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**Mikhail Ponomarev**



**State Champion**

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DEADLINE FOR NEXT ISSUE: DECEMBER 1

by Richard Buchanan, Tournament Director

Mikhail Ponomarev is the new Colorado State Chess Champion. He defeated New Mexico Champion Jesse Kraal in a dramatic last-round duel to lead the tournament with a fine  $5\frac{1}{2}-\frac{1}{2}$  score. Close on his heels was Jim Hamblin, alone in second place with 5-1, who was continuing his streak of winning chess that had earned him first place in the Denver and Pikes Peak Opens. (Has Jim's fiery style mellowed with age? He is even playing 1 d4 some of the time!)

In the Reserve Section it looked like top-rated David Deininger was going to run away with the tournament - but then in the last round Ron Akin beat him to win the section with  $5\frac{1}{2}-\frac{1}{2}$ . The surprise of the tournament was the fine 5-1 score of unrated player George Rubin, proving, as George himself pointed out, that youth and skill are no match for old age and treachery!

Round one started late because of the registration bottleneck. Actually, the round was supposed to start at 10:00 - but that was also the time when registration closed. And people still came in late because they had gone to the VFW at 9th and Bannock and found no one there. Supposedly the sign put up there was taken down by someone in the VFW. We apologize to anyone who missed the tournament because of these problems.

Anyway, Round one was very crowded, with people literally unable to get from one end of the room to the other. Finally we got the skittles room open and moved the one-day section into it. We then could take out a row of tables and spread the others apart to create more room. I stopped the clocks on a few Reserve Section games to move their tables. Most players welcomed the interruption as an opportunity to get more elbow room, but not Waldemar Woszczak. He had a lost position, but his opponent had neglected to punch his clock, and Waldemar was waiting for a time forfeit when You-know-who had to butt in and spoil things.

Round two also started late because of the CSCA membership meeting. This meeting saw the close of Mark Kriseler's reign as President. Not only that, but Mark also persuaded the voters to eliminate the Past President position on the Board. So now he is off the Board and can be lazy and irresponsible and just do his usual great job of running scholastic activities.

We actually had four people nominated for CSCA President! Ron Smits emerged from the campaign as winner. I was re-elected as the perennial V-P. The Secretary-Treasurer's job was split to two offices, which will be occupied by Dwayne Gregory and Keith Oxman. Matt Kahle was nominated to continue as Jr. Rep., and then Matt himself nominated Brian Walker to run against him. Matt then won a close vote. Don't go into politics, Matt. Members at large on the new Board are Garth Courtois and Rodney Cruz.

Steve Towbin took first place in the Colorado Chess Tour. Vance Aandahl generously donated his winnings back to CSCA for scholastic promotion.

See Garth's report for more details on the membership meeting. One thing you might want to know: as of Jan. 1, CSCA dues will increase! So why not renew now for several years at the old price?

The tournament proceeded smoothly after that, with rounds starting more or less on time. Mark Scheidies amazed us all by withdrawing with a score of  $3\frac{1}{2}-\frac{1}{2}$ , having scored a win over Jim McCarty and a draw with Ponomarev! I had to make rulings on the usual situations with time forfeits and draw claims. My most interesting ruling was on the question: Does touch-move apply if a player touches his piece with his chin? The answer: no, unless he usually moves his pieces with his teeth!

Due to time and space limitations, the games from the Colorado Open will appear in the next INFORMANT.



COLORADO OPEN, OPEN SECTION

			1	2	3	4	5	6		
1	Mikhail Ponomarev	12540474	2346	W22	W30	W7	D16	W5	W6	5½
2	James Hamblin	10922593	2151	W38	W11	L5	W13	W23	W10	5
3	James Smith	10926874	2042	W27	W8	L10	D23	W30	W19	4½
4	James Burden	12462261	2110	D41	W42	L6	W28	W22	W23	
5	Randy Canney	10407443	2345	W33	W14	W2	D10	L1	D7	4
6	Jesse Kraai	12442362	2312	W25	D18	W4	D31	W10	L1	
7	Eric Anderson	11005128	2183	W21	W19	L1	D17	W12	D5	
8	Stephen Towbin	12268380	2185	W28	L3	W33	D12	W18	D9	
9	Eric Perlman	12409579	2104	W24	L31	D21	W25	W17	D8	
10	Rob Karnisky	10805465	2238	W17	W12	W3	D5	L6	L2	3½
11	Sam Welch	**	1831	W40	L2	W19	D18	D14	D13	
12	Tim Duesing	10831610	2088	W36	L10	W20	D8	L7	W24	
13	Chris Brunt	12523693	1816	W15	L23	W26	L2	W33	D11	
14	Brad Lundstrom	10410347	2131	W34	L5	L17	W29	D11	W22	
15	Mark Sherbring	11048251	2134	L13	D38	L24	W27	W28	W26	
16	Mark Scheidies	10375193	2152	W20	W26	W31	D1	---	---	
17	Vance Aandahl	10407842	1929	L10	W36	W14	D7	L9	D18	3
18	Ken Case	10925444	2099	W35	D6	D23	D11	L8	D17	
19	David Bowers	10255724	2084	W39	L7	L11	W37	W20	L3	
20	Daoud Zupa	12407991	1830	L16	W32	L12	W40	L19	W33	
21	Lee Norkus	12077870	1834	L7	W39	D9	L22	D25	W34	
22	Chris Clevenger	10406161	1982	L1	W37	W38	W21	L4	L14	
23	Jeff Sullivan	12379820	2187	D42	W13	D18	D3	L2	L4	2½
24	Simon Teichmann	12335530	1716	L9	W29	W15	L30	D26	L12	
25	Kevin Graham	12476242	1942	L6	W35	D30	L9	D21	D27	
26	Mark Kriseler	10296561	2028	W32	L16	L13	W35	D24	L15	
27	Dwayne Gregory	12524378	1481	L3	D28	D34	L15	W35	D25	
28	Bruce Hudspeth	12523718	1862	L8	D27	W41	L4	L15	W36	
29	Doug Manley	12520368	1943	L31	L24	W40	L14	D34	W37	
30	James Tyner	12456717	2115	W37	L1	D25	W24	L3	---	
31	James McCarty	12157520	2341	W29	W9	L16	D6	---	---	
32	Randolph Schine	12544184	Unr	L26	L20	L37	W41	D36	W39	
33	Ian MacLellan	12436575	1979	L5	W34	L8	W39	L13	L20	2
34	Matt Kahle	12525030	1775	L14	L33	D27	W38	D29	L21	
35	Emory Hicks	12430828	1710	L18	L25	W36	L26	L27	W41	
36	David Helt	1045602*	1693	L12	L17	L35	BYE	D32	L28	1½
37	John Earl Carr	10409594	1765	L30	L22	W32	L19	D39	L29	
38	Gary Bagstad	10924031	1822	L2	D15	L22	L34	W41	---	
39	Walter Gerash	10406749	1658	L19	L21	BYE	L33	D37	L32	
40	Michael Shedd	11143113	2155	L11	W41	L29	L20	---	---	1
41	Brent Sikora	12110990	1753	D4	L40	L28	L32	L38	L35	½
42	Chris Hendrickson	11034616	1892	D23	L4	---	---	---	---	

COLORADO OPEN, RESERVE SECTION

			1	2	3	4	5	6	
1 Ron Akin	12474701	1676	W22	D12	W14	W4	W9	W2	5½
2 David Deininger	12439545	1799	W5	W30	W19	W6	W13	L1	5
3 George Rubin	12461147	Unr	W20	I4	W36	W23	W24	W13	
4 Shane Brown	12445058	1539	W29	W3	W27	L1	W6	D5	4½
5 Randy Evans	12485113	1487	L2	W38	W34	W27	W10	D4	
6 J. C. MacNeil	12522599	1672	W42	W39	W23	L2	I4	W18	4
7 Charles Moore	10410061	1748	L12	W22	D15	W37	D19	W24	
8 Steve Jackson	12510483	1721	D33	W28	L12	W25	W14	D16	
9 Richard DeLong	12408208	1765	D31	W33	D18	W20	L1	W19	
10 Ken Heard	10127556	1608	L39	W40	W26	W18	L5	W20	
11 Waldemar Woszczak	12414172	1664	L26	I42	W29	W39	W22	W12	
12 Steve Artis	12459708	1395	W7	D1	W8	L13	W17	L11	3½
13 Al Gardner	11122043	1776	D28	W31	W25	W12	L2	L3	
14 Ronald Smits	12473543	1791	W15	D18	L1	W33	L8	W28	
15 John Schultz	12499878	1478	L14	W16	D7	L17	W35	W25	
16 David Hufnagel	12370120	1762	L18	L15	W35	W42	W21	D8	
17 Richard Barber	10416787	1775	½B	½B	D21	W15	L12	W32	
18 Robert Rakowsky	20002359	1422	W16	D14	D9	L10	W27	L6	3
19 Marvin Schroeder	10408580	1590	W40	W32	L2	D21	D7	L9	
20 Alan Moore	12530129	1514	L3	W29	W39	L9	W26	L10	
21 Justin Bartlow	12526096	1330	W36	D25	D17	D19	L16	D23	
22 Gary Crites	12495043	1347	L1	L7	W41	W40	L11	W36	
23 Bill Hall	12028100	1532	W41	W34	L6	L3	D32	D21	
24 Richard Moore	12535835	1547	L34	W41	W42	W32	L3	L7	
25 Ed Cronin	10408504	1598	W35	D21	L13	L8	W37	L15	2½
26 LeRoy Nickelson	11312217	1341	W11	L27	L10	W30	L20	D29	
27 Gene Strandberg	11398090	1754	W37	W26	I4	L5	L18	D30	
28 Joseph Aragon	11345409	1456	D13	L8	L37	W34	W33	L14	
29 Brian Fenwick	new	Unr	I4	L20	L11	W41	WF	D26	
30 Dale Ogden	12077880	1514	W38	L2	L32	L26	W34	D27	
31 Ed Campbell	12425936	1443	D9	L13	L33	L35	W41	W38	
32 John Sifford	12445057	975	BYE	L19	W30	L24	D23	L17	
33 Steven Grove	12540795	1390	D8	L9	W31	L14	L28	D37	2
34 Brad Austin	12545847	Unr	W24	L23	L5	L28	L30	W40	
35 Wayne Langley	12536190	1209	L25	D36	L16	W31	L15	D39	
36 Tom Corbett	12417362	1618	L21	D35	L3	½B	W40	L22	
37 Ben Kester	12514386	1407	L27	½B	W28	L7	L25	D33	
38 Joel Shure	new	Unr	L30	L5	L40	BYE	W39	L31	
39 David Handershot	12450772	1296	W10	L6	L20	L11	L38	D35	1½
40 Martha Scott	12541391	1175	L19	L10	W38	L22	L36	L34	1
41 Dianna Janda	new	Unr	L23	L24	L22	L29	L31	BYE	
42 Brian Watkins	20002362	1339	L6	W11	L24	L16	---	---	



STATE MEMBERSHIP OPEN

			1	2	3	
1 Keith Oxman	12459346	2014	W7	W16	W5	3
2 David Quint	11331742	1859	W21	W6	W4	
3 Matt Galman	12205610	2098	W15	D11	W8	2½
4 Michael Presutti	12407008	1845	W12	W10	L2	2
5 Scott Massey	12059850	1837	W14	W9	L1	
6 Chris Wallace	12496081	1727	W13	L2	W11	
7 Brad Emerick	12462033	1628	L1	W21	W17	
8 Garth Courtois	10409390	1808	W18	W17	L3	
9 Ed Vigil	12472533	1671	W23	L5	W14	
10 Robert Holland	10410193	1653	W22	I4	W18	
11 Richard Chapman	12516400	1733	W19	D3	L6	1½
12 Rick Barton	12515104	1586	I4	D19	W22	
13 Chris Baughman	new	Unr	L6	W23	D15	
14 Clifford Bailey	12178840	1508	L5	W20	L9	1
15 Donald A. Wilson	10409543	1629	L3	D22	D13	
16 Norbert Martinez	12471639	1729	W20	L1	---	
17 Chris Richard	12407556	1417	BYE	L8	L7	
18 Oscar Herrman	12412199	1475	L8	BYE	L10	
19 Marty Watkins	new	Unr	L11	D12	D21	
20 Jason Prunty	new	Unr	L16	L14	W23	
21 Gregory Cote	new	Unr	L2	L7	D19	½
22 Chris Gerace	new	Unr	L10	D15	L12	
23 Dennis Gaertner	new	Unr	L9	L13	L20	0



Gregory



Heard



Deininger

## FINAL TOUR STANDINGS FOR 1989-1990

OVERALL	EXPERTS	CLASS A
1. Steve Towbin---782	1. Steve Towbin--782	1. Vance Aandahl--656
2. Jim Burden ----774	2. Jim Burden ---774	2. Louis DeFiore -417
3. Vance Aandahl--656	3. Mark Kriseler 403	3. Douglas Manley 416
4. Ray Haskins ---654	4. Buck Buchanan-394	4. Kevin Graham --386
5. Robert Karnisky-442	5. Michael Mulyar361	5. William Engles-350
6. James Nelson -423	6. Mike Shedd ---333	6. Debra Scott ---330
7. Louis DeFiore--417	7. Sean Scott ---321	7. Eli Lucero --289
8. Douglas Manley--416	8. Ed Schreiber- 226	8. Gary Bagstad---269
9. Mark Kriseler --403	9. Eric Perlman--205	9. Daoud Zuppa ---250
10. Buck Buchanan--394	10. James Tyner -205	10. Michael Plett--218

CLASS B	CLASS C	CLASS D/E
1. James Nelson ---423	1. John Schultz---308	1. Justin Bartlow-167
2. Chris Brunt-----362	2. Richard Moore--274	2. Steve Artis----134
3. Matt Kahle ----336	3. Shane Brown ---216	3. Shane Lucero --121
4. Jim Vaughn-----324	4. Linda Obeiter--187	4. Rodney Cruz ---111
5. Ron Smits-----323	5. Adam Heady -164	5. Harry Miller -- 87
6. Mark Galvin ----322	6. Mike Engles --156	6. Richard Gunn--- 81
7. Richard DeLong--255	7. Thomas Corbet--141	7. Barry Schmidt - 80
8. Richard Chapman-241	8. Ed Cronin --138	8. Matthew Lasley- 74
9. Juan Robles-----236	9. Don Thompson---137	9. Steven Grove--- 73
10. John Earl Carr-226	10. Dean Brown ----129	10. Gary Crites -- 73
	11. James Garrison-129	

### MOST ACTIVE

1. Vance Aandahl---- 94	6. Justin Bartlow--- 69
2. Jim Burden ----- 90	7. Matt Kahle ----- 65
3. Steve Towbin----- 76	8. Chris Brunt ----- 63
4. Debra Scott ----- 72	9. Mark Kriseler---- 60
5. Ray Haskins ---- 71	10. Ron Smits----- 56

### SCHOLASTIC TIDBITS

#### Mark Kriseler

On October 27, from 10 to 12, I will be holding the initial meeting for the Central Colorado Scholastic League. This meeting is in conjunction with the Days Inn Scholastic Opener. All schools and scholastic clubs interested in joining this league should be at this meeting. An area with just some kids who play are welcome to send a representative. The league will be free and games will be USCF rated.

One of the other things I'll be doing is acting as a clearinghouse for Scholastic events. So if you plan on running a weekend Scholastic event, let me know so that I can inform other schools planning tournaments. I do encourage all schools holding a tournament to have it advertised in a CSCA publication. Chess Life advertising is available if you plan it three months ahead.

If you are planning a school club tournament, round robins and eliminations are completely inferior to the swiss system.

