THE RELIGIOUS WORLD

Churches Are Now Fully Equipped for the Winter Campaign.

OUR THEOLOGICAL SEMINARIES

Are Starting With Brighter Prospects Than for Tears Past.

SOME PULPIT THEMES FOR SUNDAY

There are now close to 200 church ormon enemy. It is doubtful if there are any cities in the land where so large a proportion of the populatian have church going habits as here. In addition to the churches are three theological seminaries, all located in Allegheny City, in which upward of 150 students are preparing for the ministry. The Presbyterian Seminary opened last Tuesday under brighter prospects than for years. Twenty-eight new students were matriculated and more are expected. The United Presbyterian Seminary is also in full blast with a most promising outlook.

Sunday Services in Pittsburg Churches. EAST END CHRISTIAN CHURCH, H. K. Pendleton, pastor-Services Sunday morning only

LIBERTY STREET M. E. CHURCH, preaching at 10:30 a. m. by the pastor, Rev. J. P. McKee - Praise service at 7:30. ESSITE PRESENTERIAN CHURCH, Rev. E. R. Donelson-At 10:05 A. M.: "The Known and the Unknown." 7:15 P. M.: "Excuses."

PERSONTERIAN HOMEWOOD AVENUE CHAPEL, C. I. Chalfant in charge—Preaching at 10:30 a. M. and 7:30 P. M. by Rev. S. S. Gibson. DENNY M. E. CHURCH, Ligonier and Thirtyfourth streets-Subject, 1030 a. M., "Knowledge and Service;" 7:30, "Rocks of Offense." GHACE LUTHERAN CHURCH, Southside, Rev.

J. C. Kuntzman, pastor—Service in Schling-man's Hall, Twenty-first and Carson streets, at 10:30 a. M. HAZELWOOD CHRISTIAN CRURCH, J. R. MC-Wane pastor-Morning subject: "Sacrifices, Old and New;" evening, "The Stient Years CHEIST LUTHERAN CHURCH Sheridan avenue

East End, Rev. Hiram J. Kuder, paster 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 r. m. Morning, "Prayer and Singing." FORTY-NINTH STREET PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Rev. M. H. Stiles, pastor-Services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 r. M. Evening subject, "The Gos-pel as a Disturber,"

OARLAND BAPTIST CHURCH, Bates and Atwood streets, William Ward West, pastor-Morning worship at 10:40; evening 7:35, "Life That is Deathless,"

THE FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH, COTDER ROSS and Diamond streets, old University building-Services at 10:45 a. M., by Rev. Enoch Powell, of Topeka, Kan. SHADY AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH, BEAT Penn

avenue, Dr. W. A. Stanton, pastor-Morning subject: "A Three-fold Tribute." Evening FIRST PRESENTERIAN CHURCH, Wood street,

Rev. George T. Purvis, pastor—Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 r. m.; evening subject, "The Wise Woman of Tekouh." SHADY AVENUE CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Rev. Dr. J.W. McKay pastor. Eleven

a. M., "Our Side Better Than Anybody's;" 745 r. M., "Question and Answer." THIRTY-THIRD STREET U. P. CHURCH, Rev. J.

FIRST ENGLISH LUTHERAN CHURCH, Grant street-Services forenoon and evening, conducted by the pas or, Rev. Edmund Belfour, The Sunday school will meet at 2:15

SHVENTH U. P. CHURCH-Services at 10:30 A. M. and 745 v. M., conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. D. Sands. Morning, "The True Spirit of Missions;" evening, "The Source of

HOMEWOOD AVENUE M. E. CHURCH-Rev. J. W. Miles, D. D., will preach in the morning; sermon followed by communion services. Evening service at 7:30; preaching by the

SHADYSIDE PRESENTERIAN CHURCH, COTHER Anderson avenue and Westminster street,

R. S. Holmes, D. D., pastor—Services at 11 a. st. and 7:45 r. m.; evening topic, "Soul Keening." FORKER AVENUE BARRIST CHURCH, corner of

Ross street, H. C. Applegarth, pastor—10:30 a. M., "Faithfulness;" 7:45 p. M., people's service, concert of song; sermon on "Moral FIFTH U. P. CHURCH, Webster avenue, Rev. J. W. Harsha, paster-Services at 16:30 A. M. and 7:30 r. w. Morning text, "Our God Shall Fight for Us:" evening, "The Bridegroom

