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National Prize Winners



Chris Blehm holds his trophy for 12th place in the National Junior Varsity tournament in Albuquerque. The Fort Lupton team won the first place trophy for an elementary school team.

Rodrigo Chavez holds the team trophy with **Daniel Stites**, **Ryan Bertram** (2nd place for 5th graders), **Ricky Bucher** (2nd place for 6th graders), and their beaming and beardless coach **Norbert Martinez**.

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As members of the Ft. Lupton
youth chess club, we want to thank you
very much for your generous
contribution which helped our team travel
to the High School National Championships
in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Enclosed is the photo of our team
after winning the 1st place trophy in our
Elem. Division. This was the largest chess
tournament ever held in the United States!
(831 players!)

Thanks for your help in
making this all possible!

Believers are Achievers!
Ricky Bucher, Ryan Bertram
Rodrigo Chavez, Daniel Stites
Coach Norbert E. Martinez



COLORADO CLOSED CHAMPIONSHIP

January, 1988, Denver

Sean Scott, Director

		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
1 Randy Canney	2387	X	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	1	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	1	$\frac{1}{2}$	5 $\frac{1}{2}$
2 Dave Jellison	2237	$\frac{1}{2}$	X	1	0	1	1	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	5
3 Robert Karnisky	2167	0	0	X	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	1	1	4
4 John Siddeek	2264	0	1	$\frac{1}{2}$	X	0	0	1	1	3 $\frac{1}{2}$
5 James Van Buskirk	2167	$\frac{1}{2}$	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	X	$\frac{1}{2}$	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	3
6 Ken Case	2141	0	0	0	1	$\frac{1}{2}$	X	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	2 $\frac{1}{2}$
7 Mark Wood	2104	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	0	0	1	$\frac{1}{2}$	X	$\frac{1}{2}$	2 $\frac{1}{2}$
8 Joe Abbott	2133	$\frac{1}{2}$	0	0	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	X	1 $\frac{1}{2}$

1988 COLORADO CLOSED

by Mark Wood

This year's Colorado Closed Tournament was by far the most interesting tournament in which I have had the privilege to play. Competition was much keener due to the absence of the top two finishers from last year. Alex Fishbein and Bob Fordon. For instance, last year, Alex won all but his last round game to take first place; this year, Randy Canney took clear first by winning four of seven games. Last year, the last place finisher had a score of 0-7, whereas this year, last place scored 1 1/2-5 1/2 points. There were only six draws last year, while this year the fourth round alone produced draws on all boards.

Some of the difference, of course, can be attributed to a year's experience for those who returned for a second try. There is a different attitude required to play in a round robin as opposed to the Swiss system thinking which most of us in this country are used to. Within a Swiss system, players must gamble early for wins, while a round robin is actually more of an endurance test. Randy Canney planned from the beginning of the tournament to win with white and to draw with black; this strategy worked well. On the other hand, there was John Siddeek who achieved excellent positions in all of his games, but was not always able to convert that positional advantage into a win...I'm still not sure what went wrong!

The tournament was held again at the home of Sean and Debbie Scott. They have increased the size of their menagerie, and you never knew when one of the cats (named, appropriately, Chess and Gambit) would get so enthralled with a game that he would jump up into the middle of the board to take a closer look. But, to be truthful, the animals added to the overall comfortable atmosphere which makes this tournament so unique in Colorado chess and such a joy to play in! I would like to share my reflections on a round by round basis as I played for the first time in this special two weekend chess party.

In the first round, Randy dispensed with me early; John beat Ken, and Dave won his game with Jim. The most interesting game came from Karnisky-Abbott. Sometimes, it doesn't pay to centralize your king in the ending!

CANNEY - WOOD 1. Nf3, Nf6; 2. d4, d5; 3. Bg5, e6; 4. e3, Be7; 5. Bd3, Nbd7; 6. Nbd2, O-O; 7. c3, b6; 8. Qb1, Bb7; 9. b4, c6; 10. Ne5, h6; 11. Bf4, Nxe5; 12. Bxe5, Qd7; 13. O-O, Rfc8; 14. Bxf6, Bxf6; 15. e4, e5; 16. f4, exd4; 17. e5, Be7; 18. Bf5, Qc7; 19. Bxc8, Rxc8; 20. cxd4, c5; 21. bxc5, bxc5; 22. Rc1, c4; 23. Qf5, Ba3; 24. Rc2, Bc6; 25. e6, fxe6; 26. Qxe6+, Kh8; 27. Rab1, Re8; 28. Qg6, Re3; 29. Nf3, Ba4; 30. Rf2, c3; 31. Ne1, Rxe1+; 32. Rxe1, c2; 33. Rxc2, Qxc2; 34. Re8 1-0

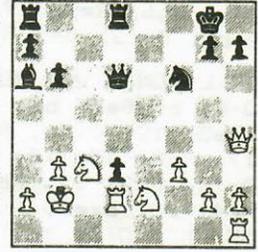
JELLISON - VAN BUSKIRK 1. d4, Nf6; 2. c4, g6; 3. Nc3, Bg7; 4. e4, d6; 5. f3, O-O; 6. Be3, b6; 7. Bd3, a6; 8. Nge2, c5; 9. e5, Ne8; 10. Be4, Ra7; 11. dxc5, Bxe5; 12. cxb6, Rd7; 13. O-O, Bg7; 14. f4, Nf6; 15. Bf3, Bb7; 16. Kh1, Nc6; 17. Nd5, e5; 18. Qa4, Nxd5; 19. cxd5, Ne7; 20. Nc3, Nf5; 21. Bf2, exf4; 22. Qxf4, Be5; 23. Qd2, Re7; 24. Ne2, Qd7; 25. a4, Rc8; 26. Nd4, Nxd4; 27. Bxd4, Rc4; 28. Bxe5, Rxe5; 29. b3, Rc5; 30. b4, Rc4; 31. Rfe1, f6; 32. Rxe5, fxe5; 33. h3, Qf5; 34. Bg4, Qe4; 35. Be6+, Kg7; 36. Rf1, Rc2; 37. Qg5, Time 1-0

KARNISKY - ABBOTT 1. g3, Nf6; 2. Nf3, g6; 3. b3, Bg7; 4. Bb2, c5; 5. c4, Nc6; 6. Bg2, O-O; 7. O-O, a6; 8. d4, cxd4; 9. Nxd4, Qc7; 10. Nc3, d6; 11. h3, Bd7; 12. e4, Nxd4; 13. Qxd4, Bc6; 14. Nd5, Bxd5; 15. cxd5, Rac8; 16. Re1, Qc5; 17. Qxc5, Rxc5; 18. Rac1, Nd7; 19. Bxg7, Kxg7; 20. Rxc5, Nxc5; 21. Re2, a5; 22. Rc2, b5; 23. f4, b4; 24. Kf2, Rc8; 25. Ke3, h6; 26. Bf1, g5; 27. e5, f6; 28. e6, f5; 29. Bd3, Kf6; 30. Bc4, Rg8; 31. a3, Ne4; 32. g4, gxf4+; 33. Kxf4, Nc3; 34. axb4, axb4; 35. Rf2, fxg4; 36. hxg4, Rg5; 37. Rd2, Re5; 38. Rd4, h5; 39. gxh5, Rxh5; 40. Kg4, Rg5+; 41. Kh4, Rf5; 42. Kg4, Ke5; 43. Rd2, Rf4+; 44. Kh5, Rd4; 45. Rxd4, Kxd4; 46. Kg6, Na4; 47. Kf7, Nb6; 48. Kxe7, Nxc4; 49. Kd8, Na5; 50. e7, 1-0

In the Second Round, Black won 3 1/2 points! The Jellison-Siddeek game earned the **Best Game Prize**; this exciting game is annotated elsewhere in this issue. I was able to pick on Jim who had stayed up all night, and get my only win. Rob beat Ken, while Joe weeded through Randy's Marshall Gambit maze to secure a draw.

ABBOTT - CANNEY 1. e4, e5; 2. Nf3, Nc6; 3. Bb5, a6; 4. Ba4, Nf6; 5. O-O, Be7; 6. Re1, b5; 7. Bb3, O-O; 8. c3, d5; 9. exd5, Nxd5; 10. Nxe5, Nxe5; 11. Rxe5, Nf6; 12. d4, Bd6; 13. Re1, Ng4; 14. h3, Bh2+; 15. Kf1, Nxf2; 16. Qf3, Nh1; 17. Bf4, Bxf4; 18. Qxf4, g5; 19. Qe5, Bb7; 20. Nbd2, Rfe8; 21. Qxe8+, Qxe8; 22. Rxe8+, Rxe8; 23. Nf3, Ng3+; 24. Kf2, Ne4+; 25. Kg1, Kg7; 26. Re1, f6; 27. Nd2, f5; 28. Bc2, Kf7; 29. Nf3, Kf6; 30. Ne5, Re7; 31. g4, Nd6; 32. gxf5, h5; 33. Bd1, Nc4; 34. Bxh5, Nxe5; 35. dxe5, Rxe5; 36. Rd1, Rd5; 37. Rxd5, Bxd5; 38. a3, Kxf5; 39. Kf2, Kf4; 40. Bg4, a5; 41. b4, axb4; 42. axb4, Bc4; 43. Bf3, Be6; 44. Bg2, Bd7; 45. Bf1, Ke4; 46. Be2, Bxh3; 47. Bxb5, Kf4; 48. Bc6, g4; 49. c4, g3+; 50. Kg1, Ke5; 51. b5, Kd4; 52. Bd5, Kc5; 53. Bf7, Kd4; 54. Bd5, Kc5; 55. Bf7, Bf5; 56. Kg2, Bd3; 57. Kxg3, Bxc4; 58. Bg6, Bxb5; 59. Kf2, Kd4; 60. Ke1, Kc3; 61. Kd1, Kb2; 62. Kd2, Bc4; 63. Be4, c5; 64. Bf3, Kb3; 65. Kc1, Kc3; 66. Bc6, Kd3; 67. Bd7, 1/2 - 1/2

Jellison-Siddeek, ENGLISH DEFENSE. Best game prize winner: notes by the players. Comments are by John unless indicated otherwise.: 1 d4,e6 2 c4,b6 (Dave was probably expecting 2...d5 and 3...c5 leading to a Tarrasch Defense, an opening we have contested numerous times from both sides of the board. So I decided to cross him up with the so-called English Defense, which often leads, in the words of Hort, to "chess from another planet." For example, if White now tries 3 d5, then 3... Qh4 is quite playable (!) as Miles has shown against Karpov. The point of this defense is to encourage White to overcommit in the center, and then counter-attack on the light squares, particularly e4.) 3 e4,Bb7 4 Nc3,Bb4 5 Bd3,f5 6 Qe2,Nf6 7 f3,Nc6! (White has concentrated so much energy on e4 that now he has trouble defending d4. If 8 e5,Nxd4 9 Qf2,Nh5 10 Qxd4, than 10...Bc5 "checkmates" Her Majesty.) 8 Be3 f4 (Black is leaving his f-pawn quite loose here, but how else to proceed?) 9 Bf2,e5 (Else White will play 10 e5.-DJ) 10 de (10 d5!? when not 10...Nd4 11 Bxd4,ed 12 a3,Bxc3+ 13 bc.dc 14 e5!± or 12...dc 13 ab.cb 14 Qxb2.d6 15 c5!,Nh5 16 Nh3 ±: but 10...Ne7! 11 Rcl,d6 12 g4!?,g5! ♯, with a King's Indian wherein Black can exchange his KB off.-DJ) Ne5 11 Qd2 (White soon finds himself in difficulties and this move may be the culprit. 11 Nh3 is a serious alternative. saving a developmental tempo. Then 11...0-0 12 Nxf4 is good for White, since Black has no meaningful way to take advantage of the loose knight on f4. So Ken Case's suggestion 11...g5 looks best. A possible line is 11 Nh3,g5 12 Nxxg5,Qe7 13 Nh3,Nh5 14 0-0.Bxc3 15 bc,c5! (preventing 16 Bd4) and Black has good compensation for his pawn.) (11 Nh3!,Nh5 12 g4!?,fg 13 hg.0-0 14 Ng1,Qe5!?, unclear, e.g. 15 f4,Nxxg3! 16 fg,Nxe2 17 Bxe2,Bxe4 18 Rh4,Nd3+-DJ) 0-0 12 Nge2,Ba6! 13 b3.c6 (13...d5 right away looks good, too.) 14 0-0-0, d5 ♯ 15 ed.cd 16 Qxf4,Qc7 (16...Qe7 looks better, e.g. 17 Bg3,Nfg4 18 Qd2,dc and the White Monarch will soon with he had chosen to reside elsewhere.) 17 Bg3.Bd6 18 Qh4,dc 19 Bxe5 cd 20 Bxd6,Qxd6 (This was the position I had in mind when playing 16...Qc7. I assumed that the strong pawn on d3 would grant an easy win, but the position requires delicate handling. Despite his growing time pressure, Dave handles the next few moves well.) 21 Kb2.Rfd8 22 Rd2*,Rac8 (22...Qc5 was correct. breaking the pin before White plays Rc1, thereby taking g1 away from the knight on e2. For example, 23 Ng3,Rac8 24 Rc1,Rd4 25 Nge4,Nxe4 26 fe,b5 27 a3,b4 28 ab,Rxb4 and Black's pressure on b3 is very strong, while 23 Nf4,Qe3 24 Rhd1,Rd4 25 g3,Qxf3 allows Black access to e4, which, as the game shows, is deadly.) 23 Rc1,Qe7 24 Ng1 (He's out of the way here.) Rc5 25 Nh3 Rdc8 26 Rd4 Rd8 27 Qh4,Qc7 28 Qf4,Qc6 29 g3? (Both players were getting short of time - the time control was at move 40. White has had an answer for all of Black's threats, but now he weakens f3, which allows a breakthrough. 29 Nf2 allows ...Rxc3, ...Qxc3+, ...Nd5+, and ...Nxf4, but 29 a3 threatening b4 is a good defensive move.) (29 Ne2,Rxc1 30 Nxc1,Rc8 ♯ -DJ) Rc8 30 Qd4,Qxf3 31 Nf4,Ne4 32 Qxe4 Qxe4 33 Nxe4,Rxc1 34 Nxd3,Bxd3 35 Rxd3,R1c2+ 36 Ka3,Rxxh2 37 Rd7,R8c2 38 Kb4,Rxa2 39 Nd6,h6 (39...Rhf2 looks better. Both players were in serious time pressure.) 40 Nf5,g6 41 Rg7+Kf8 42 Rxxg6 (The time pressure smoke has cleared, and Black has a decisive advantage in material. White's pieces are active, hemming in Black's king. So the second player's plan is clear: activate his Monarch and use threats on both sides of the board to create a passed pawn to reduce White's counterplay.) Kf7 43 Rc6,h5 44 Rh6,Ra5 45 Nd4,Kg7 46 Rd6,Rh3 47 Nb5,Rxxg3 48 Rd7+,Kf6 49 Nxa7,Rg4+ 50 Kc3,Rc5+ 51 Kd3,Rg7 52 Rxxg7.Kxxg7 53 b4,Rg5 54 Nc8.b5 0-1.



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*J-S after W22

In Round Three, Randy won another point in a long end game against Ken. Joe and I had our usual argument about his King's Indian Defense, producing our fifth straight draw on the subject. Dave employed his Full Martian against Rob to secure his win. (The Full Martian is an opening in which both knights are played to the side of the board, i.e., to Rook 3, preferably in consecutive moves ??!) John played into an ending which was, at least superficially, winning, but which closer examination proved was actually losing.



Colorado Closed photographs by Meri Morris.

Round Five, starting off the final weekend, and with rested players, produced some of the more interesting games. Rob and Jim agreed to a draw. In the meantime, I put Dave on the ropes... for a while, at any rate, and then also agreed to a draw. John once again looked as if he might have a win, this time against Randy, only to lose in complications. Ken had the best "kill" of the tournament against Joe's helpless king.

CANNEY-SIDDEEK 1. e4, e6; 2. d4, d5; 3. Nc3, Bb4; 4. e5, c5; 5. a3, Bxc3+; 6. bxc3, Ne7; 7. a4, Nbc6; 8. Nf3, Qa5; 9. Bd2, Bd7; 10. Be2, f6; 11. Rb1, 0-0-0; 12. Rb5, Qxa4; 13. Rxc5, b6; 14. Rb5, Nxe5; 15. Rb4, Nxf3+; 16. Bxf3, Qa2; 17. 0-0, Nc6; 18. Rb1, Na5; 19. Bf4, Kb7; 20. Be2, Nc4; 21. Qd3, Qa4; 22. Rb4, Qc6; 23. Ra1, g5; 24. Bg3, Be8; 25. Bf3, Rc8; 26. Qe2, h5; 27. Rxc4, Qxc4; 28. Qxe6, Rd8; 29. Bd6, Bc6; 30. Qxf6, Qxc3; 31. Rf1, g4; 32. Be2, Qd2; 33. Qg7+, Bd7; 34. Qe5, Bc6; 35. Qg7+, Bd7; 36. Qe5, Qxc2; 37. Ra1, Qf5; 38. Ba6+, Ka8; 39. Qe2, Qe6; 40. Bb7+, Kxb7; 41. Qa6+, 1-0

WOOD-JELLISON 1. Nf3, d5; 2. e3, Nf6; 3. b3, e6; 4. Bb2, Bd6; 5. Ne5, 0-0; 6. f4, Ne8; 7. Bd3, Bxe5; 8. Bxe5, Qh4+; 9. g3, Qe7; 10. 0-0, Nc6; 11. Bb2, f6; 12. Qf3, Nd6; 13. Ba3, Qf7; 14. Nc3, Rd8; 15. e4, dxe4; 16. Nxe4, Ne7; 17. Rae1, Rb8; 18. Qe2, b6; 19. Nxd6, cxd6; 20. Be4, d5; 21. Bg2, Nf5; 22. Bb2, 1/2-1/2

ABBOTT-CASE 1. e4, c5; 2. Nf3, Nc6; 3. d4, cxd4; 4. Nxd4, g6; 5. Nc3, Bg7; 6. Be3, Nf6; 7. f3, 0-0; 8. Qd2, d5; 9. Nxc6, bxc6; 10. e5, Nd7; 11. f4, e6; 12. Na4, Qe7; 13. b4, f6; 14. exf6, Qxf6; 15. Rd1, e5; 16. fxe5, Qh4+; 17. g3, Qe4; 18. Bg2, Qxe5; 19. Rf1, Ba6; 20. Rf3, Qh5; 21. Rxf8+, Rxf8; 22. Bxd5+, Kh8; 23. c4, cxd5; 24. Qxd5, Ne5; 25. b5, Qxh2; 26. Rd2, Qxg3+; 27. Bf2, Rxf2; 28. Rxf2, Nd3+; 29. Kd2, Bh6+; 30. Kc2, Nb4+; 31. Kb1, Nxd5; 0-1

Round Six saw two quick knockouts: John totally crushed me, and Rob made an early blunder and succumbed to Randy. Jim and Ken played to a quiet draw, while Dave stole an ending from Joe, using a Half Martian??!

ROUND 6

VAN BUSKIRK-CASE 1. e4, c5; 2. Nf3, Nc6; 3. Bb5, g6; 4. 0-0, Bg7; 5. c3, Nf6; 6. Re1, 0-0; 7. d4, cxd4; 8. cxd4, d5; 9. e5, Ne4; 10. Nc3, Nxc3; 11. bxc3, Na5; 12. Nd2, Bd7; 13. Be2, Rc8; 14. Nb3, Ba4; 15. Bf3, e6; 16. Qd3, Bxb3; 17. axb3, Nxb3; 18. Rxa7, Qb6; 19. Ra4, Nxc1; 20. Rxc1, Bh6; 21. Rca1, Qb2; 22. R4a3, Bc1; 23. Qd1, Qxa3; 24. Rxa3, Bxa3; 25. Qb3, Bc1; 26. Be2, Rfd8; 27. g3, Rc7; 28. Qb6, Rdc8; 1/2-1/2

JELLISON-ABBOTT 1. a3, Nf6; 2. g3, g6; 3. Bg2, Bg7; 4. d4, 0-0; 5. c4, d6; 6. Nh3, e5; 7. d5, a5; 8. Nc3, Bxb3; 9. Bxb3, Nbd7; 10. Be3, Qe7; 11. 0-0, Rfd8; 12. b4, Ra6; 13. Rb1 ab : 14 ab , Rda8; 15. Qc2, b6; 16. Nb5, Ne8; 17. Rfc1, Bf8; 18. Qd1, f5; 19. Ra1, Qd8; 20. Bg2, Ra2; 21. Rxa2, Rxa2; 22. Kf1, Qa8; 23. Qb3, Qa6; 24. c5, Ra1; 25. cxd6, Rxc1+; 26. Bxc1, Bxd6; 27. Qc4, Qa4; 28. Bd2, Qd1+; 29. Be1, Kf8; 30. Nxd6, cxd6; 31. f3, Kf7; 32. e4, Nef6; 33. Qe2, Qxe2+; 34. Kxe2, fxe4; 35. fxe4, b5; 36. Bf2, g5; 37. Kf3, g4+; 38. Ke3, Nb6; 39. Bf1, Nc4+; 40. Kd3, Ke7; 41. Be3, Kd7; 42. Bg5, Ne8; 43. Kc3, Kc7; 44. Bxc4, bxc4; 45. Kxc4, Kb7; 46. Kb5, h6; 47. Be7, Nc7+; 48. Ka5, Ne8; 49. b5, 1-0

SIDDEEK-WOOD 1. Nf3, Nf6; 2. c4, e6; 3. Nc3, Bb4; 4. Qc2, 0-0; 5. a3, Bxc3; 6. Qxc3, d6; 7. g3, Nbd7; 8. Bg2, e5; 9. 0-0, Re8; 10. b3, Nf8; 11. Bb2, Qe7; 12. d3, Ng6; 13. Nd2, Rb8; 14. e4, h5; 15. f4, exf4; 16. gxf4, h4; 17. f5, Ne5; 18. d4, Nc6; 19. Rael, Bd7; 20. e5, dxe5; 21. dxe5, Nh5; 22. b4, Qg5; 23. Ne4, Qh6; 24. Bc1, Qh8; 25. Ng5, Nd8; 26. e6, fxe6; 27. fxe6, Bxe6; 28. Nxe6, 1-0

Going into the **Seventh**, and final **Round**, there were several players still in contention for prizes. The only draw was between Randy and Jim, but it was enough to give Randy clear first place. I managed to get smashed by Rob, while Ken had his worst game ever against Dave. John finished on a positive note by beating Joe using his favorite French defense.

