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Subscriptions for 1902 and previous years are now overdue; and subscriptions for 1903, are now payable. Our friends will please bear these facts in mind.

ADVICES from Ottawa and London state that the Chief Justice of England and two Canadian judges will constitute the British Commissioners on the Alaskan Boundary Inquiry.

In the North Ontario election for the House of Commons on Tuesday of last week Mr Foster was defeated by about 150 majority. Mr. Foster is too able a man for the Government to have allowed in Parliament if he could by any means be kept out.

It will be remembered that Brunet, who sat in Parliament last session as the member for the St. James Division of Montreal, was subsequently proved by the courts to have gained the seat by the most unblushing and scandalous bribery and corruption.

The Winter Steamers.

It is now more than two months since the Stanley was stuck in the ice off Sea Cow Head and it is about a month since the Minto was disabled in her efforts to relieve the Stanley; still they are in greater danger than at any time since they have been put out of action.

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established. They seem altogether oblivious or totally regardless of the inconvenience and loss, in some cases ruin, to the business interests of our Province arising from stoppage of winter navigation. They have done absolutely nothing of a practical nature to relieve the situation and have handicapped the efforts of the Board of Trade and private individuals in their efforts to free the steamers. This is noticeable in the refusal of the railway authorities to allow a special train to go to Georgetown till some one put up the money to cover the cost of the same.

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STEAMERS RELEASED.

Since writing the above the pleasing news has come that the steamers have been released from their perilous position and are now at Pictou. The work of cutting out the Stanley and blowing up the ice with dynamite was rushing on Monday afternoon and evening, and yesterday morning about 9 o'clock the Stanley reached the Minto and took her in tow to Pictou.

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Dominion Parliament.

The session opened on the 12th inst., with the usual formalities. Following is the speech from the throne: Honourable Gentlemen of the Senate; Gentlemen of the House of Commons:

THE MAGDALEN ISLANDS.

The following appeared in the Maritime paper on the 6th inst.—One of the most important and extensive deals in real estate that has taken place in British North America for years was consummated in London last week, when a syndicate of British capitalists acquired possession of the Magdalen Islands in the Gulf of St. Lawrence.

DIED

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As a result of the recent decennial Census, the representation of the different provinces must be re-adjusted, as required by the British North America Act, and a Bill will be introduced for that purpose.

Bills with respect to the creation of a Railway Commission, the amendment of the Patent Laws, the Militia Act, Chinese immigration, the reorganization of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, the settlement of Railway labour disputes, and various other subjects will be submitted to you.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons: The Public Accounts will be laid before you and also the estimates for the coming year, which have been prepared with due regard to economy and the rapid growth of the Dominion.

Honourable Gentlemen of the Senate; Gentlemen of the House of Commons: I pray that in the consideration of these matters and in the performance of all the labors which will devolve on you, your deliberations, under Divine guidance, will tend still to increase the prosperity and happiness of our people.

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CANADA'S NAVAL MILITIA.

The Minister of Marine stated on the 11th inst., that in another month he will have his plan fully matured for the establishment of a Naval Militia on the Canadian coast, both in the eastern provinces and in British Columbia. He is satisfied that Parliament will approve of the idea and deal generously with it from a money point of view.

CANADA'S GOVERNOR-GENERAL.

The London Canadian Gazette makes the following statement regarding the rumor that Lord Stanley of Preston, eldest son of the Earl of Derby, former Governor-General of Canada, is to succeed Earl Minto as Canada's Governor-General. "As the Earl of Minto's term does not expire till November next, it is somewhat premature to talk about a successor. Lord Stanley has not accepted, nor has he been selected for the post. We do not know that he has yet done anything to qualify him for the position, which more than ever requires a statesmanship of a high, if not quiet order."

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