SEVENTE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Herron avenue, Rev. C. S. McClelland pastor-10:30 A. S.: We Do Not Well If We Hold Our Pencer 7:30 F. M.: "Halting Between Two

LAWRENCEVILLE PRESENTERIAN CHURCH, Thirty-ninth street, between Penn avenue

and Butler street, Rev. A. E. Linu, pastor— Subjects: 40:30 a. M., "Repentance;" 7:30 r. m. "Divine Care." ST. MARK'S REPORMED MEMORIAL CHURCH, North Highland avenue, Rev. I. W. Knap-

penberger - Services at II A. M., subject, "Mockness," at 7:45 r. M., subject, "The Resurrection." 1.A WHENCH VILLE ENGLISH LUTHERAN CHURCH. corner Forty-third and Butler streets-10:45

B. Kochne pastor. Morning subject, "Unan-swered Prayer;" evening, "Religion as a Fact-and an Experience," THIRD PRESBYTHUIAN CHURCH, Seventh

avenue, Rev. E. P. Cowan, D. D., pastor-Services 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 r. M.: evening sub-ject. "For This Thing Was Not Done in a Corner," Acts xxv(20). UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Curry University Hall, Sixth street and Penn avenue, Rev. J.

I. Andrews pastor—Morning subject, "The Witness of Gotts Spirit," Evening subject, "The Progress of Life." FORETH PRESENTERIAN, corner Eveline and Liberty, East End, Rev. William P. Shrom, pastor—Service, 19:45, "The Mind That Was

n Christ," 7:50, the first of a series of lectures on the Bible, "The Canon." SIXTH UNITED PRESERVEDIAN CHURCH, Col. his avenue, East End, Rev. R. M. Russell, pa-tor—Services II a. x. and 7:45 r. x. Mornies, sermon, "Satisfaction for the Hungry Sorth; evening, "Cresar and God." CARSON STREET M. E. CHURCH, Southside, G.

Guichard, pastor—Services at 10:30 a. N., unifieet, "Liberty," being a sermon to Cap-tri Council No. 364, O. U. A. M. Services at 1:30 P. M., Subject, "The Time Past." SOUTHSIDE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, corner

Twentieth and Sarah streets, Rev. F. R. Farrand, pastor-Services at 10:30 a. M. and 7:30 r. N. Morning subject: "Burdens." Evening subject: "Christ, the King." THIRD U. P. CHURCH, Diamond street, J. T.

McCrory, pastor—Preaceing at 10:30 A. M. Subject: "Why I Am a Christian and a Member of the Church." Young people's meeting at 6:45 r. M. No evening service. Mt. Washington Presbyterian Church, Rev. E. S. Farrand, pastor-10:30 a.m.: Special

service preparatory to entering their new building on following Sabbath, 7:30 r.m.: "Paul's Conference at His Conversion." CONTRAL PRESENTERIAN CHURCH, COURT of Forties and Seneca streets, Rev. A. A. Mealy,

"Services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:39 F. M. ring subject: "The Wise Builder," ring subject: "The Cities of Refuge." FIRST REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Grant street-Preaching to-morrow at 10:30 A. M. and Sr. M. by the pastor, Rev. Nevin Woodside. Morning service, "The Value of excelled a Genealogical Record." Afternoon, "Can ing. 25c.

Family Cares Justify the Neglect of Religious services morning and evening by the pastor, Rev. W. N. Rodenbauch—Subject, 10:30 A. N.: "Following Jesus." Spicet, 7:30 P. N.: "Re-flections of the Past." Epworth League at 7

and Liberty avenues—The pastor, Rev. J. K.
McClurkin, D. D., will preach at 10:40; subject, "The Parable of the Tares," and at 7:45,
subject, "Jehovah Nissi," third sermon of BUTLER STREET M. E. CHURCH, COTNET FOR tieth, N. F. Oldham pastor-9:30 A. M., love

SHADYSIDE II P Baum street near Cente

feasts 10:30 A. M., communion service: 7:30 P.
M., prelude. The American Mechanics and
the color line; sermon "Belshazzar—A Night
of Poem" MT. WASHINGTON M. P. CHURCH, Virginia

There are now close to 200 church organizations in the cities of Pittsburg and Allegheny, and all are evidently starting out on a rigorous campaign against the compression of the compression of the cities of Pittsburg and Morning, church music: evening, Rev. H. Hanks, of Knoxville M. P. Church, will preach (an exchange).