PIKES PEAK OPEN

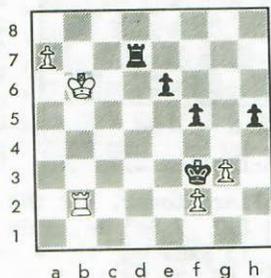
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Richard Buchanan, Director

			1	2	3	4	5	
1 James Hamblin	10922593	2151	W49	W41	W8	D7	W9	4½
2 Robert Karnisky	10805465	2238	W35	D12	W13	D5	W21	4
3 Spencer Lower	10421985	2205	W45	W28	D5	W29	D4	
4 Sean Scott	10119499	2158	W26	W39	W16	D9	D3	
5 Ken Case	10925444	2099	W50	W34	D3	D2	W12	
6 Debra Scott	10506107	1822	W38	L29	W26	W17	W19	
7 Ray Haskins	10407729	2239	W27	W24	½B	D1	W16	
8 Mikhail Ponomarev	12540474	2290	W18	W10	L1	D19	W14	3½
9 Steve Towbin	12268380	2163	W40	W32	W15	D4	L1	
10 Doug Manley	12520368	1886	W47	L8	W27	W18	D11	
11 Eric Perlman	12409579	2104	D13	W36	D12	W39	D10	
12 John Glicenstein	new	1860*	W46	D2	D11	W35	L5	3
13 Richard Moore	12535835	1515	D11	W30	L2	D32	W41	
14 Mark Galvin	12483451	1771	W44	L19	W33	W15	L8	
15 Jim Burden	12462261	2063	W17	W52	L9	L14	W28	
16 Kevin Graham	12476242	1958	W48	W31	L4	W34	L7	
17 John Schultz	12498878	1451	L15	W54	W25	L6	W34	
18 Larry Cox	12429678	1702	L8	W47	W43	L10	W42	
19 Jeff Baffo	10340195	1958	W37	W14	½B	D8	L6	
20 Niman Kenkre	20113782	1372	D30	L21	W45	D41	W35	
21 Scott Massey	12059850	1845	---	W20	W40	W37	L2	
22 Shane Brown	12445058	1479	L29	W38	L34	W52	W39	
23 Stanley Frasier	12247200	1749	L36	W48	D31	D42	W38	
24 Vance Aandahl	10407842	1926	W55	L7	L35	W31	W40	
25 Richard Barber	10416787	1775	½B	½B	L17	W48	W37	
26 Robert Austin	12527706	1548	L4	W51	L6	W53	D32	2½
27 Brian Walker	12406768	1637	L7	W55	L10	D33	W36	
28 Louis DeFiore	12344920	1866	W42	L3	½B	W36	L15	
29 Paul Cornelison	12451594	2085	W22	W6	½B	L3	---	
30 Arthur Glassman	10352258	1940	D20	L13	L36	W50	W46	
31 Roger Rice	12477530	1238	WF	L16	D23	L24	W49	
32 Gary Bagstad	10924031	1823	W56	L9	½B	D13	D26	
33 J. M. Szymanski	12399227	1278	½B	½B	L14	D27	W45	
34 Jim Vaughn	12433560	1785	W43	L5	W22	L16	L17	2
35 Curtis Burris	12481345	1632	L2	W46	W24	L12	L20	
36 George Rubin	12461147	Unr	W23	L11	W30	L28	L27	
37 Joe Aragon	11345409	1413	L19	W44	W52	L21	L25	
38 Brad Austin	new	Unr	L6	L22	W47	W49	L23	
39 Ron Smits	12473543	1803	W51	L4	W49	L11	L22	
40 Paul Hammond	11219535	1555	L9	W56	L21	W51	L24	
41 Victor Smith	10397421	1811	W53	L1	½B	D20	L13	
42 Justin Bartlow	12526096	1330	L28	D45	W50	D23	L18	
43 Prabhav Kenkre	new	Unr	L34	W50	L18	L45	W51	
44 V. M. Kenkre	recent	Unr	L14	L37	L46	W56	W53	
45 Ed Cronin	10408504	1598	L3	D42	L20	W43	L33	1½
46 David Hendershot	12450772	1296	L12	L35	W44	D47	L30	
47 Steven Grove	12540795	1346	L10	L18	L38	D46	W54	
48 Steve Artis	12459708	1395	L16	L23	W56	L25	½B	
49 Dean Brown	10224098	1537	L1	W53	L39	L38	L31	1
50 Alan Moore	12530129	1497	L5	L43	L42	L30	W55	
51 Mike Fausnaugh	12534616	1231	L39	L26	W54	L40	L43	
52 Charles Butler	12420415	1767	W54	L15	L37	L22	---	
53 Chris Baughman	new*	Unr	L41	L49	W55	L26	L44	
54 Jason Prunty	new*	Unr	L52	L17	L51	W55	L47	
55 Gary Crites	12495043	1347	L24	L27	L53	L54	L50	0
56 Michael Allen	12544186	Unr	L32	L40	L48	L44	---	

Cox-Ponomarev, CENTER COUNTER: 1 e4,d5 2 ed,Nf6 3 Bb5+,Bd7 4 Bxd7+,Qxd7 5 c4  
 c6 6 dc,Nxc6 7 Nf3,e5 8 Nc3,e4 9 Qe2,0-0 10 Ng5,Nd4 11 Qd1,h6 12 Nh3,g5  
 13 0-0,Qf5! 14 Kh1,Bd6 15 Nb5.Nxb5 16 cb.Qxb5 17 f3,Kb8 18 fe,Nxe4 19 d3  
 Bc7! 20 Qc2,Rxd3 21 Rxf7,Rc8 22 Qe2,Qe5 23 Bf4,Ng3+ 0-1.

Haskins-Walker, GRUNFELD: 1 d4,Nf6 2 c4,g6 3 Nc3,d5  
 4 cd,Nxd5 5 e4,Nxc3 6 bc,Bg7 7 Bc4,c5 8 Ne2,0-0 9 0-0  
 Nc6 10 Be3,cd 11 cd,b6 12 Rcl,Bb7 13 Bd5,Na5 14 Bxb7  
 Nxb7 15 Qa4,Na5 16 Bd2,Rb8 17 Rc2,Rb7 18 Rfcl,Qd7  
 19 Qxd7,Rxd7 20 Rc7,Rxc7 21 Rxc7,Rd8 22 g3,e6 23 e5,Bxe5  
 24 Rxa7,Bf6 25 Bxa5,ba 26 Rxa5 Bxd4 27 Nxd4,Rxd4 28 Kg2  
 Rd1 29 Ra7,Ral 30 a4,Kg7 31 h4,h5 32 Kf3,Kf6 33 Ke4 Ra2  
 34 Ke3 Ra3+ 35 Ke2 Ra2+ 36 Kf1 Ra1+ 37 Kg2 Ra2 38 a5 Kg7  
 39 a6 Kf6 40 Ra8 Kg7 41 Kf3 Kf6 42 Ke3 Ra3+ 43 Kd4 g5  
 44 hg+ Kxg5 45 Kc5 Kg4 46 Kb6 Rb3+ 47 Ka7 Kf3 48 Rb8 Rd3  
 49 Rb2 f5 50 Kb7 Rd7+ 51 Kc6 Ra7 52 Kb6 Rd7 53 a7\* 1-0??  
 Black resigned, but the position should be a draw.



\* H-W after W53

Burris-Karnisky, ALEKHIN: 1 e4 Nf6 2 Bc4?! Nxe4 3 Bxf7+ Kxf7 4 Qh5+ Kg8 5 Qd5+  
 e6 6 Qxe4 d5 7 Qe2 c5 8 Nf3 Nc6 9 d3 Qf6 10 c3 Bd6 11 0-0 h6 12 Nbd2 Bd7  
 13 Nb3 Re8 14 Be3 b6 15 Rael e5 16 Qc2 Kf7 17 d4 ed 18 cd c4 19 Nc1 Bg4  
 20 Nd2 Nxd4 21 Qa4 Be5 22 Bxd4 Bxd4 23 Qxa7+ Kg6 24 Rxe8 Rxe8 25 Nf3 Bxf3  
 26 gf Qxf3 27 Qd7 Bxf2+ 0-1.

Lower-Cronin, RUY LOPEZ: 1 e4,e5 2 Nf3 Nc6 3 Bb5 a6 4 Ba4 Nf6 5 0-0 b5 6 Bb3  
 Be7 7 Re1 Na5 8 Nxe5 Nxb3 9 ab Bb7 10 d3 d6 11 Nf3 Qd7 12 Nc3 h5 13 Bg5 0-0-0  
 14 Qd2 Ng4 15 Bxe7 Qxe7 16 Nd5 Qf8 17 Rxa6! Ne5 18 Qa5 Nxf3+ 19 gf Bxd5 20 ed  
 Re8 21 Ra8+ 1-0.

Perlman-Rubin, QGD: 1 d4 d5 2 c4 e6 3 Nc3 Nf6 4 Bg5 Nbd7 5 e3 c6 6 cd ed  
 7 Bd3 Be7 8 Qc2 h6 9 Bh4 0-0 10 Nf3 Re8 11 0-0 Ne4 12 Bxe7 Qxe7 13 Rbl Ndf6  
 14 b4 Nxc3 15 Qxc3 Ne4 16 Qc2 Bg4 17 Ne5 Bh5 18 f3 Nd6 19 Rfel f6 20 Bh7+ Kh8  
 21 Ng6+ Bxg6 22 Bxg6 Rf8 23 e4 de 24 fe Nf7 25 Qc5 Qd7 26 Bf5 Qd6 27 Qc4 Rad8  
 28 Rbd1 Ng5 29 d5 cd 30 Rxd5 Qb6+ 31 Kh1 Qf2 32 Rf1 Qe3 33 Rfd1 Rxd5 34 Qxd5  
 Qb6 35 b5 Nf7 36 Qb3 Rd8 37 Rd5 Qf2 38 Rxd8+ Nxd8 39 Qd1 Nf7 40 h3 Qb6 41 Qd7  
 Nd6 42 Bg6 Kg8 43 a4 a5 44 ba ba 45 a5 Qb1+ 46 Kh2 Qb8 47 Qe6+ Kh8 48 e5 fe  
 49 Qxe5 Qd8 50 Bd3 Nf7 51 Qf5 Qd6+ 52 g3 Kg8 53 Qc8+ Nd8 54 Qc4+ Kf8 55 Qe4  
 Qc6 56 Qb4+ Ke8 57 Be4 Qb5 58 Qxb5+ ab 59 a6 Ne6 60 a7 Nc7 61 Bc6+ Kd8 62 Bxb5  
 Kc8 63 Bc6 Kd8 64 a8Q+ Nxa8 65 Bxa8 1-0. A tough battle - especially considering  
 it was 2100 vs. Unrated!

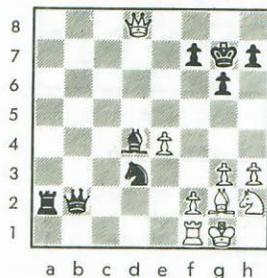
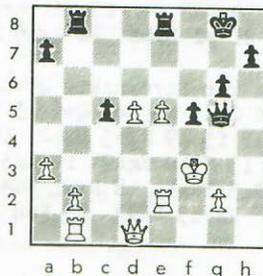
Crites-Aandahl, BUDAPEST: 1 d4,Nf6 2 c4 e5 3 d5?! Bc5 4 Bg5? Bxf2+ (or  
 4...Ne4!) 5 Kxf2 Ng4+ 6 Kf3? Qxg5 7 e4 Qf4+ 8 Ke2 Qe3 mate.

Glicenstein-Hendershot, QP: 1 d4 c5 2 c3 e6 3 Nf3 Nf6 4 e3 Qc7 5 Bd3 d6  
 6 0-0 Be7 7 e4 Nfd7 8 Re1 0-0 9 e5 d5 10 Bg5 Bxg5 11 Bxh7+ Kxh7 12 Nxg5+  
 Kg6 13 Qg4 Kh6 14 f4 g6 15 Qh4+ 1-0.

Ponomarev-Manley, VERESOV: 1 d4 Nf6 2 Nc3 d5 3 Bg5 c6 4 Qd3 Nbd7 5 e4 de  
 6 Nxe4 Nxe4 7 Qxe4 h6 8 Bh4 g5 9 Bg3 Qa5+ 10 c3 f5 11 Qf3 f4 12 Bxf4 gf  
 13 Nh3 Qd5 14 Qxf4 Nf6 15 Qe3 Qe4 16 Nf4 Bf5 17 Be2 Qxe3 18 fe 0-0-0  
 19 0-0 Be4 20 c4 Rg8 21 g3 Rd6 22 Rael Bg7 23 h3 Bh8 24 Kh2 Kb8 25 b4  
 Bf5 26 c5 Rdd8 27 Bc4 Rgf8 28 g4 Bc8 29 Ng6 Nxg4+ 30 hg Rxf1 31 Rxf1 e5  
 32 de Bxg4 33 Nxh8 Rxh8 34 e6 Re8 35 Rf6 h5 36 Kg3 Kc7 37 Kf4 Kd8 38 Ke5  
 Kc7 39 Rf7 Kc8 40 Kf6 Kb8 41 e7 Bd7 42 Rf8 h4 43 Bf7 Rc8 44 Rxc8+ Kxc8  
 45 Be6 Kc7 46 Bxd7 Kxd7 47 Kf7 1-0.



Lower-Case, KING'S INDIAN: 1 d4 Nf6 2 c4 g6 3 Nc3 Bg7  
 4 e4 0-0 5 f4 d6 6 Nf3 c5 7 d5 e6 8 Be2 ed 9 cd b5  
 10 Bxb5 Nxe4 11 Nxe4 Qa5+ 12 Kf2 Qxb5 13 Nxd6 Qb6  
 14 Nxc8 Rxc8 15 Rbl Nd7 16 Be3 Re8 17 Re1 Qa5 18 a3  
 Rab8 19 Re2 Nf6 20 Ne5 Ne4+ 21 Kf3 Bxe5 22 fe f5 23 h4  
 Qd8 24 Bg5 Nxe5 25 hg Qxe5\* 26 d6 Qg4+ 27 Kf2 Qf4+  
 28 Kgl Rxe5 29 d7 Rxe2 30 Qxe2 Qd4+ 31 Kh1 Qxd7 32 Rd1  
 Qf7 33 Qe5 Rc8 34 Rd6 c4 35 Re6 Rd8 36 Re7 Qf8  $\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$ .

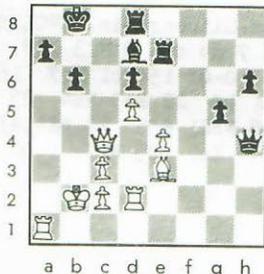


Burden-Towbin, K's IND. REV.:

1 Nf3 Nf6 2 g3 g6 3 Bg2 Bg7 4 0-0  
 0-0 5 d3 d6 6 e4 c5 7 Nbd2 Nc6  
 8 a4 Bd7 9 h3 a6 10 Nc4 b5 11 ab  
 ab 12 Rxa8 Qxa8 13 Nb6 Qa2 14 Nxd7 Nxd7 15 c3 b4 16 Qe1  
 bc 17 bc Rb8 18 Be3 Qb2 19 d4 cd 20 cd Nxd4 21 Nh2 Nc2  
 22 Qe2 Nxe3 23 Qxe3 Bd4 24 Qg5 Ne5 25 Qxe7 Ra8 26 Qxd6  
 Ra2 27 Qf6 Nd3 28 Qd8+ Kg7\* 29 Ng4 Nxf2 30 Qxd4+ Qxd4  
 31 Rxf2 Rxf2 32 Nxf2 Qe3 33 g4 Qe1+ 34 Bf1 Qe3 35 Bg2  
 Kf6 36 Bf1 Ke5 37 Kg2 Kf4 38 Nd3+ Kxe4 39 Nf2+ Kd4  
 40 Bd3 f5 41 gf Qg5+ 42 Kf3 gf 43 Bf1 Qe3+ 44 Kg2 f4  
 45 Bd3 Qg3+ 0-1.