WOOD-KARNISKY 1. d4, Nf6; 2. Nf3, b6; 3. Nbd2, Bb7; 4. e3, d6; 5. Bd3, Nbd7; 6. 0-0, g6; 7. b3, Bg7; 8. Bb2, 0-0; 9. c4, Qe8; 10. e4, e5; 11. d5, Nh5; 12. Bc2, a5; 13. Re1, Bc8; 14. Nf1, Nc5; 15. a3, Bd7; 16. Ng3, Nxc3; 17. hxg3, f5; 18. exf5, gxf5; 19. b4, Na4 20 Bxa4.Bxa4 21. Qe2, Bd7; 22. Rac1, axb4; 23. axb4, f4; 24. gxf4, Rxf4; 25. Nd2, Qg6; 26. Ra1, Raf8; 27. f3, Bf5; 28. Ra3, Bh6; 29. Bc1, Rh4; 30. Rc3, Bf4; 31. Nf1, Bg3; 32. Rdl, e4; 33. fxe4, 0-1

ABBOTT-SIDDEEK 1. e4, e6; 2. d4, d5; 3. Nc3, Bb4; 4. e5, c5; 5. a3, Bxc3+; 6. bxc3, Ne7; 7. Qg4, Qc7; 8. Qxg7, Rg8; 9. Qxh7, cxd4; 10. Ne2, Nbc6; 11. f4, dxc3; 12. Qd3, Bd7; 13. Nxc3, a6; 14. Rb1, Na5; 15. g3, Nc4; 16. Bh3, 0-0-0; 17. Rf1, Rh8; 18. g4, Rh4; 19. Rf3, d4; 20. Ne4, Bb5; 21. Nd6+, Nxd6; 22. exd6, Qxd6; 23. c4, Bc6; 24. Rg3, Ng6; 25. Bg2, Bxg2; 26. Rxc2, Nxf4; 27. Bxf4, Qxf4; 28. Qb3, Rd7; 29. h3, d3; 30. Qb4, Qe3+; 31. Kf1, Rxh3; 32. Qf8+, Rd8; 33. Qxf7, Rh1+; 0-1

CASE-JELLISON 1. e3, d5; 2. d4, Nf6; 3. Nf3, Bf5; 4. c4, e6; 5. Nc3, Nc6; 6. Qa4, Nd7; 7. c5, a6; 8. Qb3, b6; 9. Qa4, b5; 10. Qb3, Bxc5; 11. Bxb5, axb5; 12. dxc5, Bd3; 13. Nxb5, Bc4; 14. Nxc7+, Qxc7; 15. Qc3, Nxc5; 16. Qxc7 0-0-0; 17. Bd2, Nd3+; 0-1

I was a participant in this tournament because I won the Colorado Tour for 1987. In fact, if I am honest, it was the desire to play in this tournament which pushed me, as it were, to win the Tour last year. I gained a few rating points from this tournament, but more importantly, I had a very special opportunity to play with and against the best in the state.

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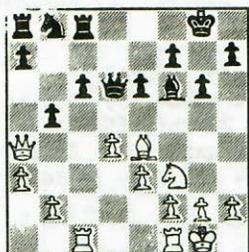
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1 Robert B. Karnisky	10805465	2183	W45	W16	W23	W6	W4	5-0
2 Daoud Zupa	12407991	1771	W62	W65	D21	W20	W12	4½-½
3 Randy Canney	10407443	2405	W8	W29	½BYE	W32	W11	
4 Paul W. Cornelison	12451594	1942	W51	W9	W22	W5	L1	4-1
5 Garth E. Courtois	10409390	1776	W40	W7	W18	L4	W17	
6 Pete Millett	11056491	1816	W59	W39	W17	L1	W19	
7 Eric Beckman	12436376	2111	W69	L5	W45	W14	W16	
8 Virgil McGuire	10411297	1666	L3	W67	W50	W43	W26	
9 John Earl Carr	10409594	1738	W68	L4	W40	W21	W18	
10 Inalegwu Odeh	12497797	1498	L18	W68	W24	W22	W33	
11 J. Richard Scott	10120128	1801	W19	D31	W13	W33	L3	3½-1½
12 Meredith Willis	12213940	1819	½BYE	W42	W47	W34	L2	
13 Daniel L. Boehmer	12287930	1700	WF	D20	L11	W47	W32	
14 James Stearns	12462336	1588	W38	W43	½B	L7	W35	
15 Les Haynes	10375517	1782	L57	W61	D55	W42	W36	
16 Peter F. Detellis	12027500	1787	W71	L1	W51	W28	L7	3-2
17 Thomas R. Berndt	10313261	1970	W41	W25	L6	W27	L5	
18 Ian MacLellan	12436575	1913	W10	W46	L5	W25	L9	
19 Ronald Smits	12473543	1340	L11	W54	W46	W23	L6	
20 John S. Price	12350090	1875	W37	D13	W31	L2	D30	
21 Debra M. Scott	10506107	1881	D42	W35	D2	L9	W52	
22 Tomas Gallegos	12200860	1795	W61	W57	L4	L10	W44	
23 Douglas Russell	10411581	1836	W66	W58	L1	L19	W49	
24 James Nelson	10407109	1768	W48	L34	L10	W39	W41	
25 Rick Mattoon	11180914	1763	W64	L17	W39	L18	W50	
26 Dan Avery	12405387	1856	L39	W59	W44	W41	L8	
27 Gregg Steadman	12421939	1753	W53	L33	W60	L17	W48	
28 Mark G. Kriseler	10296561	2019	L58	W70	W52	L16	W46	
29 Richard DeLong	12408208	1792	W67	L3	L41	W60	W40	
30 Gary Bagstad	10924031	1767	W63	L56	½BYE	W31	D20	
31 Seth Allen	12501802	Unr	W54	D11	L20	L30	W43	2½-2½
32 Kevin Ruback	12484829	1839	W70	W44	D34	L3	L13	
33 Vance Aandahl	10407842	1930	W36	W27	½BYE	L11	L10	
34 Peter Kurucz	10235855	2027	W49	W24	D32	L12	---	
35 Stephen R. Steiner	12368600	1769	D47	L21	W54	WF	L14	
36 Andreas Forstner	12427293	1510	L33	W53	½BYE	W56	L15	
37 William H. Hall	12028100	1485	L20	L50	½BYE	W67	W55	
38 Mark Wood	10408903	2104	L14	W66	½BYE	W55	---	
39 Edward Cronin	10408504	1455	W26	L6	L25	L24	W63	2-3
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51 William R. Jeavons	12429388	1517	L4	W64	L16	L48	W62	
52 Simon Teichmann	12335530	1651	L65	W62	L28	W63	L21	
53 Randall S. Reiser	12476590	Unr	L27	L36	W61	L44	W60	
54 Albert Gardner	11122043	1791	L31	L19	L35	W64	W59	

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56	Joseph L. Spencer	10416451	1967	L55	W30	½BYE	L36	---	---
57	James David Green	12482777	Unr	W15	L22	½BYE	---	---	---
58	Michael Sheikh	12469465	1553	W28	L23	½BYE	---	---	---
59	Richard J. Gunn	111333516	1356	L6	L26	W64	I46	L54	1-4
60	Joseph R. Aragon	11345409	1425	I43	W72	L27	L29	L53	---
61	Gary Crites	12495043*	1306	L22	L15	L53	W68	I45	---
62	John Loughry	12490970	Unr	L2	L52	W68	I49	L51	---
63	Gary Morton	12500581	Unr	L30	I41	W71	L52	L39	---
64	Joseph Nauman	recent	Unr	L25	L51	L59	L54	WF	---
65	Kenneth Case	10925444	2148	W52	L2	---	---	---	---
66	Brian E. Jacoby	12494534	1388	L23	L38	½BYE	L50	---	½-4½
67	Liz Wood	12402559	1273	L29	L8	½BYE	L37	---	---
68	Kevin Sahr	recent	Unr	L9	L10	L62	L61	---	0-5
69	Gary Garrett	11229930	1623	L7	I40	I42	---	---	---
70	Herbert R. Conley	12422277	1394	L32	L28	I48	---	---	---
71	David Foster	recent	Unr	L16	I45	L63	---	---	---
72	Robert D. Scott	12475776	1092	I44	L60	---	---	---	---

Cannéy-McGuire, SICILIAN: 1 e4,c5 2 Nf3,Nc6 3 Bb5,Qc7 4 0-0,d6 5 Nc3,e6 6 B:c6+, Q:c6 7 d4,Nf6 8 Qe2,Be7 9 Bg5,Bd7 10 Rad1,h6 11 B:f6,B:f6 12 e5,Be7 13 ed,B:d6 14 dc,Bb8 15 Ne5,B:e5 16 Q:e5,0-0 17 Rd6,Qc8 18 Rfd1,Bc6 19 Ne2,Bd5 20 Nf4,f6 21 N:d5,ed 22 Q:d5+,Kh7 23 Rd7,Rb8 24 b4,1-0.

Berndt-Engles, QUEEN'S INDIAN: 1 Nf3,b6 2 c4,Bb7 3 Nc3,Nf6 4 d4,e6 5 a3,Be7 6 Bg5,0-0 7 e3,d5 8 B:f6,B:f6 9 cd,B:d5 10 N:d5,Q:d5 11 Rc1, Qd6 12 Bd3,g6 13 Be4,c6 14 0-0,Rc8 15 Qa4,b5* 16 Q:b5!,cb 17 R:c8+.Kg7 18 B:a8,Nd7 19 Be4,e5 20 Rd1,Qe6 21 Rc6,Qg4 22 Bc2,ed 23 ed,Nb6 24 h3,Qd7 25 Be4,Nc4! 26 Rc5,N:b2 27 Rb1, Na4 28 Rc:b5?,Nc3 29 Rb7,Qe6 30 Re1,N:e4 31 Rb4,Qd5 32 Ne5, Be7 33 Ra4,Nc3 34 R:a7,Qd6 35 a4,Nd5 36 Rd7,Qb4 37 Kf1,Q:a4! 38 R:d5,f6 39 N:g6,Qc4+ 40 Kg1,Q:d5 41 N:e7,Qd6?? 42 Nf5+,1-0. Too bad: losing this way after such a hard-fought game.



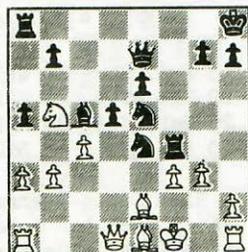
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B-E after B15

Allen-Gardner, QGD CHIGORIN: 1 d4,d5 2 c4,Nc6 3 Nc3,dc 4 Nf3, Bg4 5 e3,e5 6 B:c4,Bb4 7 Qb3,B:c3+ 8 Q:c3,B:f3 9 gf,ed 10 ed Q:d4 11 Qb3,0-0-0 12 Be3,Qf6 13 B:f7,Nh6 14 Bd5,Rhe8 15 0-0-0, b6 16 Rhg1,Nf5 17 Bg5,Nfd4 18 Qc4,Ne2+ 19 Q:e2,R:e2 20 B:f6, Nb4 21 B:d8,1-0.

Luevanos-Nelson, ALEKHIN: 1 e4,Nf6 2 Nc3,d5 3 ed,Nxd5 4 Nxd5,Qxd5 5 Qf3,Qe5+ 6 Qe3,Qxe3+ 7 de,Bf5 8 c3,Nd7 9 Nf3,Nc5 10 Bd2,Bc2 11 Nd4,Ba4 12 Nb5,0-0-0 13 Nxa7+, Kb8 14 Nb5,Ne4 15 b3,Rxd2 16 f3,Bxb5 17 fe,Rc2 18 Bxb5,Rxc3 19 0-0,f6 20 Rad1,c6 21 Bd3,e5 22 Rf2,Bc5 23 Rc2,Bxe3+ 24 Kf1,Rxc2 25 Bxc2,Kc7 26 Ke2,Bd4 27 Kf3,h5 28 h3,Kd6 29 a4,c5 30 Bd3,Rf8 31 Rh1,Kc6 32 g4,h4 33 Rb1,Rd8 34 Ke2,Ra8 35 Bc2,b5 36 Kd3,Rd8 37 Ke2,ba 38 ba.c4 39 Rb5,Bc3 40 Bb1,Rd2+ 41 Kf1,Rh2 42 Rb8,Kc7 43 Rg8, Rh1+ 44 Ke2,Rxb1 45 Rxc7+,Kd6 46 Rg6,Ke7 47 Rh6,Be1 and Black won (0-1).

DeLong-Canney, DUTCH: 1 d4,d5 2 Nf3,e6 3 e3,f5 4 Nbd2,Nf6 5 Ne5,Bd6 6 Ndf3,0-0 7 b3,Nbd7 8 Be2,Ne4 9 Bd2,Ndf6 10 Kf1?!,Bd7 11 Be1,a5 12 a3,c5 13 Nxd7,Nxd7 14 dc,Bxc5 15 Nd4,Qe7 16 c4,Kh8 17 Nb5,f4 18 ef, Rxf4 19 f3,Ne5 20 g3*,Ng4! 21 Bd2,Raf8! 22 Kg2,Nxd2 23 Qxd2, Ne3+ 24 Kh3.R4f6 25 g4,Rh6+ 26 Kg3,Qh4 mate.



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*D-C after W20

Nelson-Kurucz, STONEWALL: 1d4,Nf6 2 Nf3,e6 3 e3,b6 4 Bd3,Bb7 5 Nbd2,d5 6 0-0,Nbd7 7 c3,Be7 8 Ne5,0-0 9 f4,c5 10 g4,Ne4 11 Qf3,f5 12 Nxd7,Qxd7 13 Qh3,fg 14 Q:g4,Rf6 15 Kh1,Rg6 16 Qh3,Rf8 17 Nf3,Rh6 18 Qg2,Rf5 19 Ne5,Qe8 20 Rg1,Bf8 21 Be2,Qe7 22 Bg4,Qh4 23 Nd3,Ba6 24 Bxf5,Bxd3 25 h3,ef 26 Kh2,Nf6 27 Qd2? and 0-1.

Mattoon-Berndt, RUY LOPEZ: 1 e4,Nc6 2 Nf3,e5 3 Bb5,a6 4 Ba4,Nf6 5 d3,d6 6 Bg5,h6 7 Be3,Be7 8 Nbd2,Be6 9 0-0,0-0 10 h3,qd1 11 Nh2,b5 12 Bb3,Na5 13 Bxe6,fe 14 Ng4, Nc6 15 c3,d5 16 f4,de 17 Nxe4,ef 18 Nexf6+,Bxf6 19 Nxf6+,Rxf6 20 Rxf4,Rxf4 21 Bxf4 e5 22 Bg3,Rd8 23 Qb3+,Qd5 24 Qxd5+,Rxd5 25 Rd1,Kf7 26 Kf2,Ke6 27 Ke3,Ne7 28 Ke4, Nf5 29 Bf2,Nd6+ 30 Ke3,Nc4+ 31 Ke4,Nxb2 32 Rd2,Nc4 33 Rd1,Nd6+ 34 Ke3,c5 35 Rb1, c4 36 dc,Nxc4+ 37 Ke2,Rd2+ 38 Kf3,Rxa2 39 Rc1,Rd2 40 Bc5,h5 41 Ra1,a5 42 Rb1,Rb2 43 Rc1,Nd2+ 44 Kx3,Ne4+ 0-1.

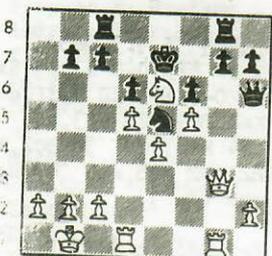
Spencer-Bagstad, KING'S INDIAN: 1 d4,Nf6 2 c4,g6 3 Nc3,Bg7 4 e4,d6 5 Bb3,0-0 6 Nge2,e5 7 d5,Nbd7 8 0-0,a6 9 f3,h6 10 Be3,Kh8 11 Qd2,Ng8 12 g4,g5 13 Ng3,Ne7 14 Rf2,Ng6 15 h3,Nf4 16 Rh2,Qf6 17 Be2,Qg6 18 Kf2,Kg8 19 h4,Bf6 20 Nf5,Kh7 21 Rahl Rh8 22 Bdl,Kg8 23 ha,Bxg5 24 Ne2,Qf6 25 Nxf4,ef 26 Bxf4 Bxf4 27 Qxf4,Qxb2+ 28 Be2, Ne5 29 Nxb6+,Kf8 30 Kx3,Bd7 31 Qf6,Rh7 32 Nxf7,Rxh2 33 Nxe5+,Kd8 34 Qf7+ 1-0.

Aandahl-Steadman, RETI: 1 Nf3,Nf6 2 g3,g6 3 Bg2,Bg7 4 0-0,0-0 5 d3,d5 6 Nbd2,Bg4 7 c4,Bxf3 8 Bxf3,c6 9 Rbl,e6 10 b4,Nbd7 11 a4,Ne5 12 Bg2,dc 13 dc,Qc7 14 Qb3,Rad8 15 Nf3,Nxf3+ 16 Bxf3,a6 17 f5,Nd7 18 Be3,Rde8 19 Rfd1,e5 20 Rd2,f5 21 Rbd1,Rf7 22 Bb6!,Qc8 (22...Nxb6 23 ab,Qxb6 24 c5,Qa7 25 Rd7,Rf8 26 Bxc6) 23 c5,Re7 24 e4, Nxb6?! 25 Rd8+,Re8 26 Rxc8,Nxc8 27 ef,Kf8 28 fg,hg 29 Bg4,Na7 30 Qd3,e4 31 Qd6+, R8e7?! 32 Qb8+,Re8 33 Rd8!,Rfe7 34 Rxe8+,Rxe8 35 Qxa7,Bd4 36 Qxb7,e3 37 fe,Rxe3 38 Kf1,Bc3 39 Qc8+,Re8 40 Qxc6,1-0.

Sikora-MacLellan, NIMZOVICH DEFENSE: 1 e4,Nc6 2 d4,d5 3 e5,f6 4 f4,Bf5 5 a3,e6 6 Nf3,Nh6 7 h3,Be7 8 Be3,0-0 9 Qd2,a6 10 c4,Be4 11 Nc3,fe 12 fe,Bxf3 13 gf,Bh4+ 14 Kd1,Nf5 15 Rg1,Nxe5 16 de,d4 17 Bxd4,Nxd4 18 Rg4,Rxf3 19 Bg2,Nb3 20 Qxd8+,Rxd8 21 Kc2,Nxa1+ 22 Kbl,Rxc3 23 bc,Rd1+ 24 Kb2,Bf2 25 Bxb7,Nb3! 26 Bc8,Nc5 27 Kc2,Rd8 28 Rg2,Be3 29 Re2,Bh6 0-1.

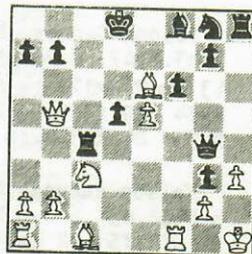
Stearns-Swartwood, CARO-KANN: 1 e4,c6 2 d4,d5 3 e5,Bf5 4 Bd3,Bxd3 5 Qxd3,e6 6 f4,Ne7 7 Nd2,Nd7 8 Ne2,g6 9 Nf3,Bg7 10 Bd2,Qb6 11 0-0-0,c5 12 c3,c4 13 Qc2,Qa6 14 Kbl,b5 15 g4,Qb6 16 Ng3,a5 17 f5,Bf8 18 fe,Qxe6 19 Ng5,Qc6 20 Rhf1,f5 21 gf, h6 22 Nf7!,Kxf7 23 e6+,Ke8 24 ed+,Kxd7 25 f6,Nf5 26 Nxf5,gf 27 Qxf5+,Kc7 28 Bf4+, Kb7 29 Rdel,Rd8 30 Be5,h5 31 f7,Bd6 32 Bxd6,Qxd6 33 Re6,Qf8 34 Qf6,Rd7 35 Re8, Qxe8 36 fe2,Rxe8 37 Rf2 and White won (1-0).

Ruback-Johnson, BENONI (?): 1 d4,Nf6 2 Nf3,b6 3 c4,c5 4 d5,b5?! 5 Nc3,bc 6 e4,d6 7 Bxc4, g6 8 0-0,Bg7 9 e5,Ng4 10 Bb5+,Bd7 11 e6,Bxb5 12 ef+,Kd7 13 Nxb5,Qb6 14 Qa4 Ne5 15 Nxe5,de 16 f4,e4 17 Na3+,Kd8 18 Qxe4,Qd6 19 Nc4,Bd4+ 20 Be3,Bxe3 21 Qxe3,1-0.



