The Manitoba legislature will be called to meet between March 10th and 16.

The outbreak of typhus fever in New York has reached startling proportions. Eighty-one cases have been discovered.

The steamer Majestic, which arrived at Mew York on Wednesday, made the run from Queenstown to Sindy Hook in 5 days, 20 hours, and 22 minutes, the quickest time ever made for the distance sail d.

The Ladies Home Journal for March is tally up to the standard, and as everyone reads it we need not discant on its many excellencies. Published at one dollar per year by the Curtis Publishing Company, Piot despina-

Messrs. D. Appleton & Co. announce a new book by Arabella B. Buckley, author of "The Faryland of Science," "Life and Her Children," etc. The title of this work will be "Moral Teachings of Science," a timely subject, which the author has invested with special

A New York despatch says that a special to the New York R-corder, from Albany, says: "According to a private cable despatch received in this oity yesterday, the Prince of Wales and suite of twenty-five persons will pass through Albany on the 27th on their way to Niagara Falls, where two floors of the Clifton House have been engaged. The party's destination is Ottawa. The object of this visit of the Prince of Wales is not disclosed.

A tall chimney which was undergoing repairs at Checkheaton, England, fell on Wednesday crushing the factory and killing a number of operatives.

Unemployed Vienna workmen in meeting have said: "The stern voice of hunger will at last compel the unemployed to demand work peremptorily, instead of humbly begging it."

A few days ago a crisis occurred in the French Cabinet and the members resigned. President Carnot has entrusted the task of reconstruction to M Rouvier, who is trying to include most of the ministers in the new cabinet. M. DeFreycient, Ribot, Constans and Develle have decided to remain in the cabinet.

The London Globe easts the prospects of foreign co-operation in the Chicago World's Fair do not appear very bright. In the case of England the Globe says that the very grave feeling against the McKinley b. 1 has not yet subsided, but it is to hoped the manufacturers will not let their feelings overcome their more prudent judgment.

Advices have been received from Upper Burmah to the effect that Fort Sadon is besieged by 500 Kachuns instigated by Chinaman who have been disputing the frontier line, and who have lately been encroaching on frontier posts within the British line. The fort is garrisoned by 100 natives and a force of British troops. Nineteen of the latter have been either killed or wounded, and the seige is said to be close. Lieut. Harrison is in command at the fort, and Major Yale is chief in command of the district, but he is away with 500 men dispersing rebels.

Mrs. Robert Montagu of Coleraine, Ireland, is to be tried for having caused the death of her three year old daughter, Mary Holen Montague, by tying her to the wall in a dark room alone, where the bandage with which she was bound slipped up and choked her. Mrs. Montague's ideas of dicipline are severe, but the jury has said her action was felonious and she is responsible for her child's death. She belongs to a wealthy family, and Mr. Montagu is a grandson of the Duke of Manchester. Great excitement prevails in Ulster over the tragedy.

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Princess Patricia, the five-year-old daughter of the Duke of Connaught, is seriously ill with pneumonia.

Severe floods are reported from the provinces of Granada, Malega, Almeria and Codora, Spain, due to melted snow. The loss will be incalculable, it is said, unless the waters rapidly subside.

The disturbances attending the elections for members of the Japanese House of R. presentatives have been quelled. It is expected that the government will have a majority of the seats in the new house.

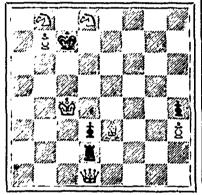
The Irish local government bill, introduced by Mr. Balfour on Thursday of last week, is not meeting with approval. It created quite a commotion in the house The parliamentary situation last week looked very precarious, but things are calmer now.

Elward Parker Deacon, a prominent banker of Cannes, France, and formerly a civizen of Boston, shot M. Emile Abeille, a former friend, in his wise's bedroom on the 17th inst. Mrs. D-acon is the daughter of the late Admiral Buldwin and is rich in her own right. Deacon was arrested after sending telegrams to friends. There are two sides to the story and Mrs. Deacon testifies that her husband had no cause for his action.

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Solution of Problem No. 103: Q to KK15. Solved by C. W. L.

PROBLEM No. 105. By D. S. Wade, St. Louis. From The Weck. Binck 4 pieces.



White 7 pieces. White to play and mate in two moves.

Game No. 106. THE GREAT MATCH. The following is the third game played:

Evans Gambit. Black White. Tschigorin. Steinitz. P to K4 1 P to K4 2 Kt to KB3 Kt to QB3 3 B to B4 B to Bi 4 P to Q Kt4 B tks K P 5 P to B3 B to R4 P to Q3 B to K Kt5 6 Castles P to Q4 S B to Q Kt5 9 P tks P Ptks P B to Q2 10 B to Kt2 Kt to B3 a 11 Kt to R3 Castles Kt to K2 12 P to Q5 13 Btks Kt P tke B 14 B tks B Q tks B 15 Kt to B4 B to K13 16 Kt to R4 K to R sq 17 Q to B3 P to KB4 18 Kt tks B RP iks Kt 19 P tks P R to R5 20 P to Kt3 P to QB3 Piks P 21 P tks P 22 KR to K sq Kt to Q4 23 Q to R5 24 K to R sq R to KKt eq Kt to B3 25 Q to B3 26 R to K2 P to Q4 P to Q5 27 QR to Keq Q to Q4 K to Kt2 28 R to K7

> Drawn game. NOTES.

29 K to Kt sq 30 Kt tks Q

31 R to Q7 32 R to Q sq

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P to Q6

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