to the effect that he has deposited in the Colonial Treasury the sum of \$200 as a pledge of the *bonâ fides* of his offer, which sum shall be forfeited to the Crown if such person shall refuse to carry out his tender, should his tender be accepted.

The Contractor will be required to enter into a Bond for the fulfilment of his contract, and for the supply of all articles of the best quality.

The Contractor for Schedules Nos. 7 and 8 will be required to deliver the supplies for the Victoria Hospital for Women and Children at the Hospital in Barker Road (Peak).

The Contractor for Schedule No. 8 will be required to supply store accommodation, ample enough for the housing of provisions, and this store must be kept in a sanitary condition.

The Contractor for Schedule No. 10 will be required to collect the bedding and clothing at the Civil Hospital and Victoria Hospital for Women and Children in Barker Road (Peak), returning the same to these institutions when washed.

Except where otherwise stated, the contractor will be required to deliver all supplies at the Civil Hospital.

The Contractor will be required to deliver all supplies, etc., free from any additional charge, beyond that stated in his tender.

The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

All other information may be obtained from the Principal Civil Medical Officer at the Civil Hospital.

C. W. McKENNY,
Principal Civil Medical Officer.

14th October, 1919.

KOWLOON-CANTON RAILWAY,
(BRITISH SECTION).

No. S. 310.—It is hereby notified that sealed tenders in duplicate, which should be clearly marked “Tender for the supply of Castings”, will be received at the Colonial Secretary’s Office until Noon of Friday, the 24th day of October, 1919, for the supply of Castings for the use of the Kowloon-Canton Railway (British Section) for the year 1920.

Forms of tender and further particulars may be obtained at the Railway Office, Kowloon.

The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

No. S. 311.—It is hereby notified that sealed tenders in duplicate, which should be clearly marked “Tender for the supply of Lubricating Oils for the Kowloon-Canton Railway”, will be received at the Colonial Secretary’s Office until Noon of Friday, the 24th day of October, 1919, for the supply of Lubricating Oils for the Kowloon-Canton Railway (British Section) from 1st January, 1920, to 31st December, 1920.

The price quoted to include free delivery at the Railway Stores at Hunghom.

No tender will be received unless the person tendering produces a receipt to the effect that he has deposited in the Colonial Treasury the sum of \$100 as a pledge of the *bona fides* of his offer, which sum shall be forfeited to the Crown, if such person refuses to carry out his tender, if accepted.

The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

For further information apply at the Office of the Manager at Kowloon, where forms of tender may be obtained.

ROBERT BAKER,
Manager.

17th October, 1919.

SANITARY DEPARTMENT.

No. S. 312.—In accordance with Section 168 of the Public Health and Buildings Ordinance, 1903, Ordinance No. 1 of 1903, it is hereby notified that the Government proposes to convert the Urinal at the Chair Coolies Shelter at the Peak into a water-flushed Trough Closet and Urinal.

If any owner or occupier in the immediate vicinity of such site objects to such erection, such objection must be sent in writing to the Colonial Secretary so as to reach his office not later than Friday, the 7th November, 1919.

A. GIBSON,
Head of the Sanitary Department.

17th October, 1919.

No. S. 313.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

TRANSLATION.

Notification No. 982 of Department of Communications.

Shimonoseki Strait.

NOTICE is hereby given that the character, candle power and visibility of the light of Shirasu Lighthouse, S. W. of Aino-shima, W. Entrance to Shimonoseki Strait, will be changed as follows in the near future:—

Shirasu Lighthouse.

Character:—Pintsch gas occulting white, duration of light 3 seconds and of eclipse 3 seconds.

Power:—375 candles.

Visible distance:—12½ nautical miles in clear night.

Further notice will be given after the above changes have been effected.

UTARŌ NODA,
Minister of State for Communications.

TOKYO, July 28th, 1919.