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TO CORRESPONDENTS.

ANDREW WHITE, Newfoundland.
 —Your welcome letter received. Would like to hear oftener from you. Its contents will be investigated and reported on at an early date. We thought that the missing No., Dec. 14, had been mailed to you, but will see to it once more.

THE CHAMPIONSHIP OF DARTMOUTH.
 A friendly match of fifty games for the above title is being played between W. Forsyth (a nephew of the editor of this column) and Henry Moseley. We will give the result at the finish.

CHAMPIONSHIP OF CANADA. — A match for \$250 dollars a side and the championship of Canada will be commenced at Markham, Ont., on the 27th instant, between Mr. Fleming, of Markham, the present holder, and Mr. Kelly, of Winnipeg. We would be greatly obliged if some of our friends in that vicinity will favor us with a record of some of the games played at this match. *Toronto Mail* please copy.

SOLUTIONS.

PROBLEM 100.—The position was: —black men 1, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 11, 12, 13, 18, 19; white men 14, 15, 17, 20, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 32; white to move and win.

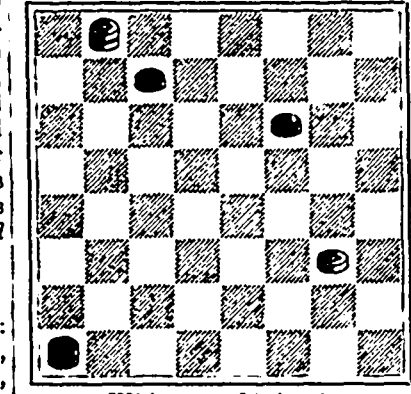
26	23	14	10	25	2	29	25
1-19-26	7-14	11-18	11-15			white	
30	23	27	24	32	14	wins.	
13-22	18-27	8-11					

VAR. I.							
13-22	7-14	18-27	32	14			
23	16	27	23	25	2		
12-19	19-26	11-18	white				
14	10	30	23	wins.			

PROBLEM 101.—The position was: —black men 3, 16, kg. 30, 31; white men 10, 18, 21, 23, kg. 22; white to move. What result?
 18 15 10 6 10 6 18 15
 1-30-26 26-23 24-27 23-19
 23 18 6 2 6 1 15 10
 26-17 16-2J 27-31 26-22
 21 14 15 10 1 5 10 6
 31-26 20-24 31-26 w. wins

VAR. I.							
31-27	22	26	27-23	10	7		
23	19	3-8	19	26	white		
16-23	26	19	30-23	wins.			

PROBLEM No. 103.
 By O. H. Richmond, Grand Rapids, Mich.
 Black men 6, 11, kg. 29.



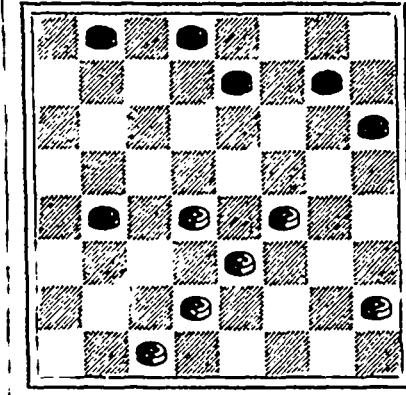
White man 24, kg. 1.
 Black to move and win.

GAME XXIII.

“Dundas” played between Frank Hamilton (black) and W. Forsyth (white).
 12-16 6-10 11-15 4-8
 24 20 24 19 20 11 22 18
 8-12 9-14 15-24 14-17
 27 24 18 9 28 19 21 14
 10-15 5-14 8-24 10-17
 22 18 29 25 32 28 *24 19
 15-22 3-8 24-27
 25 18 25 22 31, 24

* This brings us to the following position which we present as

PROBLEM No. 104.
 Black men (Hamilton) 1, 2, 7, 8, 12, 17.



White men (Forsyth) 18, 19, 23, 26, 28, 30.
 Black to move, what result?

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