SMITHFIELD STREET METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, corner of Seventh avenue, Rev. Charles Edward Locke, pastor—Services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:45 r. M. Morning subject, "Thorns in the Flesh;" evening subject, "Reading as a Factor in Morals."

SECOND P. M. CHURCH, Cobden street, South Side, Rev. H. J. Buckingham, pastor—Services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Preaching by R. B. Boycott, Esq., of Mansfield, Pasthjets, morning, "Christ a Workingman;" evening, "Christ Receives Sinners." GRACE REFORMED CHURCH, corner Grant street and Webster avenue, Rev. John H. Prugh, pastor-Morning services only; sub-

ject, "Autuma." Arrangements are being made for an interesting "service of song" in Grace Church the first Sunday night in Octo-M. R. RIDDLE, D. D., of the Western Theo logical Seminary, will preach in the Point Breeze Presbyterian Church to-morrow morning and evening, Subjects: Morning

service, "Christ as a Personal Friend; even-ing service, "The Relation of the Old Testa-ment to the New." St. Peter's Episcopal Church, corner Grant and Diamond streets-Service at 10:30 A. M. Sermon by Rev. T. J. Garland, assistant minister. No evening service. On Sunday next, October 4, the rector, Rev. W. R. Mackay, will preach and the Sunday evening lectures

begin for the fall and winter. HILAND AVENUE UNITED PRESENTERIAN CONGREGATION, Rev. O. B. Milligan, pastor. Morning, at 10:30 o'clock, "Divine Generosity;" afternoon, at 3 o'clock, "Drawing Near to God." Services every evening next week (Monday and Saturday excepted) at 745, conducted by city pastors.

FIRST CHURCH OF SPIRITUALISTS, 6 Sixth street, Mr. F. A. Wiggin, of Salem, Mass., speaker-Lectures at 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Morning subject, "America's Relation to Liberty." For evening subject questions will be taken from the audience. Messages from spirit friends will be given at close of each lecture.

WALTON M. E. CHURCH, corner Twentyfourth and Sarah streets, Southside-Preaching by the pastor, Rev. S. Davis, 10:30 A. M. Subject, "The Spiritual Temple;" 7:30 r. M.,
"The Church and the Saloon." Rev. C. M.
Miller. a returned missionary from India,
will address the Sunday school missionary
jubilee meeting at 1:45 r. M.

EIGHTH STREET REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Rev. D. McAllister, pastor-Communion services Saturday at 2 P. M. Baptism sermon by Rev. F. M. Foster, of New York "Unto you, therefore, which believe He is precious.—I. Peter, ii;7, and terms of communion explained by the pastor. Sabbath school at 16:30. Explanation of Psalm by Mr. Foster and sermon by the pastor, "The Savior King's Nuprial Coronation."—Song iii:11. Tables served at 2:15 P. M. by pastor, Mr. Foster, and Rev. J. R. W. Stevenson, missionary to Corpus Expansion, agartical missionary to Cyprus. Evening service at 7:30. Sermon by Rev. F. M. Foster. Acts, v:32. Closing service Monday evening at 7:30. Ser-mon by Mr. Foster, "Epistles to the Seven Character."

McClure Avenue Pressyreman Churce, Rev. S. J. Glass, pastor-Morning theme, "Servants of Jesus Christ;" evening, "Un-consciousness, Good and Evil."

RIVERSIDE M. E. CHURCH, Kerr street, Rev. W. G Mead, pastor—Preaching at 10:45 A. M. and 7:30 r. M. Reception of a class of proba-tioners into full membership at the morning

FIRST PRESENTERIAN CHURCH, Carnegle Hall, Allegheny. Rev. David S. Kennedy, pastor—10:30 a. m., communion theme, "The Excellency of Christ's Death." 7:45, theme, The Interpreter."

