

it is one thing to snare a bird, and another to make him sing in his cage. If it was hard work to capture her husband it will be much harder to keep him.

Happiness is contagious. The contented wife is apt to have a contented husband. The girl who is more anxious to be worthy of love than to have many lovers, will find that "love will come."

I fancy I hear someone say; "If girls analyze so closely, how few will marry!" To which I answer, And how many will be saved from the sad fate of the victims of the giant of old, who sang—

"We're in and we can't get out.
Sorrow as much as we may!"

DRAUGHTS-CHECKERS

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

GEO. FORBES, Shubenacadie.—Your letter received with thanks. Wyllie is again to the front as usual. Will be glad to see you when you come to town again.

SOLUTION.

PROBLEM 195—The position was: black men 5, 6, 11, 12, 14, king 26; white men 13, 15, 21, 25, 32, king 10; white to play and win. We have received but one solution to the above, (J. T. B., Halifax,) and as we would like fuller solutions showing a variety of play, we ask him and others interested to try it again. We, therefore, defer publishing the solution till next week.

GAME No 82—"BRISTOL."

11-16 5-14 12-19 1-5
24 20 25 22 32 27 26 23
16-19 8-11 11-15 19-26
23 16 22 17 20 16 30 23
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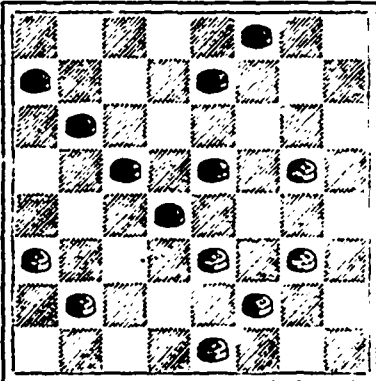
a See note in last week's game at this point.

b Here 31 26 draws. However, moving according to the text brings us to the position below, which we present as

PROBLEM No. 197.

By James Wyllie, Champion of the World.

Black men 3, 5, 7, 9, 14, 15, 18.



White men 16, 21, 23, 24, 25, 27, 31.
Black to play and win.

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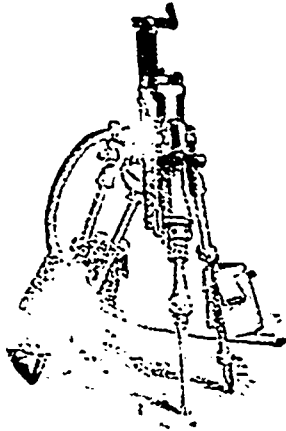
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