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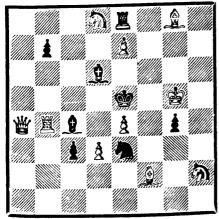
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|      | P. Q. 4.<br>P. × P.        | 7. P. takes P.<br>8. B. Q. Kt. 3. |
| 9.   | P. K. 5.                   | 9. K. Kt. K. 5.                   |
| 10.  | K. B. Q. 5.                | 10. Q. Kt. K. 2.                  |
| II.  | $B. \times K. Kt.$         | 11. Castles.                      |
| I 2. | K. B. $\times$ R. P. (ch.) | 12. K. takes B.                   |
| 13.  | Kt. K. Kt. 5 (ch.)         | 13. K. Kt. sq.                    |
|      | Q. K. R. 5.                | 14. Kt. K. Kt. 3                  |
|      | O R 7 mate                 | -Glasgow News.                    |
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## CHESS PROBLEM, No. 14.

"To locate eight pawns on the chess-board so that no two shall occupy the same file or diagonal."

The above enigma, like the Knight's Tourney, has several solutions. We do not think the problem has ever attained the dignity of print. We recommend it to the attention of our more juvenile readers, and will give diagram of the solution in our January number.

> PROBLEM No. 15. By J. P. TAYLOR, (Eng). BLACK.



WHITE.

White to play, and mate in two moves.

SOLUTION TO PROBLEM No. 11.

| WHITE.                 | BLACK.                 |
|------------------------|------------------------|
| I. R. to B. 7.         | I. B. takes R.         |
| 2. Kt. to Q. 7. (ch.)  | 2. K. to Q. 3. (a)     |
| 3. B. to Q. B. 5. mate | e <b>.</b>             |
|                        | (a)                    |
|                        | 2. K. to B. 5.         |
| 3. B. takes B. mate.   |                        |
|                        | if                     |
|                        | I. B. × Kt.            |
| 2. R. to K. B. 7.      | 2. K. to Q. 3. (a) (b) |
| 3. Kt. to B. 4. mate.  |                        |
| •                      | (a)                    |
|                        | 2. K. to B. 5.         |

3. B. to B. 7. mate.

(b)2. B. moves.

3. Kt. to B. 4. mate.

1. K. × Kt. 2. K. to Kt. 3.

2. B. to Q. 4. (ch) 3. R. to Kt. 7. mate.

I. K. to B. 5.

2. Kt. × P. (ch) 2. K. moves.

3. other Kt. mates at B. 4.

1. B. to K. 2. 2. anything.

2. Kt. takes P. 3. Kt. mates at B. 4.

The correspondent who sends us this problem remarks with justice: "This elegant specimen of strategy is well worthy of Mr. Blackbourne's high reputation as a master.'

## CHESS WAIFS.

CHESS ASSOCIATION.-We Canadian are happy to be in a position to state that the little misunderstanding in reference to the protest is being amicably adjusted, and that in a few days we may expect the award of prizes. We are requested to give publicity to the following:

"British Chess Problem Association. -It is proposed to form a society under the above title for the purpose of, firstly, holding periodical tourneys with adequate prizes; secondly, forming a code for the guidance of those who take part in them. The subscription will be five shillings per annum, or, for solvers only, two shillings and six pence. Most of the leading composers have agreed to join, among them being Grimshaw, Campbell, Pierce, Callander, &c. The working committee are Abbott, Andrews, Thomas, W. T. Pierce, Nash and J. Paul Taylor. British-born subjects, wherever resident, are eligible. Letters to be addressed to H. J. C. Andrews, 'The Ferns,' Addington Grove, Sydenham, Kent, England."

CHESS AND THE FAIR SEX.—The St. Louis Daily Globe publishes a game between Mrs. Gilbert, Hartford, and Mrs. Berry, Beverley, Mass., Ruy Lopez gambit. At the 23rd move, Mrs. Gilbert announces mate in nineteen moves. If this is a sample of the higher education of woman, certainly a new and wonderful era is

dawning for the royal pastime. CHESS BY TELEGRAPH.—"The chess editor of the Detroit Free Press has received a letter from Dr. Coleman, of Seaforth, Ont., conveying a challenge from the Seaforth Chess Club to the club of that city to play a series of matches during the present season. It is proposed that five Seaforth gentlemen shall play an equal number of Detroit players over the wires. The Seaforth Club has for several years past been the acknowledged champion Club of Ontario. Its match team consists of Dr. Coleman, Dr. Vercoe, Dr. Gouinlock and Messrs. G. E. Jackson, H. Jackson and E. Cresswell." -Detroit Free Press, Nov. 10.