

Salísbury

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Contract to Supply Goods to the Workhouse

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Such persons as are willing to contract with the Churchwardens and Overseers of this city, to supply the House for three months, to commence the 8th instant, with the undermentioned articles, are desired to send their proposals (sealed up) to the Master of the Workhouse, directed to the Churchwardens and Overseers, on or before Friday next, by four o'clock in the afternoon, or they will not be read. The usual pieces of Beef per pound; Salt and Oatmeal per bushel; Candles, Soap, Sugar, and Tobacco, per pound; Household Bread and Lamp Oil per gallon, and Newcastle Coals per chaldron. Samples of such things as may be convenient are desired. The most reasonable terms in proportion to goodness will be accepted.

It is expected that all articles contracted for will be sent in perfectly good, or the contract will be void, and what had will not be paid for.

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