Gardner-Smiths (from position at left). 27...g5 28 fg,Rxg6 29 Qf2,Ng4 30 Qa7,b6 31 Nxc7,Ne3 32 Ne6+,Ke8 33 Rxg6,hg 34 Rc1,Nc4 35 Qb7?,Nd2+ 36 Ka1,Nb3+ 37 ab,Qxc1+ 38 Ka2 Qxc2 39 Nd4,Qc7 40 Qxc7,Rxc7 41 Nb5,Rc2 42 Nxd6+,Kd7 43 Nc4,b5 44 Ne3,Rxh2 45 Ng4,Rd2 46 Nxf6+,Kd6 47 Ka3,Ke5 48 Nd7+,Kxe4 49 Nb6,Rxd5! 50 Kb4,Rf5 51 Nd7,g5 52 Nc5+,Rxc5 53 Kxc5,g4 and Black won (0-1). *(39 Ng7+ draws.)

Kurucz-Ruback, CARO-KANN: 1 e4,c6 2 d4,d5 3 e5,Bf5 4 c4,e6 5 Nc3,Nd7 6 cd,cd 7 Nge2,h5 8 Ng3,Bg4 9 f3,h4 10 fg,hg 11 h3,Qb6 12 Bb5,Rc8 13 0-0,f6 14 Qa4,Kd8 15 Bxd7,Rc4 16 Qb5,Qxd4+ 17 Kh1,Qxg4 18 Bxe6+,Rxb3+ 19 gh,g2+ 20 Kg1,gfQ+ 21 Kxf1,Qf3+ 22 Ke1,Qg3+ 23 Kd1,Qd3+ 24 Bd2,Qf1+ 25 Be1,Qf3+ 26 Kc1,Qe3+ 27 Bd2,Qg1+ 28 Kc2,Qg6+ 29 Kd1,Qg1+ 30 Be1,Qd4+ 31 Bd2,Qg1+ 32 Kc2,Qg6+ ½-½.



Rich Scott-Boehmer, SICILIAN: 1 e4,c5 2 Nf3,Nc6 3 d4,cd 4 Nxd4, e6 5 Nxc6,bc 6 Be3,Nf6 7 Bd3,Be7 8 0-0,0-0 9 e5,Nd5 10 Bd4,Bb7 11 c4,Nf4 12 c5,Nxd3 13 Qxd3,f6 14 ef,Bxf6 15 Bxf6,Qxf6 16 Nc3, Rad8 17 Ne4,Qf5 18 Rad1,Bc8 19 Nd6!?,Qxd3 20 Rxd3,Ba6 21 Rfd1, Bxd3 22 Rxd3,Rb8 23 b3,h6 24 a3,a5? 25 Nc4!,a4 26 b4,Rb7 27 Nb6,Rxb6 28 cb,Rb8 29 Rxd7,Rxb6 30 Kf1,c5? 31 bc,Rb3 32 c6,Rxa3 33 c7,1-0.

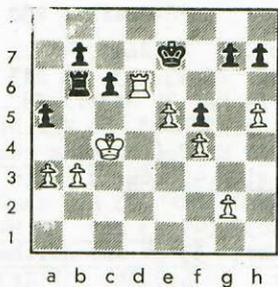
* K-R after W18

Price-Allen, ALEKHIN: 1 e4.Nf6 2 e5.Nd5 3 c4.Nb6 4 d4,d6 5 ed,cd 6 Nf3,g6 7 Be2, Bg7 8 0-0.0-0 9 Nc3,Qc7 10 b3.Nc6 11 Bb2,Bg4 12 d5.Ne5 13 Nxe5,Bxe2 14 Qxe2,Bxe5 15 Nb5,Qb8 16 Nd4,Qd8 17 f4,Bg7 18 Rael,Re8 19 f5,Nd7 20 fg,hg 21 Nf3.Bxb2 22 Qxb2 Qb6+ 23 Kh1,f6? 24 Nd4.Ne5 25 Ne6!.Nd3 26 Qc2,Ne5 27 Rxe5,Kf7 28 Rg5 Rg8 29 Rg3, g5? 30 Qh7+,-1-0.

Johnson-Avery, CARO-KANN: 1 e4,c6 2 d4,d5 3 Nc3,de 4 Nxe4,Bf5 5 Ng3,Bg6 6 Nf3,Nd7 7 Nh4.Ngf6 8 Nxxg6,hg 9 Be2,Qc7 10 Be3,0-0-0 11 c4,e5 12 0-0,ed 13 Qxd4,Bc5 14 Qf4, Bb6 15 Qd4.Nb6 16 Qc3,Ne4! 17 Qc1,Rxxh2! 18 Kxxh2,Bxxg3+ 19 fg,Nxxg3 20 Bg4+,f5 21 Bf4 Nxf1+ 22 Qxf1,Qf7 23 Be2,Qf6 24 Bg3,Qd4 25 Bf2,Qxb2 26 a4,Rd2 27 Rb1,Qe5+ 28 Bg3, Qxe2 0-1.

Swartwood-Thompson, SICILIAN: 1 e4,c5 2 c3,d5 3 ed,Qxd5 4 d4,Bf5 5 Nf3.Nf6 6 Be2, e6 7 0-0.c4 8 Ne5,Bd6 9 Bxc4,Qe4 10 Qa4+,Ke7 11 Bd3,Qd5 12 Bxf5,ef 13 Re1,Ne4 14 Nd3,b5 15 Qc2,Kf6 16 Nf4.Bxf4 17 Bxf4.Nc6 18 Nd2,Rhe8 19 f3,Nxd2 20 Qxd2,Re6 21 Qf2,g5 22 Rxe6+,fe 23 Bd2,Rg8 24 b3,a5 25 Re1,Rb8 26 h4,f4 27 Kf1,b4 28 hg+, Qxg5 29 c4,Rd8 30 Rd1,Rxd4 31 Re1,e5 32 Bc1,h5 33 Bb2,Rd6 34 Qc5,Ke6 35 Bxe5,Nxe5 36 Qc8+,Rd7 37 Qa6+,Kf7 38 Qxa5,Qf5? (38...Nxf3) 39 Qxe5,Qd3+ 40 Re2,Qb1+ 41 Kf2,Qg6 42 Qxf4 and White won (1-0).

Morton-Foster, PHILIDOR: 1 e4,e5 2 Nf3,d6 3 d4,ed 4 Nxd4,c5 5 Nf3,f6?! 6 Nc3, Be6 7 Nd5,g5 8 c4,Nh6 9 Be2,Bg7 10 b3,0-0 11 0-0,Nc6 12 Bb2,Re8 13 Nd2,Bxd5 14 cd,Ne5 15 f4,gf 16 Rxf4,a6 17 Nf1,Qd7 18 Ng3,Rf8 19 Nh5,f5 20 ef,Nf3+ 21 Rxf3, Bxb2 22 Rg3+,Kh8 23 Bd3,Nxf5 24 Bxf5,Qxf5 25 Rb1,Bd4+ 26 Kh1,Rae8 27 Rf3,Qxd5 28 Nf6,Rxf6 29 Rxf6,Rg8 30 Rf3,Qg5 31 Rg3,Qh4 32 Rxxg8+,Kxxg8 33 Qf3,Be5 34 g3,Qe7 35 Rf1,Bg7 36 Qd5+ Kh8 37 Rf7,Qe1+ 38 Kg2,Qe2+ 39 Rf2,Qe7 40 Rf7,Qe2+ 41 Rf2,1-0.

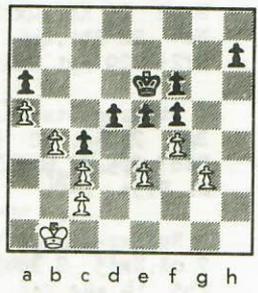


Zupa-Price, QGD: 1 d4,d5 2 c4,e6 3 Nc3,Nf6 4 Bg5,Nbd7 5 Nf3 c6 6 Rcl,Be7 7 e3,0-0 8 a3,a5 9 Bd3,dc 10 Bxc4,Nd5 11 Bxe7, Qxe7 12 0-0,Nxc3 13 Rxc3,e5 14 Nxe5,Nxe5 15 de,Qxe5 16 f4, Qe4 17 Qe2,Re8 18 Bd3,Qe7 19 e4,f5? 20 e5,Be6 21 Qe3,Qc7 22 Bc4,Rad8 23 Bxe6+,Rxe6 24 Rfcl,Rd5 25 Rb3,Qd7 26 Rb6,Rd1+ 27 Rxd1,Qxd1+ 28 Kf2,Qc2+ 29 Kf3,Qd1+ 30 Qe2,Qd5+ 31 Kf2,Qc5+ 32 Qe3,Qc2+ 33 Ke1,Re7 34 Qb3+,Qxb3 35 Rxb3,Kf7 36 Rd3,Rc7 37 Rd6,Ke7 38 Kd2,Rc8 39 Kc3,Ra8 40 b3,Ra6? 41 Kc4,Rb6 42 h4, Rb5 43 h5,Rb6* 44 h6,Ra6 45 hg,Ra8 46 Rf6, Rg8 47 Rxf5,Rxxg7 48 Rg5!,Rxxg5 49 fg,b6 50 Kd4,Kf7 51 Ke4,Ke6 52 g3,a4! 53 b4! c5 54 bc,bc 55 g4,c4 56 Kd4,c3 57 Kxc3,Kxe5 58 Kb4,Kf4 59 Kxa4,Kxxg5 60 Kb5,Kxxg4 61 a4,h5 62 a5,Kg3 63 a6,h4 64 a7, h3 65 a8Q,Kh2 66 Qf3,1-0.

* Z-P after B43

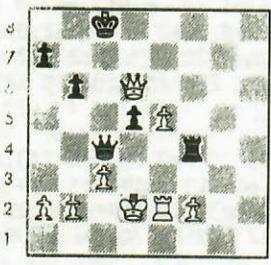
Beckman-Stearns, FRENCH: 1 e4,e6 2 d4,d5 3 Nc3,Nf6 4 Bg5,Be7 5 e5.Nfd7 6 Bxe7,Qxe7 7 Nb5,Na6 8 c3,0-0 9 f4,f6 10 Qg4,f5 11 Qg3,Rf7 12 Nf3,h6 13 h4,Nf8 14 h5,Bd7 15 a4,Be8 16 b4,Nb8 17 a5,a6 18 Na3,Nc6 19 Nc2,Na7 20 Nh4,Nb5 21 Be2,Qd8 22 Rh3, Rc8 23 Kd2,c6 24 Qf2,Kh8 25 g4,fg 26 Bxxg4,Bd7 27 Qh2,Nc7 28 Ne3,Be8 29 Rg1,Qe7 30 Ng6+,Nxxg6 31 hg,Rf8 32 f5,ef 33 Nxf5,Qg5+ 34 Ne3,Rd8 35 Be6!,Qe7 36 Rxxh6+!,1-0.

Kriseler-Detellis, "KRISLER SYSTEM": 1 e3,c5 2 b3,d5 3 Bb2,Nc6 4 Bb5,Bd7 5 f4,a6 6 Bxc6,Bxc6 7 Nf3,e6 8 Qe2,Nf6 9 Nc3,Bd6 10 0-0-0,b5 11 g4,Rg8 12 g5,b4 13 gf,bc 14 dc,gf 15 Rhg1,Ke7 16 Qf2,Qa5 17 Kbl,c4 18 Nd4,Qb6 19 Nxc6+,Qxc6 20 Rxxg8,Rxxg8 21 Rg1,Rxxg1+ 22 Qxxg1,Qb6 23 Qc1,f5 24 Ba3,f6 25 Bxd6+,Qxd6 26 b4,e5 27 Qd2,Ke6 28 Qf2,Qf8 29 Qg3,Qf7 30 a4,Qg6 31 a5,Qxxg3 32 hg*,Kd6 33 Ke1,Kc7 34 Kb2,Kc6 35 Ke1,Kb5 36 Kdl,d4! 37 ed,ed 38 Kd2,dc+ 39 Kxc3,h6! 40 Kd4,Kxb4 41 Kd5,c3 42 Ke6,Ka3 43 Kxf5,Kb2 44 Kxf6,Kxc2 45 Kg7,Kb3 46 f5,c2 47 f6,c1Q 48 f7 Qc7 49 g4,Qd7 50 Kg8,Qxxg4+ 51 Kh8,Qf5 52 Kg8,Qxf7+ 53 Kh8!,Qe7 54 Kg8,h5 55 Kh8,h4 56 Kg8,h3 57 Kh8,h2 58 Kg8,Ka4! 0-1.



*K-D after W32

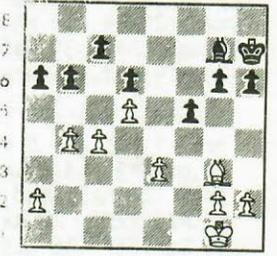
Carr-D.Scott, FRENCH: 1 e4,e6 2 d4,d5 3 Nd2,c6?! 4 c3,de?! 5 Nxe4,Nf6 6 Bd3,Nbd7 7 Bf4,Nxe4 8 Bxe4,Nf6 9 Bc2,Nd5 10 Bg3,c5 11 Nf3,cd 12 Qxd4 Qb6 13 Ba4+,Bd7 14 Bxd7+,Kxd7 15 Ne5+,Ke8 16 Qa4+,Ke7 17 Qd7+,Kf6 18 Qxf7+,Kg5 19 h4+,-1-0.



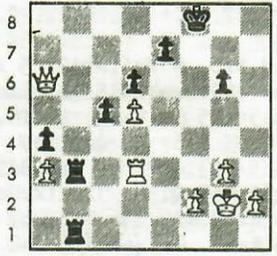
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*M-S after W51

McGuire-Swartzwood, PIRC: 1 e4,d6 2 Nf3,g6 3 d4.Nf6 4 Bd3,Bg7 5 0-0,0-0 6 Nc3.Nc6 7 h3.e6 8 Bg5.h6 9 Be3.b6 10 Qd2,Kh7 11 e5.Ng8 12 ed.cd 13 Ne2.d5 14 Ng3.Nf6 15 c3.Bd7 16 Rad1, Qc8 17 Ne5.Be8 18 Ng4.Nxg4 19 hg,f5 20 gf.ef 21 Ne2.Bf7 22 g3.g5 23 Kg2.Bg6 24 Rh1.Kg8 25 Bxg5!?.hg 26 Qxg5.Qe8 27 Nf4.Ne7 28 Rde1.Bf6 29 Qh6.Bg7 30 Qh3.Qd7 31 Ne6.Rf6 32 Nxg7.Kxg7 33 Qh6+,Kf7 34 Re5.Re8 35 Rhe1.Ng8 36 Qe3,Rxe5 37 de.Re6 38 g4.Ne7 39 Qf4.Qc6 40 Kg3.Ke8 41 gf.Bxf5 42 Bxf5, Nxf5 43 Qxf5.Rg6+ 44 Kf4.Qc4+ 45 Ke3.Rg4 46 Qe6+,Kf8 47 Qf6+, Ke8 48 Kd2.Rf4 49 Qe6+,Kd8 50 Qd6+,Kc8 51 Re2*.d4 52 Qb4.Qxa2 53 cd.Qd5 54 Qc3+,Kb7 55 Kd3.Rf3+ 56 Re3.Rxf2 57 Qc4.Qg2 58 Qe6.Rd2+ 59 Kc4.Rc2+ 60 Rc3.Qe2+ 61 Kd5.Qb5+ 62 Kd6.Qb4+ 63 Kd7.Qxd4+ 64 Qd6.Qa4+ 65 Ke7.Qh4+ 66 Kd7.Qh7+ 67 Ke8.Qg6+?? and 1-0. I think this is what happened. (The scoresheets are very hard to follow.) It's a pity for such a hard fought game to be ruined by a blunder.

Smits-Russell, NIMZOVICH DEFENSE: 1 e4.Nc6 2 Nf3.e6 3 c3.g6?! 4 d4.Bg7 5 Bd3.b6 6 0-0.Bb7 7 Re1.d6 8 Bb5.a6 9 Bxc6+,Bxc6 10 d5 Bd7 11 c4.Ne7 12 Nc3,0-0 13 Rb1.ed 14 ed.Bg4 15 Ne4.h6 16 h3.Bd7 17 Bf4.Nf5 18 Qd2.Kh7 19 b4.Nh4 20 Nxh4.Qxh4 21 Bg3 Qd8 22 Qd3.Bf5 23 Qf3.Qd7 24 Rb3.Rae8 25 Rbe3,Bxe4 26 Rxe4.f5 27 Rxe8,Rxe8 28 Rxe8.Qxe8 29 Qe3.Qxe3 30 fe.Be5? 31 Bxe5.de 32 c5.1-0. (32...Kg7 33 d6.cd 34 cb)



a b c d e f g h
*S-R after W30



a b c d e f g h
*R-J after B36

Reiser-Johnson, BENKO GAMBIT: 1 d4.Nf6 2 c4.c5 3 d5.b5 4 Nc3.bc 5 e4.d6 6 Bxc4 g6 7 Nf3.Bg7 8 Bd3,0-0 9 0-0.Ba6 10 Bxa6.Nxa6 11 Qe2.Nc7 12 Rd1.Nd7 13 Rb1.Ne5 14 Bf4.Nxf3+ 15 Qxf3.Ne8 16 Re1.f6 17 Qe2.Nc7 18 Rbd1.Qb8 19 Rc1.a5 20 Red1.a4 21 Rb1 Qa7 22 Nb5.Nxb5 23 Qxb5.Rfb8 24 Qe2.Rb6 25 a3.Rb3 26 Rd3.Qa6 27 Rbd1.Rab8 28 Bc1.f5? 29 ef.Kf8? 30 fg.hg 31 Rf3+,Rxf3 32 Qxa6.Rfb3 33 Rd3.Bxb2 34 Bxb2.Rxb2 35 g3.R8b3 36 Kg2.Rb1* 37 Rf3+,Rxf3 38 Kxf3.Rb3+ 39 Kg2.Rxa3 40 Kf1? (The king can't help. White needs to go on the offensive with 40 Qc8+.) Ra1+ 41 Ke2.a3 42 Kd2?.a2 43 Kc2?.Re1! 44 Qxa2.Re2+ 45 Kb3.Rxa2 46 Kxa2 Kf7 47 Kb3.Kf6 48 Kc4.Kf5 49 Kd3? (49 f3.Ke5 50 h4 should draw: 50...e6 51 f4+.Kf6 52 de.Kxe6 53 g4 and neither side should be able to make progress.) Kg4 50 Ke3.Kh3 51 Kf3 Kxh2 52 Kg4.Kg2 53 Kf4.c4 0-1.

Canney-Rich Scott, TORRE: 1 d4.Nf6 2 Nf3.g6 3 Bg5.Bg7 4 Nbd2.d6 5 c3,0-0 6 e4.Nbd7 7 Bd3.h6 8 Bh4.g5 9 Bg3.Nh5? 10 Nxc5!,Nxc3 11 hg.hg 12 e5!,de 13 Bh7+,Kh8 14 de. Bxe5 15 Bg6+,Kg7 16 Rh7+!,Kg8 17 Qh5,1-0.

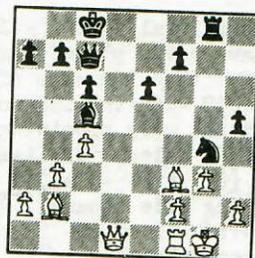
McGuire-Avery, CARO-KANN: 1 e4.c6 2 Nf3.d5 3 ed.cd 4 d4.Bg4 5 Be2.Nf6 6 0-0.Nc6 7 Be3.e6 8 Ne5.Nxe5 9 de.Bxe2 10 Qxe2.Nd7 11 f4.Rc8 12 c3.Bc5 13 Nd2.Qb6 14 Bxc5, Nxc5 15 Kh1.Qxb2 16 c4.dc 17 Qe3.c3? 18 Nc4.Qb4 19 Nd6+,Ke7 20 Nxc8+,Rxc8 21 Racl, Ne4 22 Rb1.Qc4 23 Rxb7+,Kf8 24 Rc1.Ra8 25 a3.c2 26 Rb4.Rd8 27 Rxc4.Rd1+ 28 Qe1, Nf2+ 29 Kg1.Rxe1+ 30 Rxe1.Nd3 31 Kf1, 1-0.

Stearns-Steiner, SICILIAN: 1 e4.c5 2 Nf3.d6 3 d4.cd 4 Nxd4.Nf6 5 Nc3.g6 6 Bc4, Bg7 7 0-0,0-0 8 Be3.Nc6 9 h3.Qc7 10 Bb3.a6 11 f4.Nxd4 12 Bxd4.b5 13 e5.de 14 fe, Rd8? 15 ef.Bxf6 16 Nd5.Bxd4+ 17 Qxd4.Qd6 18 Nxe7+,Kf8 19 Rxf7+,Ke8 20 Qh8+,Kd7 21 Nf5+, 1-0.

Reiser-Aragon, GRUNFELD: 1 d4.Nf6 2 c4.g6 3 Nf3.Bg7 4 Nc3.d5 5 e3.Nc6 6 Bd2.b6? 7 cd.Nxd5 8 Bc4.Nxc3 9 Bxc3.Bg4? 10 Bxf7+,Kd7 11 d5,Bxf3? 12 dc+,Kxc6 13 Qxf3+ Kb5 14 a4+,Ka6 15 Bc4+,b5 16 Qc6 mate.

