

DESTITUTION IS GREAT.

St. John's Nfld., March 10.—Pittiful accounts have reached here of suffering in the islands of St. Pierre and Miquelon, where a degree of destitution that is unprecedented prevails.

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MR. HALES' LETTER.

We feel assured that our business men and the general public will read with interest the letter in another column from F. W. Hales on behalf of the Charlotte Town Steam Navigation Company.

Coming to the facts and figures as to our exports and imports stated by Mr. Hales, it must be observed that no one claims that "the greater part" of our imports and exports passes over the Navigation Company's boats.

The census, the only detailed official report on the annual production of the Island, formed the basic authority on which Mr. Hales made his estimates of quantities. It is most unfair of Mr. Hales to place in contrast with the census figures his own statement, which the public have no means of verifying.

The Patriot affects to think that it was all right to put the sixty passengers of the Stanley on siege rations when four days out. At the same time it suggests that those who complain ought to go to Georgetown and take passage on the Stanley.

It is gratifying to note that \$119, or was it \$198? worth of provisions was put on the steamer Stanley three months ago. But if the crew and passengers have since been fed full rations there might not be very much left.

As for the winter steamers which we have, admitting that the winter has been a most severe one, and admitting that the steamers are inadequate to the work required of them, the Guardian's contention is that they should be kept adequately provisioned and coaled, and that they shall keep at work endeavoring to make a passage till it is effected.

If we know the temper and disposition of our Island people the great majority of them desire first, last, and all the time the fulfilment of the terms of union—"efficient steam communication with the Mainland." They want no sectional side issues, no petty squabbling, no vulgar personalities to interfere with that object.

The Grand Division of the E. O. T. wants the help of the Clergymen and Teachers of Queen's County to aid in the repeal of the Scott Act, in order to bring the Prohibition Act into force throughout the entire Province.

The best medicine for restoring verity and strength is Ferrozone. The time to take Ferrozone is when you first feel tired, and when appetite fails, when nerves get irritated.

AN OPPORTUNITY To Buy At Actual Cost. During March we sell without profit stoneware which has left a very considerable stock on our hands which should have been sold during January and February.

A Safe Cough Medicine For Children. In buying a cough medicine for children never be afraid to buy Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. There is no danger from it and relief is always sure to follow.

A few years ago the Stanley broke into Charlottetown harbor in February when the ice in port was as thick as it is now.

Even the old Elliott could get safely out of Charlottetown harbor in the late fall long after Capt. Finlayson thought it dangerous to ply to this port.

An even bet is offered that the Princess will get out of Charlottetown harbor this spring before the Minto gets in. This happened before. And yet Capt. Finlayson thinks it so much easier to break into port than to break out!

The Patriot seems troubled because all the really valuable suggestions for the improvement of our winter services come from the cheerful and sunny sanctum of The Guardian. This is not our fault. It is open to our contemporary also to offer valuable suggestions if he should ever happen to think of one.

By all means let all needless work be avoided on Sunday as far as may be, but the crossing at the Capes, in the present interrupted condition of our mail and passenger service must be regarded as a work of necessity and mercy.

There is one point in regard to the Grand Trunk Pacific upon which even The Guardian and The Patriot can agree. Had the big scheme included a tunnel across the straits, or other practicable means by which our railway system could have daily steam communication with the new trans-continental road, as ought to have been, the opposition to the Grand Trunk Pacific and to the Government at the last election would have been reduced to a minimum.

Let it be said for the commanders of the Northumberland and Princess that they are capable, prudent and energetic. The boats ply to the latest practicable date in the fall and resume at the earliest practicable date in the spring. The general public cheerfully give credit for this.

SEVERE COLD IN THE CHEST. "My fourteen-year-old boy had a very severe cold in the chest last winter and I really thought he was going to die. He coughed nearly all the time and some times would spit up blood. I can positively say that he was completely cured by two bottles of Dr. Chase's Syrup of Limes and Turpentine, and he has not been troubled since."

TO THE CLERGYMEN AND TEACHERS OF QUEEN'S COUNTY

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THE SQUARES St. Patrick's Day 1825 - - - 1905 "ERIN GO BRAGH" to buy AND WHERE?

We want a clean stock in our square section before 1st April and have marked down our whole stock. The discounts vary owing to the sale ability of the square and the time they have been in stock.

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The Benevolent Irish Society of Charlottetown, will celebrate St. Patrick's Day, on

FRIDAY, MARCH 17, '05

By the usual Grand Parade in the morning at 10 o'clock to Dunstan's Cathedral, where a service will be held and a sermon appropriate to the occasion will be delivered, after which the Society will re-form and parade the principal streets.

"THE HAND OF A FRIEND." By the St. Patrick's Dramatic Class, Stage Manager, W. C. Whitlock, Will be Presented in the

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