\* B-T after B28

S. Scott-Graham, VIENNA: 1e4 Nf6 2 Nc3 e5 3 f4 d6  
 4 Nf3 Qe7 5 Bc4 Bg4 6 d3 Nbd7 7 Be3 ef 8 Bxf4 Ne5  
 9 Bb3 0-0-0 10 Qe2 h6 11 0-0-0 g5 12 Be3 Kb8 13 d4  
 Nxf3+ 14 gf Be6 15 d5 Bc8 16 Qc4 b6 17 Ba4 Nd7 18 Bc6  
 Ne5 19 Qa4 Nxc6 20 Qxc6 Bg7 21 a4 Bd7 22 Qc4 f5  
 23 a5 Bxc3 24 bc fe 25 fe Rhe8 26 Rd4 Qf6 27 Rf1 Qe5  
 28 Kb2 Qxh2 29 ab cb 30 Ral Re7 31 Rd2 Qh4\* 32 Bxb6  
 ab 33 Qa6 Bb5 34 Qa8+ 1-0.



\* S-G after B31

Burris-Aandahl, PETROV: 1 e4 e5 2 Nf3 Nf6 3 d3 Nc6  
 4 Be2 Bc5 5 0-0 0-0 6 Nc3 Re8 7 Bg5 h6 8 Bh4 g5 9 Nxe5  
 hg 10 Bxe5 Be7 11 Qd2 Nd4 12 f4 Nh7 13 Bh6 Bf8 14 fe  
 Bxh6 15 Qxh6 Nxe2+ 16 Nxe2 Qg5 17 Qxe5+ Nxe5 18 h4 Ne6 19 Rf3 Nd8 20 Raf1  
 Rxe5 21 Ng3 d6 22 a4 Re7 23 Nh5 Kh8 24 Rf4 Bd7 25 Nf6 Ne6 26 Rf5 Ng7 27 Rg5  
 Rd8 28 Rf3 Re6 29 e5 de 30 de Ree8 31 Rfg3 Rg8 32 h5 Bf5 33 h6 Bg6 34 hg  
 Rxe7 35 e6 Rd1+ 36 Kh2 Rf1 37 Rh3+ Rh7 38 Nxe7 Bxe7 39 Rgh5 1-0.

Cox-P. Kenkre, PIRC: 1 e4 d6 2 d4 Nf6 3 Nc3 g6 4 Nf3 Bg7 5 Bc4 0-0 6 0-0  
 Bg4 (6...Nxe4!) 7 h3 Bxf3 8 Qxf3 Nc6 9 Be3 Nd7 10 Rad1 Nb6 11 Bb3 Na5  
 12 Qg3 Nxb3 13 ab c6 14 h4 Rc8 15 Ne2 Nd7 16 h5 Nf6 17 hg fg 18 e5 Ne8  
 19 Nf4 Qd7 20e6 Qc7 21 Qh3 d5 22 g3 Rf5 23 Kg2 Nf6 24 Rh1 Nh5 25 Nxe5 Rxh5  
 26 Qg4 Rf5 27 Bg5 Rcf8 28 f4 h5 29 Qh3 Rc8 30 g4 hg 31 Qh7+ Kf8 32 Qxe6  
 c5 33 Rh8+ Bxe8 34 Bh6+ 1-0.

Towbin-S. Scott, QP: 1 d4 d5 2 Bg5 g6 3 c4 Bg7 4 cd Qxd5 5 Nf3 Bg4 6 Nc3  
 Qa5 7 Ne5 Bxe5 8 de Qxe5 9 Qd5 Nc6 10 Qxe5 Nxe5 11 Nb5 0-0-0 12 Bf4 Nc6  
 13 Bxc7 Rd5 14 a4 Nf6 15 f3 Be6 16 Rcl a6 17 e4 Rd7 18 Bb6 Kb8 19 Na3 Rc8  
 20 Be3 Bb3 21 Bc4 Bxc4 22 Nxc4 Nb4 23 Bf4+ Ka7 24 Be3+ Kb8 25 Bf4+  $\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$ .

Galvin-Burden, SICILIAN: 1 e4 c5 2 Nf3 d6 3 d4 cd 4 Nxd4 Nf6 5 Nc3 a6  
 6 Bc4 e6 7 Bb3 b5 8 f4 Qc7 9 0-0 b4 10 Na4 Nxe4 11 Qd3 Bb7 12 Bxe6 fe  
 13 Nxe6 Qd7 14 Nxf8 Rxf8 15 Nb6 Qc6 16 Nxa8 Bxa8 17 Rel Kd8 18 Qe2 Nd7  
 19 Be3 Ndf6 20 Rad1 Kc7 21 Rd4 a5 22 Rc4 Nc5 23 Bxc5 dc 24 Qe7+ Nd7 25 Qxe7  
 Qd5 26 Re7 Bc6 27 Qe5+Qxe5 28 fe Bd5 29 Rxc5+ Kd8 30 Rxd7+ Kxd7 31 Rxd5+  
 Ke6 32 Rxa5 and White won (1-0).

S. Brown-Butler, ENGLISH: 1 e4 c5 2 c4 Nc6 3 g3 d6 4 Bg2 Nf6 5 Nc3 g6  
 6 Ne2 Bg7 7 Rb1 Bg4 8 f3 Bd7 9 d3 a6 10 0-0 Rb8 11 h3 b5 12 Kh2 0-0 13 Be3  
 e6 14 Qd2 b4 15 Nd1 Re8 16 Bh6 Bh8 17 f4 Qc7 18 g4 Re7 19 Ng3 Bg7 20 f5  
 ef 21 ef Bxh6 22 Qxh6 Ne5 23 Qg5 Kg7 and 1-0.

Walker-Szymanski, QP COUNTER GAMBIT: 1 e4 e5 2 Nf3 d5? 3 ed Qxd5  
 4 Nc3 Qe6 5 b3 Nc6 6 Bc4 Qg6 7 Qe2 Bg4 8 Bd3 f5 9 Nxe5 Bxe2  
 10 Nxc6 Bxd3 11 Nxc8 Bxc2 12 0-0 g5 13 Re1+ Nge7 14 Nd5 Bg7  
 15 Nxc7+ Kd7 16 Nxa8\* Bxh8 17 Ba3 Bxa1 18 Rxa1 Nd4 19 Bxe7  
 Kxe7 20 Nc7 Be4 21 Re1 Kd7 22 d3 Bxd3 23 Ne8 Ne2+ 24 Rxe2  
 Bxe2 25 Nf6+ Ke6  $\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$ .

Hamblin-Towbin, NIMZOVICH DEFENSE: 1 e4 Nc6 2 Nf3 d6 3 Bc4 Nf6  
 4 Ng5 e6 5 d3 d5 6 ed ed 7 Bb5 Qe7+ 8 Qe2 Qxe2+ 9 Kxe2  
 Bd6 10 Bxc6+ bc 11 h3 0-0 12 Nf3 Re8+ 13 Kd1 Bd7 14 Nc3 c5  
 15 Bg5 Bc6 16 Bxf6 gf 17 Ne2 Re6 18 Kd2 Rb8 19 b3 Bb5 20  
 Rael Be5 21 Nh4 c4 22 bc dc 23 f4 cd 24 cd Rd8 25 fe Rxd3+  
 26 Kc2 Rc6+ 27 Kbl Rd2 28 Ncl fe 29 Rxe5 Rb6 30 Kal Bc4 31  
 Nf5 h6 32 Ne3 R2b2 33 Nb3 Bxb3 34 Kxb2 Be6+ 35 Kc3 Bxa2 36  
 Ral Rb3+ 37 Kc2 Ra3 38 Kb2 1-0.

Case-Glicenstein, ENGLISH: 1 c4 Nf6 2 Nc3 e6 3 e4 d5 4 e5 d4  
 5 ef dc 6 bc Qxf6 7 d4 c5 8 Nf3 Qd8 9 d5 Bd6 10 Bd3 ed 11 cd Bg4  
 12 Qa4+ Bd7 13 Qc2 h6 14 0-0 0-0 15 Rbl Qc7 16 h3 c4 17 Bf5 Na6  
 18 Nd4 Ne5 19 Nb5 Bxb5 20 Rxb5 a6 21 Rbl b5 22 Be3 Na4  
 23 Qd2 Be5 24 Bd4 Bxd4 25 Qxd4 Rad8 26 Bc2 Nb6 27 Qe4 g6  
 28 Rbd1 Rd6 29 Rd4 Rfd8 30 Qf4 Qc5 31 Qxh6 Rxd5 32 Bxg6 fg  
 33 Qxg6+ Kf8 34 Rf4+ Ke7 35 Rf7+ 1-0.



\*W-S after W16

### DENVER CHESS CLUB MAY TOURNAMENT

1	Mikhail Ponomarev	Unr	W8	W12	W5	D2	W6	4½
2	Carl Stahl	2046	W13	W14	W7	D1	W5	
3	Fred Hall	1964	W17	½B	W10	L5	W7	3½
4	J. C. MacNeil	1700	L5	D16	W15	W12	WF	
5	James McCarty	2355	W4	W6	L1	W3	L2	3
6	Timothy Williams	2014	W9	L5	W11	W8	L1	
7	Mark Kriseler	2022	W11	D10	L2	W14	L3	2½
8	Vincent DeLeon	1686	L1	W17	W13	L6	D9	
9	George Fletcher	1542	L6	W15	W12	L10	D8	
10	Larry Duke	1900	W16	D7	L3	W9	---	
11	David Woodland	1665	L7	WF	L6	W13	D14	
12	Waldemar Woszczak	1701	W20	L1	L9	L4	W15	2
13	Tom Corbett	1542	L2	W19	L8	L11	W17	
14	Walter Gerash	1664	½B	L2	W19	L7	D11	
15	Robert Shattuck	Unr	½B	L9	L4	W19	L12	1½
16	Rodney Cruz	1250	L10	D4	½B	½B	---	
17	Dwayne Gregory	1453	L3	L8	---	W18	L13	1
18	Thomas Lowe	Unr	---	---	---	L17	WF	
19	Gottfried Pirkopf	1573	½B	L13	L14	L15	---	½
20	Bernie Duran	Unr	L12	---	---	---	---	0

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Morphy in Retirement

"He will plant the flag of Castille on the walls of Madrid with the cry of the city won, and the little King will go away all abashed." (declared in French, maniacally, over and over again, while striding up and down the verandah in his finery)

You're small, and it's hard to protect your clothes, but you can beat them all at odds, even Staunton. (You've offered the challenge, and he's silent.) You're small, dark Spanish-Irish-French, alone with Mother in New Orleans. But you're certain: even Staunton knows. When you take your noon walk, your clothes exquisite, your buttons queened by the sun, you hold them all -- the pretty faces, the clever plots, the moves. Mother knows. Women's shoes in a half moon in a half light...these you must scrutinize with the opera house waiting like a moist rook in the night. And then there's Staunton, who knows and stays away: certain, certain. But they plot to ruin your clothes! And you're small...

Fischer in Retirement

"I don't believe in psychology -- I believe in good moves." (when asked if his loss by forfeit and his loss by blunder in the first two games of the 1972 World Championship match were just a ploy to unnerve Spassky)

Find me  
in a valley,  
find me in hiding,  
find me  
in a holy place.  
You are not  
my soul of wood,  
not my ring  
of darkness.  
I can eat you  
in a steak, spit you  
like orange-juice sputum  
thick from the throat.  
There is nothing here  
but wood moving  
in its own  
sweet ring,

dark as fur,  
moist as love.  
Go away.  
You know nothing  
who whisperhiss  
such vile rumors about me,  
and I should be  
alone.  
Listen to the darkness  
under my lips.  
Listen to the silence  
in the eyes behind my eyes.  
I have no mother --  
only my father's death  
and this wood  
moving in its own  
dark ring.

-- Vance Aandahl

Thank You, Hewlett Packard

CSCA thanks Hewlett Packard for converting out CSCA roster to another file format. Our CSCA computer is an HP-150, and we wanted files readable by other computers. John Stanback of H.P. was able to supply us with the requested disk files once he was supplied a disk from the CSCA computer.

- Garth Courtois Jr.

Thank You, Mark Kriseler

Although I was given credit in the bulletin masthead during this past year, it was Mark Kriseler who performed the role of Scholastic Chairman in 1990. Buck Buchanan took major responsibility in Southern Colorado, and Mark handled the Northern Colorado Tournament and the playoffs.

- Garth Courtois Jr.

1990 CSCA Membership Meeting - 9/1/90  
as reported by Garth Courtois Jr.

Scholastics: Mark Kriseler reports that attendance at the State Scholastic Championships totaled over 400. There were over 190 in the Individual Champs alone!

Treasurer: James Burden reports that we have about \$1200 less than last year at this time. There is 2254.26 in checking, \$1225.94 in savings. Last year these two totaled \$4653. Membership is 259, compared with 265 last year. Each of the informants cost \$400/issue, up from \$350.

Other board members contributed information. An extra \$300 went to support juniors going to scholastic tournaments, plus we had a loss on scholastic tournaments of \$200-300. The tour has about \$650 in expenses and \$250 income.

As an additional note, this year over \$600 in CSCA funds previously dedicated to "Futurity" is reclassified as "Scholastic" funds. This transfer was only made after obtaining consent from the dominant contributor to this fund.

Colorado Tour winners were announced. (See elsewhere in this issue.) Christine Hendrickson gave her traditional rousing speech for prison chess. Motion PASSED: to replace the Past President position with an elected

Member-at-large. Votes were 2 to 1 in favor.

Motion PASSED: to replace the Secretary/Treasurer position with separate positions of Secretary and Treasurer. This also eliminates the "Past Sec/Treas" position. Votes were 3 to 1 in favor.

Elections: President: Ron Smits Jr.

Vice\_President: Buck Buchanan

Secretary: Duane Gregory

Treasurer: Keith Oxman

Junior Repres. Matt Kahle

Member-at-large Rodney Cruz

Member-at-large Garth Courtois Jr. (appointed by outgoing Board)

Motion PASSED: Increase CSCA dues to \$12/year and \$6 for juniors, seniors and family. Votes were 5 to 1 in favor.

The above motions change the CSCA by-laws. The membership expressed themselves through other votes, as follows.

Motion PASSED: In appreciation for services, Buck Buchanan receive a lifetime CSCA membership. Votes were overwhelming.

Motion PASSED: Tour prizes are to be covered by tour income. Each award is proportional to 1990 awards. Votes were 5 to 1 in favor.

Vote PASSED: For an event to qualify as a Tour Event, it must go through the clearing house. (Note: The clearing house should be notified at least one week before the Bulletin or Newsletter deadlines.) Votes were 5 to 1 in favor.