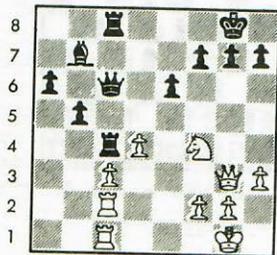
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Detellis-Beckman, RETI: 1 Nf3, d5 2 c4 c6 3 b3, Bf5 4 Bb2, e6 5 g3, Nf6 6 Bg2, Nbd7 7 0-0, Bd6 8 d3, h6 9 e4!, de 10 de, Nxe4 11 Bxg7, Rg8 12 Bb2, Qc7 13 Nc3, 0-0-0 14 Nxe4, Bxe4 15 Qd2, Bxf3 16 Bxf3, Ne5 17 Bg2, Bc5 18 Qe2, Ng4 19 Rad1, h5 20 Bf3, Rxd1 21 Qxd1*, Nxb2! 22 Kxh2, h4 23 Qe1, Bxf2! 24 Be5, Bxg3+ 25 Bxg3, Rxg3 26 Kh1, Rh3+ 27 Kg2, Qh2 mate.



a b c d e f g h

*D-B after W21



a b c d e f g h

* B-C after W27

Berndt-Courtois. SICILIAN: 1 e4, c5 2 Nf3, Nc6 3 Bg5, Qc7 4 0-0, e6 5 Nc3, Nd4 6 Bc4, a6 7 a4, Bd6 8 h3, Ne7 9 d3, b6 10 Nxd4, cd 11 Ne2, Nc6 12 c3, dc 13 bc, Bb7 14 Ba3, Bxa3 15 Rxa3, Ne7 16 Ra1, 0-0 17 Ba2, d5 18 ed, Nxd5 19 Qd2, Rfd8 20 Rac1, Qc6 21 Bxd5, Rxd5 22 Nf4, Ra5 23 d4, Rxa4 24 Qe3, Rc8 25 Rc2, Rc4 26 Rfc1, b5 27 Qg3*, e5! 28 Nd3, Qe4 29 Nxe5, Rxd4 30 Ng4, Rd1+ 31 Kh2, Qe1 Rxd1, Qxd1 33 Ne3, Qd7 34 Kg1, a5 35 Qg5, a4 36 Rc1, f6 37 Qf4, Qc7 38 Qb4, Qc5 39 Rb1, Qxb4 40 Rxb4, Rc5 41 c4!, Ba6 42 cb, Bxb5 43 Rb1, a3 44 Ra1, Rc3 45 g4, Bd3 46 Kg2, Rb3 47 Nd1, Be4+ 48 Kh2, Rb1 49 Rxa3, Rxd1 and Black won (0-1).

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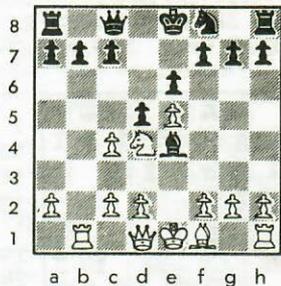


I PLAYED TAL!?

by Joe Eversole

Every chess player at the '88 National Open in Chicago probably fantasized about being paired with the "Wizard of Riga." Read my feelings on this in the June 1988 CHESS LIFE.

Mikhail Tal (2700) - Joe Eversole (Does it matter?), ALEKHIN: 1 e4 Nf6 2 e5.Nd5 3 Nc3
 (I have never played against this 3rd move variant, usually meeting 3 Bc4.) Nxc3 4 bc,d5!
 (Better than the more often played ...d6) 5 Ba3!?,Bf5?!
 (5...Nd7 with the idea of ...c5 and ...Qa5. I was afraid of e6, a not very promising continuation for White (ALEKHINE'S DEFENSE: Bales & Williams, 1973).) 6 Nf3.Nd7 7 Nd4,e6 8 Bxf8 Nxf8 (8...Kf8! - Tal) 9 Rb1 (! - Jellison) Qc8? (Ceding important king side squares. 9...Rb8 - Tal) 10 c4.Be4!* (10...Bg6 11 h4.f6 12 ef,gf 13 cd.ed 14 h5.Bf7 15 Bd3 ± - Jellison. Tal gave the text an !, spending 20 minutes on his next move. When I took my seat to make my 11th, Tal hit me with his famous "evil eye." causing a blunder!) 11 Qg4,Rg8?? (Now Black is lost. Instead 11...Ng6! 12 d3,Bf5 13 Nxf5,ef 14 Qd4,0-0!, then 15 Qxd5,c6 16 Qd4,Nxe5 = -Tal) 12 cd.Bxd5 13 Bb5+,c6 14 c4!,h5! (Both !'s Tal, Shamkovich, Jellison) 15 Qh3 (not 15 Qf4,Ng6 16 Qe3.Nh4 and Black wins - Tal) Be4 16 d3 Qd7 17 Qe3,0-0-0?? (17...Bxg2 18 Rg1,Bh3 or 18 f3! Tal told me (jokingly?) after the game he was considering this move. Players will enjoy looking at all variations after 17...Bxg2. In any event, let me know if Black's position can be saved.) 18 Qxe4,Qxd4 19 Bxc6 (Of course, the move I missed) Qc3+ (19...b6 was a better try.) 20 Ke2.Rd4 21 Bxb7+,Kd8 22 Qe3.Ng6 23 Rhc1.Nf4+ 24 Kf3,g5 (What else? I should have resigned but didn't have time to properly consider this.) 25 Rxc3.g4+ 26 Kg3.h4+ 27 Kxh4,1-0



*T-E after B10

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18 J. Van Buskirk	2167	L7	---	---	---	

13 Stuart Charns	1659	L1	L18	W24	W23	
14 V. Southerland	1659	L10	W26	W20	L4	
15 S. Famakinwa	Unr	L5	W23	L17	W20	
16 Debra Scott	1881	L6	W22	D7	L9	1½
17 Rich Scott	1801	D22	L9	W15	L7	
18 Darrel Kern	1546	L7	W13	L4	D25	
19 G. Adamson	1803	W3	D8	L2	---	
20 John Howell	1798	W23	L5	L14	L15	1
21 S. Teichmann	1651	W11	L2	L3	L24	
22 G. Kessler	1600	D17	L16	D25	L11	
23 Daryl Johnson	1567	L20	L15	WF	L13	
24 Don Thompson	1561	L4	L11	L13	W21	
25 Michael Engles	1538	L12	L3	D22	D18	
26 Ron Smits	1340	L8	L14	---	---	0

AUDITORS

1 Jeremy Good	1376	W16	W10	D2	W6	3½
2 D. Whitcomb	1493	W9	W5	D1	D3	3
3 Edward Cronin	1455	W11	W15	D6	D2	
4 Guy Hadley	1450	L18	W17	W15	W7	
5 Steve Jackson	1390	W7	L2	W18	W12	
6 Gary Crites	1282	W17	W12	D3	L1	2½
7 W. Griesmeyer	1470	L5	W18	W9	L4	2
8 Kent Roller	1381	L10	D11	D13	W15	
9 Geo. Lombardi	1354	L2	W16	L7	W14	
10 Glovinsky-Lewis	Unr	W8	L1	D12	D11	
11 David Barbour	Unr	L3	D8	W14	D10	
12 Ed Campbell	1411	W14	L6	D10	L5	1½
13 Roy Star	1375	L15	L14	D8	W16	
14 Ernest York	1436	L12	W13	L11	L9	1
15 Bill Scheele	800	W13	L3	L4	L8	
16 Theresa McLain	Unr	L1	L9	W17	L13	
17 Robert Chavez	Unr	L6	L4	L16	BYE	
18 Fred Holder	Unr	W4	L7	L5	---	

I.R.S.

1 Pat Ament	1944	W13	W7	W6	W5	4
2 Eli Lucero	1867	D9	W21	W19	W8	3½
3 Victor Smith	1805	L19	W25	W21	W12	3
4 Richard DeLong	1792	W24	L6	W18	W14	
5 Daoud Zupa	1771	W15	W20	W10	L1	
6 Gregg Steadman	1753	W16	W4	L1	W10	
7 Al Gardner	1791	W18	L1	D16	W17	2½
8 Mike Presutti	1775	W26	D19	W9	L2	
9 Mike Owen	1662	D2	W17	L8	W16	
10 Kevin Ruback	1839	W14	W12	L5	L6	2
11 Charles Kerr	1817	L21	W24	L12	W22	
12 Chas. Grubel	1788	W25	L10	W11	L3	

Karnisky-MacLellan: 1 Nf3, f5 2 e4!? (A little known but forceful gambit; I don't know its name.) fe 3 Ng5, Nf6 4 d3, e3 (What few "book" lines I can find give 4...e5 or 4...d5.) 5 Bxe3, e5 6 Be2, Be7 7 d4, e4? 8 d5! (isolating the e-pawn) d6 9 Nc3, 0-0 10 Ngxe4, Nxe4 11 Nxe4, Bf5 12 Qd4, Nd7 13 0-0-0, Ne5 14 h3, Rc8 15 g4, Bg6 16 f4, Nd7 17 f5, Bf7 18 g5 Re8 19 Rhg1, g6 20 Kbl!, a5 (White has a strong attack after 20...gf 21 Nf6+, Bxf6 22 gft.) 21 h4, Bf8 22 h5!, Bg7 23 f6, Bf8 24 Bg4, Ne5 25 Bxc8, Qxc8 26 hg, Bxg6 27 f7+, Kxf7 28 Rdf1+, Kg7 29 Nf6, Re7 30 Qh4, Kh8 31 Bd4, c6 32 Rf2, b5 33 Bxe5, de 34 d6, Rg7 35 d7 Qd8 36 Rgf1, Bc5 37 Re2, Bd4 38 Qxd4!, ed 39 Re8+, Bxe8 40 deQ+, Qxe8 41 Nxe8, 1-0.

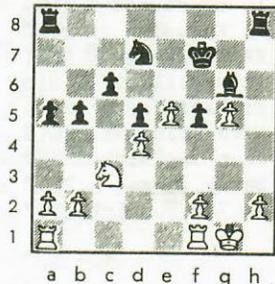
Ogle-Van Buskirk, ALEKHIN: 1 e4, Nf6 2 e5, Nd5 3 c4, Nb6 4 d4, d6 5 f4, de 6 fe, Nc6 7 Be3, Bf5 8 Be2, Nb4 9 Na3, e6 10 Nf3, Be7 11 0-0-0, 0-0 12 Qd2, c5 13 Rad1, Qc8 14 Kh1, Rd8 15 Bg5, Bxg5 16 Qxg5, cd 17 Nxd4, Bg6 18 b3, Nxa2 19 Nab5, Nb4 20 Bh5, Qc5 21 Bxg6, hg 22 Qf4, Qe7 23 Nd6, Nc6 24 Nxc6, bc 25 Qe4, Qc7 26 Rd3, Rd7 27 Rh3, Rxd6 28 Qh4!, f5 29 ef! 1-0.

Bardwick-Oxman, ALEKHIN: 1 e4, Nf6 2 e5, Nd5 3 d4, d6 4 f4, de 5 fe, Nc6 6 Nf3, Bf5 7 c3, f6 8 Bb5, Qd7 9 0-0, a6 10 Qa4, Nb6 11 Bxc6, Nxa4 12 Bxd7+, Kxd7 13 c4, Bd3 14 Re1, e6 15 c5, b6 16 cb, cb 17 b3, Bxb1 18 Rxb1, Nc3 19 Rb2, f5 20 Rc2, Nd5 21 Nd2?, Nb4 22 Rc3 Nxa2 23 Rf3, Bb4 24 Rd1, Nc3 25 Ba3, Nxd1 26 Bxb4, b5 27 Kf1, Rhc8 28 Bc5, a5 29 Ke2, Nb2 30 Bg3, g6 31 Rh3, h5 32 Rg3, g5 33 Ba3, h4 34 Rxb5, Rg8 35 Rh5, Rxd2+ 36 Ke3, Nd1 37 Kd3 Nf2+ 38 Ke3, Ng4 39 Kd3, Rxd2 40 Rh7+, Kc8 41 Bd6, h3 42 Nf3, Rh1 43 Ng5, h2 44 Rc7+, Kb8 45 Re7+, Kc8 46 Rc7+, Kb8 47 Re7+, Kc8 48 Rc7+, ½-½.

Engles-Grubel, SOKOLSKI: 1 b4,e6 2 Bb2,Nf6 3 a3,c5 4 b5,Be7 5 Nf3,0-0 6 e3,Ne4 7 c4.Bf6 8 Qc2.Bxb2 9 Qxb2,b6 10 Be2,Bb7 11 0-0,d5 12 d3,Nd6 13 Nbd2,Nd7 14 Rfd1 Qe8 15 Ne5,Nxe5 16 Qxe5,Rd8 17 Rac1,f6 18 Qh5,g6 19 Qh3,e5 20 a4,h5 21 cd,Bxd5 22 e4,Be6 23 Qg3.Kh7 24 f4,ef 25 Qxf4,g5 26 Qe3,Be8 27 Rf1,Nf5 28 Qf2.Nd4 29 Bd1 g4 30 Qh4,Qg6 31 Rc3.Qh6 32 Nc4,Be6 33 e5 Bxc4 34 dc,Nf5 35 Qf2 Ne7 36 ef,Rd6 37 fe,Rxf2 38 e8Q Rxf1+ 39 Kxf1,Rxd1+ 40 Kf2,Qf4+ 41 Rf3,Qd2+ 42 Kg3,gf 43 Qxh5+? Qh6 44 Qxf3.Qg6+ 45 Kh4,Rd4+ 46 g4,Re4 47 h3,Qh6+ 48 Kg3,Re3 and Black won (0-1).

Ament-Gardner, RICHTER: 1 d4,Nf6 2 Nc3,e6 3 Bg5,Bb4 4 e4,h6 5 Bxf6,Qxf6 6 Nf3 Bxc3+ 7 bc,0-0 8 Bd3,Nc6 9 Qe2,b6 10 e5,Qe7 11 h4,f5 12 ef,Qxf6 13 Rh3.Bb7 14 Rg3 Ne7 15 Ne5.Rad8 16 Ng4,Qxh4 17 Rh3.Qg5 18 Nxb6+!,gh 19 Rg3,Qxg3 20 fg,Nf5 21 Bxf5 Rxf5 22 0-0-0,Rdf8 23 Rh1,Kg7 24 g4,Rf2 25 Qe5+,R8f6 26 g5,hg 27 Qxg5+,Rg6 28 Qh4 Bxg2? 29 Qh8+,Kf7 30 Rh7+, 1-0.

Zupa-Howell (from position at right): 24 Rde1,Nb6 25 f4,Rh3 26 Kg2,Rah8 27 Rh1.Nc4 28 Nd1,Ke6 29 Nf2,Rh4 30 b3.Nd2 31 Rc1 Kd7 32 Rc2,Ne4 33 Nd3.Rg4+ 34 Kf1,Ng3+ 35 hg,Rxh1+ 36 Kg2,Rd1 37 Nf2,Rxd4 38 Nxg4,fg 39 Rf2,Bf5 40 g6,Be4+ 41 Kf1,Bxg6 42 f5,Bh7? (42...Bf7 43 Rh2,Be8 44 Rh8,Re4!) 43 e6+,Kd6 44 f6! Bd3+ 45 Ke1.Bg6 46 f7,Re4+ 47 Kf1.Rxe6 48 f8Q+ and White won.



Steadman-Ament, SICILIAN: 1 e4,c5 2 Nf3.Nc6 3 d4 cd 4 Nxd4,Nf6 5 Nc3,e5 6 Nf3,Bb4 7 Bg5,Bxc3+ 8 bc.Qa5 9 Bd3,Qxc3+ 10 Bd2.Qc5 11 0-0-0-0 12 Rb1,a6 13 Qe2.d6 14 Be3,Nd4 15 Bxd4.ed 16 h3,g6 17 Nd2,Nh5 18 Nb3.Qg5 19 Qf3,Nf4 20 Qg3,Qe5 21 Nd2,Nh5 22 Qh4 b5 23 f4.Qc5 24 g4,Ng7 25 Nf3,f6 26 e5,Ne6 27 ef,Nxf4 28 Qh6,Rf6 29 Ng5,Qxg5 30 Qxg5,Nxh3+ 31 Kh2,Nxg5 32 Rxf6,Be6 33 Re1,Bxa2 34 Ra1,Be6 35 Bxb5,a5 36 Be2,a4 37 Ra3,Ra5 38 Rf1,Re5 39 Bd3,Bd7 40 Rf4,Ne6 41 Rf1.Nc5 42 Rb1.Bxg4 43 Kg3 Bd7 44 Rb8+,Kg7 45 Rd8,h5 46 Rxd7+,Nxd7 47 Rxa4,Rg5+ 48 Kf2,Nf6 49 Rxd4,d5 50 Rb4 Rg4 51 c4.dc 52 Bxc4,Ne4+ 53 Ke3,Nd6 54 Kd3,Nxc4 0-1.

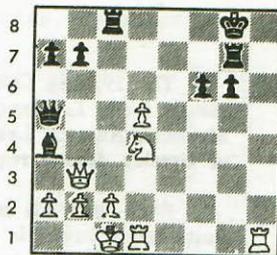
Ruback-Zupa, COLLE: 1 d4,d5 2 Nf3,e6 3 c3,c5 4 e3,Nf6 5 Bd3,Nc6 6 Nbd2,Qc7 7 0-0 Bd6 8 Re1,Ng4 9 g3,f5 10 dc,Bxc5 11 c4,Nb4 12 Be2,dc 13 Bxc4,0-0 14 a3,Nc6 15 b4 Bd6 16 Bb2,b5!? 17 Bxb5,Bb7 18 Rc1,f4 19 Ne4,fg 20 hg,Rad8 21 Bxc6,Bxc6 22 Nd4,Qf7 23 Qxg4,Bxe4 24 Qxe6,Rfe8 25 Qxf7+,Kxf7 26 Nb5,Bf3 27 Nxd6+,Rxd6 28 Rc7+,Re7 29 Rxe7+ Kxe7 30 Bxg7,Kf7 31 Bd4,Rh6 0-1.

DeLong-Southerland, COLLE: 1 d4,Nf6 2 Nf3,e6 3 c3,c5 4 e3.Nc6 5 Bd3,d5 6 Nbd2,c4 7 Bc2,Bd6 8 0-0,0-0 9 Qe2,Qc7 10 e4,e5 11 de,Nxe5 12 Nxe5,Bxe5 13 f4!?,Bxf4 14 ed Bxh2+ 15 Kh1,Re8 16 Qxc4,Qg3 17 Rf3,Qd6 18 Qh4,Be5 19 Nc4,Qxd5 20 Bg5,Be6 21 Nxe5 Qxe5 22 Bxf6,gf 23 Re1,Qc7 24 Qxh7+,Kf8 25 Qh6+,Ke7 26 Qxf6+,Kd7 27 Ba4+ b5 28 Bxb5+ Kc8 29 Bxe8.Kb7 30 Bxf7,Qc5 31 Rxe6, 1-0.

Oxman-Beckman, FRENCH: 1 e4,e6 2 d4,d5 3 ed,ed 4 Bd3,Bd6 5 Nf3,Nge7 6 0-0,Bg4 7 Re1,Nc6 8 c3,Qd7 9 Nbd2,0-0-0 10 b4,rde8 11 Nb3,Nf5 12 Bd2,Nh4 13 Be2,Rxe2! 14 Nxh4,Rxf2 15 Nf3,Bxf3 16 gf.Rxh2 17 Re2,Qh3 18 Rxh2,Qxh2+ 19 Kf1 Re8 20 Be1 Qh3+ 21 Kg1.Bh2+ 0-1.



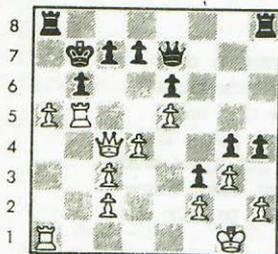
Karasik-Biggs. SICILIAN: 1 e4,c5 2 Nf3,d6 3 d4,cd 4 Nxd4,Nf6
 5 Nc3,g6 6 Be3.Bg7 7 Be2,0-0 8 Qd2,Nc6 9 h4,h5 10 0-0-0,Ng4
 11 Bxg4,Bxg4 12 f3,Bd7 13 g4,hg 14 h5,Ne5 15 hg.fg 16 Bh6,Rf7
 17 Bxg7,Rxg7 18 Jh6,Rc8 19 fg,Nxg4 20 Qh3,Qa5 21 Nd5,Nf6
 22 Nxf6+.ef 23 Qb3+,d5 24 ed.Ba4* 25 Rh8+ Kf7 26 Qxb7+,Rc7
 27 Qb8 Qc5 28 Rf8+!,Qxf8 29 Qxc7+,Kg8 30 Qc4,Qe8 31 Nc6,Qe3+
 32 Kb1,Qf3 33 Rc1.Rh7 34 Qxa4,Qxd5 35 Qb3,Qxb3 36 ab.f5 37 Ne5
 Kg7 38 Rg1.Rh6 39 c4.Kf6 40 Nd3,g5 41 c5,f4 42 c6,Kf5 43 c7
 Rc6 44 Rc1. 1-0.



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*K-B after B24

Biggs-F. Hall. SICILIAN. 1 e4,c5 2 d4,cd 3 Nf3,g6 4 Qxd4,Nf6
 5 e5,Nc6 6 Qc4,d5 7 Qb3 Ng4 8 Bb5.Bg7 9 Nd4.Bd7 10 Qxd5,Nxd4
 11 Qxd4.Qa5+ 12 Nc3.Bxb5 13 Qxg4.Bxe5 14 Bd2.Rd8 15 Qg5,f6
 16 Qe3,Bc6 17 0-0,0-0 18 Rad1,Rd4 19 f4 Bd6 20 Kh1,Qb6 21 Qe6+,Kg7 22 b3,Qc7 23 Qe3
 e5 24 fe,Bxe5 25 Qh6+,Kg8 26 Ne2 Bxg2+ 27 Kxg2.Rg4+ 28 Kh3.Qc8 29 Rf4.Rg5+ 30 Kh4
 Bxf4 0-1.

