

Chess.

Solutions to problems sent in by Correspondents will be duly acknowledged.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

ERRATUM—In our column of the 8th inst., in answer to G. E. C., for "Prob. No. 72" admits of a double, read No. 73. &c. The former is quite correct. Correct solution of Problem No. 76 received from J. H., St. Liboire, and G. E. C., Montreal.

THE CANADIAN CHESS ASSOCIATION.

The Secretary has issued the following circular, to which we gladly call the attention of Chess-players of the Dominion:—

TO THE CHESS PLAYERS OF THE DOMINION.

HAMILTON, 12th March, 1873.

GENTLEMEN,—The time for holding our next annual re-union is fast approaching, and it will be requisite to have the programme of the proposed Tourney prepared immediately. It is the intention of the Committee to offer three prizes for games and two for problems, the value of each prize, of course, will depend upon the amount of subscriptions received; but it is expected that a sum sufficient to give the following prizes will be realized: For 1st prize, \$50; 2nd do., \$25; 3rd do., \$10; and for problems, 1st prize, \$40; 2nd do., \$20.

It is earnestly expected that Chess-players who have not already subscribed will remit their subscriptions immediately, and that Chess Clubs will send their affiliation fee of \$5.

If, gentlemen, you will respond to this, my last appeal, liberal prizes will be awarded. The programme must appear in April.

I remain, &c., &c.,
I. RYALL, M.B.,
Sec.-Treas. Can. Ch. Ass.

A hard-fought battle in one of the matches now pending in the Montreal Chess Club:—

Queen's Irregular Opening.

White,	Black,
Prof. W. Hicks.	Prof. H. Aspinwall Howe, LL.D.
1. P. to Q. 4th	P. to Q. 4th
2. P. to K. B. 4th	P. to K. 3rd
3. P. to K. 3rd	P. to Q. Kt. 3rd
4. K. Kt. to B. 3rd	B. to Q. Kt. 2nd
5. P. to Q. B. 3rd	B. to Q. 3rd
6. B. to Q. 3rd	K. Kt. to B. 3rd
7. Castles.	P. to Q. B. 4th
8. P. to Q. R. 3rd	P. to Q. B. 5th
9. B. to Q. B. 2nd	P. to K. Kt. 3rd
10. P. to Q. Kt. 3rd	P. to Q. Kt. 4th
11. P. takes P.	Q. P. takes P.
12. Q. to K. sq.	Q. Kt. to Q. 2nd
13. P. to K. 4th	B. to Q. B. 2nd
14. P. to Q. R. 4th	K. Kt. to Q. 4th
15. P. to K. 5th	Kt. to K. 2nd
16. K. Kt. to Kt. 5th	Q. Kt. to Q. Kt. 3rd
17. Q. Kt. to Q. 2nd	Q. Kt. to Q. 4th
18. Q. Kt. to K. 4th	B. to Q. B. 3rd
19. Q. Kt. to Q. B. 5th	B. to Q. Kt. 3rd
20. B. to K. 4th	Kt. takes B. (6)
21. B. takes Kt. (a)	B. to Q. B. 2nd
22. P. to K. 4th	Q. to Q. 2nd
23. P. to Q. Kt. 5th (c)	P. to K. R. 3rd
24. B. to Q. R. 3rd	B. to Q. Kt. 2nd
25. K. Kt. to R. 3rd	Castles. (Q. R.)
26. B. to Q. 5th	Q. to Q. B. 3rd
27. Q. to Q. 2nd	K. takes B.
28. B. takes B.	R. to Q. 2nd
29. Kt. to Q. 6th	B. to Q. R. sq.
30. Q. R. to Q. B.	Kt. to K. 6th (d)
31. Q. to K. 2nd	Kt. to K. B. 4th
32. K. to K. B. 2nd	Kt. P. takes Kt.
33. Kt. takes Kt.	K. R. to K. Kt. sq.
34. Q. R. to Q. B. 2d (e)	K. R. to Kt. 3rd
35. Q. to K. R. 5th	Q. to K. 5th
36. Q. to K. R. 4th	Q. to Q. 4th
37. K. R. to K. 2nd	Q. to Q. 2nd
38. K. to B. sq.	Q. R. to Q. sq.
39. Kt. to Kt. sq.	Q. to Q. 2nd
40. K. R. to Q. 2nd	B. to K. 5th
41. Q. R. to Kt. 2nd	Q. R. to K. Kt. sq.
42. P. to K. Kt. 3rd	K. to Kt. sq.
43. Q. to K. R. 5th	B. ch.
44. K. to B. 3rd	Q. to Q. 4th
45. Kt. to B. 2nd	K. to B. 2nd
46. Kt. to R. 4th	K. R. to Kt. 2nd
47. Q. takes R. P. (f)	Q. to R. 8th (g)
48. Kt. to B. 3rd	R. takes P. wins.

(a) The game has been opened with care on both sides, and the preliminary skirmishes have resulted in about an even game; the capture here was necessary to open a retreat for the Q. Kt.

(b) Best; for if Q. or B. had taken, White would have gained an advantage by Q. Kt. to K. 4th.

(c) P. takes P., followed by B. to Q. R. 3rd seems preferable.

(d) By this manoeuvre Black gets the better game, forcing exchange of the dangerous Kt. and opening a file for his Rook. His Q. and B. are also well posted.

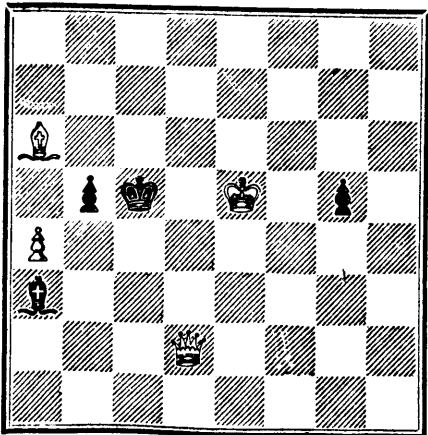
(e) Q. to K. B. 3rd, and the exchange of Queens afterwards, would, perhaps, have been best, in view of the threatened attack.

(f) This leaves Black a winning advantage.

(g) White cannot save the game after this coup.

PROBLEM No. 77.

By I. R., M. B., Hamilton.
BLACK.



WHITE.

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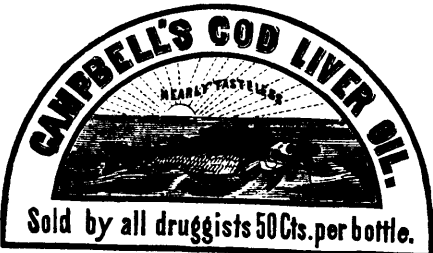
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CANAL OFFICE,
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Debtors.

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ROBERT JAMES LUSK,

By MONK & BUTLER, his Attorneys

ad litem.

WILLIAM LOUGH, Jr.,

By MONK & BUTLER, his Attorneys

ad litem.

Montreal, March 6, 1873.

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