NAME	CSCA EXP	Herrman, Oscar C	9008	Silva, Christian	9012
Allderdice, April	9012	Hester, David	9012	Simon, Mark A.	9012
Anderson, Christian	9012	Holland, Robert G	9012	Smith, James V.	9012
Anderson, Steven R.	9010	Jacobs, Darryl	9010	Smith, Scott	9012
Archuleta, Charles F	9012	Jaeger, Paul W	9008	Smith, Victor L	9008
Arduzzone, Jason	9009	Jeavons, William R	9008	Starr, William P. III	9010
Arp, Karen	9009	Johnson, Daryl	9008	Stewart, William	9011
Atwood, Tom	9012	Keeler, David	9012	Stuwe, David D.	9010
Ayesh, Adel A.	9010	Keller, David L.	9010	Swanson, David	9009
Bagstad, Gary	9009	Kelly, Devin F.	9010	Teichmann, Simon	9010
Baldwin, Ed	9008	Kerr, Charles	9010	Teinert, Allen	9008
Barber, Richard A.	9009	Koenig, Allan	9012	Thomason, Anthony	9008
Bardwick, Alan S	9011	Kordons, Evalds	9008	Tingle, Jack	9012
Bark, Richard	9009	Kroner, Igor	9012	Towbin, Steve	9009
Bates, Richard	9009	Langseth, DuWayne	9009	Underwood, Arthur	9009
Beacom, Owen	9009	Larmi, Ribhard	9012	Vasquez, Robert	9012
Berndt, Tom	9008	Larsen, Eric	9012	Vaughn, James	9010
Berry, Micheal	9012	Leather, Richard E.	9010	Walter, David	9012
Bevington, Bob	9009	Lee, William S	9009	Wasson, Dennis	9010
Blazek, Gerald E.	9009	Lohr, Fred	9012	Watkins, Brian	9012
Brown, Dean	9011	Lovato, Rick	9010	Welch, Sam	9012
Brunsvold, Dale	9012	Loviato, Richard	9012	Werterman, C R	9012
Brunt, Chris	9008	Lucero, Eli	9008	Williams, Scott	9012
Buchanan, Richard	9009	Lucero, Shane	9009	Wilson, Donald A	9010
Burns, Hugh A.	9009	Lunsford, Danny	9012	Zupa, Daoud	9010
Burriss, Curtis	9008	Mahoney, Robert	9010		
Canney, Randy	9009	Maldonado, Alfred	9012		
Carpenter, Sean	9012	Manteye, Michael	9012		
Carr, John Earl	9008	Martinez, Ronnie	9012		
Carver, Jordon	9012	Mathes, Ricky	9012		
Cates, Jeff	9012	Mena-Amaro, Salvador	9009		
Chandler, Joseph	9012	Miller, Gregg	9009		
Chapman, Richard	9009	Moore, Alan D.	9008		
Coen, Mark	9012	Moore, Charles	9009		
Cornell, Stuart	9012	Moore, Richard	9010		
Cronin, Ed	9009	Mulyar, Michael A.	9012		
Daugherty, Cliff	9012	Muselman, Dan	9010		
DeMayola, Robert	9012	Nelson, James	9012		
DeYoung, Gary	9011	Niesen, Andrew G.	9010		
Dogerty, Ray	9012	Oak, Jerry	9012		
Dvorak, Andy	9012	Obeiter, Linda	9008		
Fausnaugh, Michael	9010	Palmer, Ralph	9012		
Feldspausch, William	9008	Pearlman, Eric	9010		
Fisher, Ralph	9012	Perez, Samuel	9008		
Garcia, Richard R	9012	Perlman, Eric S.	9010		
Gardner, Albert	9010	Pham, Son	9012		
Gering, Chris A.	9011	Presutti, Michael	9012		
Gollub, Dan	9010	Rakowsky, Robert	9012		
Good, Jeremy	9010	Rasmussen, Robert	9011		
Graham, Kevin	9009	Reynard, Tim	9012		
Gray, Nathan	9012	Rhode, Daniel	9009		
Gross, Raymond	9010	Rhode, Matthew E.	9009		
Hamilton, Geoff	9012	Riethmann, David	9009		
Haskins, Mike	9012	Rob, Farinholt	9012		
Hattler, Brack	9012	Robles, Juan	9010		
Heady, Adam	9009	Schultz, John F.	9012		
Helt, David L.	9009	Selkin, Dr James	9012		
Hendrickson, Chris	9011	Shedd, Michael P	9010		
Hernandez, Henery	9012	Shire, Joes	9012		
		Siebert, Randall L	9009		

COLORADO STATE GAMES

AF Academy, July 28

Richard Buchanan, Director

OPEN

1	Jim Burden	2063	W22	W12	W5	W4	4
2	Michael Mulyar	2093	W6	W10	D3	W9	3½
3	Dan Avery	1958	W23	W7	D2	D8	3
4	James Davies	2038	W19	W18	W8	L1	
5	Jeff Baffo	1958	W16	W15	L1	W18	
6	Robert Austin	1548	L2	W25	W15	W17	
7	Matt Kahle	1742	W26	L3	W16	W14	
8	Sean Scott	2158	W24	W17	I4	D3	2½
9	Mark Kriseler	2028	W28	D11	W13	L2	
10	R. Van de Hey	1848	W25	L2	W22	D13	
11	Peter Dettelis	1713	W20	D9	L14	W23	
12	Garth Courtois	1801	W27	L1	D23	W24	
13	Gregory Kurrell	1600	W31	W14	L9	D10	
14	Vance Aandahl	1926	W29	L13	W11	L7	2
15	Dale Reed	1300	W21	L5	L6	W29	
16	Mike Rauch	1353	L5	W20	L7	W27	
17	Jim Vaughn	1824	W32	L8	W19	L6	
18	Debra Scott	1822	W30	I4	W28	L5	
19	David Dahle	1488	I4	W26	L17	W25	
20	Weston Johnson	Unr	L11	L16	W26	W28	
21	Justin Bartlow	1373	L15	W30	D24	D22	
22	Oscar Herrman	1490	L1	W27	L10	D21	1½
23	Brian Hoffman	1380	L3	W31	D12	L11	
24	Brian Miller	1550	L8	W29	D21	L12	
25	S. Shipchandler	1331	L10	L6	W32	L19	1
26	Joe Baird	Unr	L7	L19	L20	W32	

27	Chris Baughman	Unr	L12	L22	W30	L16	
28	Juli Williams	1469	L9	W32	L18	L20	
29	Steven Grove	1346	L14	L24	W31	L15	
30	Jason Prunty	Unr	L18	L21	L27	D31	½
31	Gilbert Chavez	Unr	L13	L23	L29	D30	
32	David Durkee	Unr	L17	L28	L25	L26	0

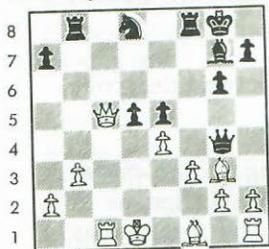
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL SECTION

1	Dan Williams	1551	W13	W8	W9	W2	4
2	Andrew Judkins	1203	W17	W3	W5	L1	3
3	Scott Stanley	1418	W7	L2	W11	W8	
4	T. Van de Hey	1321	W12	L9	W10	W11	
5	Travis Kopp	1333	W15	W10	L2	W9	
6	Brian Drake	Unr	L8	W13	W14	W15	
7	Nick Reiman	Unr	L3	W12	D17	W14	2½
8	A. Shipchandler	1229	W6	L1	W15	L3	2
9	Will Snowden	1192	W18	W4	L1	L5	
10	Paul Kendall	1202	W16	L5	L4	W13	
11	Tim Judkins	1175	W14	W17	L3	I4	
12	Timothy Briggs	Unr	L4	L7	W18	W17	
13	Jeff Boody	Unr	L1	L6	W16	L10	1
14	Mike Stringer	1208	L11	W16	L6	L7	
15	Mathew Boucher	Unr	L5	W18	L8	L6	
16	Brian Hronik	Unr	L10	L14	L13	W18	
17	Joshua Kahle	1158	L2	L11	D7	L12	½
18	Jason Knapp	Unr	L9	L15	L12	L16	0

S. Scott-Avery, FRENCH (notes by Dan Avery): 1 e4 e6 2 d4 d5 3 Nc3 Nf6 4 Bg5 de (My choice of openings was determined not by a desire to draw but by the following: (a) Sean had just lost a game, so I figured he'd want to blow me away as quickly as possible in a tactical duel; (b) I wanted a long game where endgame technique would dominate (and, of course, time pressure); and (c) I was tired from my previous game and wanted to take a breather in the opening.) 5 Nxe4 Nbd7 6 Nf3 Be7 7 Ng3 c5 8 Qd2 0-0 9 0-0-0 cd 10 Qxd4 Nd5 11 h4 Bf6 12 Qg4 Qb6 13 Bxf6 N7xf6 14 Qd4 Bd7 15 Ne5 Rac8 16 Qxb6 Nxb6 17 Be2 Bc6 18 Nxc6 Rxc6 19 Bf3 Rc7 20 Ne4 Nxe4 21 Bxe4 f5?! (I really wanted to play 21...f6, but I was curious to see where the bishop would go. I thought my pawn majority was more viable than his, but I should go very slowly in trying to get anything out of it.) 22 Bd3 Nd5? (bad for no other reason than that I didn't look to see what's coming) 23 Rhe1 Kf7 (23...Nf4 probably would've held.) 24 Bxf5! ef 25 Rxd5 g6 26 Red1 Rfc8 27 Rd7+ Ke8 28 Rxc7 Rxc7 29 b3 Ke7 30 c4 b5 31 Rd4 Ke6 32 Kc2 bc 33 bc Ke5 34 Kc3 Rb7 35 f4+ Ke6 36 c5 Rb1 37 Kc4 a6? 38 Rd6+ Ke7 39 Kd5?? (This is a mistake for two reasons: He could make the same maneuver after 39 Rxa6, and, psychologically, I now have some hope. I think I would have resigned after 39 Rxa6.) Rb2 40 Kc6 Rxa2 41 Kc7 Rc2 42 c6 a5 43 Rd7+ Ke6 (43...Ke8 would lead to 44 Rxb7 a4 45 Rh8+ Ke7 46 Ra8 with a fairly easy win.) 44 Kb7 a4 45 Rd3? (45 Rd1 is simpler.) Rb2+ 46 Kc8 Rb3! 47 Rd2 (setting up the same maneuver; again, 47 Rd1 is simpler.) a3 48 c7 Rb2 49 Rd1 Ke7! 50 Rd7+ (After the game Michael Mulyar suggested 50 Re1+, but that is also a draw after 50...Kf7 because of the check at d2) Ke8 51 Rd6 Ke7 (I offered a draw here.) 52 Rd1 a2 53 Rd7+ (and Sean offered one here.) Ke6 54 Kd8 a1Q 55 c8Q Qa5+ 56 Rc7+ Kd5 57 Qd7+ Ke4 ½-½. (58 Qc6+ Qd5+ 59 Qxd5+ Kxd5 gives Black too many winning chances, while 58 Qe6+ leads to a perpetual.)

S. Scott-Davies, SICILIAN: 1 e4 c5 2 Nf3 d6 3 d4 cd  
 4 Nxd4 Nf6 5 Nc3 g6 6 Be3 Bg7 7 Qd2 Ng4 8 0-0-0 Nxe3  
 9 Qxe3 Nc6 10 Nf3 0-0 11 h4 Bg4 12 Be2 Rc8 13 Nd5 e6  
 14 Nc3 Nb4 15 e5 Qa5 16 a3\* Rxc3! 17 bc Qxa3+ 18 Kd2  
 Nd5 19 Qd4 de 20 Nxe5 Bxe2 21 Ral Qxc3+ 22 Qxc3 Nxc3  
 23 f4 Rc8 24 Ra3 Nb5 25 Rb3 Nd4 26 Rxb7 Rxc2+ 27 Ke3  
 Nf5+ 28 Ke4 Ng3+ 29 Kd4 Nxh1 30 Rb8+ Bf8 31 Ke3 Kg7  
 32 Rb7 Bc5+ 33 Ke4 Ng3 mate.

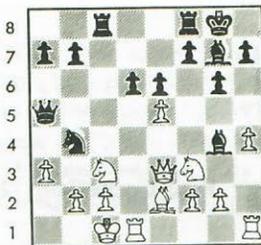
Avery-Mulyar, GRUENFELD (notes by Dan Avery): 1 d4 Nf6  
 2 c4 g6 3 Nc3 d5 4 Bf4 (The exchange variation has been  
 analyzed to death.) Bg7 5 e3 0-0 6 Nf3 (This is not the  
 best way to decline the gambit 6cd Nxd5 7 Nxd5 Qxd5



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 \* A-M after W22

8 Bxc7. A better move is 6 Qb3.) c5! = 7 dc Be6?! (7...Qa5!)  
 8 Nd4 Nc6 9 cd Nxd5 10 Nxe6 fe 11 Nxd5 ed 12 Qb3?!  
 (12 Qd2, as recommended by Michael) Qa5+ 13 Kd1 e5 14 Bg3  
 Qxc5?! (In an analagous position, Michael recommended ignoring  
 the pawn and trying to create a central passed pawn. Black  
 could play ...Rac8, ...Rfd8, ...Kh8, and ...d4 while White  
 castles by hand.) 15 Rc1 Qa5? 16 Qxb7! Nd8? (If 16...Nb4  
 Michael pointed out 17 Rc7 as White's best, but then comes  
 17...Bf6 18 Bh4 Rab8!) 17 Qa6??! (17 Qxa8! wins, of course.)  
 Qb4 18 Qb5 Qd6 19 Qc5 Qe6 20 e4! Rb8 21 b3 Qg4+!? 22 f3\*  
 Rxf3?! 23 Qxd5+ (23 Be2 would be a losing mistake because  
 of 24...Rd3+! 25 Ke1 Qxe4 with tremendous pressure. Michael  
 suggested 23 gf Qxf3+ 24 Ke1! Qxh1 25 Qxd5+ followed by  
 either Bxe5 or Rc7, but my move should win also.) Rf7+ 24 Be2 Qg5 25 Rf1? (25 Rc7)  
 Rb4! 26 Bc4 Bf6 27 Rc3 Rb6 28 Rcf3 Qh5 29 Bxe5! (This should win immediately.  
 29 Kc2 may win also, but I thought it would give Black counterplay.) Bxe5 30 Qxd8+  
 Kg7 31 Kc2 Rxf3 32 Qg8+? (I thought this was more forcing than 32 Rxf3, but that  
 move threatens Qf8 mate, virtually forcing 32...Rb8 33 Qe7+ Kh6 34 Rh3.) Kh6  
 33 Rxf3 Kg5!? 34 Qd8+?? (34 Rf5+! 1-0) Rf6 35 Qe7? (35 Rxf6 is much better.)  
 Qxh2! 36 Rf2 Qg3 37 Rxf6 Bxf6 38 Qc5 Qe5 39 Qxe5 Bxe5 40 Be2 Kf4 41 Kd3 Kg3  
 42 Bf3 h5 43 b4 h4 44 Ke2 g5 45 Kf1 g4 46 Be2 Bd4 47 Bc4 h3 48 gh gh 49 e5 h2  
 50 Bd5 Bxe5 51 a4 Kf4 52 b5 Ke3 53 a5 Kd4 54 Bc6 Kc5 55 Kg2 Bc7 a6 1/2-1/2. There  
 were a lot of mistakes, but this was the most exciting game I've played in some time.

Dahle-Vaughn, FROM GAMBIT: 1 f4 e5!? 2 fe d6 3 ed Bxd6 4 Nf3 g5 5 g3 g4 6 Nh4  
 Ne7 7 e4 Ng6 8 Nxc6 hg 9 Bg2? Rxh2! 10 Rxh2 Bxc3+ 11 Ke2 Bxh2 12 Qf1 Nc6  
 13 c3 Bd7 14 d4? Nxd4+! 15 Kd2 Bb5 16 c4 Nb3+ 17 Kc3 Nxa1 18 cb Be5+ 19 Kb4  
 Qd4+ 20 Qc4 Bd6+ 0-1.



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\* S-D after W16



**The Post-Mortem**  
*A Pawn's Weaknesses*  
by Eric S. Perlman

**White: Paul Cornelison (2085)**

**Black: Spencer Lower (2205)**

Two Knights' Defense  
Pikes' Peak Open, 1990

**1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bc4 Nf6**

Black decides to go for the Two Knights rather than the Italian. In so doing, he tries for more counterplay than is often available in the symmetric Italian; however, he must also deal with more complications.

