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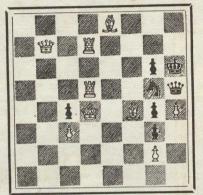




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PROBLEM NO. 71, by W. J. Faulkner, Toronto. (Specially composed for the "Courier.")

Black.-Seven Pieces.



White.-Nine Pieces.

White to play and self-mate in five. Our solver's ladder problems are the Our so

Problem No. 72, by Jan Kotrc.

White: K at QKt7; Q at KR3; R at K3; B at Q6; Kts at QKt5 and KBsq; P at QB2.
Black: K at Q4; Kts at QKt8 and KKt6; Ps at KB2, KB3 and KB4.
Mate in two.

Problem No. 73, by V. Holst.

White: K at Qsq; Q at KKt3; Kts at QB7 and KR6; Ps at QR2, QKt2, QB3, K2 and KR4.

Black: K at QB5; Rs at Q4 and Ksq; Ps at QB4, Q7, K6 and KR4.

Mate in three.

SOLUTIONS.

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Problem No. 67, by Frank Janet.

1. Kt—B6, B—B3; 2. R—KB4 mate.

1. ..., P—QB3; 2. Q—Q8 mate.

1. ..., KxKt; 2. RxB mate.

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The Black King flight here, in the "Pickabish" theme, is quite original. Although not a particularly good position artistically, this achievement is a difficult one, and cost Mr. Janet more labour than many prettier versions.

Problem No. 68. by G. Dehler.

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1. Kt—K4. PxKt; 2. Kt—B4ch, PxKt; 3. PxP mate.
1., Kt—K3; 2. Q—K7ch, BxQ; 3. Kt—K7 mate.
1., B—Q2; 2. Q—B5ch, K—K3;

1., B—Q2; 2. Q—B5ch, K—K3; 3. Q—B4 mate. 1., QB else; 2. Q—Kt7ch, B—B3; 3. Q—Kt3 mate. 1., threat; 2. Q—KB7ch, Kt—K3; 3. Kt—K7 mate.

Solver's Ladder.

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We republish by request the award of points in our solver's ladder competition. The top scorer every month receives a book prize, when his score is cancelled. Keys to two-movers, 2 points; to three-movers, 3 points. Proof of no solution, in two-movers, 2 points; in three-movers, 3 points. Second solutions to two-movers, 2 points; to three-movers, 3 points. Serious dual mates in any problem, 1 point. Serious dual continuations in three-movers, 2 points. Proof that an initial position is impossible in actual play, or that it contains promoted pieces, in two-movers, 2 points: in three-movers, 3 points. Except in claims for duals, it is sufficient to give key-moves only of two-movers and the key-moves and second moves of three-movers. There is a penalty of one point for each incorrect claim of any kind. Misprinds in writing out solutions count as a wrong claim.

The Third Week.

No. 65. No. 66. Total.

J. R. Ballantyne . . . 0 47

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J. R. Ballantyne 0 0 47
P. W. Pearson 2 3 35
J. Kay 2 3 35
R. G. Hunter 0 0 30
R. A. Leduc 0 0 29
W. J. Faulkner 2 3 16
Correct sqlutions of Nos. 59 and 60 received from "Yukon" also solves Mr.
Faulkner's self-mate, No. 58, in six e.g., 1. Kt—K4 (or KBsq); 2. Kt(K4)—Kt3;
J. Kt—K4 Sq. 4. R—Q2; 5. B—Ktsq; 6. No. 65. No. 66. Total.

CHESS IN THE STATES.

An interesting game played at the Los Angeles Chess Club. Notes, abridged, by the winner.

Petroff's Defence.

White. Mlotkowski P—K4 Kt—KB3 P—Q4

Black.
E. R. Perry.
1. P—K4
2. Kt—KB3
3. KtxP
4. P—Q4

5. B—Q3
6. Casties
7. P—QB3 (a)
8. KtxKt
9. Q—B3 (b)
10. PxP (c)
11. Kt—Q2 (d)
12. Kt—Kt3
13. P—KR3
14. Kt—Q4
15. Kt—K2 (e)
16. P—B4 (f)
17. Kt—B3 (g)
18. Q—Qsq
19. PxB (h)
20. K—Rsq
21. P—B3
22. K—Kt2
23. K—Rsq
24. K—Kt2
Resigns. KtxP Castles P—QB4 Kt—B3 8. Kt—B3
9. PxKt
10. P—B4
11. BxBP
12. B—Q3
13. Q—B2
14. B—Q2
15. QR—Ksq
16. P—B5
17. P—Kt3
18. Kt—Kt4
19. BxP
20. KtxPch
21. Q—Kt2
22. Q—R3
23. Q—Kt4ch
24. Q—R5
25. R—K4

24. Q—R5
25. R—K4
Resigns.

(a) Black cannot repeat White's last move here on account of 8. P×QP, BxKt;
9. P×B, Q×P; 10. Q—B2, B—B4; 11. Kt—B3,
KtxKt; 12. B×B, P—Kkt3; 13. QxKt,
P×B; 14. Q—Kt3ch, K—Rsq; 15. B—Kt5,
(b) An innovation, the object being later to plant his Queen's Bishop at B4.

(c) B—KB4 would be met by the exchange of Bishops followed by 12. Q—Kt3,
(d) B—KB4 here would be answered by 12. P—KKt4, and Black's difficulties would be increased.

(e) Again intending B—KB4, but after White's reply this idea has to be given up and the Knight is awkwardly placed, preventing the retreat of the Queen.

(f) Black has nothing better

(g) If 17. , P—KR4, White answers P—KR4, compelling BxKt.

(h) P—B3 was best; in accepting the offer of a piece, Black overlooked White's 21st move, expecting Q—K2, to which END GAME NO. 15.

END GAME NO. 15.

By Horwitz and Kling.
White: K at QKt8; Q at QRs; B at QR!
P at QKt6. Black: K at QKt5; Q at QR!
Kt at Qsq. White to play and win.

Solution.

1. Q—Ksq ch, K—Kt4; 2. QxQ ch, Kq0;
3. K—B7, K—Kt4; 4. B—Q5, K—R4;
5. B—B7, K—Kt4; 6. B—K8 ch, K—R4; 9.
7. B—Q7, K—R3; 8. B—R3, K—R4; 9.
B—Kt4 (c), K—Kt4; 10. B—K2 ch, K—and
11. B—B4! Kt—B3!; 12. P—Kt7

vins (d).

(a) If 4.

(b) If 6.

(c) If 9.

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(d) If 9.

(e) If 9.

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(f) A very neat and instructive ends.

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THE USUAL WAY.

A young man in the country fixes his

whirlpool of business life.

For 20 or 25 years he works like of fiend and accumulates enough to live of for the rest of his life. for the rest of his life.

Then he goes back to the country to

enjoy it.

DE DE DE

DISCRETION.

"Mother, may I go out to swim?" But your one-piece suit is so snug and trim

You'd better keep out of the water.

N N N

JUST A SUGGESTION.

Why not utilize some of the excess red tape in our Governmental circles at material for the wire entanglements the front? The Huns would never get through.

Se Se Se

BY WAY OF CONTRAST. Some soldiers get the powder on the ing rooms and dance hails to the trends are content to small the same transfer of the same transfer content to smell the powder Milady's face.

M M M

HE'S LEARNING.

There is a man in our town Who isn't wondrous wise— He met a summer girl and now His roll is small in size.