

**DRAUGHTS-CHECKERS**

The great match between the ex-champions, Freeman of Providence, and Barker of Boston, for \$1,000 was recently finished in favor of the former. The score stood Freeman 2, Barker 1 and the rest draws. It may not be generally known or remembered that Freeman is a full-blooded Indian who on a former occasion defeated Barker for the championship of America.

Messrs Forbes and O'Hearn had a sitting of 2½ hours in which two games were played. The score stood O'Hearn 1, Forbes 0, drawn 1. Below we give the drawn game.

Messrs. Forbes and Lynch of Shubenacadie have sent us the following corrections to problem 181. The position was:—black men 3, 12, kings 9, white men 24, 28, kings 19; white to play and draw.

19	15	15	18	23	27	23	18
3	7	7	10	9	14	7	10
24	19	24	20	27	23	20	16
9	5	1	5	10	15	12	19
28	24	18	23	19	10	18	15
5	1	5	9	14	7		drawn.

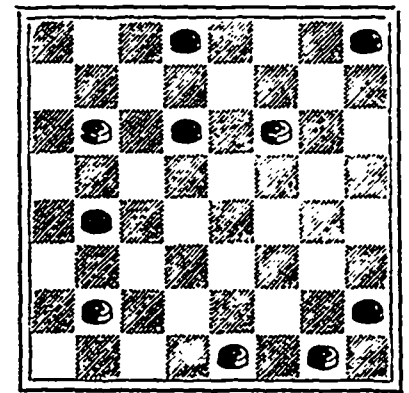
Not having received any solution to Problem 185 we leave it over till next week.

**GAME No 73.**  
"Will o' the Wisp."

Between Messrs. O'Hearn and Forbes. O'Hearn's move.

11-15	3-7	9-14	22-18
23-19	25-22	1-9	16-12
9-13	20-24	5-14	6-10
22-18	28-19	24-20	15-6
15-22	11-20	14-18	2-9
25-18	18-15	20-16	12-8
10-15	5-9	18-25	13-17
18-11	32-28	16-12	30-26
7-23	4-8	25-29	18-22
27-18	22-18	12-3	11-15
12-16	7-10	10-14	drawn
29-25	28-21	3-8	
16-20	20-27	29-25	
24-19	31-24	19-16	
8-11	1-5	25-22	
19-16	26-22	8-11	

The following position was reached in the second game and we give it as **PROBLEM No. 187.**  
(Forbes) Black men 2, 4, 10, 17, 28.



(O'Hearn) White men 9, 11, 25, 31, 32.  
White to play and win.

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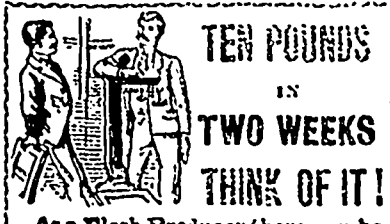
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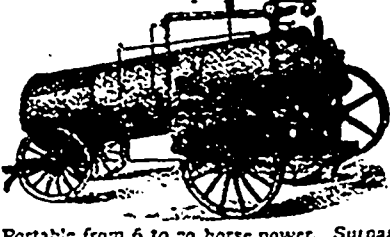
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