**4.d4**

The alternatives, of course, are 4.O-O, 4.d3, and 4.Ng5; all lie beyond the scope of this article.

**4...exd4 5.e5**

The alternative is 5.O-O, which can head for the Max Lange complex via 5...Bc5 6.e5 d5 7.exf6 dxc4 8.Re1+. Then 8...Be6 is the classical Max Lange, as in Marshall-Leonhardt, San Sebastian 1911. However, this line is currently regarded as quite dangerous for Black; the reader is commended to ECO, BCO, or Yakov Estrin's book *The Two Knights Defence* for more details. Given current praxis, Black should probably try 5.O-O Nxe4 instead.

**5...d5**

This is the most logical-looking move; nevertheless, there are alternatives:

I. 5...Ne4 6.Bd5 Nc5 7.O-O Ne6 8.c3 dxc3 9.Nxc3 Be7 10.Qa4 O-O 11.Re1 d6 and after returning the pawn, Black has equality, ECO/Janosevic-Gligoric, Yugoslavian champs. 1960.

II. 5...Ng4!? 6.Qe2 (6.O-O d6 7.exd6 Bxd6 8.Re1+ Kf8 9.Na3 Qf6 10.Qe2 Bd7 11.Bg5 Qg6 12.Nb5 Nxh2 and Black even has a slight edge, Macijevski-Sydor, Poland 1976) 6...Qe7 7.Bf4 f6 8.exf6 Nxf6 9.Nbd2 d6 10.Nb3 Bg4 11.Qxe7 Bxe7 with equality (ECO).

**6.Bb5 Ne4 7.O-O Bd7 8.Bxc6 bxc6 9.Nxd4 Bc5**

More natural than 9...Be7 10.f3 Nc5 11.f4 Ne4 12.Nc3 (ECO gives this move; an alternative is Nd2 as in the text game, not messing the pawn structure up and also forcing the trade) 12...Nxc3 13.bxc3, Stancin-Kovacs, Lublin 1969.

**10.f3 Ng5 11.f4 Ne4 12.Be3 O-O**

The alternative is 12...Bb6 immediately. Sveshnikov-Agzamov, Tashkent 1984 then continued 13.Nd2 Nxd2 14.Qxd2 c5 (14...O-O would transpose into our game) 15.Nb3 d4 16.Bf2 Bb5! (according to Agzamov in Informant 38, 16...O-O?! is answered by 17.c4! hindering Black's activity) 17.Rfe1 Qd5 18.f5 h6 when, instead of Sveshnikov's 19.Kh1?! Bc6 20.Bg1 O-O-O 21.Qe2 f6 with a clear edge for Black, Agzamov gives 19.Qf4!? Bc6 (also plausible is 19...O-O-O 20.Qg4 Kb8) 20.Qg4. The main point is that Black has a hard time castling (either way meets with 21.f6 and gives White a big edge). Therefore, best looks 20...h5! complicating further. White then does best to decline the pawn, for if 21.Qxg7 O-O-O followed by Rdg8 gives more than enough compensation. But 21.Qg5 c4 22.Nd2 d3 is still very unclear.

**13.Nd2**

White could transpose to ECO's main line via 13.Nc3; that move has both advantages and disadvantages. On the plus side, the Knight's position at d4 is secured unless Black plays...c5 (when an eventual c4 is quite good for White, counterattacking Black's weak pawns), and White can also use the b-file. The minus side, of course, is the well-known weakness of isolated doubled pawns. By this move, White states that he believes that Nc3's minuses outweigh its advantages.

13...Nxd2

13...f5, a common device in the Open Spanish, isn't as good here, because of 14.N2b3 Be7 (14...Bb6 15.a4 a5 16.c3) 15.c3, with an advantage to White.

14.Qxd2 Qe7 15.Rad1 Bb6

This is a useful move in any case; Black would like White to exchange on b6 in most lines, so that he can undouble his pawns by retaking with the c-pawn.

16.Nb3 f6

An alternative is 16...Rad8 17.Qc3 (else Black can effectively play ...c5); however, Black would then have nothing better than 17...f6, essentially transposing to the game continuation.

17.Qc3 (Diagram 1)

This is a critical juncture of the game; with this move White chooses to press c5 while at the same time supporting e5. He has two main alternatives:

I. 17.exf6 Qxf6! (17...Rxf6 18.Rde1 Bxe3 (forced) 19.Rxe3 Qf7 (19...Qd6 20.g3 Re8 21.Rxe8+ Bxe8 22.Qa5 gives White the edge) 20.Nc5 Bf5 21.Rfe1 with a big edge for White) 18.c3 Bxe3 19.Qxe3 Rae8 20.Qd2 (not 20.Qxa7? Re2) Re7 21.g3 Rfe8 22.Rde1 Bf5! intending Be4 with a small edge for Black, as in the game.

II. 17.Bxb6 cxb6 18.Rde1 Qf7 (18...fxe5 19.Rxe5 Qf7 20.Qe2! Rae8 21.g3 leaves White with a small edge) 19.Nd4 (intending e6) Rae8 20.Nf3 Bg4! 21.exf6 Bxf3! 22.fxg7 Qxg7

23.Rxf3 Qxb2 unclear. Black's King should be relatively safe on h8 so long as the Queen stays on the diagonal (but doesn't go to g7). And if White plays 18.c4 to attack the weak pawn complex, Black is fine after 18...fxe5! 19.cxd5 exf4 20.Rde1 Qg5 21.dxc6 Bxc6 22.Nd4 Rae8, or 21.d6 Rae8, with a slight edge in each case.

17...fxe5 18.fxe5 Rxf1+

As pieces are exchanged, the f-file loses importance, and the e-pawn will get weaker - especially if Black can maneuver his Bishop to e4. Note too that since the pawn will be blockaded well before the 7th rank, it hinders White, as he must defend the passer - something which will become more and more difficult.

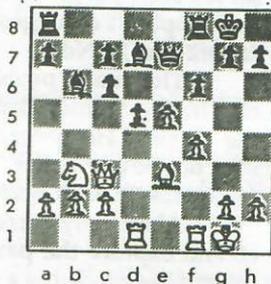
19.Rxf1 Re8 20.Bc5

An amusing position. The White Bishop, of course, is pinned to his King, but still makes a nasty threat: if 20...Qxe5? Black loses to 21.Rf8+ winning the Queen (not 21.Qxe5? hoping for 21...Qxe5 22.Rf8# which gets surprised by first 21...Bxc5+!).

20...h6 21.Re1 Qh4 22.Re3

Possibly better is 22.Bxb6 cxb6 23.Nd4 c5 24.Nf3 Qf4 25.g3 Qg4 26.Re1 Be6 with about equality; as will be seen, the Rook only gets in the way on the third rank.

22...Qf4 23.Qe1



An interesting try is 23.a4!? drawing the Queen offside (and the pawn has to be taken because of the threat of a5). However, Black holds all with 23...Qxa4 24.Rg3 Be6! and if 25.Rg6 Bf7.

23...Bf5 24.Bxb6 cxb6

At this point, it would also be good to take with the a-pawn. In either case, Black needed to calculate that 25.e6 Bxc2 26.e7 Bxb3 27.axb3 d4! 28.Re4 Qd6 is quite good for Black, as the e-pawn is stymied, with White's pieces tied to its defense. The d-pawn (soon to be supported by the c-pawn) is at least as dangerous here.

25.c3 Be4 (Diagram 2)

After this move, Black's edge is apparent - the e-pawn has no support and will soon be lost. Also we have here a classic case of good Bishop versus bad Knight, which is no help for White.

26.Nd4 c5 27.Nf3 Re6

Perhaps Black intends a rook lift of his own with ...Rg6? Or is this just a blockading move? I think this serves both purposes; if it weren't for the many ways Black can simplify I'd suggest 27.Kh1 to stymie ...Rg6.

28.Qf2 Kh7 29.Nd2

The main problem with this move is that in the ensuing endgame, Black will dominate the board and win the e-pawn. However, Black's pieces were beginning to overrun the center, so there may not be any better.

29...Qxf2+ 30.Kxf2 Bc2!

Absolutely correct! The Bishop must be kept, at least until the King can get to e6 and capture the pawn. Besides, because of the relative King positions, taking the pawn now produces a drawn ending after 30...Rxe5 31.Nxe4 dxe4 etc.

31.g4?!

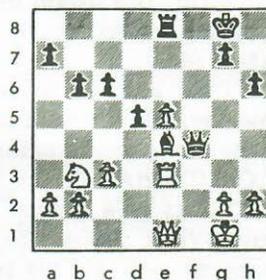
On first sight, this may look advisable, but a second look shows that it's a faulty idea. White, of course, would like to exchange off as many pawns as possible; the fewer pawns on the board, the less winning chances the stronger side will have if only one pawn up. However, other factors override this consideration here. First of all, the pawn is put on a White square, increasing its vulnerability to the Bishop; second, locating it on g4 (as opposed to g3, which is better) weakens f4, which will later be seen to be critical to Black's infiltration, once Black has played ...Ke6 and ...Rf7. Third, the move makes the blockade of the e-pawn more difficult, as there will be one less tempo move with the pawn and also because (once again) of the weakness of the critical square f4. Finally, because of Black's freer rook, opening either the g or h files will benefit him far more than White.

31...Kg6 32.Kg3 Re7

This is the maneuver alluded to in the previous note. The King takes up blockade duties while the rook invades the f-file.

33.h4 Kf7 34.Nf3 Ke6 35.a3 (Diagram 3)

A better chance might be 35.b4 hoping to weaken Black's Queenside majority and also praying for 35...cxb4 36.Nd4+ winning the Bishop. However, 35...Rd7!



36.bxc5 bxc5 37.Re2 Be4! and Black is much better (the e-pawn is about to go and ...d4 is threatened too...)

35...Be4 36.Nd2

The loss of the e-pawn is now inevitable; by delaying its capture, notice that Black has also gained the better King position. If instead White tries to exchange off a Kingside pawn with 35.g5 then 35...Rf7 36.gxh6 gxh6 37.b4 Bxf3 38.Rxf3 Rxf3+ 38.Kxf3 Kxe5 followed by ...d4 when White cannot hold the opposition because of the h-pawn's weakness.

36...Kxe5 37.Nxe4 dxe4 38.Re2

This move and the next mystify me, as f4 is an extremely critical square. However, the rook does have to blockade the e-pawn and he's running out of moves already. This time if he tries 38.g5 he runs into 38...hxg5 39.hxg5 Rf7 40.b4 Rf5! 41.Kg4 Rf2 42.bxc5 bxc5 43.Kh5 Kf5! (threatens mate!) 44.Kh4 Rf3 when the ending is an easy win; other moves also lose to ...Rf7-f4 or some such. Note how critical the f4 square becomes in these lines.

38...Rf7 39.Kg2 Rf4 40.Kg3 Rf3+ 41.Kg2 Kf4 42.Rd2 Rg3+

Avoiding the last trap 42...e3 43.Rd8 e2 44.Rf8+ Ke4 45.Re8+ etc. and draws. 43.Kf2? and White resigns.

Loses immediately (and in fact White resigned before seeing Black's next move, 43...e3+ winning the rook), but if 43.Kh2, Black wins with 43...Rxf4 threatening both Rxf4+ and e3-e2-e1=Q.

Finally, I have three pieces of business to conduct. First of all, many of you may have spotted a flaw in my notes to Smits-Haskins last issue: my recommended 22.Rf1 fails to 22...Nd2! leaving White with no defense (work it out for yourself!). My apologies to all for this misstep! Second, for future correspondence, my address has changed; it is now 2540 Sunset Dr., Apt. D63, Longmont, CO 80501. Finally, I would like to personally thank NM Randy Canney for agreeing to write this column in my absence next issue. I will be hard at work studying for comprehensives then.

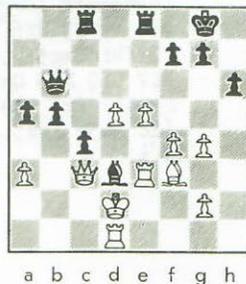
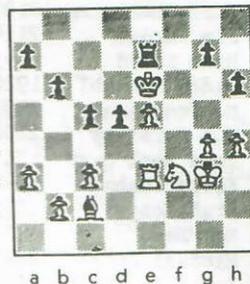
### AUGUST ACTION TOURNAMENT

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4 Bob Van de Hey 1848	L3	W5	W6	L1	2					

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 4 Qc2 0-0 5 a3 Be7 6 e4 d6 7 Nf3 Nbd7 8 Be2 c5 9 d5 ed  
 10 cd h6 11 Bf4 Nh5 12 Bg3 Nxc3 13 hg a6 14 Kf1 Bf6  
 15 Rb1 Ne5 16 Nxe5 Bxe5 17 b4 Qf6 18 Nd1 Bd4 19 Rb3 b5  
 20 bc dc 21 Rf3 Qe5 22 Ne3 Bxe3 23 Rxe3 c4 24 f4 Qa1+  
 25 Bd1 Bg4 26 Kf2 Bd7 27 e5 Qd4 28 Bf3 Rfe8 29 Rd1 Qb6  
 30 Qc3 Rac8 31 Ke2 Bf5 32 g4 Bd3+ 33 Kd2 a5\* 34 Rxd3 Qf2+  
 35 Be2 cd 36 Qxd3 Rc4 37 Rf1 Qxc2 38 d6 Rec8 39 d7 Rd8  
 40 Rc1 Rxc1 41 Kxc1 Qc6+ 42 Kb2 Rxd7 43 Qe3 Qd5 44 Kb1  
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2	Ken Case	2099	W10	W19	W8	D3	3½
3	Eric Beckman	2236	D12	W18	W9	D2	3
4	Mark Sherbring	2130	W20	W23	W6	L1	
5	Jim Burden	2114	W26	W15	L1	W13	
6	Mike Shedd	2145	W24	W13	L4	W12	
7	Vance Aandahl	1926	L8	W26	W23	W14	
8	M. Ponomarev	2337	W37	D14	L2	W18	2½
9	Rob Karnisky	2291	D18	W21	L3	W20	
10	John Earl Carr	1765	L2	D29	W26	W19	
11	Kevin Graham	1942	L21	D20	W27	W22	
12	Brad Long	1875	D3	D17	W15	L6	2
13	Mel Hess	1927	W31	L6	W16	L5	
14	Michael Mulyar	2093	W27	D8	D19	L7	
15	David Deitrich	1545	W16	L5	L12	W24	
16	Jim Vaughn	1785	L15	W30	L13	W23	
17	Fred Hall	1938	½B	D12	W24	---	
18	Doug Manley	1893	D9	L3	W21	L8	1½
19	Steve Towbin	2170	W16	L2	D14	L10	
20	Charles Moore	1776	L4	D11	WF	L9	
21	Randolph Schine	Unr	W11	L9	L18	D26	
22	Walter Gerash	1642	L25	½B	W30	L11	
23	S. Teichmann	1712	W30	L4	L7	L16	1
24	Gary Bagstad	1805	L6	W31	L17	L15	
25	David Bowers	2084	W22	L1	---	---	
26	David Hufnagel	1762	L5	L7	L10	D21	½
27	Thomas McCarthy	1672	L14	D28	L11	---	
28	Mike Presutti	1842	L1	D27	---	---	
29	Rod Carter	1866	L19	D10	---	---	
30	Dale Brunsvold	Unr	L23	L16	L22	---	0
31	Steve Martinez	Unr	L13	L24	---	---	