CENTRAL PRESENTERIAN CHURCH, COTHER Anderson and Lacock streets, Rev. S. B. Mc-Cornick, pastor—Subject, 10:45 A. M., "Christ's Glory at Cana;" 7:45 P. M., "The Power of Disciplined Numbers.,"

The Feast of Harvest will be celebrated

to-morrow in Trinity Lutheran Church, Stockton avenue and Arch street. A service of praise in the evening. Subject in the morning, "Sowing and Reaping.

First Christian Church, Allegheny, W. F. Richardson, pastor-Morning sermon, "A Monbitish Saint;" evening sermon, "Christ in You, the Hope of Glory." Christian En-deavor prayer meeting at 6:30 r. m.

SECOND CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, corner North and Grant avenues-Morning, Rev. J. R. Milligan will preach and his congrega-tion will worship with us. Evening, Rev. William McCracken will preach. FOURTH U. P. CHURCH, Montgomery avenue,

Rev. Joseph Kyle, pastor-10:30 A. M., subject, "The Great Annunciation:" 7:30 P. M., "The World Without a Sea." Preaching this after-noon at 2:30. Sacrament of baptism before FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, corner Franklin and Manhattan streets, Allegheny,

Rev. S. W. McCorkle, pastor — Morning subject: "Christ's Yoke:" at 7:30 P. M., sub-ject, "Sins Rebound." Choir and orchestra REFORMED PRESENTERIAN CHURCH, corner

A. M., "The Love of Christ Constraineth Us."
Recording of members and communion of the Lord's supper.
First Cemeraland Presentation Cherica, Corner Sandusky and North Diamond streets—Services at 10:30 A. M. by Prof. Willson, D. D. Sabbath school at 1:30 F. M. Communion services at 2:30 F. M. Preaching at 7:30 F. M. by Dr. H. H. George. NIXON STREET BAPTIST CHURCH, between

Manhattan and Chartiers streets, J. S. Hutson, pastor—Morning, "The Hour and the Need;" evening, 7:30, preaching at Woods' Run Mission by the pastor. Bible at 2 r. N. Y. P. S. C. E. every Monday evening at 7:30. BUENA STREET M. E. CHURCH—Dedicatory auniversary will be held. Dr. A. L. Petty will direct a prayer and praise service at 9:30 A. M. Dr. C. W. Smith, editor of the Pittsburg Christian Advocate, will preach at 10:30 A. M. Dr. C. A. Holmes, Dr. W. F. Conner, Dr. J. T. Satchell and others will speak at 3 P. M. Dr. Satchell, pastor North Avenue M. E. Church, will preach at 7:30 P. M. A special programme of music has been provided.

CENTRAL REPORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Sandusky street, below Ohio-Communion services. September 27, Preparation Sabservices. September 27, Preparation Sab-bath. Services by the pastor, Rev. J. W. Sproull, D. D. 10:30 a. m., "I was glad when they said unto me, let us go into the house of the Lord."—Ps. 122:1. 3 r. m., "Let us keep the feast, not with old leaven, neither with the leaven of malice and wickedness; but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth."—I Cor. 5:8.

Miscellaneous. DR. I. C. PERSHING will preach in the M. E. Church, Duquesne, at 10:30 A. M. Gosput temperance meeting every Sun-day evening at No. 27 Federal street. Good

speakers engaged. THE ministers of the city will resume their monthly meetings next Monday, 28th inst., at 10:3) a. M. in Y. M. C. A. building. BELLEVUE PRESBYTERIANCHURCH, Rev. New

ton Donaldson, pastor—16:30, "It Shall Be Told Thee What Thon Must Do," Acts ix., 6: 7:30, "Jesus Casting Out Devils." First Christian Church, Mansfield Valley, Pa., O. H. Philips, pastor — Morning, "Watch." Evening, "The Faithful Witness." Young people's meeting at 6.30 p. M. PRESENTERIAN MINISTERS' ASSOCIATION WILL

meet in chapel of First Church, on Wood street, Monday et 1945. A paper will be read by Rev J. R. Sut-serland, D. D., entitled "Some Eschatzlogical Errors." MRS. Winstow's Southing Syrup is an un-excelled medicine for children while teeth-

REMARKABLE WELLS

The Sauters No. 3 at McDonald Suddenly Starts to Flowing.

