GAME 291st.

Played between Messrs. Saunders and Henderson at the Seventh Annual Congress of the Dominion Chess Association, held at Montreal, August, 1878.

(French Game.)	
WHITE . — (Saunders.)	BLACK.—(Henderson
1. P to K 4	BLACK.—(Henderson 1. P to K 3 2. P to Q 4 3. P to Q B 4 4. K to Q B 3 5. P takes P 6. P takes B 7. B to Q K t 5 (ch) 8. Kt to K 2 9. Castles 10. B takes K t 11. K to K t 3
2. P to Q 4	2. P to Q 4
3. P to K 5 (a)	3 P to Q B 4
4. P to Q B 3	4. Kt to Q B 3
5. P to Q Kt 5	5. P takes P
6. B takes Kt (ch)	6. P takes B
7 P takes P	7. B to Q Kt 5 (ch)
8. Kt,to QB3	8. Kt to K 2
9. Kt to B 3	9. Castles
10. Castles	10. B takes Kt
	11. Kt to Kt 3 12. Q to B 2
12. B to Kt 5	12. Q to B 2
13. Q to B 2	13. P to K R 3
14. B to K 3	14. Kt to K 2 15. P to K B 4 16. B to O 2
15. Kt to R 4	15. P to K B 4
16. P to K B 4	16. B to Q 2
17. R to B 3	15. P to K B 4 16. B to Q 2 17. Q R to Q Kt sq 18. Q to Kt 3
18. R to R 3	18. Q to Kt 3
19. Q to Q sq	19. Q to Kt 7
20. Q to K sq	20. B to K sq
16. P to K 8 4 17. R to B 3 18. R to R 3 19. Q to Q sq 20. Q to K sq 21. R to B 3 22. R to B 2 23. K to B 3 24. P to K R 3	19. Q to Kt 7 20. B to K sq 21. Kt to Kt 3 22. Q to Kt 2
22. R to B 2	22. Q to Kt 2 23. Q to K 2
23. Kt to B 3	23. Q to K 2 24. Kt to R 5
OF 17 4. Th	24. Kt to K 5
25. K to R sq 26. R takes Kt	25. Kt takes Kt 26. B to R 4 27. R to Kt 7
27. R to Bsq	20. B to R 4
28. R to B 2	21. K to Kt /
90 D tokes P	28. K R to Kt sq 29. R takes R (b)
20 () to O B #0	20. K takes K (0)
30. Q to Q B sq 31. B to Q ?	30. Q to Kt 2
32. Q to K sq	31. B to K 7 (c) 32. B to Q 6 33. R to K 7
33. B to B sq	32. I 10 Q 0
	33. R to K /
35. Q to Kt 3	34. Q to Kt 4
36. Q to Kt 8 (ch)	35. Q to R 3 36. K to R 2
37. B to Kt 2	30. K to K 2
37. B to Kt 2 38. R to K Kt sq 39. Q to B 7	37. B to K 5
39. Q to B 7	38. R takes K Kt P 39. R takes B (dis ch) (d
40. Resigns.	os. a usaces de (dis ch) (a
NOTES.	

(a) This move in the French opening is not recom (b) The position of this rook is highly dangerous to White.

(c) The winning move.

(d) And mate must follow in a move or two.

GAME 292ND.

Played between Mr. J W. Shaw, of Montreal, and Mr. E. B. Holt, of Quebec, at the Seventh Annual Congress of the Dominion Chess Association, held at Montreal, August, 1878.

(Giuoco Piano.

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WHITE (Mr. J. W. Shaw.)	BLACK (Mr. H
1. P to K 4	1. P to K 4
2. Kt to K B 3	2. Kt to Q B3
3. B to B 4	3. B to B 4
4. P to B 3	4. Kt to K B 3
5. P to Q 4	5. P takes P
	6. P to Q 4
	7. Kt to K 5
	8. B to Kt 5 (ch)
	9. Kt takes B
Q Kt takes Kt	10. Castles
	11. Kt to K 2
	12. P to Q B 3
13. B to Q3	13. P to K B 4
14. P takes P (en pass)	14. R takes P
15. Kt to K 5	15. B takes Kt
	16. Kt to B 4
	17. R takes B
	18. R to B 3
	19. R to R 3 (b)
20. R to B 3	20. Q to Q 3
21. P to B 5	21. B to Q 2
22. Q to B 4	22. R to K B sq
23. Q R to K B sq	23. P to K Kt 4 (c)
24. Q takes P (ch)	24. K to R eq
25. Kt to Kt 6 (ch) (d)	25. R takes Kt
26. P takes R	26. R to K Kt sq (e)

And White announced mate in four moves. NOTES.

(u) This is bold play on the part of White, and requires much care, as the K becomes much exposed.

(b) A hazardous position in which to place a Rook. (c) A slip which loses the game at once.

(d) White makes the best use of his adversary's mistake.

(e) R takes R, was preferable, but defeat could not be avoided by any mode of play.

SOLUTIONS.

Solution of Problem No. 188. WHITE BLACK.

1 P to K 4

1. R to K B 3 2. Q to R 3 3. Mates accordingly

2. Any meve

Solution of Problem for Young Players No. 186. WHITE.

1. Kt to Q B 5 (dis ch) 2. Kt takes P 3. R to K B3 Mate

l. K takes P 2. K to B 4

PROBLEMS FOR YOUNG PLAYERS, No. 187.

K at Q R 8 Q at Q R sq B at K B 5 B at K B 6 Pawns at K Kt 4 K Kt 6 and Q Kt 7

BLACK. K at K R 3 Q at K Kt 7 Kt at Q Kt 5 Pawns at K 7, Q B 5 and Q R 2

BLACK.

White to play and mate in three moves.

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