

can afford the consumptive—is at best only *palliative*. The cure of consumption depends upon two essential conditions: 1st, the arrest of the abnormal breaking down of the tissues, which prevents emaciation; and 2nd, the restoration of healthy nutrition, in order to stop the formation of tuberculous matter. Fulfill these conditions, and consumption is as curable as fever. To fulfill these conditions the required remedy must increase the appetite, favour the assimilation of food, and enrich the blood, thus retarding the development of tubercles. To accomplish this, a more powerful alternative than Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery has never been discovered. At the same time, it soothes the irritation of the nervous system produced by violent coughing, which in its turn so often leads to more serious results. The use of "expectorants" in consumption is absolutely suicidal. For while removing the tubercles already formed, they produce yet more serious results by inflaming and destroying the sound and healthy tissues. Consumption requires a remedy that will soothe while it relieves; harsh medicines but add fuel to the flame that already threatens to consume the system. The Golden Medical Discovery fulfills those conditions, and has been pronounced the best remedy yet discovered to allay and arrest consumption.

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Solutions to Problems sent in by Correspondents will be duly acknowledged.

## TO CORRESPONDENTS.

J. W. S., Montreal.—Solution of Problem No. 151 received. Correct. Letter containing valuable information received. Thanks.

Student, Montreal.—Correct solution of Problem No. 151 received.

M. J. M., Quebec.—Solution of Problem No. 169 received. Correct.

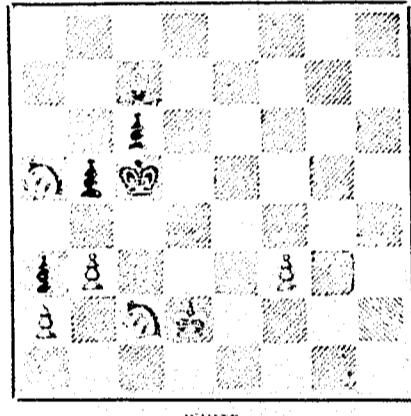
B. S., Montreal.—The games shall have due attention.

E. H., Montreal.—Solution of Problem for Young Players No. 165 received. Correct.

W. A., Montreal.—Letter received. Many thanks.

PROBLEM No. 172.  
By M. J. MCGINN, Quebec.

BLACK.



WHITE

White to play and mate in three moves.

(From the *Chess Player's Chronicle*, for April, 1878.)  
We had scarcely got long since a copy of the CANADIAN ILLUSTRATED NEWS, in the Chess Column of which we were glad to see a letter from Mr. Shaw, proposing a Canadian Correspondence Tournament. Mr. Shaw complains of the indifference shown to Canadian Chess by English chess journals. On our part, we beg to assure him that there is no indifference, but simply lack of information. If the Chess players of the Dominion will only take the same pains to keep *up a current* with their proceedings as those of the Antipodes do, we will give them the same prominence, but *de non apparetur et non vocatur*.

From accounts published recently by chess journals it appears that in Australia and New Zealand the game of Chess is becoming very popular, and that Clubs are being established in all the rapidly-growing cities of these distant parts of the world. The Sydney Club is well attended, and so is also the Club at Adelaide. At Melbourne they have a flourishing Club, which was incorporated during the past twelve months by fifteen new members.

In New Zealand the interest in the game is most encouraging. Clubs exist in all the chief cities. Chess columns are to be found in several weekly papers, and frequent tournaments and matches testify to the enthusiasm that prevails.

At Dunedin the Chess Club numbers thirty-five members, and at Wellington, also, they have a very flourishing association of players.

Strong players seldom find an opponent worthy of their attention, and consequently, with all their knowledge and love of the game, have comparatively very little enjoyment from actual play, and often have to amuse themselves by playing over the games of others. On the other hand, the problemist finds pleasure even at the sight of his men, he knows that they are the willing instruments of his imagination; that they will assist him in his endeavour to puzzle the world; they are his companions; their checkered play-ground is his; he lives with them; he loves them, and is satisfied. The solver, when he wants an opponent, does not, necessarily, resort to the favourite chelons to find him, he meets him in the conception of others; in fact, obtaining a solution to a problem is a hand-to-hand encounter between the composer and the solver. To me there is no game so absorbing, or result more satisfactory, than the solution of a beautiful and difficult Chess problem!—R. S. Wash, in *Chess Journal*.