HISTORY OF TWO BIG GUSHERS. Statement of Work Completed and Wells Drilling at McCurdy,

REPORTS FROM THE SMALL FIELDS

The interest in the oil fields yesterday centered around the Royal Gas Company's No. 3 Sauters at McDonald. Of its own free will, without being shot, and with no visible forces at work, it was suddenly transformed into a little volcano and spouted oil at an almost incredible rate. To thoroughly understand the phenomenon the history of the well must be known. It is located about half a mile northwest of McDonald station, and was drilled into the fifth sand over two months ago. It was then the biggest well in the field. For a short time it run over 120 barrels an hour. Soon after it was struck LeComte & Vallilee drilled their well on the Shart lot, 200 feet southwest, into the fifth sand. The latter was as big as the Sauters well, and almost immediately its Sauters well, and almost immediately its effect was seen in the production of the Sauters. In the hope of increasing the output of the Sauters, the owners began to drill it deeper into the sand, when it suddenly ceased to flow. The LeComte & Valillee well continued to put out a big lot of oil, but a few days ago, when it was making 25 barrels an hour, it stopped flowing as suddenly as did the Sauters. Altogether the Le Comte and Valillee well thad produced nearly 100,000 barrels of oil. Now, after the Le Comte well has stopped, the Royal Gas Company's Sauters No. 3 has again broken loose and commenced to flow about poon yesterday, and by 3 o'clock had filled a 250-barrel tank. Last evening it was reported to be making anywhere from 30 to 60 barrels an hour. It is a remarkable instance of the resuscitation of a well, and has occurred but few times in the history of the oil country. At the time the Sauters has occurred but few times in the history of the oil country. At the time the Sauters stopped flowing it was believed that its action was due primarily to the Letomte & Valiliee well, on the Short lot, and this belief has been strengthened since it started up almost immediately after the Short lot well ceased operations. The two wells are without doubt connected. Operators in the field who own the other big wells are asking themselves when the bottoms are going to fall out of their own producers. There is scarcely a man among them who would be surprised to hear of any of the gushers suddenly letting up and it is looked for nearly every day among some of the wells which have put out tens of thousands of barreis.

The Other McDonald Wells.

The Other McDonald Wells. W. P. Black & Co.'s well on the Crooks lot in the southwestern part of the borough, got the fifth sand yesterday morning, and was reported hast night to be making 25 barrels an hour. The same parties' venture on the Dr. Jamison lot was drilling in the fifth sand last night, and showing for a good well. It is a fair well in the Gordon sand. The well of the Royal Gas Company on the Sauters and Patterson property in the eastern limits of the field was finished up yesterday, and at last accounts was making 30 barrels an hour. The People's Gas Company's well on the Davidson lot, southwest of the Sauters No. 3, is through the Gordon sand. The Royal Gas Company's Sauters No. 4 will be finished early next week. The same company's No. 5, on the Ed McDonald farm, is showing up well in the Gordon sand. It is located down near the turntable. Their No. 6 Ed McDonald, which is located near W. P. Black & in the southwestern part of the borough, got ald, which is located near W. P. Black & Co.'s Crooks lot well, is about completed.

McD. Hervey, pastor—Subjects, morning, "Being Changed Into the Image of Christ;" evening, "Search the Scriptures."

Allegheny Churches.

Second U. P. Church, Rev. W. H. McMillen, Central Church, Contral Chu Davis & McClurg, on the Ewing lot, will get the Gordon sand Monday. The Wallace Oil Company has just put the last casing in its well on the lumber yard lot. Turner & Mc-Clurg have the first string of casing in their "Goldplate" well. Guckert & Steele's No. 1: on the Mevey is making \$5 barrels an hour. Their Nos. 2 and 3 on the Mevey are each down about 1,000 feet, and their Nos. 4 and 5 on the same farm are drilling at 600 feet each.

The Gordon Sand Wells.