## RESERVE

1	W. Woszczak	1644	W27	W19	W18	W5	4
2	J.C. MacNeil	1668	W7	W17	W14	D3	3½
3	Steve Jackson	1757	W15	W21	W16	D2	
4	Tom Corbett	1609	W22	W11	½B	W12	
5	Ed Sedillo	1764	W30	W20	W6	L1	3
6	N. Martinez	1642	W31	W10	L5	W16	
7	Steve Artis	1272	L2	W36	W19	W21	
8	Linda Obeiter	1539	W37	L14	W26	W15	
9	Mark Simon	Unr	L11	W27	W28	W17	
10	Cliff Bailey	1472	W34	L6	W31	W14	
11	John Schultz	1469	W9	L4	D13	W18	2½
12	Jeremy Good	1607	W13	D26	W29	L4	
13	Shawn Burnham	Unr	L12	W32	D11	W26	
14	Brian Smith	Unr	W28	W8	L2	L10	2
15	Richard Gunn	1343	L3	W22	W20	L8	
16	G. Matthews	1420	W23	W29	L3	L6	
17	Vic Taggart	1528	W36	L2	W24	L9	
18	Robert Spears	Unr	W32	W23	L1	L11	
19	Don Thompson	1480	BYE	L1	L7	W31	
20	G. Fletcher	1532	W33	L5	L15	W7	
21	Jose Harris	1530	W35	L3	W30	L7	
22	Rodney Cruz	1202	L4	L15	W32	BYE	
23	Paul Miller	1788	L16	L18	W33	W28	
24	Joe Szymanski	1278	L26	W35	L17	W29	
25	Andrew Dorfman	Unr	L29	L28	W34	W30	
26	Joe Aragon	1413	W24	D12	L8	L13	1½
27	Eric Larsen	1220	L1	L9	W35	L20	1
28	Alan Moore	1464	L14	W25	L9	L23	
29	William Hall	1584	W25	L16	L12	L24	
30	Owen Beacom	1330	L5	W33	L21	L25	
31	David Brunner	1206	L6	W34	L10	L19	
32	G. Lombardi	1461	L18	L13	L22	W35	
33	Harry Glaser	Unr	L20	L30	L23	W34	
34	C. Silva	Unr	L10	L31	L25	L33	0
35	Thomas Lowe	Unr	L21	L24	L27	L32	
36	S. Mena-Amaro	Unr	L17	L7	---	---	
37	Ron Fox	Unr	L8	---	---	---	

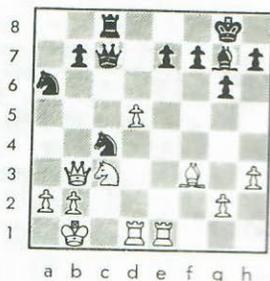
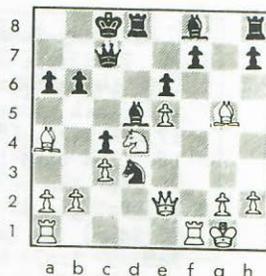
## GAMES

selection and comments by Jim Burden

Manley-Karnisky, QUEEN'S INDIAN: 1 d4 Nf6 2 c4 e6 3 Nf3 b6 4 e3 Bb7 5 Bd3  
 Ne4 6 0-0 f5 7 Nfd2 Qg5 8 Nxe4 fe 9 Be2 Bd6 10 Nc3 0-0 11 Nb5 Nc6 12 Nxd6  
 cd 13 b3 Rf6 14 Ba3 Rg6 15 g3 e5 16 d5 Ne7 17 Qc2 Qf5 18 f3 Qh3 19 fe  
 Rxc3+ 20 hg Qxc3+ 21 Kh1 Qh3+ ½-½.

Beckman-Long, TORRE: 1 d4 d5 2 Nf3 Nf6 3 Bg5 Ne4 4 Bf4 e6 5 e3 Bd6 6 Ne5  
 0-0 7 f3 Nf6 8 Bg5 Be7 9 Bd3 c5 10 c3 cd 11 ed Nh5!? (11...Nc6 may be better.)  
 12 f4! Bxg5 13 Qxh5 Bh6 14 Ng4 f5 15 Nxb6+ gh 16 Qxh6 Qb6 17 b3 Nc6 18 Nd2  
 Rf7 19 Nf3 Qa5 20 b4?! (20 Kd2) Qa3 21 Kd2 Rc7 22 Rhg1 Qb2+ 23 Ke3 (23 Bc2  
 Nxb4!) Rg7 24 g4 fg 25 Bxh7+ Kf7 (25...Rxb7 26 Rg4+ Kh8 27 Qf8 mate) 26 Ng5+!  
 (26 Ne5+ Nxe5 27 fe is better.) Rxc3+ 27 fg Qxc3+ 28 Bd3 Qxd4+ 29 Kd2 Qf2+  
 ½-½.

Carter-Towbin, COLLE: 1 d4 Nf6 2 Nf3 c5 3 e3 e6 4 Bd3 b6  
 5 Nbd2 Bb7 6 0-0 d5 7 c3 Nbd7 8 Ne5 Nxe5 9 de Nd7 10 f4  
 Qc7 11 Qe2 0-0-0 12 e4 g5 13 Nf3 gf 14 Bxf4 c4 15 Bc2  
 Nc5 16 ed Bxd5 17 Nd4 Nd3 18 Ba4 a6 19 Bg5\* Bc5 20 Bxd8  
 Rxd8 21 Kh1 Rg8 22 Nf3 Nf4 23 Qd2 Nxe2 24 Qxg2 Rxe2  
 25 Kxg2 Qxe5 26 Rael Qf4 27 Bd1 Bd6 28 Kgl Bxf3 29 Rxf3  
 Qxh2+ 30 Kf1 Bg3 31 Rxe3 Qxe3 32 Re2 Qf3+ 33 Ke1 h5  
 34 Bc2 h4 35 Be4 Qg3+ 36 Kd2 h3 37 a3 h2 38 a4 Qf4+  
 39 Kc2 Qxe4+ 0-1.



Case-Carr, KING'S INDIAN: 1 c4 Nf6  
 2 Nc3 g6 3 d4 c6!? 4 e4 d6 (4...d5)  
 5 f4 Bg4 6 Nf3 Bg7 7 e5 de 8 fe Nh5?! (White has h3 and  
 g4.) 9 Be3 Na6 10 Be2 (Why not 10 h3 now?) Nc7 11 Qb3 Rb8  
 (11...b6) 12 d5 0-0 13 Bxa7 cd 14 Bxb8 Qxb8 15 cd Nf4  
 16 h3 Bxf3 (16...Nxe2+ followed by ...Bf3 and ...Nf4 is  
 another idea.) 17 Bxf3 Nd3+ 18 Kd2 Nxe5 19 Rhf1 Na6  
 20 Kc2 Qc7 21 Rad1 Nc4 22 Rfe1 Rc8 23 Kb1\* Na5?  
 (23...Nxb2 wins back the exchange.) 24 d6 ed 25 Nd5 Nxb3  
 26 Nxc7 Rxc7 27 Re8+ Bf8 28 ab Kg7 29 Rcl Rd7 30 Rcc8  
 Be7 31 Rg8+ Kf6 32 Rge8 h5 33 Kc2 d5 34 g4 hg 35 Bxg4  
 Rc7 36 Rxc7 Nxc7 37 Rb8 b5 38 Rb7 Bd6 39 b4 Ke5  
 40 Be2 Ne6 41 Bxb5 Bxb4 42 Be8 Bd6 43 Bxf7 g5 44 Bxe6  
 Kxe6 45 b4 d4 46 Kd3 Kd5 47 Rb5+ 1-0.

\* C-T after W19

\* C-C after W23

Miller-Mathews, FRENCH: 1 e4 e6 2 d4 d5 3 Nc3 Bb4 4 Bd3 c5 5 Nf3! (Book  
 is 5 ed Qxd5 6 Bd2 Bxc3 7 Bxc3 cd 8 Bxd4 Qxg2 (8...Qxd4 9 Bb5+) 9 Qd2 Nf6  
 (9...Qxh1 10 Qg5) 10 0-0-0 Nc6 11 Ne2 Qd5 = Sax-Bodo, Hungary 1968.) Nc6 6 Bd2  
 cd 7 Ne2 Bc5 8 ed Qxd5 (Black has an extra pawn and central steamrollers.)  
 9 Nf4 Qd8 10 Qe2 Nf6 11 Bb5 Bd7 12 0-0-0 a6 13 Bxc6 Bxc6 14 Nd3?! (14 Ng5 is  
 a try: 14...0-0 15 Ngxe6! fe 16 Qxe6+) Bb5 15 Qe5? Bxd3 16 Qxc5 Rc8 17 Qa7  
 Rxc2+ 18 Kbl Rxd2+ and Black soon won (0-1).

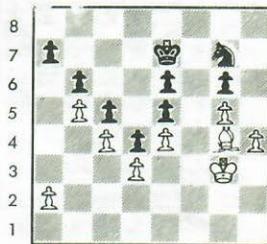
Beacom-Sedillo, GIUOCO PIANO: 1 e4 e5 2 Nf3 Nc6 3 Bc4 Bc5 4 0-0 Nf6 5 d3  
 0-0 6 Nc3 d6 7 h3 Nd4 8 Bg5 c6 (preventing Nd5 and preparing to take the  
 center) 9 a3?! (preparing to weaken himself. Better is 9 Nxd4 Bxd4 10 Ne2 and if  
 10...Bxb2 then 11 Rbl and Rxb7.) Be6 = 10 Bxe6 Nxe6 11 Bxf6? (freeing Black's  
 game) Qxf6 ♣ 12 b4 Bb6 13 a4 Nf4 14 Nd2? (weakening d4) Bd4 15 Ra3 Qg6  
 (Black now wins at least a pawn.) 16 Qg4 (and now a piece) Qxg4 17 hg Bxc3  
 18 Rxc3 Ne2+ 0-1.

Towbin-Case, SICILIAN: 1 e4 c5 2 Nf3 Nc6 3 Bb5 g6 4 c3 Nf6 5 Qe2 Bg7 6 d4  
 cd 7 cd 0-0 8 d5 a6 9 Bd3 Nb8 10 Nc3 d6 11 0-0 b5 12 h3 Bb7 13 Be3 Nbd7  
 14 b4? (weakening c3. Better is 14 Bd4 countering the black bishop or 14 Rac1  
 intending 14...Nc5 15 Bbl and then b4.) Rc8 15 Rfc1?! Rxc3! 16 Rxc3 Nxd5  
 17 Rcc1 Bxal 18 Rxa1 Nxe3 19 Qxe3 Qb6 20 Qh6 Rc8 21 Ng5 Nf8 22 Re1 Qd4  
 23 Re3 Rcl+ 24 Kh2 Qe5+ 25 g3 Qal 26 Kg2 Rgl+ 27 Kf3 Qg7 28 Qxg7+ Kxg7  
 29 h4 Ral 30 Re2 h6 31 Nh3 e5 32 Kg2 Ne6 33 f3 Nd4 34 Rd2 f5 35 Nf2 d5  
 36 g4 de 37 fe f4 38 Ndl Rcl 39 Nb2 Rgl+ 40 Kxgl Nf3+ 41 Kf2 Nxd2 42 a4  
 Nxe4 43 Ke1 Nd6 44 ab ab 45 Bfl e4 46 Ndl Kf6 47 Nc3 Bc6 48 Ne2 Ke5 49 Kd2  
 f3 50 Nc3 Kf4 51 Bh3 e3+ 0-1.

Bowers-Hamblin, SCOTCH: 1 e4 e5 2 Nf3 Nc6 3 d4 ed 4 Nxd4 Bc5 5 Nf5? (The  
 books give 5 Nb3, 5 Be3, or 5 Nxc6.) Qf6 6 Qd5 d6 7 Bg5 Qxb2 8 c3 Qxf2+ 9 Kdl  
 Bxf5 10 ef Nge7 11 Bxe7 Nxe7 12 Qxb7 0-0 13 Bd3 Nxf5 14 Nd2? Ne3+ 15 Kcl  
 Ba3+ 16 Kbl Rab8 17 Qxb8 Rxb8+ 18 Bb5 Qxd2 19 h3 Rxb5 mate.

Karnasky-Schne, RETI: 1 Nf3 d5 2 c4 e6 3 e3 Nf6 4 b3 Be7 5 Bb2 Nbd7 6 d4 b6 7 Bd3 c5 8 0-0 Ne4 9 cd ed 10 dc Ndx5 11 Bb5+ Bd7 12 Be2 Bc6 13 Ne5 Qc7 14 Nxc6 Qxc6 15 Na3 0-0-0? (It is odd to put the K and Q on an open file with weak squares around the king. 15...a6 or ...0-0 is better.) 16 b4 Na4 17 Re1 Nec3 18 Ba6+?! (Why move the king off the file? Better is 18 Qb3 and if 18...Bf6 then 19 Bb5 and 20 Bxa4.) Kb8 19 Bxc3 Nxc3 20 Qb3 Qa4! 21 Qxc3 Qxa6 22 Qc7+ Ka8 23 Qxe7 Qxa3 24 Qxf7 Qxb4 25 Rc7 Qa4 (defending against Qe6-c6) 26 Rf1 g6 27 Qe6 Qe8 28 Re7 Qb5 29 h3 Rde8 30 Rxe8+ Qxe8 (29...Rxe8 30 Rc8+) 31 Qxd5+ Kb8 32 Qd6+ Ka8 33 Rc7 Qb5 34 a4! Qa6 35 Qd5+ Kb8 36 Qe5 Rc8 37 Rxh7+ Ka8 38 Qe4+ Kb8 39 Rg7 Rc4 40 Rg8+ Kc7 41 Qe7+ Kc6 42 Rxg6+ Kd5 43 Rd6+ 1-0.

Aandahl-Hufnagel, K's IND. REV.: 1 Nf3 g6 2 g3 Nf6 3 Bg2 Bg7 4 0-0 0-0 5 d3 d5 6 Nbd2 Nc6 7 c3 e5 8 e4 Be6 9 Re1 Ne8 10 Nb3 b6 11 Ng5 d4 12 Nx6 fe 13 Qg4 Qf6 14 Rf1 h5 15 Qe2 Rd8 16 c4 Kh7 17 h4 Bh6 18 Nd2 Ng7 19 Nf3 Bxc1 20 Raxc1 Rd7 21 Ng5+ Kg8 22 Qc2 Nd8 23 b4 c5 24 b5 Nf7 25 f4 Nxg5 26 fg Qd8 27 Rxf8+ Qxf8 28 Rf1 Rf7 29 Rxf7 Qxf7 30 Qf2 Qxf2+ 31 Kxf2 Kf7 32 Bf3 Ke7 33 g4 hg 34 Bxg4 Kf7 35 Kg3 Ke7\* 36 h5! gh 37 Bdl Kf7 38 Kh4 Ke7 39 Bxh5 Kf8 40 g6 Ne8 41 Kg5 Kg7 42 Bg4 Nc7 43 Bh3 a6 44 a4 ab 45 ab Ne8 46 Bxe6 Nf6 47 Kf5 Nh5 48 Kxe5 Kxg6 49 Bf5+ Kg5 50 Bh3 Ng3 51 Kd6 Kf4 52 e5 Ke3 53 e6 Nh5 54 Bf5 1-0.



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\* A-H after B35

Vaughn-Brunsvold, SICILIAN: 1 e4 c5 2 d4 cd 3 c3 dc 4 Nxc3 Nc6 5 Nf3 d6 6 Bc4 Bg4? 7 Qb3 e6 8 Qxb7 Rc8 9 Bb5 Qc7 10 Qxc7 Rxc7 11 Nd4 Ne7 12 h3 Bh5 13 Bg5 Kd7 14 Bxe7 Bxe7 and 1-0.