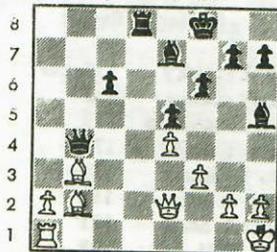


Karasik-Kriseler, OWEN DEFENSE: 1 e4,e6 2 d4,b6 3 Nc3.Bb4?!
 4 Bd3 (4 Qg4!) Bb7 5 Nf3,Bxc3+ 6 bc Nf6 7 Bg5,h6 8 Bxf6,Qxf6
 9 e5,Qe7 10 0-0,Nc6 11 Qe2,0-0-0 12 a4,Na5 13 Ba6,f5 14 Bxb7+
 Kxb7 15 Rfb1,g5 16 Nd2.f4 17 Nc4,Nxc4 18 Qxc4,a5 19 Rb5,f3
 20 Rxa5!,Ra8 (20...ba 21 Qb5+ leads to mate.) 21 Rb5,g4 22 g3
 h5 23 a5.h4* 24 Rb1 (threatening 25 Rxb6+) Qd8 25 Qc5,Ra6
 26 ab,c6 27 Ra5!.Rxb6 28 Rba1,Qb8 29 Qd6!,Qxd6 30 Ra7+,Kc8
 31 ed.Rb7 32 Ra8+,Rb8 33 R1a7!, 1-0.

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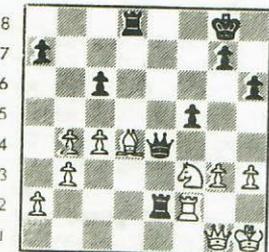
*K-K after B23

F.Hall-Millett, TWO KNIGHTS: 1 e4,e5 2 Nf3,Nc6 3 Bc4,Nf6
 4 Ng5,d5 5 ed.Na5 6 d3,Bg4 7 f3,Bh5
 8 Bb5+,c6 9 dc.bc 10 Ba4 Bc5 11 Ne4,Nxe4
 12 de,Qb6 13 Qe2,0-0 14 c3,Rfd8 15 Nd2
 Be7 16 b4.Nb7 17 Nc4,Qc7 18 0-0,a5 19 ba,Nxa5 20 Nxa5,Qxa5
 21 Bb3,Qxc3 22 Bb2,Qb4 23 Rfd1,Kf8 24 Kh1,f6 25 Rxd8+,Rxd8*
 26 Ba3 (No.this is not a misprint.) Qb5 (26...Qxa3 27 Qc4,Bc5
 28 Qg8+,Ke7 and White can draw with 29 Qe6+ or try 29 Qxg7+
 Kd6 (29...Ke8 30 Qxh7 with threats) 30 Rd1+,Bd4 31 Qxf6+)
 27 Bxe7+,Kxe7 28 Bc4.Qb6 29 g3,Bf7 30 Bxf7.Kxf7 31 Qc4+,Ke7
 32 Rc1.Rc8 33 a4.Qf2 34 Qb4+,Ke8 35 Qb3,Kf8 36 a5,c5 37 Qd3
 Kf7 38 Qd7+,Kg6 39 Qf5+,Kf7 40 Qxc8,Qxf3+ 41 Kgl,Qe3+ 42 Kg2
 Qxc1 43 a6,Qd2+ 44 Kf3,Qd3+ 45 Kf2,Qd2+ 1/2-1/2.



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*H-M after B25



J.Hall-Karnisky, KING'S INDIAN REVERSED: 1 Nf3,Nf6 2 g3,d5
 3 Bg2.Bf5 4 0-0,e6 5 d3,h6 6 Nbd2,Be7 7 e3,0-0 8 Qe2,c5
 9 e4,Bh7 10 Ne5,Nc6 11 Nxc6,bc 12 b3,Qa5 13 Bb2,Rad8 14 Kh1
 Rfe8 15 f4.Bg6 16 Rf2,Bh5 17 Bf3,Bxf3 18 Qxf3,c4 19 dc,Bb4
 20 c3.de 21 cb.Qf5 22 Qe2,e3 23 Qxe3,Ng4 24 Qe2,Nf2+ 25 Qxf2
 Qc2 26 Bd4,e5 27 fe.Rxe5 28 Rf1,Re7 29 Nf3,Re2 30 Qg1,Qe4
 31 h3.f5 32 Rf2*,Rxd4 33 Rxe2,Qxf3+ 34 Qg2 Rd1+ 35 Kh2,Qd3
 36 Rf2,Qe3 37 Re2,Qd3 38 Qf2,g5 39 a4,f4 40 gf,gf 41 b5,cb
 42 cb,Qd5 43 Qg2+,Qg5 44 Qxg5+,hg 45 Re7,Rd2+ 46 Kgl,Rd3
 47 Rxa7,Rxb3 48 Ra6,Kf7 49 Kg2,Ke7 50 Rg6,Rg3+ 51 Kh2,Ra3
 52 b6,Kf7 53 Rxg5,Rxa4 54 Rb5,Ra2+ 55 Kgl,Ra8 56 b7,Rb8 57 Kf2
 1-0.

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*H-K after W32

Thompson-DeLong. BARCZA: 1 Nf3,d5 2 d4,Nf6 3 g3,e6 4 Bg2,Be7
 5 Nbd2,0-0 6 0-0,Nbd7 7 Re1,Ne4 8 c3,f5 9 e3,Bf6 10 Qb3,c6 11 c4,g5 12 cd,ed
 13 Nxe4,fe 14 Nd2,Kg7 15 Qd1,c5 16 Nb3.cd 17 Nxd4,Ne5 18 Rb1,g4 19 Re2.Nf3+ 20 Kh1
 Be5 21 b4,Qg5 22 Rc2,Rf6 23 Ne2,Rh6 24 Bxf3,Qh5 25 Qg1,gf 26 Nf4,Bxf4 27 ef,Bh3
 28 Rbb2.Bg2+ 29 Qxg2,fg+ 30 Kxg2,Qxh2+ 31 Kf1,Qh1+ 0-1.

Randy Siebert

The 1987-88 Colorado Chess Tour continues on... The standings given below show reflect results from: Loveland Allegro, Boulder Open, Loveland Open, Colorado Springs Open, Denver Massacre, Auraria, Lakewood Open, and May Daze. No results have been received from Pueblo or Greeley despite requests and the printing of the Tour rules in the last CCL.

Even with all of the confusion about the Tour this year, however, the races are all quite competitive. No one has attended all of the events and so there are no 'run aways'. It will be interesting to see who emerges on top at the end and wins the prizes.

I might just add that I have learned that the current board is undecided as to what they feel should be done with the Tour. It may be a mistake to keep it and continue to build ill feelings about it unless some type of sponsorship can be found. As it is the paperwork, burden on the clearinghouse and the unadvisable arguments about format, fees and prizes make it a virtual monster. Our board members, all volunteers, could probably put their time and efforts to better use on projects other than the Tour.

The CCT is a nice idea. But perhaps it is time to give it a year or two rest so the tempers can cool and other valuable work can proceed. Please let the board members know your feelings. I'd hate to see the next board be saddled with the same problems this board had. They wanted a good CCT, they adopted a very aggressive proposal, but they got a late start, had some communication problems, and well ... everyone including myself got upset with them. They are volunteers, several are quite inexperienced, they do their best. Let them know what you think concerning the CCT. If you really want to see it continue, offer to help out. Otherwise.

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Master / Expert

1	Rob Karnisky	335 pts
2	Randy Canney	222
3	Buck Buchanan	179
4	Mark Kriseler	170
5	Eric Beckman	159
6	Dave Jellison	152
7	Michael Shed	121
8	John Hall	108
9	Mark Wood	100
10	Joe Abbott	87

B

1	Daoud Zupa	218
2	Rich DeLong	209
3	Gregg Steadman	190
4	Gary Bagstad	143
5	Garth Courtois	142
6	Earl Carr	136
7	Al Gardner	106
8	Virgil McGuire	105
9	James Nelson	104
9	Peter Detellis	104

1	Ron Smits	99
2	Kent Roller	44
3	Stephen Jackson	32
4	Darryl Jacobs	31
5	George Lombardi	27
6	Jeremy Good	26
7	Chris Blehm	24
8	Kurt Bingham	19
8	Liz Wood	19
10	Gary Crites	18

A

1	Richard Scott	204
2	Pete Millett	201
3	Eli Lucero	183
4	Debra Scott	169
5	Pat Ament	139
6	Larry Swartwood	131
7	Thomas Berndt	116
8	Paul Cornelison	113
9	Dan Avery	106
10	Kevin Ruback	100

C

1	James Stearns	128
2	William Hall	123
3	Odeh Inalegwu	110
4	Jon Robinson	100
5	Daryl Johnson	84
6	Mike Engles	82
7	Don Thompson	80
8	Andreas Forstner	76
9	Darrell Kern	71
9	Edward Cronin	71

E

1	Dale Reed	16
2	Frank Canney	6

Most Active

1	Daryl Johnson	25 games
1	Richard Delong	25
3	Mike Engles	24
3	Pete Millett	24
3	Debra Scott	24

IMPORTANT NOTE: The current Tour year will end after the Pikes Peak Open on July 30-31. This is so that Tour prizes can be awarded at the Colorado Open. The new format for the next Tour season will appear in the next President's Newsletter.

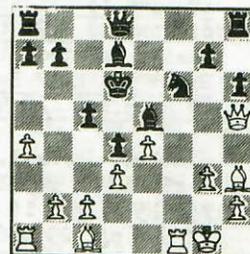
1	John Hall	2486	W5	W10	W9	W2	4	19	Darryl Jacobs	1206	L12	W31	L15	W27
2	Joe Abbott	2158	W7	W4	W14	L1	3	20	Don Thompson	1515	W34	L16	L4	W28
3	Michael Shedd	2045	L11	W12	W18	W16		21	Jim Mathers	1492	L14	L22	W31	W30
4	William Riley	1916	W23	L2	W20	W14		22	G. Cavaliere	Unr	D13	W21	L6	L12 1½
5	Don Ogle	1918	L1	W28	W24	W15		23	R. Karnisky	2178	L4	W17	D12	---
6	Eli Lucero	1867	D8	W33	W22	D9		24	Darrel Kern	1551	W31	L15	L5	D26
7	Pat Ament	1886	L2	W27	W30	W17		25	Richard DeLong	1811	D33	L8	WF	L13
8	R. Buchanan	2132	D6	W25	W13	½B		26	Seth Allen	Unr	L18	W34	L17	D24
9	Mark Wood	2092	W16	W11	L1	D6	2½	27	Edward Vigil	1572	W32	L7	L10	L19 1
10	Keith Oxman	2002	W15	L1	W27	D11		28	John Schultz	909	W30	L5	L11	L20
11	Rich Scott	1916	W3	L9	W28	D10		29	Liz Wood	1268	L17	W32	L16	L18
12	Adel Ayesh	1703	W19	L3	D23	W22		30	D. Clinkenbeard	Unr	W35	L28	L7	L21
13	Gregg Miller	1643	D22	W35	L8	W25		31	Terry Powell	Unr	L24	L19	L21	W34
14	V. Karasik	1799	W21	W18	L2	L4	2	32	J. Honeycutt	Unr	L27	L19	L21	W34
15	Pete Millett	1810	L10	W24	W19	L5		33	Barry Biggs	2040	D25	L6	---	---
16	Allen Teinert	1832	L9	W20	W29	L3		34	C S. Kuuth	Unr	L20	L26	L32	L31 ½
17	James Nelson	1723	W29	L23	W26	L7		35	William Hall	1585	L30	L13	---	---
18	Mark Galvin	1664	W26	L14	L3	W29								0

Unusual pairings involving players 28 and 30 were done to avoid byes.

GAMES selected by Mark Kriseler: comments by the Editor.

J. Hall-Ogle, KING'S INDIAN REVERSED: 1 Nf3,d5 2 g3,c5 3 Bg2,Nc6 4 0-0,e5 5 d3,Nf6 6 Nbd2,Bd6 7 e4,d4 8 a4,Be6 9 Ng5,Bg4 10 f3 Bd7 11 Nc4,Bc7 12 f4,h6 13 fe,Nxe5 14 Nxe5,Bxe5 15 Nxf7!,Kxf7 16 Qh5+,Ke6 17 Bh3+,Kd6* 18 Qxe5+!,1-0.

Riley-Karnisky, ALEKHIN: 1 e4,Nf6 2 e5,Nd5 3 d4,d6 4 c4,Nb6 5 f4,de 6 fe,Nc6 7 Be3.Bf5 8 Nc3,e6 9 Nf3,Bg4 10 Qd2,Bb4 11 Be2,Bxf3 12 gf,Qh4+ 13 Bf2,Qh3 14 Qg5,Be7 15 Qg3,Qf5 16 Ne4.Bb4+ 17 Kf1,0-0? 18 c5,Na4 19 a4,Nxc5 20 dc,Bd2 21 Rd1,Bf4 22 Rxd8+.Rxd8 23 Qxg7,Bxe5 24 Qg4,Qxb2 25 Qxf5,ef 26 Ng5,f6 27 Ne6,Re8 28 Bd3,Rxe6 29 Bxf5,Kd7 30 Rg1.Ke7 31 Bxe6,Kxe6 32 Rg7,Bxa3 33 Rxc7,a5 34 Rxb7,Kd5 35 Rxh7,a4 36 Rh8,Bb2 37 Ra8,a3 38 Ra4,Ne5 39 Ke2.f5 40 h4,Nd7 41 h5. Kc6 42 h6 Kb5 43 Ra8 Nxc5 44 Bxc5,Kxc5 45 h7,Kb4 46 h8Q,Bxh8 47 Rxh8.a2 48 Ra8 Kb3 49 Ke3,Kb2 50 Kf4,a1Q 51 Rxa1,Kxa1 52 Kxf5,Kb2 53 Ke6.1-0.

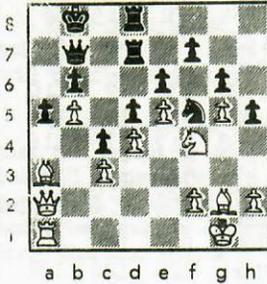


*H-0 after B17

Lucero-Buchanan, SICILIAN: 1 Nf3,c5 2 g3,Nc6 3 Bg2,Nf6 4 d3,g6 5 e4,d6 6 0-0,Bg7 7 Nc3,0-0 8 h3,a6 9 Ne1.Bd7 10 f4,Rb8 11 g4,b5 12 Be3.b4 13 Ne2,Qc8 14 Rb1.Ne8 15 f5.Nd4 16 Ng3,Nc7 17 Qd2,Bc6 18 h4,d5 19 Bh6,de 20 Bxg7,Kxg7 21 Bxe4,Bxe4 22 de,Rd8 23 Qg5,f6 24 Nh5+!,Kh8 25 Nxf6,ef 26 Qxf6+,Kg8 27 Rf2,Rf8 28 Qg5,Qd8 29 Qh6,Qf6# 31 Qxf6,Rxf6 32 gf,c4 33 Nxb4!.Rh6 34 c3,Ndb5 35 Rd1,Rxh4 36 Rg2+,Kf8 37 Nc6,Re8!? 38 a4 Rh6 39 ab.ab 40 Nd8,Rxe4 41 Rd7,Re7 42 Rg8+,Kxg8 43 Rxe7,Nd5 44 Re5,Rd6 45 Ne6,Kf7 46 Nd4,Kf6 47 Re4,Rb6 48 Kf2,b4 49 Ne2,Rc6 50 Rh4.Rc7 51 Kf3,bc 52 bc,Kg5 53 Rd4,Nf6 54 Ng3,h5 55 Nf1,Nd7 56 Ne3,Ne5+ 57 Ke4,Re7 58 f6!,Re8 59 Kd5.Nf7 60 Nxc4,Kxf6 ½-½. # 30 Nd3,gf

Rich Scott-Shedd, SICILIAN: 1 e4,c5 2 Nf3,d6 3 d4.cd 4 Nxd4,Nf6 5 Nc3,a6 6 f4,e6 7 Bd3,Qc7 8 0-0,Nbd7 9 Nf3,Ng4 10 Nd4,h5 11 h3,e5?! 12 fe,de 13 Nd5,Qc5 14 hg,hg 15 b4!,Qa7 16 Be3!,ed 17 Bf4,Nf6 18 Nc7+,Kd8 19 Nxa8,Qxa8 20 Bc4,Bxb4 21 Qxd4+,Ke8 22 e5,Nd7 23 Bxf7+,Kxf7 24 Bd2+,Ke8 25 Bxb4,b5 26 Rad1,Qb8 27 Bd6. Qb6 28 e6,Qxd4+ 29 Rxd4,Nf6 30 e7,Kf7 31 Bc5,Be6 32 Rd8,Re8 33 Rxe8,Kxe8 34 Rd1,Kf7 35 Rd8,Ne8 36 a3.Bf5 37 Ra8,Bxc2 38 Rxa6,Bd3 39 Ra8,g3 40 a4,ba 41 Rxa4,Bb5 42 Rf4+, Nf6 43 Rh4,Nd5 44 Rh5,Ke6 45 Rg5,g6 46 Rxg6+,Kf7 47 Rg3,Bc6 48 Rf3+,Ke6 49 Rf8,Nxe7 50 Bxe7,Kxe7 51 Rf2,Bd7 52 Kh2 Be6 53 Kg3,Bf7 54 Kh4,Kf8 55 Kg5,Kg7 56 Rxf7+,Kxf7 57 Kh6.Kg8 58 Kg6,Kh8 59 g4,Kg8 60 g5,Kh8 61 Kf7,1-0.

Oxman-J. Hall, SICILIAN: 1 e4,c5 2 Nf3,e6 3 d4,cd 4 Nxd4 Nf6 5 Nc3,d6 6 Bg5,Be7 7 Qd2,a6 8 a4,Qc7 9 Be2,0-0 10 0-0.Nc6 11 Rfd1,Rd8 12 Rab1,Bd7 13 Nxc6,Bxc6 14 f3,h6 15 Be3,d5 16 ed Nxd5 17 Nxd5,Rxd5 18 Bd3,Bxa4 19 Qf2, Rad8! 20 Bb6,Qc8 21 b3,Bb5 22 Kh1,Rd7 23 Qf1,Bxd3 24 cd,Qc3 25 Qe2,Rxd3 26 Rdc1,Qb4 27 Be3,Rxb3 28 Rc8+,Rd8 29 Rbc1.Rb1 30 R8c4.Rxc1+ 31 Rxc1,Qb3 and Black won (0-1).



Abbott-Karasik, FRENCH: 1 e4,e6 2 d4,d5 3 Nc3 Bb4 4 e5,c5 5 a3,Bxc3+ 6 bc,Qa5 7 Bd2,c4 8 Qg4,g6 9 g3,Nc6 10 Bg2,Bd7 11 Nh3,h6 12 0-0,0-0 13 Rfb1,Nge7 14 a4,Nf5 15 Rb5,Qc7 16 Qd1,Ncxd4 17 cd,Bxb5 18 ab,Kb8 19 Bb4,Qd7 20 g4,Ne7 21 Bd6+,Ka8 22 Qb1,b6 23 Nf4,h5 24 g5,Qb7 25 Qa2,Rd7 26 c3 Rhd8 27 Rb1,Nf5 28 Ba3,a5 29 Ra1,Kb8* 30 Bh1,Qa8 (Of course!) 31 Ng2,Ra7 32 Ne3,Nxe3 33 fe,Qb7 34 h4,Qd7 35 Rb1,Kc8 36 Bg2,Re8 37 Kh2,Rd8 38 e4 Qb7 39 ed,ed 40 Rf1,Kb8 41 Rf6 a4 42 Bh3,Ra5 43 Qb2,Ka8 44 Rc6,Ka7 45 Kgl,Rd7 46 Kf1 (46 Bxd7,Qxd7 threatens queen checks as well as ...Rxb5 in some lines.) Rc7 47 Rd6,Re7 48 Ke1,Re6? (But now the sac is much weaker.) 49 Bxe6,fe 50 Rxe6,Qc8 51 Re7+,Ka8 52 Qb4, 1-0.

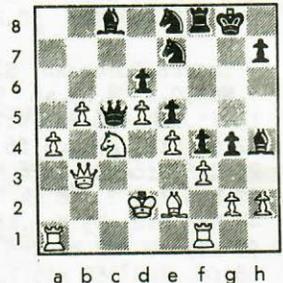
* A-K after B29

Miller-Buchanan, KING'S GAMBIT: 1 e4,e5 2 f4,ef 3 Nf3 g5 4 h4,g4 5 Ng5!? (This is the Allgaier Gambit. The Kieseritski with 5 Ne5 is much more popular.) d5! (Black can win a piece with 5...h6, but after 6 Nxf7,Kxf7 7 Bc4+ White has an attack. I have never faced an Allgaier in a serious game and did not feel like taking on a well-prepared opponent in it, so I played 5...d5. It appears to be a good move, and takes White out of the books.) 6 ed,Qxd5 7 Nc3,Qe5+ 8 Qe2,Qxe2+ 9 Bxe2,h6 10 Nge4,f5 11 Nf2,Nf6 12 b3 (A strategic error: it is Black who will control this diagonal.) Bg7 13 Bb2,Ne4! 14 Nfxe4,fe 15 0-0-0,f3 16 gf,ef 17 Bxf3? (This sac is easily refuted, but Black is winning anyway.) gf 18 Rde1+,Kd8 19 Re3,Rf8 20 Ne4 Bxb2+ 21 Kxb2,Bg4 22 Rf1,Nd7 23 d4,c6 24 Nd2,Kc7 25 Nxf3,Bxf3 26 Rxf3,Rxf3 27 Rxf3,Rf8 28 Rxf8,Nxf8 29 c4,Ng6 30 b4,Nxh4 31 Kc1,Nf5 32 d5,cd 33 cd,Kd6 0-1.