Noslestown-Guffey, Jennnings, Murphy & Co.'s No. 1, on the Herron farm, was making 35 barrels an hour from the Gordon sand vesterday. Their No. 1 on the Bell is doing yesterday. Their No. 1 on the Bell is doing 420 from the Gordon, and No. 2 Bell about 300. The Bell wells are being drilled to the fifth sand, but the Herron well will be allowed to remain where it is at present. There is only about 15 feet of Gordon sand found in this locality. The same parties will have several other wells in the Gordon in this locality next week.

The Work at McCurdy. The following is a list of the wells completed in McCurdy during the present month, and a list of the wells now drilling: Patterson & Jones No. 1, Harbison, 25 barrels; Gardiner & Kennedy No. 1, Mertz, 750 barrels; Orion Oil Company's No. 5, Bell. 40 barrels; their No. 4, Bell. 200 barrels; Guffey & Gaillespie & Co.'s No. 5, Jane Biddle, 150 barrels; R. E. Gillespie & Co.'s No. 5, Jane Biddle, 150 barrels; R. E. Gillespie & Co.'s No. 5, Jane Biddle, 150 barrels; Hoffman & Co.'s No. 1, Moore, 60 barrels; Hoffman & Co.'s No. 1, Moore, 120 barrels; Hoffman & Co.'s No. 6, Riddle, 200 feet; their No. 4, Hall, 1,500 feet; Woodland Oil Company's No. 4, Hall, 1,500 feet; Guffey & Jennings' No. 1, J. R. McMichael, 100 feet; Guffey & Jennings' No. 1, J. R. McMichael, 100 feet; No. 5, 600 feet; No. 6, 450 feet; No. 7, 350 feet; No. 5, 600 feet; No. 6, 450 feet; No. 7, 350 feet; No. 8, 1,100 feet; No. 1, Wright, 750 feet; Forest Oil Company's No. 1, L. Shaffer, 350 feet; No. 7, 350 feet; No. 9, Ewing, 1,950 feet; their No. 1, Mogregor, 1,100 feet; No. 1, Walker, 360 feet; No. 1, Wright, 750 feet; Mellon & Co.'s No. 1, Boyce, 300 feet, Mellon & Co.'s No. 1, Boyce, 300 feet, Mellon & Co.'s No. 1, Davis, 1,600 feet; Mellon & Co.'s No. 1, Davis, 1,600 feet; Mellon pleted in McCurdy during the present month, and a list of the wells now drilling:

Some Chartiers Wells, Black & Co, are down 1,600 feet on the Phillips farm, and B. B. Campbell are drilling at 550 feet on the Shaffer lot. The Smith Farm Oil Company is building a rig on the Stewart farm. The Wheeling Gas Company is drilling on the Phillips Jarm. Emerson & Guffey are drilling on the Andrews. Seybert & Co. are down 2,100 feet on the Kansas schoolhouse lot. The Forest Oil Company, on the McElwee, is down 1,400 feet.

MONTOUR-Black & Co. have a rig up on the S. W. Phillips and one on the Byrne farm. There is a well down 1,900 feet,on the Doug-lass farm. Yesterday's Local Features. There was considerable trading with nar-row fluctuations. Cash opened at 60%c; row fluctuations. Cash opened at 60%c; highest, 60%c; lowest, 60%c; close, 60%c. Go-ctober opened at 60%c; highest, 60%c; lowest, 60%c; close, 60%c. Refined was marked up in New York to 64006 55. It was unchanged at London and Antwerp. Daily average runs were 89,893 barreis; daily average shipments, 89,70 barrels.

OIL CITY, Sept. 25.—National Transit certificates opened at 60%c; highest, 60%c; low-

Oll City, Sept. 25.—National Transit certificates opened at 60%c; highest, 60%c; lowest shall Be est, 60%c; closed at 60%c; sales, 285,000 barrels.

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All communications should be addressed to the these Editor, P. O. Box 463. Chess Editor, P. O. Box 463.
The Pittsburg Chess Club meets at the Pittsburg
Library, Penn avenue.
The Allegheny Chess Club meets at Dr. Miller'
Hall, North avenue, every Monday evening.

TWO-MOVE PROBLEM TOURNEY. TWO-MOVE PROBLEM TOURNEY.

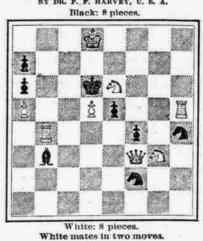
Mr. C. F. Stubbs. St. John. N. B., has generously offered "Chess-nut Burrs" and "Canadian Chess Problems" toward the prize list.

