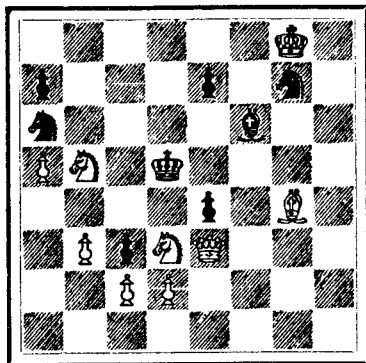


CHESS.

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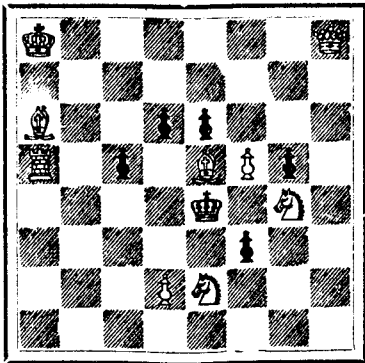
WHITE.

White to play and mate in three moves.

PROBLEM No. 412.

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WHITE.

White to play and mate in two moves.

SOLUTIONS TO PROBLEMS.

No. 405.

- White. Black.
1. R x P B x R
  2. Q-Q 2 + K-B 4
  3. Kt x B mate. If 1. P-K 3 Kt x Kt
  2. Kt-K 4 +
  3. Q-B 8 mate. With other variations.

No. 406.

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White.	Black.	White.	Black.
1. P-K 4	P-K 4	13. Q x P	B-Q 3
2. Kt-K B 3	Kt-K B 3	14. Q-B 3 (e)	B x R
3. Q Kt-B 3 (n)	Q Kt-B 3	15. R x B	Q-R 5
4. B-B 4	B-K 2 (b)	16. P-K 5	B x P (f)
5. Castles	P-Q 3	17. Q x B	Q x B
6. P-Q 4 (c)	B-Kt 5	18. R-Q 4	Q x B P
7. B-K 3	P x P	19. P-K Kt 3	K R-K 1
8. B x P	Kt x B	20. Q-Kt 5	R-K 8 +
9. Q x Kt	Castles	21. K-Kt 2	Q-B 3
10. Q R-Q 1	Kt-Q 2	22. P-B 3 (g)	Q R-K 1
11. Kt-Q 5	Kt-K 4	23. R-K Kt 4	Q-B 7 +
12. Kt x Kt (d)	P x Kt	24. K-R 3	Q x P + (h)

And Black mates in two moves.

NOTES.

- (a) We consider P-Q 4 the strongest continuation at this juncture.
- (b) Not a good post for the Bishop.
- (c) The quiet development by P-Q 3 was the better course. If Black answered B-Kt 5 White could safely retreat Kt-K 2.
- (d) A hazardous venture. B-K 2 was his natural and best course.
- (e) He had evidently underrated the effect of Black's 15th move, or else he would undoubtedly have preferred Q-B 5.
- (f) Most likely White had overlooked this correct rejoinder in his calculation when he gave up the exchange.
- (g) If 22. R-K Kt 4, 22. Q-K Kt 3; 23. Q-R 4, 23. Q-Q 6, with a winning game.
- (h) Black has played remarkably well after the unsound sacrifice of the exchange on the part of his opponent, and he now finishes off with a brilliant surprise.

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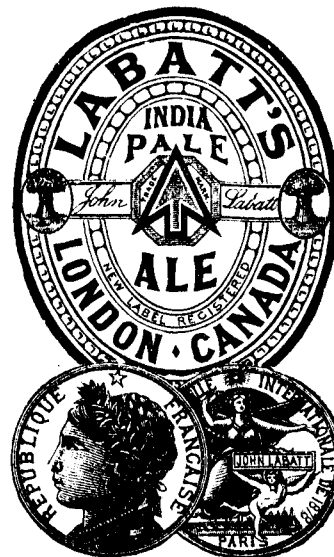
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