Abbott-J. Hall, SICILIAN: 1 e4,c5 2 Nf3,e6 3 d4,cd 4 Nxd4,Nf6 5 Nc3,d6 6 g4,Nc6 7 g5,Nd7 8 Be3,Be7 9 h4,Nb6 10 f4,0-0 11 Nxc6,bc 12 Qf3,d5 13 0-0-0.Bb4 14 Bf2 f5 15 ed,ed 16 h5,Be6 17 h6,g6 18 Qe3,Qd7 19 Ba6,Rab8 20 Rhe1 Rfe8 21 Qd4,Bd6 22 Ne2,c5 23 Qf6,Qf7 24 Qxf7+,Bxf7 25 c4,d4 26 b4,Nxc4 27 bc,Bxc5 28 Bxd4,Ba3+ 29 Kc2,Ne3+ 30 Bxe3,Rxe3 31 Rd3,Rb2+ 32 Kd1,Rxd3+ 33 Bxd3,Bb4 34 Rf1,Rd2+ 0-1.

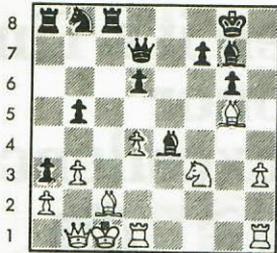
M. Wood-Lucero, KING'S INDIAN: 1 d4,Nf6 2 Nf3,g6 3 c4,Bg7 4 Nc3 d6 5 e4,0-0 6 Be2 e5 7 Be3,Nc6 8 d5,Ne7 9 Nd2,Ne8 10 b4,f5 11 f3,f4 12 Bf2,Nf6 13 c5,g5 14 Nc4,b6 15 cd,cd 16 Nb5,Ne8 17 Nxa7.Rxa7 18 Bxb6,Qd7 19 Bxa7,Qxa7 20 b5,Qc5 21 a4,g4 22 Qb3,Bf6 23 Rf1,Bh4+ 24 Kd2,Nxd5 25 ed Qxd5+ 26 Kc1,Be6 27 Ra2,Ng7 28 Qb4,Rc8 29 Rd1,Qb7 30 Kb2,Be7 31 Nxd6,Qc7 32 Bc4,Rd8 33 b6,Qb8 34 Qb3,Rxd6 35 Bxe6+,Rxe6 36 Rd7,Kf8 ½-½. White was in time pressure.

Ogle-Millett, ROBAISCH: 1 e4,g6 2 d4,Bg7 3 Nf3,d6 4 Bc4,c6 5 Nc3,b5 6 Bb3,a5 7 a3,a4 8 Ba2,Nf6 9 0-0,0-0 10 h3,Na6 11 b4 ab 12 Bxb3,c5 13 Nxb5,Nxe4 14 Bd5,Rb8 15 Bxe4,Rxb5 16 Qd3 Qb6 17 Be3,Bb7 18 Bxb7,Qxb7 19 c3,Rb8 20 Rfd1,Rb3 21 Nd2,cd 22 Bxd4,Rb5 23 Rab1,Bxd4 24 cd,Nc7 25 a4,Rb4? 26 Rxb4,Qxb4 27 Rb1, 1-0.



*W-L after W24

Galvin-Karasik, SICILIAN: 1 e4,c5 2 Nf3,e6 3 d4,cd 4 Nxd4,Nf6 5 Nc3,d6 6 Bg5,a6 7 Qd2,Be7 8 f4,0-0 9 0-0-0,Nc6 10 g3,d5 11 Bg2,h6 12 Bxf6,Bxf6 13 e5?,Nxe5! 14 h4 Nc4 15 Qd3,Bd7 16 Nf3,Qb6 17 b3,Qa5 18 bc,Bxc3 19 Rdf1,dc! 20 Qe3,Bc6 21 Kd1,Rfd8+ 22 Ke2,Bxf3+ 23 Bxf3,Rd2+ 0-1.



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*M-C after B21

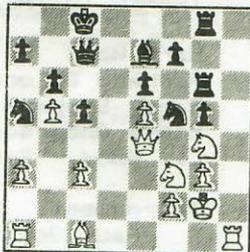
46 Kf2, Nb8) 45 Kxf3, Nxb6
51 Kf4, $\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$.

Miller-Cavaleri, KING'S GAMBIT: 1 e4, e5 2 f4, ef 3 Nf3, g6! ?
4 d4, Bg7 5 Bxf4, Nf6 6 Bg5 (6 Nc3) h6 7 Bh4, d6 8 c3, 0-0
9 Nbd2, Qd7 10 Qc2, Re8 11 0-0-0 (11 Bd3) a5! 12 h3 a4 13 Bd3,
a3! 14 b3, c5! 15 g4? (15 d5 or 15 dc keeps White in the fight.)
cd 16 cd (16 Nxd4) b5 17 g5 (Ignore it: it'll go away.) hg
18 Bxg5, Bb7 19 Qb1, Rc8+ 20 Bc2, Nxe4 21 Nxe4, Bxe4* 22 Ne5!
(White fights hard from a lost position.) de 23 de, Qf5 24 Rd8+!
Kh7 25 Rxc8, Qxc8 26 Re1, Bf5 27 h4, Ra7 28 Bf6, Rc7 29 Re2, Bxc2
30 Rxc2, Rxc2+ 31 Qxc2, Qxc2+ 32 Kxc2, Bxf6 33 ef, b4? (33...Nc6,
and Black wins easily by going after the h-pawn.) 34 Kd3, Nd7
35 Kc4, Nxf6 36 Kxb4 Nd7 37 Kxa3, f5 38 Kb2, f4 39 Kc3, Kg7?
(39...Kh6 to support the f-pawn should win.) 40 Kd4, f3 41 Ke3,
Ne5 42 b4, Kf6 43 b5, Kf5 44 b6, Nc4+? (44...Kg4 wins: 45 b7, Nc6
46 Kf2, Nb8) 45 Kxf3, Nxb6 46 Kg3, Nc4 47 a4, Na5 48 Kf3, Kf6 49 Kf4, Nc6 50 Ke4, Ke6
51 Kf4, $\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$.

Lucero-Biggs, KING'S INDIAN REVERSED: 1 Nf3, f5 2 g3, Nf6 3 Bg2, g6 4 d3, Bg7 5 0-0,
0-0 6 Nc3, d6 7 e4, Nc6 8 h3, h6 9 Nh4, Kh7 10 ef, gf 11 f4, Rb8 12 Be3, Qe8 13 Nb5, a6
14 Nxc7, Qf7 15 c4, Nh5 16 Kh2, Bf6 17 Nxf5, Bxf5 18 g4, e6 19 gf, ef 20 Bd5, Qxc7 21 Qxh5
Bxb2 22 Rab1, Bg7 23 Rg1, Qe7 24 Rg3, Qe8 25 Qf3, Qe7 26 Rbg1, Bh8 27 Qh5, Rf6 28 Rg6
Qf8 29 Bg8+, Qxg8 30 Qxh6 mate.

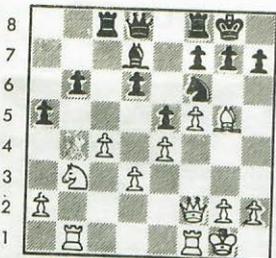
Cavaleri-Mathers, ENGLISH: 1 c4, Nf6 2 Nc3, e6 3 g3, d5 4 cd, Nxd5 5 Ne4, c5 6 Bg2, Nc6
7 Nf3, Be7 8 0-0, h5 9 d4, cd 10 Bg5, e5 11 Bxe7, Qxe7 12 Ned2, Bg4 13 Qb3, Bxf3 14 Bxf3
Nf6 15 e3, Rd8 16 ed, Rxd4 17 Rad1, Qb4 18 Bxc6+, bc 19 Qc2, 0-0 20 Nf3, Re4 21 Rd3, Qb5
22 Rd6, Rc4 23 Qf5, Ne4 24 Rd7, Qxb2 25 Nxe5, Rc5 26 Rxf7, Rxf7 27 Qxf7+, Kh7 28 Qxh5+
Kg8 29 Qf7+, Kh7 30 Qg6+, Kg8 31 Ng4, Nf6 32 Nh6+, Kh8 33 Nf7+, Kg8 34 Kg2, Qxa2 35 Rb1
Qxf7 36 Rb8+, Ne8 37 Rxe8+, Qf8 38 Qe6+, 1-0.

J. Hall-M. Wood, KING'S INDIAN REVERSED: 1 Nf3, e6 2 g3, c5 3 Bg2, Nc6 3
4 0-0, d5 5 d3, Nf6 6 Nbd2, Be7 7 e4, Qc7 8 Re1, b6 9 Qe2, Bb7 10 c3
0-0-0 11 a3, Rdg8 12 Nf1, h6 13 h4, de 14 de, Nh5 15 b4, g5 16 hg,
hg 17 e5, Nd8 18 N1h2, Rh7 19 Ng4, Rhg7 20 Nfh2, Bxg2 21 Kxg2, Rg6
22 Qe4, Ng7 23 Nf3, Nf5 24 Rh1, Nc6 25 b5, Na5* 26 Nf6!, Bxf6 27 ef
Nb3 28 Rb1, Nxc1 29 Rbxc1, Nd6 30 Qa8+, Qb8 31 Qxb8+, Kxb8 32 Ne5
Nxb5 33 a4, Nd6 34 Rh7, Kc8 35 Rd1, Ne4 36 Nxe6, Rxe6 37 Rxf7
Rxf6 38 Rxf6, Nxf6 39 c4, Kc7 40 Kf3, a6 41 Ke3, Ne8 42 Rh1, Nd6
43 Kd3, b5 44 ab, ab 45 cb, Nxb5 46 Rh5, Kc6 47 Rxe5, Nd6 48 Re5
c4+ 49 Kc3, Kd7 50 g4, Ke7 51 f4, Kf6 52 Kd4, 1-0.



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* H-W after B25



a b c d e f g h

*K-R after W20

Bxe5 22 Ng5, Qg4 23 Qxg4, hg
de+ 29 Nxd8, e2+ 0-1.

Karasik-Riley, SICILIAN: 1 e4, c5 2 Nf3 Nc6 3 d4, cd 4 Nxd4,
Nf6 5 Nc3, e5 6 Nb3, Bb4 7 Bd3, 0-0 8 0-0, Bxc3 9 bc, d6 10 Ba3
16 cd, b6 17 f4, a5 18 f5, Bd7 19 Bg5, Qd8 20 Qf2* (Now we start
chopping wood - 16 captures by move 30!) Nxe4! 21 de, Qxg5
22 Qxb6, Rxc4 23 Nxa5, Rxe4 24 Qxd6, Re2 25 Rf2, Rxf2 26 Kxf2
Qxf5+ 27 Ke2, Qxb1 28 Qxd7, Qxa2+ 29 Qd2, Qxd2+ 30 Kxd2, Ra8
31 Nc4, Ra2+ 32 Ke3, Rxe2 0-1.

DeLong-Miller, COLLE: 1 d4, Nf6 2 Nf3, e6 3 e3, b6 4 Bd3, Nc6
5 c3, d5 6 Nbd2, Bb7 7 Ne5, Nxe5 8 de, Nd7 9 f4, Qh4+ 10 g3, Qd8
11 0-0, f5 12 ef, Qxf6 13 Nf3, 0-0-0 14 Qe2, Nc5 15 Qc2, Nxd3
16 Qxd3, h5 17 Qd4, Be7 18 h4, Qf5 19 Kh2, Bf6 20 Qd1, e5 21 fe
de+ 29 Nxd8, e2+ 0-1.

FOR MORE VOLUNTEERS

- by Garth Courtois Jr.

This spring the CSCA Scholastic Program hosted two events. The Scholastic Individual drew 80 players, and the Team drew 120. I found these events easy to organize and run because of the overwhelming number of chessplayers willing to help: many hands made light work! I would like to give recognition to those who helped make these and other CSCA Scholastic activities successful, therefore the following list is briefly presented.

Also, I this is a call for Volunteers who can help with scholastic chess in the fall. I am looking for help to run tournaments, and also people who are available weekdays to give a one-hour chess presentation to a school. Join the bandwagon and the long list of people below. Those interested can me at 499-7044.

THANKS TO THE FOLLOWING:

- Mark Wood - extensive consultation
- Richard DeLong - extensive mailing
- Randy Siebert - consultation
- Steve Anderson - CSCA mailing list
- Liz Wood - Scholastic mailing list

Tournament: Scholastic Individual

- Paul Goodness - school reservation
- Buck Buchanan - TD
- John Siddeek - TD
- Richard Delong - TD
- Mark Wood - TD
- Liz Wood - TD
- Gary Bagstad - registration
- Steve Scott - registration
- Debbie Scott - registration

Tournament: Scholstic Team

- Jerry Schmitz - school reservation
- Tom Barber - TD
- Dave Landers - TD
- Mark Kriseler - TD

School Visits

- Garth Courtois Jr.
- Mark Kriseler
- Doug Russell
- Richard DeLong

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CHESS AT THE PEOPLE'S FAIR

by Mark Kriseler

The Lakewood Chess Club, the North Jeffco Chess Club, the Queen's Gambit Chess Club, and CSCA teamed up to promote chess at the People's Fair on June 4th and 5th. This year, the Fair was held at the Denver Civic Center, and sported more than 500 different booths. It was attended by more than 200,000 people.

The highlight of the Chess Booth were the blitz games of chess. Most of the time, a crowd of 15 to 30 spectators watched as tournament players took on all comers for a \$1.00 donation. Many of these spectators admitted that they didn't even know how to play the game...it was just exciting to watch! The biggest crowd pleaser was "Old Man" Wood playing the kids. We gave out a ton of Colorado Chess Informants, Chess Lives, and fliers on different chess clubs in the state to people who were interested in the information. The only disappointing thing was the look on people's faces when we told them there were not any clubs in south or east metro Denver.

The "speed table" was anchored by the deadly duo of Mark "These 6-year-olds are tough" Wood and Rich "Sure, I'll play for a beer" DeLong. The team captain was Liz "Honey, your bald spot is getting burned" Wood.

The big surprise was the large number of volunteers who showed up to play speed chess and to help pass out information. Our thanks must also go to Mike "the Blitz Addict" Presutti, Charles Martinez, Matt Vigil, Richard "Buck" Buchanan, Debra Scott, Terry Powell, Greg Miller, and William Hall.

The best part of the event, aside from the "fun in the sun," was that, even after prizes were paid out to chess players who challenged our booth "experts" and either won (prize, \$3.00) or drew (prize, \$2.00), the only cost for each of the sponsoring clubs was the money spent on fliers. Not only was this one of the biggest chess promotions in Colorado history, but it will probably go down in the records as the least expensive!

We will begin organizing for next year's Fair in February. Next year, we'll be bigger and better! Plan to be part of the team!

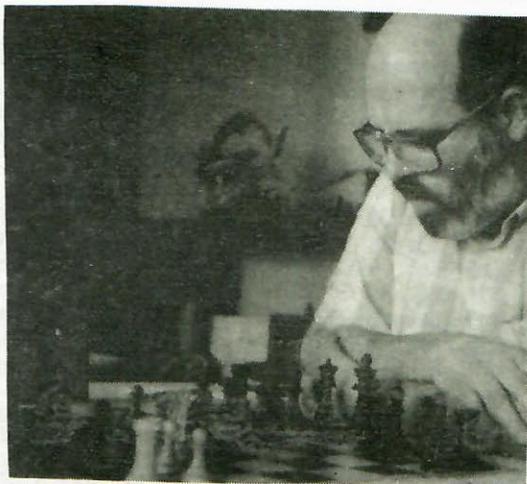
D.C.C. - QUEEN'S GAMBIT FLIP-FLOP

The Denver Chess Club and the Queen's Gambit Chess Club are switching their main meeting nights: the DCC used to meet on Wednesdays and the QGCC used to meet on Tuesdays.

The Denver Chess Club now meets on Tuesday and Friday evenings at the V.F.W. Post at 9th & Bannock. The Tuesday Night Tournament, one of the strongest Open Swiss Tournaments in the state, starts on the first Tuesday of each month, with one round each Tuesday evening thereafter. Registration starts at 7:00 p.m., with games starting at 7:30. The Denver Chess Club also offers a Speed Tournament on Friday evenings.

The Queen's Gambit Chess Club will now meet on Wednesday evenings with the same tournament format as the Denver Chess Club. Queen's Gambit is located in the University Building, next to McDonald's at Champa and the Sixteenth Street Mall in downtown Denver. (The technical address is at 910 16th Street, Suite 510, Denver CO 80202) The phone number is (303) 893-1470.

Both clubs invite all chess players in the area to drop by and check it out!



ST. PATRICK'S DAY MASSAKRE

by Richard DeLong, Director

Despite a low turnout, the competition was intense. Michael Shedd showed why he was the top seed in the Open Section by scoring a 4-0 sweep. Barry Biggs took a clear second with his only loss to Shedd Larry Duke and Gary Bagstad tied for 3rd-4th. Gary had an excellent performance considering he was seeded last at the start.

The Premier Section was won by Eli Lucero of Cheyenne, after the big last round showdown with James Stearns failed to happen because James had to withdraw due to family illness. Richard Scott and Charles Grubel tied with Stearns for 2nd-4th. It is nice to see Eli Lucero and Louis DeFiore from Cheyenne playing in the Denver tournaments Someday I hope the Denver players will return the favor.

The Reserve players had the most upsets, with the lower-rated players coming through in the end to win the tournament. Bill Hall and Evis Robinson, being best of friends, shared 1st place with 3½ points. Daryl Johnson took 3rd, but his solid play will have him moving up quickly if he keeps up his game.

OPEN

1 Michael Shedd	2044	W6	W7	W2	W3	4	9 N. Martinez	1531	---	---	---	W11	
2 Barry Biggs	2040	W3	W4	L1	W5	3	10 Louis DeFiore	1889	L5	L4	L3	L6	0
3 Larry Duke	1858	L2	W8	W5	L1	2	11 Tom McCarthy	1708	L7	L8	L6	L9	
4 Gary Bagstad	1767	W8	L2	W7	L6								
5 Pete Millett	1816	L7	W6	L3	L2	1							
6 Debra Scott	1881	L1	L5	---	W4								
7 C. Martinez	2015	W5	L1	L4	---								
8 Bob Laventure	1909	L4	L3	---	---	0							

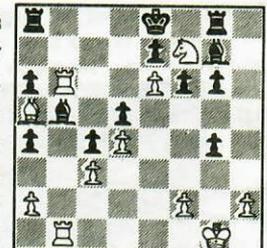
RESERVE

							1 William Hall	1485	W5	W7	D2	W4	3½
							2 Evis Robinson	1455	W9	W11	D1	W8	
							3 Daryl Johnson	1567	L4	W12	W7	W9	3
							4 G. Lombardi	1354	W3	W8	D9	L1	2½
							5 Joe Aragon	1425	L1	D6	W14	W13	
							6 Jim Mathers	1518	L7	D5	W12	W10	
							7 Steve Jackson	Unr	W6	L1	L3	W11	2
							8 Darrel Kern	1546	W14	L4	W13	L2	
							9 G. Fletcher	1650	L2	W10	D4	L3	1½
							10 Michael Engles	1538	D12	L9	W11	L6	
							11 John Schultz	Unr	W13	L2	L10	L7	1
							12 Darryl Jacobs	1206	D10	L3	L6	D14	
							13 Mark Galvin	1568	L11	W14	L8	L5	
							14 Chris Blehm	1391	L8	L13	L5	D12	½

PREMIER

1 Eli Lucero	1867	W3	W2	W5	D7	3½							
2 Rich Scott	1801	W6	L1	W8	W5	3							
3 Charles Grubel	1788	L1	W6	W10	W8								
4 James Stearns	1588	W8	W10	W7	---								
5 Jon Eoyang	1788	W10	W7	L1	L2	2							
6 Walter Gerash	1644	L2	L3	W11	W10								
7 Kevin Ruback	1839	W11	L5	L4	D1	1½							
8 Al Gardner	1791	L4	W11	L2	L3	1							

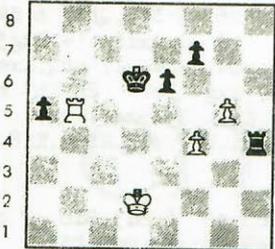
G. Martinez-Millett, SLAV: 1 d4,d5 2 c4,c6 3 Nc3,Nf6 4 Nf3,dc 5 e4,b5 6 e5.Nd5 7 Ng5,Bf5 8 g4,Bc8 9 Qf3,f6?! 10 e6!,Nxc3 11 bc,Qd5 12 Qxd5,cd 13 Bg2,Bb7 14 Nf7,Rg8 15 0-0,Nd7 16 Rb1. a6 17 Bf4.Nb6 18 Bc7 Na4 19 Ba5,g6 20 Bf3,h5 21 Rf1,Bc6 22 Bd1,Bg7 23 Bxa4,ba 24 Rb6,Bb5 25 Rb1,hg* 26 R1xb5,ab 27 Rxb5,Rf8 28 Rxd5,Rxf7 29 ef+,Kxf7 30 Rc5,f5 31 a3,Ke6 32 Bb4,Kd7 33 Rxc4,e5 34 Bc5,ed 35 cd,Ke6 36 Kg2,Kd5 37 Rb4 Ra6 38 f3,gf 39 Kxf3,Bf6 40 Ke3,g5 41 Kd3,g4 42 Bf8,Ra8 43 Rb5+.Ke6 44 Bh6,Rh8 45 Bf4,Rh3+ 46 Kc4,Rxa3 47 Rb7,Be7 48 d5+.Kf6 49 d6.Bd8 50 Rb8,Ba5 51 d7.Ke7 52 d8Q+!.Bxd8 53 Bg5+.Ke6 54 Rxd8,Ra2 55 Bf4.Rf2 56 Rd6+,Kf7 57 Bg3,Rf3 58 Rd3,Rxd3 59 Kxd3.Ke6 60 Ke3.a3 61 Be1,Kd5 62 Bc3,Ke6 63 Kf4.a2 64 Ba1,1-0. An exciting, hard fought game!



a b c d e f g h
* M-M after B25

Bagstad-Laventure, FRENCH: 1 e4,e6 2 d3,d5 3 Nc3,d4 4 Nce2,e5 5 g3,Be6 6 Nf3,f6 7 Bg2,c5 8 0-0,Bd6 9 Ne1,Ne7 10 f4.0-0 11 f5,Bf7 12 g4,Nd7 13 h4.c4 14 Ng3,cd 15 Nxd3.Rc8 16 Bd2,Qb6 17 Kh1,Rc7 18 b3,RBc8 19 Ne1,Bb4 20 g5.Qc5 21 Bxb4,Qxb4 22 Qg4,Rxc2? 23 Nxc2,Rxc2 24 g6,hg 25 fg,Nxg6 26 Qxd7,Qd2 27 Rg1,Nf4 28 Qd8+,Kh7 29 Qf8,Nxg2? (29...Nh3!) 30 Nf5, 1-0.