Mr. L. E. Johns, Pittsburg, has offered "Chess; Its Poetry and Prose."

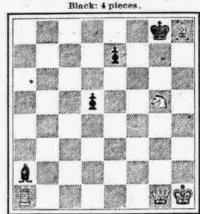
For proving a problem to be unsound, one extra point only will be allowed.

No entrance fee is required to enter the tourney. Sending in your solutions on time makes you a competitor.

PROBLEM NO. 91. [From the St. Paul Pioneer Press.] BY DR. P. F. HARVEY, U. S. A.

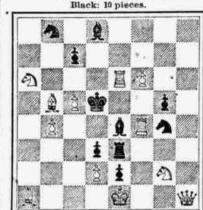


PROBLEM NO. 92. [Composed for The Dispatch.] BY COLONEL A. P. BOCKNELL, U. S. A.



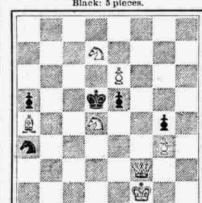
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PROBLEM NO. 93. [First prize in the Sussex Chess Association Tou BY THE REV. R. J. WRIGHT.



White: 12 piece !. White mates in two moves

PROBLEM NO. 94. BY E. B. GREENSHIELDS, MONTREAL, CAM. The subjoined problem was awarded the second prize for difficulty of solution in the special three-move problem contest in Brownson's Chess Journal.

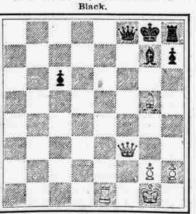


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[From Boden's Popular Introduction.]



White mates in four moves. SOLUTION OF PROBLEM No. 84. BY WALTER GLEAVE, R TO Q 5.

Correct solutions received from C. S. Jacobs, P. G. Keeney, Otto Wurzburg and M. O. D., "Poor Construction," Otto W. GAME ENDING NO. 30. Q TO Q 6. "This wins; no other will, because black would play Q to R 5, whereas, now, if he goes there white mates in two," P. G. Keeney, "This is grand," C. S. Jacobs. "Fine,"

ELEMENTARY STUDY. BY MAX LANGE. R TO Kt 5. 1 xx, KxR: 2 P to Kt 7, K to B 5; 3 P queens, and wins. Solved by C. S. Jacobs, M. O. D., Otto W. and P. G. Keency.

CHESS IN ALLEGHENY. On Monday evening last Mr. B. Koehler gave a very successful exhibition of his skill as a simultaneous player against 12 opponents, at the Allegheny Chess Club. There were, however, 17 games in all played, five of the defeated players playing a second time. Mr. Koehler won 15 and lost 2. The winners were Mr. John Anderson and Mr. Joseph Hepler. Those wro bit the dust were: H. E. Ashmore, George Bippus, Dr. B. A. Butler, E. E. Craumer, J. T. Douglass, J. Fawcett, John Patterson, A. A. Pope, S. S. Lyons and George S. South.

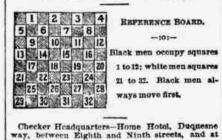
GAME NO. 85. One of the 12 simultaneous games played at the Allegheny Chess Club, Monday, Sep-tember 21, 1891.

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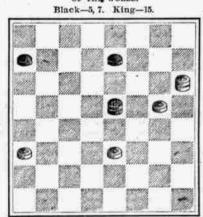
L. M. Stearns—In your prize problem No. 70, several correspondents show a draw by 22-26 at sixth move, instead of 24-19. We wish you would look it up, as we would like to see the win for the benefit of our readers. They are confident they can draw the position. PROBLEM NO. 84 BY G. F. To the Checker Editor of The Dispatch:

To the Cheeker Editor of The Dispatch:

I write you for your opinion of the construction of the automatic machine called Ajeeb, now on exhibition in New York City, who plays all comers, chess or checkers, with the skill of an expert. Please answer through the columns of Tirs Dispatch.

