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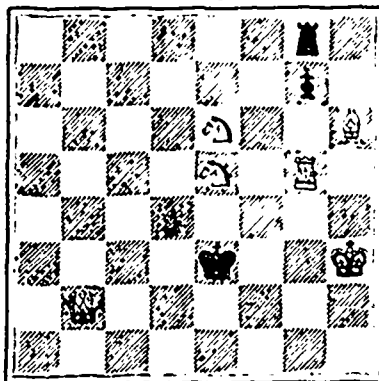
Problem No. 118: R to QB5. Solved by C. W. L.

PROBLEM No. 120.

One of the ten problems in the solving journey of the New York Chess Association.

By S. Loyd.

Black 3 pieces.



White 6 pieces.

White to play and mate in two moves.

THE BLACKBURNE-LASKER MATCH.

The second and third games of the match were drawn.

The following is the fourth game:

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| White. | Black. |
| Lasker. | Blackburne. |
| 1 P to Q4 | P to Q4 |
| 2 Kt to KB3 | Kt to KB3 |
| 3 P to K3 | B to K15 |
| 4 P to B4 | B takes Kt |
| 5 P takes B | P to B3 |
| 6 Kt to B3 | P to K3 |
| 7 Q to Kt3 | Q to B2 |
| 8 B to Q2 | QKt to Q2 |
| 9 P to B4 | P takes P |
| 10 B takes P | Kt to Kt3 |
| 11 B to Q3 | QKt to Q2 |
| 12 P to QR3 | B to K3 |
| 13 Kt to K2 | Q to Kt3 |
| 14 Q to B2 | Q to Qsq |
| 15 P to B5 | P takes P |
| 16 B takes P | P to KKt3 |
| 17 B to R3 | Castles |
| 18 Castles KR | Kt to R4 |
| 19 P to K4 | Kt to B2 |
| 20 P to B4 | B to B3 |
| 21 P to K5 | R to Ksq |
| 22 B to KKt4 | B to Kt2 |
| 23 R to B2 | Q to R5 |
| 24 R to Kt2 | Kt to Q4 |
| 25 R to KBsq | P to KB |
| 26 B to Ksq | Q to K2 |
| 27 B takes Kt | P takes B |
| 28 Kt to Kt | R to KBsq |
| 29 Kt takes BP | R takes Kt |
| 30 Q takes R | Kt to K6 |
| 31 Q to Kt5 | Q takes Q |
| 32 R takes Q | Kt takes R |
| 33 K takes Kt | R to KBsq |
| 34 B to Q2 | |

And Lasker won.

Final score, Blackburne 0, Lasker 6, drawn 4.

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PARLIAMENTARY REVIEW.

In discussing the application of the redistribution bill in Nova Scotia Mr. F. G. Forbes protested against the wiping out of his constituency, claiming that the coal counties had undue representation in the commons, and that it would have been more just to have united Richmond and Victoria than to have given the counties of Shelburne and Queens but one representative. Sir John Thompson reviewed the position taken by the government, claiming that as the representation had to be reduced by one member from Nova Scotia it was best, all things considered, to unite the contiguous counties of Shelburne and Queens, the interests of the people being identical. Many changes in the original bill have been made, and it is now regarded by the Liberals as much more acceptable than when it was first introduced.

An effort has been made to induce the government to inspect the barrels as well as the apples which they contain, but for the present the fruit only will be inspected.

The cry of distress has again arisen among the fishermen of Labrador, and the government is taking steps to ascertain the extent of the distress with a view to relieving the inhabitants of that inhospitable coast. While the United States authorities are protesting against Canadian sealers pursuing their calling in the extensive waters of the Behring Sea, American whalers are quietly poaching in the waters of Hudson's Bay. The government will take steps to protect Canadian interests in Canadian waters.

The supplementary estimates have been brought down and among the contemplated expenditures are the following:—a new post-office at Chatham, N. B. \$43,000; a new custom house at St. John to replace the one recently destroyed by fire, \$50,000; a new drill hall in Halifax, \$40,000; for the survey of the bed of the Straits of Northumberland between Capes Traverse and Tormentine, \$12,900; for the Canadian exhibit at the World's Fair \$100,000. Sir John Thompson has intimated that the house will prorogue toward the close of the coming week.

GUELPH GOSSIP.

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MISS ANNIE MCNULTY, Guelph, Ont.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Subscribers remitting Money, either direct to the office, or through Agents, will find a receipt for the amount inclosed in their next paper. All remittances should be made payable to A. Milne Fraser.

Mr. James D. Ross has already made a number of improvements in Victoria Park, Truro.

Seventy-five young men working in the mines at Londonderry have received notices of dismissal.

W. McDonald, of Pictou, has been awarded the contract for work on the Halifax esplanade for \$5,755.

The closing exercises of the Halifax Kindergarten School took place at Alexandria School yesterday afternoon.

The gardens concert postponed from the 21st of June will come off on Monday evening next, weather permitting.

The carettes ran from the north-end to Point Pleasant Park on Sunday last and were largely patronized a'l day.

It is said the new park and athletic grounds at Westville will be the finest in the province outside of Halifax.

The New Glasgow amateur athletic association assisted by their lady friends are holding a big picnic to-day at Ferrona.

The summer meeting of the Nova Scotia Fruit Growers' Association will be held in Bridgewater on Thursday next, July 7th.

Professor Seth, of Dalhousie College, has accepted the Professorship of Natural History at Brown University, Providence, R. I.

The war on street obstructions is still waging. Several prominent citizens have been notified that the steps of their buildings must be removed.

To-day, Dominion Day, is being generally observed as a holiday throughout the province. In some of the towns extensive celebrations are going on.

Sportsmen are complaining of the flagrant violations of the game laws taking place continually in many of the best hunting and fishing grounds of our county.

Encouraging reports come from all parts of Prince Edward Island as to the excellent conditions of the crops. The farmers are much pleased with the general outlook:

The *Typeurist* is a new paper published weekly by the students of Snell's Business College at Windsor. It is type-written and is a good advertisement for the College.

July 19th has been selected as the date of Labor Day celebration, and the necessary arrangements for a grand demonstration have been completed. The committee has adopted the following resolution:—"Resolved, that all display of liquor advertisements, in any form whatever, be excluded from the procession."

AFTER THE GRIP

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