Millett-Duke, SICILIAN: 1 d4.e6 2 e4,c5 3 Nf3,cd 4 Nxd4,Nc6 5 Nc3.a6 6 f4,Bb4

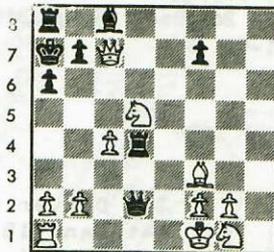


*M-D after B33

7 Nxc6,Bxc3+ 8 bc,bc 9 Qd4,Ne7 10 Qxe7,Rg8 11 Qxh7 (French Defense?) Qa5 12 Bd2,Rb8 13 Be2 (13 Bd3) Qc5 14 Qh3,Rb2 15 c4? Rxc2 16 Rd1? (Such generosity!) Rxa2 17 g4.a5 18 Qe3,Qxe3 19 Bxe3,d5 20 cd,cd 21 h4,Bd7 22 ed,Nxd5 23 Bd2,Ra4 24 Rb1,Ke7 25 Rf1,Nf6 26 g5,Ne4 27 Rf3,Nxd2 28 Kxd2,Rh8 29 Rb7.Rd4+ 30 Rd3 Rxd3 31 Bxd3,Kd6 32 Bb5,Bxb5 33 Rxb5,Rxh4* 34 Ke3? (34 Rxa5,Rxf4 35 Ke3 gives better drawing chances. White probably didn't see that the a-pawn now can't be captured.) a4 35 Ra5 Rh3+ (or 35...a3) 36 Ke4.a3 37 Ra6+,Ke7 38 f5.fe+ 39 Kxf5,Rf3+ 40 Kg4,Rb3 41 g6? (Much better is 41 Kh5 first. White must keep his rook on the a-file.) fg 42 Rxc6,Rb4+ 43 Kf3 Ra4 44 Rg1,a2 45 Ra1,Kd6 46 Ke3 Kc5 47 Kd3,Kb4 48 Kc2,Ka3 49 Kc3,Ra8 50 Kc2,Rc8+ 0-1.

Biggs-Millett, KING'S GAMBIT: 1 e4.e5 2 f4.ef 3 Nf3.g5 4 Bc4 d6 (4...Bg7!) 5 h4,g4 6 Nd4 (6 Ng5 looks mean.) Bg7 7 c3.Bxd4? (7...Nc6) 8 cd.Nc6 9 d5,Ne5 10 d4!,Nxc4 11 Qa4+ c6? 12 Qxc4.cd 13 Qxd5.Nf6 14 Qb3,Nxe4 15 Bxf4.0-0 16 0-0! Qxh4 17 g3,Qf6 18 Qe3,Bf5 19 Nc3,Rae8 20 Nd5,Qd6 21 Rae1,Kg7 22 Re2,Be6? 23 Nc7,Re7 24 Qxe4,Qxe4 25 Rxe4,Rxc7 26 Bxd6,Bd5 27 Rxc4+, 1-0. Contrary to appearances, this was not designed to be the "pick on Pete Millett" page.

D.Scott-Bagstad, KING'S INDIAN: 1 d4,Nf6 2 c4.g6 3 Nc3,Bg7 4 e4,d6 5 Bg5.0-0 6 Qd2.Re8 7 Bh6,Bh8 8 Be2.c5 9 d5,e6 10 Bg5,a6 11 h4,Nbd7 12 h5,Qc7 13 hg,hg 14 Qf4.ed 15 Rxh8+ Kxh8 16 Bxf6+,Nxf6 17 Qxf6+,Kg8 18 Nxd5.Qa5+ 19 Kf1,Rxe4 20 Ne7+,Kf8 21 Nxc6+,Ke8 22 Qxd6,Rd4 23 Qf8+,Kd7 24 Qe7+,Kc6 25 Bf3+,Kb6 26 Nf4,Qd2 27 Nd5+,Ka7 28 Qxc5+,Kb8 29 Qc7+,Ka7* 30 Nb6.Qxb2 31 Re1.Qxb6 32 Qxb6+,Kxb6 33 Bd5,f6 34 Nf3,Rd3 35 Re8,Ka7 36 Rf8,f5 37 Rf7,Rd1+ 38 Ke2,Ra1 39 c5.Kb8 40 Nd4,Rc1 41 c6,b5 42 c7+,Ka7 43 Nxf5,Bxf5? 44 c8Q+, 1-0.



*S-B after B29

Eoyang-DeFiore, SICILIAN: 1 e4,c5 2 Nf3,d6 3 d4,cd 4 Nxd4,Nf6 5 Nc3.e6 6 Be2.Be7 7 0-0,a6 8 f4.b5 9 a3,Bb7 10 Bf3 Nbd7 11 Be3.0-0 12 e5,Bxf3 13 Nxf3.de 14 fe,Ng4 15 Bd4,Qc7 16 Re1,Rfd8 17 h3,Ndx5?! 18 Nxe5.Rxd4 19 Qf3!.Qa7 20 Nc6,Ne5 21 Nxe7+,Kf8 22 Qf2,Kxe7 23 Rxe5,Rad8 24 Re4,1-0.

R.Scott-Lucero, PIRC: 1 e4.d6 2 b3,Nf6 3 d3.g6 4 Bb2,Bg7 5 f4.0-0 6 Nf3,Nc6 7 Nbd2 Nd7 8 Bxc7,Kxc7 9 g4,e5 10 f5.h6 11 h4.Nd4 12 Nxd4,ed 13 Nf3,d5 14 Nxd4.de 15 fg, Nc5 16 Nf5+.Bxf5 17 gf,fg 18 Qg4,Rxf5 19 de,Qd4 20 Rb1,Nxe4 21 Qe2,Qb4+ 22 Kd1,Nc3+ 0-1.

Gardner-McCarthy, FRENCH: 1 e4.e6 2 d4 d5 3 ed,ed 4 c4,Nf6 5 Nf3,Be6 6 cd,Qxd5 7 Nc3 Bb4 8 Qa4+,Nc6 9 Bb5,Bxc3+ 10 bc,Bd7 11 0-0.0-0 12 Bf4,a6 13 Bc4,Qa5 14 Qb3,b5 15 Bxf7+,Rxf7 16 Ng5,Rf8 17 Rfe1,b4 18 Nxf7,Rxf7 19 cb,Qxb4 20 Be5,Ng4 21 f4,Ngxe5 22 fe,Qxd4+ 23 Kh1,Bg4 24 Rac1,Qd2 25 Qc4,Nd4 26 Re4,Ne2 27 Rb1,Be8 28 Rxe2,Qd7 29 e6, 1-0.

Lucero-Eoyang, KING'S INDIAN REVERSED: 1 Nf3 Nf6 2 g3,d5 3 Bg2.c6 4 d3,Nbd7 5 0-0,e5 6 e4,d5 7 Nbd2,Bd6 8 Nc4,Bc7 9 a4.0-0 10 a5,Re8 11 Ne1,Nc5 12 f4,ef 13 gf,Be6 14 b4 Bxc4 15 bc,Bb5 16 Bd2,Qe7 17 Bf3,Qxc5 18 Rf2,Re6 19 Rb1,a6 20 Rg2,Qf8 21 f5,Re5 22 Bh6,Ne8 23 Bh5,Kh8 24 Bf4,Re7 25 Bg5,f6 26 Bd2,c5 27 Bg6!.Nd6 28 Qh5,Qg8 29 Nf3 Nf7 30 Nh4,Bd6? 31 Bxf7,Qxf7 32 Ng6+,Kg8 33 Nxe7+.Bxe7 34 Qh4,Rd8 35 Bh6,Bf8 36 e5 Qd5 37 ef,Bc6 38 Qe4,Qxe4 39 de,Bxe4 40 Rg3,Rd7 41 fg,Bxc7 42 f6 and White won (1-0).

Stearns-Ruback, CARO-KANN: 1 e4,c6 2 d4,d5 3 e5,Bf5 4 f4,e6 5 Nf3.Nd7 6 Bd3,Bg6 7 Be3,Nh6 8 Nbd2,Bxd3 9 cd,Qb6 10 Nb3,a5 11 Qc2,Nf5 12 Bf2,Bb4+ 13 Ke2,Nf8 14 g4 Nh6 15 a3,Be7 16 h3,Qa7 17 Nc5,b6 18 Na4,Rc8 19 Rhc1,Nd7 20 b4.ab 21 ab,Bxb4 22 Nc3 Qb7 23 Nb5,0-0 24 Na7,Ra8 25 Nxc6,Rxa1 26 Rxa1,Rc8 27 Qa4,Qxc6 28 Qxb4,f6 29 Qe7, Nf7 30 Ra7,Rc7 31 Qe8+,Nf8 32 Ra8,Qxe8 33 Rxe8,Rb7 34 Be1.g5 35 Bb4,gf 36 ef,h6 37 Bxf8,Ng5 38 Nxc5,hg 39 Bb4,Kf7 40 Re7+,Rxe7 41 fe,b5 42 Kf3,Ke8 43 h4, 1-0.

Lombardi-Kern, KING'S GAMBIT: 1 e4.e5 2 f4.ef 3 Bc4.Qh4+ 4 Kf1.Nc6 5 Nf3.Qh5 6 d4 Nf6 7 Nc3.g5 8 e5.Ng8 9 Ne4.Be7 10 c3.b6 11 Qe2.Qh6 12 Nd6+.cd 13 ed.Qxd6 14 Nxc5 Nh6 15 Ne4.Qc7 16 d5 Na5 17 d6 Qxc4 18 Nf6+.Kf8 19 de+.Kg7 20 Qxc4.Nxc4 21 e8.Q.Rxe8 22 Nxe8+.Kg6 23 Bxf4.Ba6 24 Nc7 Ne3+ 25 Kf2.Neg4+ 26 Kg3.Nf5+ 27 Kxc4.Be2+ 28 Kh3.h5 29 g3.Rg8 30 Nd5.Bf3 31 Ne3.Ng7 32 Rhg1.Kf6 33 Raf1.Bc6 34 Bh6+.Kg6 35 Bxc7.Kxc7 36 Nf5+.Kf8 37 Nd6.Bd5 38 Re1.Be6+ 39 Kh4.Rg4+ 40 Kxh5.Rg8 41 Rgf1.Ke7 42 Nf5+.Kf8 43 Nd6.Rh8 44 Kg5.Rxb2 45 Rh1.Rxb2 46 Rh8+.Ke7 47 Nc8 mate.

Schultz-Robinson, DUTCH: 1 d4.f5 2 Nf3.Nf6 3 e3.e6 4 c4.d5 5 Nc3 c6 6 Bd3.Bd6 7 c5 Bc7 8 0-0,0-0 9 Bd2.Nbd7 10 Ne2.Ne4 11 Bxe4.fe 12 Ne1.Qh4 13 Ng3.b6 14 Qa4.b5 15 Qa3.a5 16 b4.Ba6 17 Nc2.e5 18 Ne2.ed 19 g3.Qh3 20 Nf4.Bxf4 21 ef.Nf6 22 g4.e3! 23 fe.Nxc4 24 Rf2 Nxf2 25 Kxf2.Qxh2+ 26 Ke1.de 27 Qxe3.Rae8 0-1.

Johnson-Jacobs, FRENCH: 1 e4.e6 2 d4.d5 3 Nc3.Bb4 4 a3.Bxc3+ 5 bc.Nc6 6 Qg4.g6 7 e5.Nge7 8 Bg5.h6 9 Qh4.h5 10 Bf6,0-0 11 Be2.Qe8 12 Bxh5.Nf5 13 Qg5.Kh7 14 Be2.Nh6 15 Bd3.Bd7 16 g4.Ng8 17 Qh5+.Nh6 18 g5, 1-0.

Kern-Galvin, ALEKHIN: 1 e4.Nf6 2 Nc3.d5 3 ed.Nxd5 4 Nxd5.Qxd5 5 d4.Bf5 6 Nf3.Qe4+ 7 Be3.Qxc2 8 Qxc2.Bxc2 9 Rc1.Be4 10 Rxc7.e6 11 Ng5.Bc6 12 Nxf7.Bb4+ 13 Kd1,0-0 14 Bc4.Re8 15 Ng5.Bd6 16 Nxe6.Kh8 17 Rf7.Na6 18 d5.b5 19 Bd4.bc 20 Rxc7.h5 21 Rc7+ 1-0.

MAY DAZE

The Denver Chess Club May Daze tournament was held on May 14th and 15th at the V.F.W. building on 9th and Bannock in Denver. A total of twenty-four players competed in a single section for the different advertised section prizes. Masters John Siddeek and Dave Jellison tied for first place, with experts Rob Karnisky and Debra Scott tied only half a point behind the winners.

This is the first time I have had the opportunity to visit the new home of the Denver Chess Club, and I found it to be a great site for playing chess. The lighting was adequate for chess play, and the tables and chairs were comfortably spaced. The DCC also has access to a number of other rooms as well, giving them the capability of sponsoring events of different sizes.

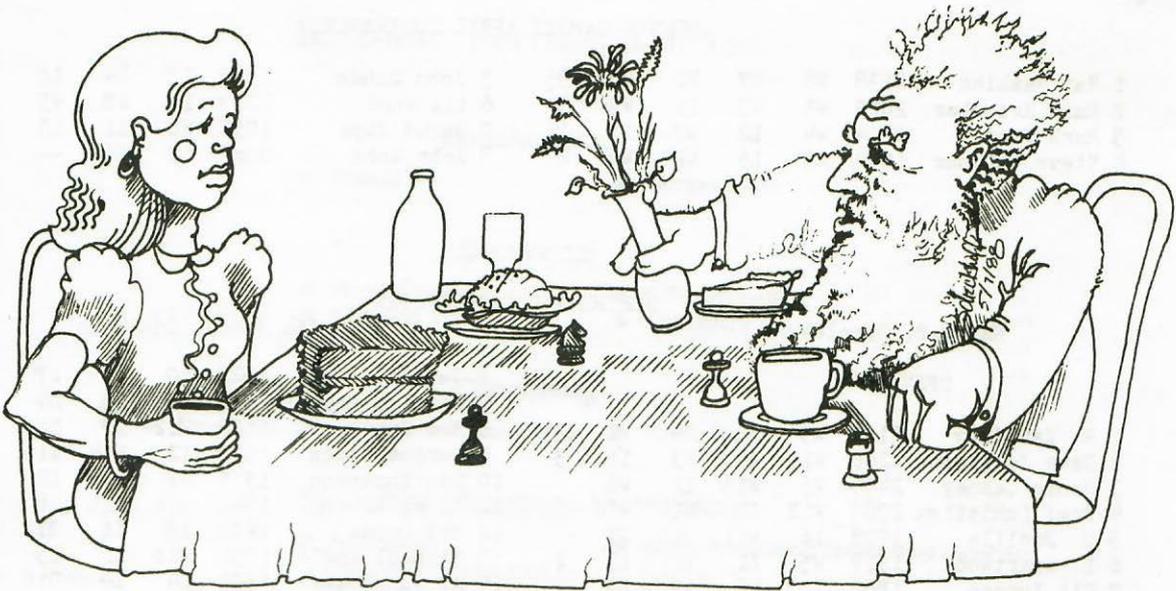
The last round of the tournament produced the strangest game I have witnessed in expert level chess! Both players wanted to improve their standings in the tournament so there was little chance for a "grandmaster draw." However, when the dust finally settled, both players seemed very content to split the point.

Karnisky-Kriseler, Kriseler System: 1 Nf3, e6; 2 d3, b6; 3 e4, Bb7; 4 Bg5, f6; 5 Bh4, h5; 6 Be2, Qe7; 7 Ne5, Qb4+; 8 Nd2, Qxb2; 9 Bxh5+, g6; 10 Bxc6+, Ke7; 11 Nec4, Qb5; 12 Rb1, Qc5; 13 Qg4, Nc6; 14 0-0, Kd8; 15 Nb3, Qe7; 16 e5, Qg7; 17 Nba5, Kc8; 18 Nxb7, Kxb7; 19 exf6, Qh6; 20 g3, Nxf6; 21 Qf3, Be7; 22 Na5+, Kb8; 23 Nxc6+, dxc6; 24 Be4, Nxe4; 25 Qxe4, Kb7; 26 Rfe1, Raf8; 27 Qxe6, Bxh4; 28 Qxh6, Rxh6; 29 gxh4, Rxh4; 30 Re4, draw?!

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MAY DAZE

May 14,15, Denver

Mark Wood, Director

1	John Siddeek	2273	W18	W11	W5	D2	3½	13	Chas. Grubel	1788	L2	W20	W18	L8	
2	Dave Jellison	2268	W13	W6	W10	D1		14	Tom McCarthy	1745	L5	L12	W21	W19	
3	Rob Karnisky	2178	D8	W19	W15	D5	3	15	Larry Duke	1896	½B	W17	L3	L9	1½
4	Debra Scott	1899	W16	L5	W12	W10		16	Liz Wood	1262	I4	½B	L17	W20	
5	Mark Kriseler	2066	W14	W4	L1	D3	2½	17	David Foster	Unr	D23	L15	W16	L11	
6	David Dustin	1904	W20	L2	W8	D7		18	Gary Bagstad	1792	L1	W22	L13	L12	1
7	Rich Scott	1816	W21	L10	W11	D6		19	Daryl Johnson	1571	W12	L3	L9	L14	
8	Gregg Steadman	1756	D3	W23	L6	W13		20	Darryl Jacobs	1206	L6	L13	W22	L16	
9	Walter Gerash	1673	L10	D21	W19	W15		21	Steve Jackson	Unr	L7	D9	L14	D22	
10	Steve Swanson	1916	W9	W7	L2	I4	2	22	Gregory Luke	1418	L11	L18	L20	D21	½
11	Michael Plett	1905	W22	L1	L7	W17		23	Eli Lucero	1867	D17	L8	---	---	
12	Daoud Zupa	1890	L19	W14	I4	W18									

QUEEN'S GAMBIT APRIL TOURNAMENT

1	Ray Haskins	2138	W6	W7	W2	D3	3½	5	John Cohen	1553	L2	W4	L6	WF	
2	Mark Kriseler	2019	W5	W3	L1	W7	3	6	Liz Wood	1273	L1	W8	W5	L5	
3	Mark Wood	2104	W4	L2	W7	D1	2½	7	Daoud Zupa	1850	W8	L1	L3	L2	1
4	Steve Butcher	1604	L3	L5	WF	W6	2	8	John Kohn	Unr	L7	L6	---	--	0

NORTHERN COLORADO OPEN

May 7-8, Greeley

Jim Roode, Director

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								6	Derald Jones	1623	L7	W1	WF	W9	
								7	Charles Moore	1848	W6	D8	D4	L3	2
1	R. Karnisky	2178	W9	W6	D4	W2	3½	8	Rod Carter	1626	W12	D7	D11	I4	
2	Dave Jellison	2268	W10	W4	W3	L1	3	9	Jerome Orosz	1673	L2	W14	W19	L6	
3	Randy Canney	2406	W8	W13	L2	W6		10	Don Thompson	1515	WF	W11	L2	L5	
4	Brad Lundstrom	2080	W12	L2	D1	W10	2½	11	James Vaughn	1746	W16	L10	D8	D14	
5	C. Bonilla	1978	L6	W11	D10	W7		12	Bob Orosz	1495	L8	L6	BYE	W18	
6	L. Swartwood	1817	W5	L1	W11	L3	2	13	Michael Engles	1551	W18	L1	L5	D16	1½
7	Eli Lucero	1867	L13	W8	W9	L5		14	A. Cunningham	1599	D4	L9	D16	D11	
8	David Dustin	1904	L3	L7	W14	W12		15	Fran McGrail	1575	L1	L5	D18	BYE	
9	John Haigh	1887	L1	W14	L7	W11		16	Bob Holland	1634	L11	D18	D14	D13	
10	Louis DeFiore	1894	L2	W12	D5	I4	1½	17	Jeremy Good	1357	W5	L3	--	--	1
11	Steve Cagle	Unr	W14	L5	L6	L9	1	18	V. Fairchild	1567	L13	D16	D15	L12	
12	Steve Swanson	1846	I4	L10	BYE	L8		19	Herb Conley	1394	BYE	L2	L9	--	
13	Mark Scheidies	2132	W7	L3	---	---		20	C. Grubel	1788	L3	I4	---	---	0
14	John Loughry	Unr	L11	L9	L8	BYE									
15	Rich Scott	1816	BYE	---	---	---									

"MEEKER"

"UNION COLONY"

								1	R. Chapman	Unr	W5	W6	W2	D3	3½
								2	Daryl Jacobs	1206	W7	W4	L1	W6	3
1	Victor Smith	1825	W15	W13	W3	D2	3½	3	Chris Blehm	1391	D6	W7	W5	D1	
2	Brad Long	1704	W9	W19	W10	D1		4	John Schultz	909	BYE	L2	W6	W7	
3	Daryl Johnson	1571	W20	W17	L1	W7	3	5	Bill Jeavons	1517	L1	BYE	L3	---	1
4	Kevin Ruback	1829	D14	W20	D7	W8		6	David Foster	Unr	D3	L1	I4	L2	½
5	Les Ward	1660	L17	W15	W13	W10		7	Ralph Gundiff	Unr	L2	L3	½B	I4	

No games from this tournament were submitted for publication.



