

# TENDERS

For the Insane, Queen's, and Prince County Prisons.

ARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, Charlottetown, Dec. 11th 1900. Sealed Tenders will be received at this department until noon on Saturday, Dec. 22nd, 1900.

From any person or persons willing to contract to supply "The Hospital for the Insane," Pictouwood, for the year ending 31st December, 1907, with the following articles, the same to be delivered at the Institute at the cost of the contractor, in such quantity or quantities as shall from time to time be required, viz:—Flour, Butter (creamery), Black Tea, Coffee, Harbory, Beans, Cheese, Cornmeal, P. E. I Oatmeal, Salt, Soap, Washing Soda, Tobacco, Molasca, Beef (fresh), Mutton, Poultry, Rice, Kerosene Oil, Sugar (brown and granulated), Suits of Houseman's Clothing (no pockets), Blankets (grey and white 8 x 8 1/2 inches XXXX weight), Island Linnet.

Also to supply Queen's, King's and Prince County Prisons for the same period and on same conditions with the following articles, viz:—Hard and Soft Bread, Molasca, Oatmeal, Kerosene Oil and Fresh Beef.

All articles are required to be of the best quality.

Tenders must express the price per barrel, pound and gallon and to be accompanied by the names of two responsible persons willing to become bound for the faithful performance of the contract.

The Trustees and the Department do not necessarily bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

Tenders must express on the cover "Jail Supply Tender" and "Hospital for the Insane Supply Tender."

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L. B. McMillan, Secretary of Public Works.

12-12, 13, 14, 15, 19, 21, 22.

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**BREAD CAKE**

# TUNNEL BETWEEN BRITAIN AND FRANCE

Again Becoming A Subject of World-Wide Discussion... Companies in Both Countries Have Agreed to Bore Each One Half of the Tunnel.

PARIS, Dec. 10.—The French and English companies that have agreed to bore each half of the tunnel under the Channel that separates England from the Continent, are pushing their plans just as if the British Parliament had already passed the bill authorizing the construction.

The French Parliament has already given its consent, and will in a few days ratify it. It is a foregone conclusion, now that both nations have given so much evidence of their interest in the project, that the British will pass the bill authorizing the construction.

A new model, which shows the course of the proposed tunnel across the straits of Dover, is now exhibited by the French company, giving the different geological strata through which the boring would be made. This model was constructed by M. Ludovic Breton, the chief engineer of the company, and one of the most noted geologists of modern times.

Already at Sangatte, below Calais, near the coast, the plans of the French company have been erected, and a similar structure is in course of construction on the English side.

For nearly a century the tunnel scheme has been cherished in both countries, but not until 1875 was any decided move made. Then a French society was formed under the presidency of Michel Chevalier, the noted economist, with a capital of 2,000,000 francs. One-fourth of the shares were taken by the De Rothschild, and the French Parliament sanctioned the project. At the same time an English concern was organized. It was planned that from each side a separate tunnel should be built. This the British Parliament permitted, but when in 1880 the two companies were merged and each was to build half of the tunnels so as to meet in the middle of the channel, Lord W. I.ley vetoed the plan, and said the tunnel would prove a great nuisance to England in case of war. He had no objection to a bridge that could be blown up. The Britons passed a bill forbidding the construction of the tunnel, but a tunnel from each side a mile or two underground tube had been bored.

The proposed tunnel is to be 30 miles in length, running from Sangatte, near Calais, in France. It is figured that the cost will be about \$50,000,000. The insurance advantage of this dry-land link cannot be overestimated, for it is reckoned that a saving of at least five shillings in the ton would be effected on merchandise and for passengers the knowledge that it was possible to get from London to all parts of the Continent without the discomforts of a channel crossing and the risk of mal-de-mer would be quite sufficient inducement to more than double the passenger traffic in both directions.

One of the tunnels will be for outward traffic, which would then run direct from London to all the countries of Europe, and the other tunnel for the incoming trains by the "Chemins de Fer du Nord."

It is customary to consider paralysis, insanity and other diseases of the nerves as affections which come upon a person without warning and which are, therefore, unavoidable.

As a matter of fact such results are preceded by months, if not years, of symptoms which point to an exhausted condition of the nervous system. These symptoms are such, however, that many pass them by as not being of serious concern and thinking that they will wear away of themselves.

Sleeplessness, nervous headaches, indigestion, bodily weakness, fainting spells, twitching of the nerves, inability to concentrate the thoughts and loss of accuracy are among the most common indications of a run-down nervous system. It is sometimes only a step from such symptoms to prostration, paralysis, locomotor ataxia or insanity.

Stimulants and narcotics, though sometimes affording temporary relief, only hasten the exhaustion of the nerves. Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, on the other hand, reconstructs and restores the wasted and depleted nerve cells.

Naturally, gradually and certainly this great medicine builds up the blood and the nervous system, the life-sustaining principles which replenish the nerve force in the body and so effect lasting benefit.

Mr. Arthur Lafferty, Malpeque Road, Charlottetown, P. E. I., states:—"I was all run down in health and in fact I was so bad that the least excitement would make me start up nervous. My nerves were very unsteady and at times I had racking, sick headaches and spells of indigestion."

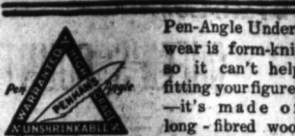
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