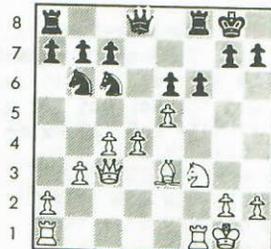
Good-Aragon, SLAV: 1 d4 d5 2 c4 c6 3 Nc3 Nf6 4 Nf3 Bg4 5 Bg5 Bxf3 6 gf e6 7 cd cd 8 e4 Be7 9 e5 Nfd7 10 Bxe7 Qxe7 11 Bd3 Nc6 12 Bc2 Qb4 13 0-0 Qxd4 14 Re1 Qxd1 15 Raxd1 Ncxe5 16 Re3 Nc4 17 Re2 Nxb2 18 Rbl Nc4 19 Nxd5 0-0 20 Rxb7 ed 21 Rxd7 Rfd8 22 Rc7 Re8 23 Rxe8+ Rxe8 24 Rxa7 g6 25 Bb3 Re5 26 Ra4 Rg5+ 27 Kf1 Nd2+ 28 Ke2 Nxb3 29 ab Rg2 30 Rh4 g5 31 Rh5 Rg1 32 h4 f6 33 hg fg 34 f4 gf 35 Rxd5 Rb1 36 Rb5 Rb2+ 37 Kf3 Kg7 38 Rb6 h5 39 Rb4 Kg6 40 Kxf4 Rxf2+ 41 Kg3 Rb2 42 Rb8 Kf5 43 b4 Ke5 44 b5 Kd5 45 Kf3 Kc5 46 Rh8 Rb3+ 47 Ke2 Rb2+ 48 Kf1 Rb1+ 49 Kg2 Rxb5 50 Rxh5+ Kc4  $\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$ .

Spears-Miller, ENGLUND GAMBIT: 1 d4, e5?! 2 de g5?! 3 e3 Nc6 4 Nf3 g4 5 Nd4 Nxe5 6 Be2 d5 7 c4 Nf6 8 Nd2 Bd7 9 Qc2 c5 10 Nf5 Bc6 11 0-0 Rg8 12 cd Qxd5 13 e4 Nxe4 14 Nxe4 Qxe4 15 Qxe4 Bxe4 16 Bb5+ Bc6 17 Re1 0-0-0 18 Bxc6 Nxc6 19 Bf4 Rd5 20 Rad1 Rxd1 21 Rxd1 b6 22 Kf1 Rg6 23 Bd6 Nd4? 24 Rxd4 cd 25 Bxf8 Rg5 26 Nd6+ Kd7 27 Nc4 Rg8 28 Bh6 Rc8 29 b3 b5 30 Na3 a6 31 Ke2 Ke6 32 Bd2 Rc5 33 Kd3 Rf5 34 Be1 Kd5 35 Nc2 Kc5 36 Ke4 Rd5 37 Bb4+ Kc6 38 Nxd4+ 1-0.

Dorfman-A. Moore, GRUNFELD: 1 d4 Nf6 2 c4 g6 3 Nc3 d5 4 Nf3 Bg7 5 Bg5 c6 6 e3 0-0 7 Bd3 Re8 8 0-0 Nbd7 9 Re1 Nb6 10 cd Nbx5 11 h3 Qd6 12 Re1 Nd7 13 Nxd5 cd 14 Bb5 a6 15 Ba4 b5 16 Bb3 e5 17 de Nxe5 18 Bxd5 Nxf3+ 19 Qxf3 Ra7 20 b3 Be6 21 Red1 Qe5 22 Bxe6 Qxe6 23 Qd5 Qxd5 24 Rxd5 h6 25 Rd8 Rxd8 26 Bxd8 Rd7 27 Ba5 f5 28 Kf1 Kf7 29 Ke2 Rd6 30 Rc7+ Kg8 31 Bb4 Re6 32 Bc3 Bf6 33 Bxf6 Rxf6 34 f4? h5 35 Rb7 Rc6 36 Kd2 Kf8 37 a4 ba 38 ba Rc4 39 Rb6 Rxa4 40 Rxg6 Kf7 41 Re6 Ra2+ 42 Rc2 Rxc2 43 Kxc2 Ke6 44 Kc3 Kd5 45 Kd3 a5 46 e4 fe+ 47 Ke3 a4 48 f5 a3 49 f6 Ke6 0-1.

Schultz-Spears, BENKO GAMBIT: 1 d4 Nf6 2 c4 c5 3 d5 b5 4 cb a6 5 ba Bxa6 6 Nc3 g6 7 g3 d6 8 Bg2 Bg7 9 Nf3 Nbd7 10 0-0 0-0 11 h3 Qc7 12 Re1 Rfb8 13 Qc2 Rb4 14 Nd2 Rab8 15 a3 Qa5 16 ab Qxa1 17 Nb3 1-0.

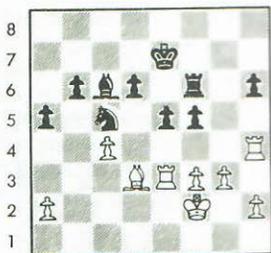
Gunn-Cruz, ALEKHIN: 1 e4 Nf6 2 e5 Nd5 3 c4 Nb6 4 d4  
 d6 5 f4 de 6 fe Bf5 7 Nc3 e6 8 Nf3 Be7 (8...Bb4 9 Bd3 Bg4  
 10 0-0 Nc6 11 c5 Bxc3 12 bc is book.) 9 Bd3 Bxd3  
 (9...Bg4 trying to weaken d4 is better.) 10 Qxd3 0-0  
 11 Be3 Bb4?! 12 0-0 Bxc3 (a third and final move for the  
 bishop) 13 Qxc3 Nc6 14 b3 f6\* 15 d5! ed 16 c5! Nd7  
 17 e6 Nde5 18 Nxe5 fe 19 Rxf8+ Qxf8 20 Rd1 Rd8 21 Bg5  
 d4 22 Qc4 Ne7 23 Rf1 Qe8 24 Rf7 Qc6 25 Rxe7 Qe4  
 26 Rd7! Qe1+ 27 Qf1 Rf8?? 28 Qxe1 1-0. Bravo!!



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\* G-C after B14

Hamblin-Burden, KING'S INDIAN: 1 d4 Nf6 2 c4 g6 3 Nc3  
 Bg7 4 e4 d6 5 Be2 0-0 6 Bg5 h6 7 Be3 e5 8 d5 a5 9 h4  
 Na6 10 Qd2 Nc5 11 f3 h5 12 0-0-0 (Arkhipov-Kremenetsky,  
 Moscow Ch. Final 1980 went 12 Nh3 Bxh3 13 Rxh3 Qd7 14 0-0-0 Na4 15 Nb5 Rfc8  
 16 Kbl Ne8 17 Qc2 Ne5 18 Rhl Na6 19 Qd2 c6 20 dc bc 21 Nxd6 Qxd6 22 Qxd6  
 Nxd6 23 Rxd6 Bf8 24 Rd7 Bc5 25 Bxc5 Nxc5 26 Rd6 Kf8 and they drew in another  
 18.) Bd7 13 Nh3 Ne8? (Now I start with a bad plan, but I did not like 13...Bxh3  
 giving up my bishop.) 14 g4 Qc8 15 Nf2 hg 16 fg f5? 17 gf gf 18 Bxc5 dc  
 19 h5 f4 20 Rdg1 Kh7 21 h6 Bxh6? 22 Ng4 Bxg4 (My bishop had to take the knight  
 anyway.) 23 Bxg4 Qd8 24 Rxh6+! Kxh6 25 Qh2+ Kg7 26 Bf5+ Kf6 27 Qh6+ 1-0.



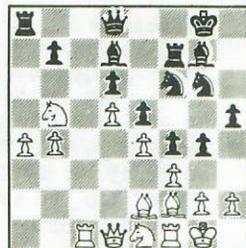
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\* B-K after B38

Beckman-Karnisky, VERESOV: 1 d4 Nf6 2 Nf3 b6 3 Nc3 Bb7  
 4 Bg5 e6 5 e4 Bb4 6 e5 h6 7 Bh4 g5 8 Nng5 Nd5 9 Qh5  
 Bxc3+ 10 bc Qe7 11 Ne4 Qa3 12 Qg4 Nc6 13 Bc4 Nce7  
 14 Be7 Ke7 15 Qh4+ Kf8 16 0-0 Nxc3 17 Nf6 Qe7 18 Bd3  
 Nd5 19 Nh7+ Rxh7 20 Qxe7+ Kxe7 21 Bxh7 Nf4 22 f3 Ne2+  
 23 Kf2 Nxd4 24 Rad1 Nb5 25 c4 Nc3 26 Rd2 Rh8 27 Bd3  
 Na4 28 Be2 Rg8 29 Bdl Nc5 30 Rd4 Rg5 31 Re1 a5 32 Re3  
 Bc6 33 Be2 d6 34 ed+ cd 35 Rh4 Rg6 36 Bf1 f5 37 g3 e5  
 38 Bd3 Rf6\* 39 Bxf5 Rxf5 40 Rxh6 Rf7 41 Rh8 Be8 42 Ke2  
 Rf8 43 Rh6 Bf7 44 Rh7 Kd8 45 Rh4 Be6 46 Rc3 Kd7  
 47 Rh7+ Kc6 48 Rh6 Bf5 49 Rcl e4 50 f4 Bg4+ 51 Ke3 Bf3  
 52 Rbl Rf7 53 h3 Rg7 54 g4 Rf7 55 f5 Nd3 56 Rb5 Nc5  
 57 f6 d5 58 g5 d4+ 59 Kxd4 Rd7+ 60 Ke5 Nd3+ 61 Kf5 Kc7  
 62 g6 e3 63 g7 e2 64 Rbl Nc5 65 Re1 Be4+ 66 Ke5 Bf3  
 67 Rxe2 Nd3+ 68 Kf5 Bxe2 69 g8Q Nc5 70 Qg3+ 1-0.

A. Moore-Simon, RUY LOPEZ: 1 e4 e5 2 Nf3 Nc6 3 Bb5 Nf6 4 0-0 d6 5 d4 a6  
 6 Bxc6+ bc 7 de Nxe4 8 Re1 d5 9 Nd4 Bc5 10 f3 Ng5 11 Be3 Bxd4 12 Bxd4 Ne6  
 13 Bf2 0-0 14 Qd2 Qg5 15 Qxg5 Nng5 16 Nc3 Bf5 17 Rac1 Ne6 18 Ne2 h6 19 c4  
 Rad8 20 cd cd 21 b4 d4 22 Red1 d3 23 Nc3 d2 24 Ra1 Bc2 25 Rf1 Nf4 26 Nd1  
 Bb3 27 Be3 Bxf1 28 Kxf1 g5 29 g3 Ne6 30 Ke2 Rd5 31 Bxd2 Nd4+ 32 Kf2 Nc2 0-1.

Mulyar-Aandahl, KING'S INDIAN: 1 d4 Nf6 2 Nf3 g6 3 c4 Bg7  
 4 Nc3 0-0 5 e4 d6 6 Be2 e5 7 0-0 Nc6 8 d5 Ne7 9 Ne1 Ne8  
 10 Be3 f5 11 f3 f4 12 Bf2 g5 13 b4 Ng6 14 c5 Nf6 15 Rcl  
 h5 16 cd cd 17 Nb5 Rf7 18 Nxa7 Bd7 19 a4 g4 20 Nb5\* g3  
 21 hg fg 22 Bxg3 h4 23 Bh2 Nh5 24 a5 Bxb5 25 Bxb5 Ng3  
 26 Rf2 Bh6 27 Rc3 Rc8 28 Rfc2 Rfc7 29 Rb3 Qg5 30 Bxg3 hg  
 31 Bd7 Rxc2 32 Nxc2 Rc7 33 Bh3 Nf4 34 b5 Qh4 35 b6 Nxb3+  
 36 gh Qxh3 37 Qe2 Rh7 38 Qg2 Qc8 39 Qe2 Bf4 40 a6 Rh2  
 41 ab Qxb7 42 Qc4 Qd7 43 Qf1 Rhl+! 44 Kxh1 Qh7+ 0-1.



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\* M-A after W20

Carr-Towbin, ALEKHIN: 1 e4 Nf6 2 Nc3 d5 3 ed Nxd5 4 Be2  
 e5 5 d3 Bc5 6 Nf3 Nc6 7 Ne4 Bb6 8 0-0 0-0 9 c3 f5  
 10 Ned2 Qf6 11 Nc4 h6 12 Nxb6 ab 13 h3 Be6 14 Nh2 g5  
 15 Bf3 Nf4 16 Kh1 Rad8 17 Bxf4 gf 18 Qe2 Bd5 19 Bxd5+ Rxd5 20 Qf3 Rfd8  
 21 Rad1 Qg5 22 g3 e4 23 de fe 24 Rxd5 Qxd5 25 Qxf4 e3+ 26 Kg1 ef+ 27 Rxf2  
 Qxa2 28 Qxh6 Qbl+ 29 Nf1 Qe4 30 Qg5+ Kh8 31 Rf6 Rd6 32 Qh6+ Kg8 33 Rf8 mate.

L. Obeiter-Gunn, SICILIAN: 1 e4 c5 2 Nf3 Nc6 3 c3 g6 4 d4 cd 5 cd Bg7 6 Be3 Qb6 7 b3 e5 8 d5 Nd4 9 Bd3 d6 10 0-0 Ne7 11 Nbd2 f5 12 Bxd4 ed 13 Nc4 Qc5 14 Rcl fe 15 Bxe4 Nxd5 16 Bxd5 Qxd5 17 Re1+ Kd8 18 Qe2 Bf6 19 Rcd1 Bd7 20 Ne3 Qc5 21 Rcl Qb5 22 Qb2 Rc8 23 Nxd4 Rxc1 24 Rxc1 Qb6 25 Nc6+ Kc7 26 Qxf6 Re8 27 Nd5+ Kc8 28 Nxb6+ ab 29 Ne7+ Kb8 30 Qxd6+ 1-0.

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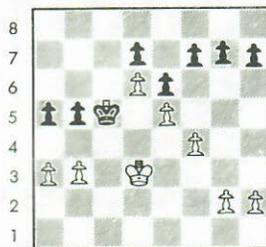
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1 Bob Van de Hey	1837	W4	W6	D5	W2	D3	4
2 Pat Mahoney	1860	W3	L5	W4	L1	W6	3
3 Chris Blehm	1552	L2	W7	D6	W8	D1	
4 Cliff Bailey	1476	L1	W8	L2	W7	W5	
5 Richard Chapman	1759	W7	W2	D1	L6	L4	2½
6 Fran McGrail	1670	W8	L1	D3	W5	L2	
7 Todd Van de Hey	1324	L5	L3	W8	L4	D8	1½
8 Vi Wickam	Unr	L6	L4	L7	L3	D7	½

B. Van de Hey-Bailey, BLACKMAR-DIEMER GAMBIT: 1 d4 d5 2 e4 de 3 Nc3 Nf6 4 f3 ef 5 Qxf3 e6 6 Bg5 Be7 7 0-0-0 0-0 8 Bd3 Nbd7 9 h4 Nd5 10 Nge2, Bxg5 11 Bxh7+!?!? (an amazing move - considering that White is in check!) Kxh7?? 12 hg+ Kg8 13 Qh5 f6 14 g6 1-0. In the spirit of White's 11th, why not 14...Kf7?

