

is concluded in this number. Mrs. Curzon describes the late celebration of the battle of Lundy's Lane. The Belle of the Settlement, a Northwest story, is a bright and readable sketch. The Sagamore talks of boodle and boodlers, and there are many other interesting features in this number.

The *Bellerophon*, accompanied by the *Canada*, sailed from Halifax for Sydney on Thursday of last week. The Flagship will leave Sydney on the 13th for St. Georges Bay, Newfoundland, and will leave there for Port Hawkesbury on the 17th. She will then return to Halifax, arriving here on the 24th. The *Canada* will be in Halifax on the 23rd of August ready to receive her new guns, to arrive here on the Troopship *Tyne*. According to present arrangements the *Bellerophon* will leave Halifax on the 19th of September for Quebec. She will be accompanied by the *Tartar* or *Tourmaline*, likely the former. The Troopship *Tyne* is expected to arrive here on the 5th of September next. She will bring a large number of supernumeraries for the fleet and also ten new guns for the warship *Canada*.

Says the *Truro Sun*:—"Some handsome and unique fences have this season been erected in Truro. Several iron fences receive many eucuniums, those previously noticed as well as one recently erected by Mr. A. Murray on Pleasant street. The post and wire fence recently erected by the Messrs. Sutherland on Elm street, is considered to be very neat and attractive. Then again the absence of dividing fences on the front lawns is a commendable feature, notably on the handsome properties of G. P. Nelson and S. E. Gourley. Indeed when one gets in the vicinity of the Methodist church and looks at the properties we have named, together with the handsome premises of J. N. Snook and others, the impression is irresistible that the street is well named. Off this runs Muir Street, with its many handsome cottages, and when the doctor runs the new street through to Prince, where the old house now stands, it will undoubtedly be a handsome centre."

James Russell Lowell died at his home in Cambridge, Mass., on Wednesday morning.

It is stated in New York that Adelaide Randall, the comic opera prima donna, has separated from her husband, Charles T. Atwood, and that a suit for divorce will soon result. Miss Randall recently sang in Halifax.

A British vessel and an American vessel have been seized for illegal sealing in Bering Sea by U. S. revenue cutters. The British schooner *E. B. Marvin* was transferred to the British ship *Nymph*. Eighty sealing vessels are said to be in Bering Sea.

A letter has been received at Lewiston, Me., from Lieut. Peary. It is dated God Haven, Disico Island, Greenland, via Copenhagen, June 29th, and states that the *Kite* arrived at God Haven on June 27th, and was to sail immediately for Uppernavik. All on board were well.

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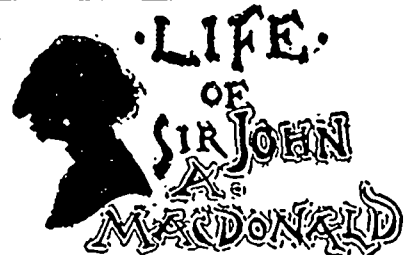
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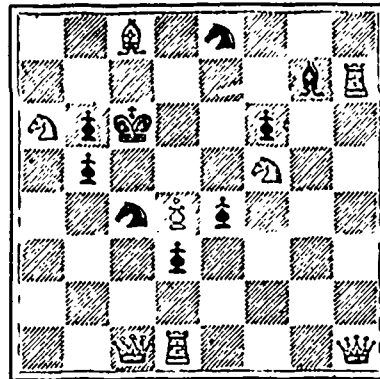
### PROBLEM NO. 78.

First prize Two-move Problem "Bahn Froi" Tournoy.

By L. R. Young, Utrecht.

From *Jamaica Gleaner*.

BLACK 9 pieces.



WHITE 8 pieces.

White to play and mate in 2 moves.

### GAME NO. 79.

The following pretty off-hand game was played recently between Mr. L. Van Vliet and Mr. N. Jasnaagrodsky.

WHITE.	BLACK.
Van Vliet.	Jasnaagrodsky.
1 P to K4	P to K4
2 P to K B4 a	P tks P
3 Kt to K B3	P to K Kt4
4 B to B4	B to Kt2
5 P to Q4	P to Q3
6 P to B3	P to K R3 b
7 Castles	Kt to K2
8 P to K Kt3	P to Kt5
9 Kt to R4	P to B6
10 Kt to Q2	Castles
11 Q Kt tks P d	P tks Kt
12 Q tks P	B to K3
13 B to Q3	Q Kt to B3
14 Q to R6	B to R6
15 B tks P	B tks R
16 Q B tks B	K tks B
17 R tks B	Kt to Kt3
18 P to K5	R to R1
19 R tks P ch	K tks R
20 B tks Kt ch	K to B1 e
21 Q to B6 ch	K to Kt2
22 Q to B7 ch	K to R3
23 Kt to B5 ch	K to Kt4
24 P to R4 ch	K to Kt5
25 Kt to K3 ch	K to R6
26 Q to B5 ch	K tks P
27 Q to B2 ch	K to R3
28 B to B5 mate.	

### NOTES.

a It reminds one of olden times to get into the "hair-breath escapes" of the imminent deadly breach," of a King's Gambit.

b Most authorities now recommend —P—Kt5 Black having the better game.

c This is a deviation from the ordinary line of play.

d This may be all right on account of Black's pieces being undeveloped on the Queen's side. In any case it makes the game both lively and interesting.

e Had Black now played K—Kt, White could do nothing more than draw by perpetual check.

—The Week



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