

DRAUGHTS-CHECKERS

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NEWS.

The differences which arose between Messrs. Reed and Barker as to the amount of the stakes for which they should play have been adjusted. The match for the "World's Championship" and a stake of \$1,000 has been arranged to open in Chicago on the 14th of September next. Thirty games are to be played from restricted openings.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

A. S. McKAY, Sydney - You appear to be correct, but the play will be submitted to Mr. Forsyth when he returns.

Correct solutions have been received from the following:—McGill, Yarmouth; "Alpha," Ottawa; E. Morton, Milton, N. B.; A. S. McKay, Sydney; J. E. Cox, Montreal; and "D. S. M." We are glad to observe that the interest in this column appears to be growing.

SOLUTION.

PROBLEM 234.—The position was:—black men 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 10, king 26; white men 12, 13, 14, 15, 17, 19, 21, 22. White to play and win.
12 8 5-14 15 6 26-17
3-12 13 9 2-9 21 5
14 9 6-13 17 3 W. wins

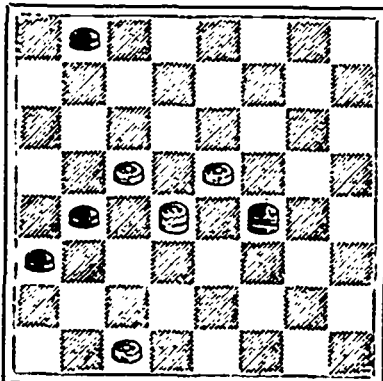
GAME NO. 114.—SINGLE CORNER.

Played at Glasgow, between Mr. Fraser of Dundee, and Mr. R. Martin, from the *American Checker Review*

11-15	13-17	1-6	9-13
22 18	21 14	30 26	17 14
15-22	10-26	3-8	6-9
25 18	31 22	19 15	15 10
12-16	4-8	16-19	19-23
24 19	22 17	23 16	
16-20	8-12	12-19	
26 22	17 14	26 22	
8-11	11-16	7-10	Fraser
29 25	25 21	14 7	won
9-13	6-9	2-11	with
28 24	32 28	21 17	black.

PROBLEM 236.

By E. Kelly of Winnipeg.
Black men, 1, 17, 21, king 19.



White men, 14, 15, 30, king 18.
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