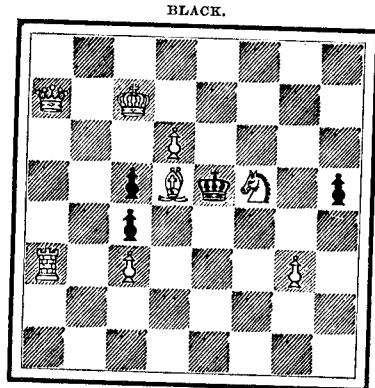


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## PROBLEM NO. 14.

Composed for THE WEEK by W. Atkinson, Montreal.

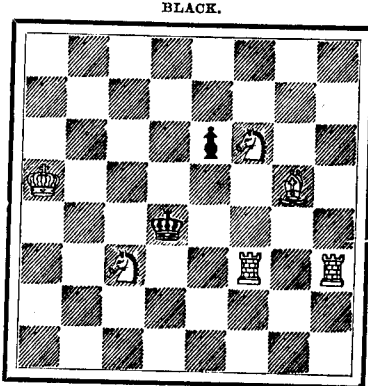


WHITE.

White to play and mate in three moves.

## PROBLEM NO. 15.

Composed for THE WEEK by J. Parkinson, Toronto.



WHITE.

White to play and mate in three moves.

## SOLUTION TO PROBLEM NO. 8.

1. R K 8.

Correct solution received from W. A., Montreal; E. B. G., Montreal; F. W. M., Detroit.

## SOLUTION TO PROBLEM NO. 9.

1. Q K B 4, 1. any. 2. Q Q Kt 8, 2. any. 3. P Q Kt 4 mate.

Correct solution received from E. B. G., Montreal; W. A. Montreal; G. S. C., Toronto.

## END GAME NO. 3.

From a game between Mr. W. Atkinson, of Montreal, and Dr. Coleman, of Seaforth. White (Mr. Atkinson), K K R 1, Q K Kt 3, R K B 1, Kt K B 6, Pts. Q R 2, K Kt 2, K R 2. Black (Dr. Coleman), K K R 1, Q K B 1, R Q 1, B Q Kt 3, Pts. Q R 2, Q B 2, Q B 4, K R 2. White to play and mate in six moves.

## ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

E. B. G.—Yours received. Will reply by letter.

## GAME NO. 9.

Played in Philadelphia between Messrs. Zukertort and Martinez.

(From The Brooklyn Chess Chronicle.)

Evans Gambet Declined.

WHITE. Zukertort.	BLACK. Martinez.	WHITE. Zukertort.	BLACK. Martinez.
1. P K 4	1. P K 4	22. Kt takes Kt	22. P K B 4 (c)
2. Kt K B 3	2. Kt Q B 3.	23. R Q 2	23. P K 6
3. B B 4	3. B B 4	24. R K 2	24. Q B 2
4. P Q Kt 4	4. P Q Kt 4	25. B takes K P	25. Q takes Kt
5. P Q R 4	5. P Q R 3	26. B takes B	26. R B 2 (d)
6. P Q B 3	6. P Q 3	27. B Q 4	27. Kt B 3
7. P R 5	7. B R 2	28. R K 7	28. Q Kt 3
8. P Q 3	8. Q K 2	29. R takes R	29. Q takes R
9. Q Kt Q 2	9. Kt B 3	30. B K 3	30. Kt K 4
10. Kt B 1	10. P R 3	31. P Q 4	31. Kt B 5
11. Kt Kt 3	11. Kt Q 1	32. B B 4	32. R K Kt
12. Castles.	12. B K 3	33. Q Q 3	33. Q Q 4
13. B R 2	13. Castles	34. Q R 3	34. R Kt 3
14. Kt R 4	14. K R 2	35. B takes B P	35. Kt K 6
15. Kt Kt B 3	15. Q Q 2	36. Q B 3	36. Q R 7
16. K R 1	16. P Q 4	37. K K Kt	37. Kt Q 4
17. P K B 4	17. K P takes P (a)	38. B K 5	38. P B 5
18. Q B takes P	18. P takes P	39. B takes P	39. Q B 5
19. Kt takes Kt R(b)	19. B takes B	40. B K 5	40. Kt takes P
20. R takes B	20. Q Q 4	41. P Q 4 (e)	41. and Black resigns.
21. K Kt R 5	21. Rt takes Kt		

## NOTES.

- (a) If Q P takes P White would probably answer with K B P takes P.  
 (b) A pretty coup. Should K take Kt White plays 3 K 5 with an overwhelming attack.  
 (c) Here again the capture of Q R with Q would be immediately fatal, on account of White's checking with Kt at K B 6.  
 (d) It is evident that taking the Bishop would cost Black the Queen.  
 (e) This quiet little move is decisive, as it wins a piece by force.

## NEWS ITEMS.

THE total score for Zukertort in blindfold contests in the United States and Canada up to his arrival at New Orleans was, won 104, lost 30, drawn 23. Toronto and Hamilton players may justly be proud that they made a better score against the champion than was made in any other match (with the solitary exception of the Dr.'s first match in New York) on this continent.

THE Brooklyn Chess Chronicle for May is a most entertaining number. The news especially is varied and interesting, and we are indebted to it for much of the following:—The tournament for the Championship of the Manhattan Club, commenced April 23rd. The score at last accounts was, Richardson, won 4 lost 1; Baird, won 4 lost 2; Hanham, won 3½ lost 2½; Isaacson, won 1 lost 4; Ryan, won 2 lost one; Vorrath, won 1½ lost 5½. In the St. Louis Social Chess Club, Handicap Tournament, "Veteran" is leading with 7 won and 1 lost.

THE Manhattan Chess Club now has 229 members. In the Tourney of the Danites Chess Club, New York, Messrs. Raymond Hayes and Simis are close competitors for first place.

THE 4th Annual Tournament of the Baltimore Chess Association is finished; first, Mr. H. G. Dallam; second, Mr. E. O. Howell. In the Philadelphia Chess Club Tournament Capt. Michaelis is leading with 6 games won; Messrs. Wilson and Elson being next with 4½ games each.

THE Copenhagen Nationaltidsende announces its second International Problem Tourney. Each competitor to send one direct three move mate, unconditional, original, and unpublished. The prizes are, first, 70 francs; second, 40 francs; third, 20 francs. The time for receiving entries expires August 1st, 1884, Mr. A. Arnell of Goteborg and Mr. S. A. Sorensen of Copenhagen are the judges.

THE Annual Handicap of the Cafe de la Regence has finished with the following result: 1st, Mr. Ladislav, 2nd, Mr. Nebel, 3rd, Mr. Clerc, 4th, Mr. Sauphar.

THE Handicap Tournament of the Vienna Chess Club terminated 1st, April. 1st, J. Schwarz, 2nd, A. Czank, 3rd, M. Kann, 4th L. Zukerbacher, 5th, Dr. J. Kleeberg, 6th, Dr. H. Meyer.

In the City Chess Club (Montreal) Handicap Tournament, Mr. J. G. Ascher is leading. Mr. J. W. Shaw is, however, close upon him, and several others are not far behind.

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