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Chess Analysis/Lessons

I						IV					
1 Joe Abbott	2156	W4	W3	D2	2½	1 W. Woszczak	1656	L3	W5	W2	2
2 Ron Nichols	2059	W5	W6	D1		2 Jon Boyang	1788	W5	W4	L1	
3 John Siddeek	2278	W6	L1	W4	2	3 Gregg Miller	1571	W1	L6	D4	1½
4 Carlos Bonilla	1989	L1	W5	L3	1	4 Nathan Solov	1585	W6	L2	D3	
5 Keith Oxman	1901	L2	I4	W6		5 Don Thompson	1561	L2	L1	W6	1
6 Barry Biggs	2040	L3	L2	L5	0	6 Ed Vigil	1605	I4	W3	L5	
II						V					
1 John Price	1875	W4	W3	D2	2½	1 Jim Mathers	1518	W5	W4	W3	3
2 Eli Lucero	1867	W5	W6	D1		2 N. Martinez	1531	L3	W5	W4	2
3 Louis DeFiore	1889	W6	L1	W4	2	3 Chris Blehm	1252	W2	D6	L1	1½
4 Pat Mahoney	1845	L1	W5	L3	1	4 Liz Wood	1273	W6	L1	L2	1
5 Debra Scott	1881	L2	I4	W6		5 Darryl Jacobs	1206	L1	L2	W6	
6 Jim Vaughn	1855	L3	L2	L5	0	6 Michael Engles	1538	I4	D3	L5	½
III						VI					
1 V. Karasik	Unr	W3	W2	W4	3	1 Bill Scheele	Unr	W6	W4	W2	3
2 Kevin Ruback	1839	W4	L1	W3	2	2 Dale Reed	1195	W8	W3	L1	2
3 Rich Scott	1801	L1	W6	L2	1	3 Seth Allen	Unr	W5	L2	W6	
4 Victor Smith	1805	L2	W5	L1		4 Stuart Simon	1061	W7	L1	D5	1½
5 Al Gardner	1791	L6	I4	BYE		5 E.D. York	Unr	L3	W8	D4	
6 Pete Millett	1816	W5	L3	--		6 Louis Cohen	Unr	L1	W7	L3	1
						7 Terry Powell	Unr	I4	L6	W8	
						8 Ari Melmed	Unr	L2	L5	L7	0

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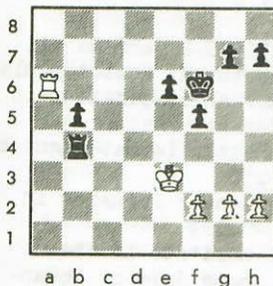
1 Dan Avery	1856	W12	W6	L3	W2	3	7 Earl Carr	1738	L6	W12	W5	L3	
2 Ray Mar	1950	W8	W10	W4	L1		8 V. McGuire	1666	L2	L11	W9	L5	1
3 Barry Biggs	2040	L5	W9	W1	W7		9 Dan Boehmer	1700	I4	L3	L8	W12	
4 Tom Berndt	1970	W9	W5	L2	W6		10 Ed Hernandez	1481	W11	L2	--	--	
5 Rogelio Garcia	1700	--	--	--	--	2	11 Joe Spencer	1967	L10	W8	--	--	
6 Ron Smits	1340	W7	L1	W12	I4		12 Bill Jeavons	1517	L1	L7	L6	L9	0

Boehmer-Berndt. FOUR KNIGHTS: 1 e4,Nc6 2 Nf3,e5 3 Nc3,Nf6 4 Bc4,Bb4 5 Ne2,0-0
 6 0-0,d5 7 ed,Nxd5 8 d3 Be6 9 a3,Be7 10 Ng3,Na5!? 11 Nxe5,Nxc4 12 Nxc4,Bf6 13 Ne4
 Re8 14 Nxf6+,Nxf6 15 Ne5,Qd4 16 Nf3,Qg4 17 b4,Bd5 18 Bb2,Nh5 19 h3,Qf4 20 Bc1,Bxf3
 21 Qxf3,Qxf3 22 gf,Re2 23 c3,Rd8 24 d4,Rde8 25 Be3,f5 26 f4?,Nf6 27 Rfe1,Rc2 28 Rac1
 Ra2 29 Ra1,Rxa1 30 Rxa1,Nd5 31 Bd2,Re4 32 f3,Re2 33 Rd1,Ne3 34 Re1,Rxe1 35 Bxe1,b5!
 36 Kf2,Nc4 37 Ke2,Nxa3 38 Bh4,Kf7 39 Bd8,c6 40 Kd3,Nc4 41 Bc7,Ke6 42 Be5,g6 43 h4
 a5 44 ba,Nxa5 45 Kc2,Kd5 46 Kd3,Nc4 47 Kc2?,Ne3+ 48 Kb3,Ng2 49 Bf6,Nxf4 50 Bg5,Ng2
 51 Kb4,f4 52 Ka5,Ne1 53 Bxf4,Nxf3 54 Bg5,h6 55 Bxh6,Nxh4 56 Kb4,Nf3 0-1.

LARKSPUR: Brother Buck is at work once again at the Renaissance Festival, joining the Gaming Monks in taking on all comers in chess, checkers, and backgammon. If you visit the Festival, stop by and win a prize - maybe!

1 R. Buchanan	2132	W17	W7	W3	W8	4	14 Edward Vigil	1572	W13	D4	L8	L9	1½
2 John Haigh	1880	W21	W11	D5	W6	3½	15 Tom McCarthy	1745	L8	W22	I4	D12	
3 Keith Oxman	2002	W16	W10	L1	W11	3	16 Josh Thompson	1630	L3	W24	L10	D18	
4 Barry Biggs	2008	D19	D14	W15	W10		17 John Howell	1798	L1	D19	W18	---	
5 Mark Wood	2092	W25	D6	D2	D7	2½	18 Mark Batt	1227	L6	W25	L17	D16	
6 Eli Lucero	1865	W18	D5	W9	L2		19 James Burden	1661	D4	D17	L7	L13	1
7 Dan Avery	1874	W12	L1	W19	D5		20 Robert Schuler	Unr	L10	L21	L13	W22	
8 Alan Bardwick	2059	W15	D9	W14	L1		21 Jeremy Good	1357	L2	W20	L11	---	
9 Kevin Ruback	1829	W22	D8	L6	W14		22 Terry Powell	Unr	L9	L15	W24	L20	
10 Vic Smith	1825	W20	L3	W16	L4	2	23 John Kohn	1409	---	---	---	W24	
11 Garth Courtois	1815	W24	L2	W21	L3		24 Frank Kusomoto	Unr	L1.1	L16	L22	L23	0
12 Liz Wood	1268	L7	W13	½B	D1.5		25 Mike Presutti	1786	L5	L18	---	---	
13 Louis DeFiore	1894	L14	L12	W20	W19								

Howell-Buchanan, BENONI: 1 d4.Nf6 2 c4.c5 3 d5,d6 4 Nc3,g6 5 e4,Bg7 6 Bd3,0-0 7 Nge2 e6 8 0-0.ed 9 ed.Nbd7 10 h3,Ne5 11 Bf4,Nh5 12 Bh2,Qh4 13 Ng3 Nf4 14 Be2.Bxh3! 15 gh Qxh3 16 Bf3.Ng4! 0-1.



Avery-L. Wood (from position at left): 37...Re4+ (Pointless, and weakening the defense of the b-pawn) 38 Kd3,b4 39 Rb6,h6 40 g3!,g6 41 f3,Re1 42 Rxb4 (Now White has drawing chances.) Rd1+ 43 Ke3 g5 44 Rb8 Re1+ 45 Kd3.h5 46 Rh8.g4 47 f4!,e5? (What's wrong with 47...Kg6, threatening ...Rh1?) 48 fex,Rxe5 49 Rxb5.Rd5+ 50 Ke3? Ke5? (50...f4+ 0-1) 51 Rh8,Rd6 52 Rb8,Rh6 53 Rb5+,Kf6 54 Kf4,Rxh2 55 Rb6+,Kg7 56 Kxf5,f2+ 57 Kxg4.Rf8 (Wrong place for the rook. 57...Rc2 is one better move.) 58 Kg5,Rf7 59 g4,Kh7 60 Rf6,Rg7+ 61 Kf5,Kh8? (61...Ra7. Then after 62 g5,Ra5+ 63 Kg5.Kg7 Black's position has improved.) 62 Rg6,Kh7?? (Allowing the rook trade is the same as hanging a queen.) 63 Rxe7+,Kxg7 64 Kg5 Kh7 65 Kf6,Kg8 66 Kg6.Kh8 67 Kf7.Kh7 68 g5,Kh8 69 Kg6,Kg8 70 Kf6,Kh8 71 g6,Kg8 72 g7.1-0.

L. Wood-DeFiore, KING'S INDIAN: 1 d4,Nf6 2 c4,g6 3 Nc3,Bg7 4 e3 0-0 5 Bd3,d6 6 Qc2,Nc6 7 a3,e5 8 d5,Ne7 9 e4,Nd7 10 b4,f5 11 Nf3.Nf6 12 Ng5,h6 13 Nf3,Bd7 14 0-0.f4 15 Bd2.g5 16 Rfb1 Ng6 17 c5,g4 18 Ne1,g3! 19 hg,fg 20 f3,Nh5 21 Be3,Qh4 22 Kf1 Nhf4 23 Bc4,Qh1+ 24 Bg1,Nh3 25 Ne2,Ngf4 26 Nxf4.Qxg1+ 27 Ke2 Nxf4+ 28 Kd1,Qf2 29 e6!,Qxc2+ 30 Kxc2,Bc8 31 a4.b6 32 a5! Nxe2?! 33 Nxe2,Bh3 34 Nh4,Rf4 35 Ng6,Rxf3 36 Rg1.Bf6 37 ab,cb 38 Ba6!,Kh7 39 Bb7,Rg8 40 Rxa7,Kxg6 41 Ba6,Rf2+ 42 Kb3,g2 43 Rb7,Bc8? 44 Rb8.Kh5 45 Rxc8.Rg3+ 46 Ka4.b5+! 47 Kxb5.Rf1 48 Rxe2,Rxe2* 49 Rf8,Rf4? 50 c7,Rc2 51 Kb6,Rxc7 52 Kxc7,Rxe4 53 b5,Bg5 54 Re8,Rb4 55 Kxd6.e4 56 Kc5,Rb1 57 Rxe4,Kg6 58 b6, 1-0.



a b c d e f g h
* W-D after B48

Biggs-McCarthy, FRENCH: 1 e4,e6 2 Qe2,Nf6 3 e5,Nd5 4 Nc3.Nxc3 5 dc d6 6 Nf3.Nc6 7 Bf4,d5 8 0-0-0.Bd7 9 c4.dc 10 Qxc4,Be7?! 11 h4.0-0?! 12 Ng5,h6? 13 Qd3,Bc8 14 Qh7 mate.

Buchanan-Bardwick, ENGLISH: 1 Nf3,g6 2 g3,Bg7 3 Bg2,e5 4 d3,Ne7 5 c4,0-0 6 0-0,c6 7 Nc3.d6 8 Rb1.a5 9 a3.Bf5 10 b4.ab 11 ab,d5 12 Qb3.dc 13 Qxc4,Nd7 14 b5,Be6 15 Qb4 c5 16 Qb2,Qb6 17 Ng5,Ra5 18 Nxe6.fe 19 Ne4.Rfa8 20 Qb3.Nf5 21 e3,h6 22 Rd1,Ra4 23 Nc3 Rb4? 24 Qc2.Rxb1 25 Qxb1,Ra5 26 Qb3.Ne7 27 Bd2,Kf7 28 Rb1,Qa7 29 Ne4,Ra3 30 Nd6+,Kf6 31 Qd1!,Rxd3 32 Qf3+,Nf5 33 Nc4!,Qa2? 34 Rc1,Ke7 35 Qe2,Rb3 36 e4!,Nd4 37 Bg5+.hg 38 Qxa2.Rxb5 39 Rb1.Rxb1+ 40 Qxb1.b5 41 Nd2.g4 42 Bf1,b4 43 Bc4,Bh6 44 Nb3,Nf3+ 45 Kg2.Nb6 46 Be2.c4 47 Na5.Bd2 48 Nxc4,Nxc4 49 Bxc4, Ne1+ 50 Kf1.Nf3 51 Qa2,Bc3 52 Qa6,Nd4 53 Qc8.g5 54 Qe8.b3 55 Qxg5+,Kd6 56 Bxb3!,Nxb3 57 Qxg4.Nd2+ 58 Ke2,Nc4 59 h4.Kc5 60 Qxe6 Nd6 61 Qd5+,1-0.

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PAWNDERING

a column by NM David Jellison

Be sure to check out the new En Passant Chess Cafe in Boulder - it's well worth the trip. Congratulations also to the Denver Chess Club. Its new site is much better than the last one!

ON ATTRACTING TOP PLAYERS: The \$64 question in Colorado chess today is "Are there too many tournaments?" I'm not going to throw in my 2¢ here and bet a dime to a donut on a "yes" answer. However, we are obviously experiencing "growing pains," and I wish to give 6 bits' worth on this issue from a top player's perspective. The buck stops with the organizers. In these new penny-wise days, Masters and Experts are becoming increasingly suspicious of possible wooden nickels and \$3 bills.

Some recent trends which tend to discourage top player participation are:

(1) LOPSIDED PRIZE-FUND FORMATS. Here is one recently used by a local organizer: 1st \$150; X,A,B,C,DE \$100 each, UNR \$50 (= \$700).

Offensive here to most top players is that Top A and especially B,C, and DE all receive 2/3 of the 1st prize amount, and receive just as much as top X. Most top players sacrifice 2 to 6 hours per day in the study of chess, and we are an inspiration to the other players. We deserve better than the above bottom-heavy format.

Another problem here is the absence of a 2nd place prize. A better format might be 1st \$150, 2nd \$100, X \$100; A,B \$80 each, C, DE \$70 each; UNR \$50.

(Dave would probably have had something to say about the May Denver Tornado, in which the Class A prize was higher than that for First place! - Ed.)

(2) "BASED-ON" PRIZES OR LOW GUARANTEED PRIZES. Masters will hesitate if the guaranteed 1st is less than 6 times the advance entry fee. In these days of "quantity vs. quality" Masters must either compromise this ratio (often ridiculously) or abstain from most or all events.

(3) FAST TIME CONTROLS. Why should a top player put his rating on the line when he has little time to out-think a weaker opponent? Granted, short events have their advantages, but these events are proliferating beyond reason. Quick play encourages laziness, superfluousness, and false sense of relative strength. The fastest rated control should be 40/90 or 40/100. Of course, much of the burden here rests on USCF, since they are now propounding "Action" events. Even if USCF institutes a separate rating system, this hurried pace is bad for chess.

Here are some suggestions:

(1) Cut back on the number of events. Perhaps more clubs could co-sponsor as with, for example, the annual Northern Colorado Open. More events mean more money going towards rent and TD salaries, often with no gain for sponsors, and certainly with a loss for players of all levels in the collective prize pool.

(2) Offer free EF to Masters and 1/2 off to Experts. Let us know that you want us there, that you appreciate for what we stand.

(3) More corporate sponsorship will alleviate many problems.

In this region the Master is the symbol of quality, an example for other chess-players to emulate. When Masters and Experts are encouraged to play, the integrity of chess is strengthened.

Dear Editor and CSCA membership:

Two years ago, I came to Colorado. I joined the Lakewood Chess Club. When the club began to disintegrate due to the loss of the leadership, I decided to seek the club's presidency. I wanted to build a different chess club...one with the average player in mind. I started calling the leaders of CSCA to find out the weekend tournament and Colorado Tour policies. These conversations were helpful...until the individual with whom I was speaking learned that I was not yet a club officer, at which time he terminated our dialogue.

I was elected president of the Lakewood Chess Club, based on a platform of actively and aggressively promoting chess. It was decided to sponsor a series of inexpensive tournaments to accomplish this goal.

When I called the Tournament Clearing House (Randy Siebert, at that time), I was able to get approval for the dates on which I wanted to hold tournaments. However, I realized that I was not dealing with a responsible person when he offered me all of the traditional dates of the Denver Chess Club tournaments, including the Fourth of July weekend (the traditional weekend for the Denver Open).

When the latest Board was elected last September, I figured things would be smooth sailing from that point forward. Was I wrong!! The current Board has made organizing tournaments a nightmare!

1. CHEAPO: Although I specifically requested Tour status for the Cheapo's, this series of tournaments was not advertised as such. Therefore, the CSCA Board voted---after the tournaments were held, of course, and after I had paid the Tour Fee---that the Cheapo Tournaments would not be Tour events. My money was refunded, but...

2. LAKWOOD HOLIDAY: The President's Newsletter is helpful to organizers since it refreshes the memories of chessplayers as to upcoming tournaments. The newly elected CSCA President didn't follow through with his campaign promises, and chose to NOT produce a Fall Newsletter. Unfortunately, I had counted on it for advertising since it was due to be mailed a couple of weeks before the Lakewood Holiday.

Editor's note: The Board denied Tour status to only those tournaments which had not been advertised in CSCA publications. This is consistent with policy on the Tour, as reproduced in the last INFORMANT. Other Cheapo tournaments are welcome on the Tour.

As for point 5, no innuendo was implied, and no Board member expressed anything but complete confidence in Mark.

3. LAKWOOD OPEN: Two weeks before this tournament, I discovered that I would be in direct competition with a Grand Opening and a 'Cheapo' at that! I learned that the organizer had written a letter to CSCA in January; our CSCA President had indicated that "he would take care of it" to the Board, but by the time he took action, the organizer had made up his schedule and had distributed his advertising.

4. DENVER TORNADO'S: Apparently the CSCA President currently in office did not feel like including the Denver Tornado scheduled for May 28th in the Spring President's Newsletter. Furthermore, the listing for the Denver Tornado scheduled for June 25th has no information other than "same details as May 28 above."

5. INUENDOS: Continuing the saga, the Spring President's Newsletter lists five motions presented to the Board on April 30. The fifth motion, as moved by Paul Cornelison, specifies that I "will provide CSCA with an accounting of the proceeds...which shall not be used for any purpose which might jeopardize CSCA's non-profit status." I was present at the meeting, and had already explained that all profits would be put in the Lakewood Chess Fund, which is designed to promote chess in Colorado (not JUST Lakewood!!). I find the innuendo that I would misuse funds which had been acquired beneath the CSCA non-profit "umbrella" objectionable; that statement implies an expected lack of honesty and integrity. Perhaps Colorado chess has not previously experienced an active organizer without individual profit as motivation.

I begin to wonder if the current Board of Directors of CSCA has made a deliberate decision to undermine my attempts to promote chess. At the same time, I wonder what CSCA (as coordinated by the Board of Directors) is doing to promote chess? Especially when it is a matter of front-page boasting that the Scholastic Program "actually turned a \$62 profit!"

At the end of my last letter (Colorado Informant, April 1988), the Editor stated that CSCA fully supports one-day events. I'm not sure that is true, especially taking into account how CSCA (as represented by the President and the Board of Directors) had treated mine!

Thank you,
Mark G. Kriseler
President, Lakewood Chess Club
Organizer

Tournaments

July 2-3 DENVER OPEN

4/SS, 40/2, VFW Bldg, 9th and Banock, Denver, CO. 2
sects: Open - EF \$25 if rec'd by June 29. \$\$ (425 b/20) 150-75,
U2200 75-25, U2000 75-25. Reserve - open to U1800. EF \$20 if
rec'd by June 29, \$\$ (250 b/20) 75-25, U1600 75-25, U1400 50.
Both - EF \$5 more at site. CSCA memb req'd \$10, jr \$5. Reg-
9-9:45, rds 10-4, 10-4. Ent Denver CC, 1439 Court Pl,
Denver CO 80202, INFO 825-5400. TOUR EVENT

July 10 Lakewood LCC-CSCA QUICK OPEN

5/SS, G/45, VFW 501, 4747w Colfax Ave Denver Co 1 Sec.
EF: \$8/ \$4 jrs srs, \$\$ 75% of entries, Reg 9:30-10:00 1st
rd 10:15, USCF/CSCA memb req'd, Free entry for people joining
USCF & CSCA for the first time NS NC W INFO 894-0221

July 10 Lakewood LCC-CSCA NOVICE QUADS

Open to people who have not been USCF members, 3-RR, G/45,
VFW 501, 4747w Colfax, Denver, CO, Sec 4 people per quad EF \$5
\$\$ USCF membership to 1st. No memb. req'd, Reg 9:30-10:00
1st round 10:15. NS NC W INFO 894-0221

July 23-24 Denver AL WALLACE MEMORIAL

Details same as above. EF by July 18

July 30-31 Colorado Springs PIKES PEAK OPEN

5/SS 40/90 rds 1-2, 40/2 rds 3-5, Ramada Inn, I-25 & Garden
of the Gods Rd. Colorado Springs, 1 Sec EF \$18 by 7/28 (\$23
at site) \$4.50 discount jrs, srs \$\$ 125, 75; A 50; B,C,DE,U 40
more per entry, Reg 8:30-9:30, rds 10,2:30, 7; 9,3 Ent Richard
Buchanan, 1165 Mt Werner Circle, Colorado Springs, CO 80906
Info (719) 635-0724 NS NC W TOUR EVENT

(More Tournaments on inside back cover)

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