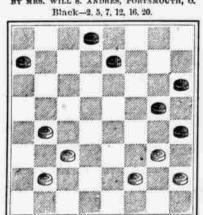
KANE, PA. G. F. [Can any of our readers solve the above? We would be glad to hear from those who have any knowledge of the machine.—CHECKER ED.]

PROBLEM NO. 82. BY MRS. WILL ANDRES, CHAMPION LADY PLAYER OF THE WORLD. Black-5, 7. King-15.



White-16, 21, 23. King-12.

Black to play and white to win. PROBLEM NO. 83. BY MRS. WILL S. ANDRES, PORTSMOUTH, O.



White-17, 22, 24, 25, 27, 28,

GAME NO. 168-LAIRD AND LADY. The following three games are the third

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18—25 | 27—24 | 30— 7 | 5—14 | 11— 8 | 29—13 | 7—10 | 3—10 | 20—16 | 32—27 | GAME NO. 160-"SECOND DOUBLE COR NER."

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of the contestants. Mr. J. T. Denvir will please make note of this. GAME NO. 170-SINGLE CORNER. Played at Cincinnati between "Mrs. Okey" and E. H. De Witt with notes, analysis and first move by the latter:

11-15 22-18 15-22 25-18 8-11 29-25	11-16 24-19 8-11 28-24 16-20 32-28 10-15a	28-14	3-7c 23-14 6-10 15-6 1-28 31-22 7-10d	17-14 2- 6- 14-10 6- 9 10- 7	7-10
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have al	lowed g touch	The	retty, i	nstruct	would ive and ve been: 24-19 B. wins.
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(c) 6-	would	have g	iven pla	y as fo	llows:
6-9 24-14 9-18 15-10e	18-23f 27-18 20-27 31-24	16-20 24-19 2-7 18-14	20-24 22-17 24-25 19-15	27-31 28-24 31-27 24-20	27 -23 15 - 11 White wins,
(d) 5	a would	lose.	91.17 1	- ml. (+o	

(e) What result if 15-11? Will it draw or will it win? (f) 2-7 or 2-6 also loses. VARIATION 1.

5-14 | 22-17 | 18 | 6-6 | 25-22 | 6-10 | 13-9 | 16-19 | 2-6 | 17-13 | 10-15 | - VARIATION 2. 2-7 | 7-11 | 16-19 | 22-18 | 15-22 | 24-8 25-21 | 21-17 | W.Wins 9-13 14-18 | 16-19 | 12-16 | 19-23 | 7-10 | 7-11 | 11-7 | 7-10 | 10-7 | W wins VARIATION 4. VARIATION 5. 1-17 | 22-18 | 25-22 | 18-14 | 14-9 | 9-5 5-9 | 9-13 | 2-6-6 | 10-15 | 6-10 | W. wins

GAME NO. 171-SINGLE CORNER. Played between Robert T. Thomas, of Maysville, Ky., and Mr. Parker, of Carlise, Ky., with the first move by the former and notes by "Mrs. Okey."

VARIATION 6.

2-7 | 10-19 | 16-19 | 17-14 | 12-16 | 15-11 18-15 | 24-15 | W. wins

(a) What a golden opportunity to win! 12-16, 19-12, 10-15 does the work neatly and

completely.

(b) 14-17, 21-14, 10-17, 25-21, 11-15, 21-14, 7-11, 16-7, 3-17, etc., draws.

(c) A touch that puts one into the king row and right out again upsets an amateur's nerves and generally drives him to defeat. I like to do such tricks. GAME NO 172-LAIRD AND LADY. Played at Anniston, Ala., in 1899, between "Mrs. Okey" and a Confederate soldier, with notes by the former and first move by the latter.

6-10 | 22-15 | 9-13 | 17-13 | 30-28 | Drawn.

(a) The line of battle is now formed, and the "blue and the gray" proceed to a double-quick charge.

(b) A "cross" cut, 19-15, is the "regular army" shot.

(c) An ignited fuse, which brings about an explosion that, for a time, opens up the confederate's ranks.

(d) "Way down in "Dixie," but not in position to capture "her people and her land."

(e) The fight goes bravely on, ceasing only with the coming of darkness. Can it be won to-morrow? Let the critics answer.

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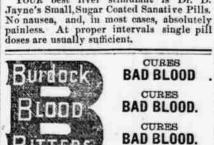
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