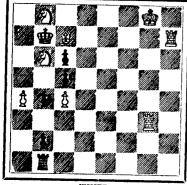
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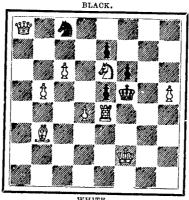
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No. 281.	No. 289		
White. Black. 1. Q-Kt 2 1. K-K 4 2. Q-K 2 2. P moves 3. P-B 3 mate. If 1. P-K B 4 2. B-K 2 + 2. K-K 4 3. Q-K 5 mate. With other variations.	White. No. 282. Black. 1. K-B 1		

GAME PLAYED AT THE TORONTO CHESS CLUB AUGUST 31st BETWEEN MR. A. T. DAVISON AND MR. A. HOOD.

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MR. DAVISON. White. 1. P-K 4 2. Kt-K B 3 3. B-Kt 5 4. Kt-B 3 5. B-B 4 6. B-Q 5 7. P-Q 3 8. Castles 9. B-K 3 10. B x B 11. P-Q 4 12. P-K 5 13. Kt x Q P 14. Kt x Kt (b) 15. B x P + 16. R-K 1 17. Q x Q + 18. Kt-Q 5 19. Kt-B 7	MR. Hood. Black. P-K 4 Kt-Q B 3 Q-B 3 (a) P-Q R 3 P-Q R 4 B-B 4 P-K R 3 K Kt-K 2 B-Kt 3 P x B P x P Q-B 4 Q x K P P x Kt Kt x B Q x R + B-K 3 Castles K R R-Q R 2 (c)	MR. DAVISON. White. 22. R x R 23. R-K 4 24. P-Q R 3 25. R-Q B 4 26. R-B 8 + 27. P x P 28. P-K B 4 29. R-Q B 4 30. R x P 31. R-Q 4 32. R-K 4 33. K-B 2 34. R-Q Kt 4 35. P-Q B 3 36. R-Q 4 (c) 37. R x Kt + (f) 38. K- K 3 39. P x P 40. K-Q 2	MR. Hoon. Black. K x Kt P—Q R 4 P—Q Kt 5 Kt—K 4 K—K 2 P x P Kt-Q 2 K—Q 3 K—B 3 P—Q Kt 4 K—Q 4 K—Q 5 Kt—B 4 Kt—Q 4 P—Q Kt 5 K x R K—B 5 K x P K—B 5 K x P
20. Kt x B	R-K 2	41. K-B 1 (g) and	White wing
21. Kt x R (d)	$R \times Q +$	1 2 1 (g) and	Wills.

NOTES.

(a) Not good.
(b) Winning move; a fine combination.
(c) This and Black's next move are well played.
(d) Best; but White should have played 19. Kt x Kt P, and this move would have been unnecessary.

(e) R-K 4 is the better move.

(f) Decisive; many games are lost or drawn by allowing the Kt to remain at large.

(g) Best; keeping the extra P is the easiest way to win.

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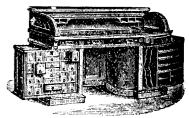
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