Mr. Blackburne's latest blindfold exhibition resulted as usual in his complete success. Out of the eight games he won seven, and one was drawn. This man Blackburne is beating the world on blindfold Chess. Where is Paulsen's ghost?

In the International Tourney, Cranke, of England, has resigned a game to Foster, of Michigan. This makes him win seven, and one was drawn. This man Blackburne is beating the world on blindfold Chess. Where is Paulsen's ghost?

CHESS IN GREAT BRITAIN.  
GAME 25TH.  
Played by Correspondence in Mr. Nash's Tourney.  
(King's Bishop's Gambit.)

(H. BRYAN, Ayr.) (G. W. FARROW, Hull.)

WHITE BLACK

1. P to K 4
2. P to K B 4
3. B to B 4
4. B takes P
5. K to B sq
6. Kt to Q B 3
7. Kt to K B 3
8. P to Q 4
9. P to K R 4
10. K to Kt sq
11. B takes Kt ch
12. Kt to K 5
13. B takes P
14. B takes P
15. Kt to K 2
16. Kt to K B 4
17. P to K R 5
18. Q takes P
19. P takes B
20. Q to K B 3
21. Q to K 3
22. R to R 1
23. Q to Q Kt 3
24. R P takes Q
25. P to K 6
26. R to K sq
27. R takes R
28. Kt takes R
29. P takes B
30. P to Q B 4
31. P to K R 3
32. K to K 2
33. K to B 3
34. B to K 3
35. P to K R 4
36. K to B 4
37. K to B 5
38. K to B 6
39. R to K 8
40. R to K B sq
41. R to R 5
42. K to Kt 6
43. R to B 5
44. R to B 7
45. R to B 8 ch
46. B takes R ch
47. K to Kt 7
48. R takes P
49. K to Kt 7
50. P to K 5
51. P to K 6
52. K to K R 8

GAME 25TH.  
THE INTERNATIONAL CORRESPONDENCE  
TOURNEY.

A game recently won by Mr. Nash, of St. Neots, Eng.  
WHITE.—(Mr. Nash.) (British)

BLACK.—(Mr. Rooney.) (American)

1. P to K 4
2. Kt to K B 3
3. Kt to Q B 3
4. B to K 5
5. Kt takes K P\*
6. Kt to Q 3
7. Castles
8. Kt takes Kt
9. P to K 4
10. Kt to K 4
11. Kt to K B 3
12. Kt to K B 3
13. K to K 4
14. K to Q sq
15. R to K sq
16. Kt takes R ch
17. Kt to K 2
18. Kt takes R
19. Kt to K 2
20. Kt to Kt sq
21. K to K 2
22. Kt to K B 4
23. Resigns (m.)

## NOTES.

(a) On account of the loss of a piece, which immediately follows:

## SOLUTIONS.

*Solution of Problem No. 170.*

- WHITE. BLACK.  
1. B to Kt 2 1. B to R 2  
2. R to Q 5 (ch) 2. K takes R  
3. K takes Kt, dis. check and mate.

There are other defences.

*Solution of Problem for Young Players, No. 165.*

- WHITE. BLACK.  
1. P to Q R 6 (ch) 1. K takes P  
2. Q to Q B 2 (ch) 2. K to Kt 3  
3. Q takes P ch 3. K to Q R 2  
4. Q mates

PROBLEMS FOR YOUNG PLAYERS NO. 169.

- WHITE. BLACK.  
K at K 7. K at Q B 4.  
B at K Kt 5. Q at K B 4.  
B at Q B 6. B at K Kt 8.  
Kt at Q 2. B at Q B sq.  
Pawns at Q 5. Pawns at K B 1.  
K B 6. Q B 3. Q R 5 and Q Kt 3.

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