McGrail-B. Van de Hey, SICILIAN: 1 Nf3 c5 2 e4 e6 3 Nc3 Nc6 4 d4 cd 5 Nxd4 Bc5 6 Be3 Qb6 7 Na4 Qa5+ 8 c3 Bxd4 9 Bxd4 Nxd4 10 Qxd4 Nf6 11 Bd3 b6 12 0-0 Ba6 13 Bxa6 Qxa6 14 e5 Nd5 15 c4? Qxa4 16 b3 Qb4 17 Rfd1 Qc3? (Black looks ok after 17...Nc3 18 Qxd7+ Kf8.) 18 cd Qxd4 19 Rxd4 0-0-0 20 d6 Kb7 21 Rcl Rc8 22 R4c4 Rxc4 23 Rxc4 Rc8 24 Rxc8 Kxc8 25 f4 Kb7 26 Kf2 Kc6 27 Ke3 Kc5 28 a3 a5 29 Kd3 b5\* 30 Kc3 (30 g4!) f5! 31 b4+ ab 32 ab+ Kd5 33 Kd3 h6 34 h3 (White's best chance looks like 34 h4 g6 35 h5! gh 36 g3 when after 36...Kc6 37 Kd4 Black will have trouble getting his king back into play. But Black can always return the favor with 36...h4! 37 gh h5.) g5 35 g3 g4! 36 h4 h5 37 Kc3 Ke4 38 Kc2 Kf3 and Black won (0-1).



\* M-V after B29

Chapman- B. Van de Hey, ENGLISH: 1 c4 e6 2 g3 d5 3 Bg2 c6 4 b3 Bd6 5 Bb2 Nf6 6 d3 Nbd7 7 Nf3 b5 8 cd cd 9 d4 a5 10 0-0 0-0 11 Nc3 Qb6 12 Rcl Bb7 13 Qd2 Rfc8 14 Qd3 Ba6 15 Qd2 b4 16 Na4 Qb5 17 e3 Ne4 18 Qd1 Rxc1 19 Qxc1 Rc8 20 Qb1 Nc3 21 Nxc3 bc 22 Bc1 a4 23 Qc2 ab 24 ab Qe2 25 Qxe2 Bxe2 26 Re1 Bxf3 27 Bxf3 Rb8 28 Bd1 Bb4 29 Re2 Ra8 30 Rc2 g6 31 Be2 Ra1 32 Bb5 Ba3 33 Bxd7 Rxc1?! 34 Rxc1 Bxc1 35 b4 Ba3 36 Ba4 Bxb4 37 Kf1 g5 38 Ke2 g4 39 Bc2 Ba3 40 f3 h5 41 f4 f5 42 Kd3 Bb2 43 Ke2 Bcl 44 Bb1 Bd2 45 Bc2 Kf7 46 Bb3 Ke7 47 Bc2 Kd6 48 Kd3 Be1 49 Ke2 Bd2 50 Kd3 Kc7 51 Bb3 Kd8 52 Ke2 Ke7 53 Kd3 h4 54 gh Be1 55 h5 Bf2 56 Ke2 Bg1 ½-½.

OPEN

1 Michael Mulyar	2093	W15	W19	D3	W7	3½
2 M. Ponomarev	Unr	W21	W16	W4	D3	
3 Ray Haskins	2213	W13	W14	D1	D2	3
4 Mike Shedd	2104	W18	W9	I2	W11	
5 Rob Karnisky	2291	D16	D7	W14	W13	
6 Z. Kilibarda	2195	L11	W17	W19	W12	
7 David Cowles	1945	W8	D5	W11	L1	2½
8 Steve Towbin	2170	L7	D10	W21	W17	
9 Louis DeFiore	1808	W12	I4	½B	W18	
10 Jim Burden	2114	D17	D8	½B	W16	
11 Ed Schreiber	1969	W6	W20	L7	I4	2
12 P. Cornelison	2085	L9	W18	W15	L6	
13 Tom O'Connor	1978	L3	W24	W20	L5	
14 Doug Manley	1896	W22	L3	L5	W20	
15 Mike Presutti	1842	L1	W23	L12	W22	
16 William Engels	2007	D5	L2	W22	L10	1½
17 Vance Aandahl	1926	D10	L6	W23	L8	
18 Larry Duke	1900	I4	L12	W24	L9	1
19 Gary Bagstad	1805	W23	L1	L6	---	
20 Wayne Lilley	1649	W24	L11	L13	L14	
21 Joe Eversole	1993	L2	½B	L8	D23	
22 Dwayne Gregory	1500	L14	BYE	L16	L15	
23 Tim Williams	2014	L19	L15	L17	D21	½
24 Richard Chapman	1699	L20	L13	L18	---	0

3 N. Martinez	1676	W9	W19	W6	L1	3
4 Igor Kroner	1635	W17	W5	W13	L2	
5 John Howell	1724	W25	I4	W14	W19	
6 Jeremy Good	1607	W26	W16	L3	W12	
7 Robert Jordan	1677	L14	W32	W20	W13	
8 J.C. MacNeil	1662	W24	L12	W25	W15	
9 Joe Aragon	1413	L3	W31	W27	W22	
10 Steven Grove	1354	L16	D17	WF	W23	2½
11 Evis Robinson	1650	W33	L13	W18	½B	
12 Linda Obeiter	1525	W28	W8	L1	L6	2
13 Thomas Corbett	1542	W21	W11	I4	L7	
14 John Schultz	1470	W7	D22	L5	D17	
15 Don Thompson	1482	L22	W21	W16	L8	
16 Thomas McCarthy	1672	W10	L6	L15	W25	
17 David Schreiner	Unr	I4	D10	W28	D14	
18 Clifford Bailey	1476	D2	D20	L11	WF	
19 Richard Moore	1560	W31	L3	W26	L5	
20 Don Obeiter	1540	D32	D18	L7	W26	
21 Gregory Olsen	Unr	L13	L15	W33	W31	
22 David Woodland	1636	W15	D14	L2	L9	1½
23 Richard Gunn	1343	L1	D28	W32	L10	
24 Justin Bartlow	1320	L8	L27	D31	W32	
25 Oscar Herrman	1494	L5	W33	L8	L16	1
26 Wayne Langley	1239	L6	BYE	L19	L20	
27 Bill Hall	1580	L29	W24	I9	---	
28 Patrick Charles	Unr	L12	D23	L17	D33	
29 S. Mena-Amaro	Unr	W27	L1	---	---	
30 Jeff Thompson	Unr	WF	L2	---	---	
31 Richard Bark	Unr	L19	I9	D24	L21	½
32 Thomas Lowe	Unr	D20	L7	L23	L24	
33 Rodney Cruz	1252	L11	L25	L21	D28	

RESERVE

1 Walter Gerash	1642	W23	W29	W12	W3	4
2 Steve Jackson	1683	D18	W30	W22	W4	3½

Robinson-Cruz, STONEWALL: 1 d4 d5 2 e3 e6 3 Bd3 Nf6 4 Nd2 Nbd7 5 f4 Bd6  
 6 Ngf3 c5 7 Ne5 c4 8 Be2 Bxe5 9 fe Ng8 10 0-0 Ne7 11 e4 b5 12 ed ed 13 Bh5  
 g6 14 Qf3 0-0 15 Qg3 Nb6 16 Bf3 Nf5 17 Qf2 Bb7 18 Bg4 Bc8 19 Nf3 f6 20 ef  
 Qxf6 21 Bg5 Qd6 22 Rae1 Be6 23 Ne5 Ng7 24 Bf6 Bxg4  
 25 Nxxg4 Nf5\* 26 Qxf5! Rxf6 27 Nxf6+ Kh8 28 Qh3 1-0.

Chapman-Lilley, ENGLISH: 1 c4 c5 2 g3 Nc6 3 Bg2 e6  
 4 Nc3 Nf6 5 e4 Nd4 6 Nge2 d6 7 0-0 Bd7 8 h3 Be7 9 d3  
 0-0 10 Be3 Qb6 11 Rb1 a5 12 b3  
 Ne8 13 Na4 Qa7 14 Nxi4 cd  
 15 Bd2 Rb8 16 Qh5 e5 17 f4 b5  
 18 Nb2 Nf6 19 Qe2 Rfc8 20 f5 Bd8  
 21 Kh2 a4 22 cb ab 23 a4 Rc2  
 24 Qe1 Rbc8 25 Bf3\* Bxb5! 26 ab  
 Qa2 27 Nc4 R8x04! 28 dc Rxd2+  
 29 Kgl Bb6 30 Ral d3+ 31 Kh1  
 Rh2 mate.



\* R-C after B25

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 \* C-L after W25

Mena-Amaro - B. Hall, SICILIAN: 1 e4 c5 2 Nf3 Nc6 3 d4  
 e6?! 4 d5 ed 5 ed Qe7+ 6 Be2 Ne5 7 0-0 Nxf3+? 8 Bxf3  
 Qd6 9 Re1+ Be7 10 g3! Kf8 11 Qe2 Nh6 12 Bf4 Qf6 13 d6  
 1-0.

Ponomarev-W. Engels, QP: 1 d4 d5 2 Nc3 Bf5 3 f3 Nf6 4 Bg5 Nbd7 5 Nxd5 Nxd5 6 e4 h6 7 Bh4 Ne3 8 Qd3 Nxf1 9 ef Nxb2 10 Rxb2 c6 11 0-0-0 Nf6 12 Ne2 Qc7 13 Bg3 Qd7 14 c4 Rd8 15 Nf4 Qc8 16 Re1 Rd7 17 Kbl Rg8 18 Rhh1 Qd8 19 Bf2 Qc7 20 g3 Kd8 21 Re2 Kc8 22 Rcl Kb8 23 Be3 Ka8 24 Rc3 g5 25 fg e5 26 gf Rxb3 27 Ne6 Qc8 28 Qf5 ed 29 Bxd4 Rxf7 30 Bxf6 Be7 31 Nd4 Rg1+ 32 Kc2 Qf8 33 Rxe7 Rxf6 34 Qxf6 1-0.

Kilibarda-Aandahl, BUDAPEST: 1 d4 Nf6 2 c4 e5 3 Bg5 Bb4+ 4 Nc3 ed 5 Qxd4 Nc6 6 Qe3+ Qe7 7 Qxe7+ Bxe7 8 0-0-0 Ng4 9 Bxe7 Nxe7 10 Nh3 a6 11 f3 Ne3 12 Rd4 f5 13 Kd2 Nxf1 14 Rxf1 d6 15 Nd5 Nxd5 16 cd Bd7 17 Rcl Rc8 18 Nf4 0-0 19 h4 Rf7 20 Rb4 b5 21 Rd4 Re7 22 b4 Be8 23 Rd3 Bf7 24 Ra3 Re5 25 Rd3 g6 26 Rc6 h6 27 Rdc3 g5 28 hg hg 29 Nd3 Ree8 30 Rxc7 Rxc7 31 Rxc7 Bxd5 32 Rd7 Bxa2 33 Rxd6 Re6 34 Rxe6 Bxe6 35 Nc5 Bc8 36 Kd3 Kf7 37 Kd4 Kf6 38 g3 f4 39 gf gf 40 Ke4 Kg5 41 Ke5 a5 42 ba b4 43 Kd4 Kh4 44 a6 Bxa6 45 Nxa6 b3 46 Kc3 Kg3 47 Nc5 b2 48 Ne4+! Kg2 49 Kxb2 Kf1 50 Nc3 1-0.

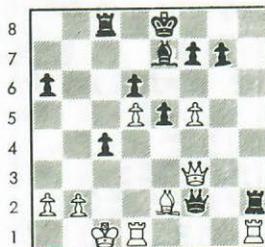
Duke-Cornelison, RUY LOPEZ: 1 e4 e5 2 Nf3 Nc6 3 Bb5 d6 4 0-0 Nf6 5 Re1 Be7 6 c3 0-0 7 h3 Bd7 8 Ba4 Re8 9 d4 Bf8 10 Bc2 g6 11 Nbd2 Bg7 12 Nf1 Nh5 13 b4 ed 14 Nxd4 Nxd4 15 cd c5 16 bc dc 17 Rbl Bxd4 18 Rxb7 Bc6 19 Rb3 Bxe4! 20 Bxe4 Rxe4 21 Nd2 Rxe1+ 22 Qxe1 Qe8 23 Qd1 Rd8 24 Kf1 Nf4 25 Qg4 Ne6 26 Qf3 Qa4 27 Ra3 Qc2 28 Nb3 c4 0-1.

Williams-Presutti, KING'S INDIAN: 1 d4 Nf6 2 c4 g6 3 Nc3 Bg7 4 e4 d6 5 f3 Nc6 6 Be3 a6 7 Bd3 e5 8 d5 Nd4 9 Bc2 0-0 10 Bxd4 ed 11 Qxd4 Nxe4 12 Qd3 Qh4+ 13 g3 Nxb3 14 hg Re8+ 15 Ne4 Qxh1 16 0-0-0 Bf5 17 Ne2 Qh2 18 Kbl b5 19 Nd4 bc 20 Qxc4 Bxe4 21 fe Rab8 22 b3 Qf2 23 Nc6 Rb5 24 Rf1 Qd2 25 Rd1 Qc3 26 Qxc3 Bxc3 27 Rd3 Bg7 28 Rf3 Rxd5 29 ed Re1+ 30 Bd1 Rxd1+ 31 Kc2 Re1 32 Kd3 h5 33 Nb8 Rd1+ 34 Ke2 Rxd5 35 Nxa6 Ra5 36 Nxc7 Rxa2+ 37 Kd3 Be5 38 Ne8 Rg2 39 b4 Rxb3 40 Rxb3 Bxb3 41 Nf6+ Kf8 42 b5 Ke7 43 Nd5 Kd7 44 Ke3 h4 45 Kf3 f5 46 Kg2 g5 47 Kf3 Be5 48 Kg2 Bd4 49 b6 Kc6 and Black won (0-1).

O'Conner-Chapman, SICILIAN: 1 e4 c5 2 d4 cd 3 c3 dc 4 Nxc3 Nc6 5 Nf3 d6 6 Bc4 e6 7 0-0 a6 8 Qe2 Be7 9 Rd1 Qc7 10 Bf4 Nf6 11 Racl 0-0 12 Bb3 Rd8 13 e5 Ne8 14 Bc2 d5 15 Nd4 Nxd4 16 Rxd4 Bc5 17 Rd3 f5 18 Rh3 b5 19 Bd3 Qa7 20 Nd1 Rd7 21 Rxb7! Kxb7 22 Qh5+ Kg8 23 Qxe8+ Kh7 24 Bxf5! ef 25 Rc3 g6 26 Rh3+ Kg7 27 Bh6+ Kh7 28 Bf8+ Kg8 29 Be7+ Kg7 30 Bf6 mate.

MacNeill-L. Obeiter, SCOTCH GAMBIT: 1 e4 e5 2 Nf3 Nc6 3 d4 ed 4 Bc4 Be7 5 c3 Na5 6 Qxd4 Nf6 7 e5 c5 8 Bxf7+ Kf8 9 Qf4 Kxf7 10 ef Bxf6 11 g4 Re8+ 12 Be3 Kg8 13 g5 Be7 14 Ne5 Rf8 15 Qe4 d5 16 Qg2 Rf5 17 f4 Be6 18 Na3 d4 19 0-0-0 Bd5 20 Qg4 Rxe5 21 fe Bxh1 22 cd cd 23 Qe6+ Kh8 24 Rxd4 Rc8+ 25 Kbl Be4+ 26 Ka1 Qxd4 27 Qxc8+ Qd8 and Black won (0-1).

Bailey-D. Obeiter, SICILIAN: 1 e4 c5 2 Nf3 e6 3 d4 cd 4 Nxd4 Nc6 5 Nc3 a6 6 Be3 d6 7 Be2 Be7 8 Qd2 Nxd4 9 Bxd4 e5 10 Be3 Be6 11 0-0-0 b5 12 Nd5 Bxd5 13 ed Nf6 14 f3 Rc8 15 g4 Nd7 16 Qb4 Nc5 17 f4 Qc7 18 f5 h5 19 gh Rxb5! 20 c3 Rh4 21 c4 bc 22 Bxc5 Qxc5 23 Qc3 Qf2 24 Qf3 Rxb2\* 25 Qxf2 Rxf2 26 Rh8+ Bf8 27 Kd2 Rb8 28 Ke3 Rxf5 29 Bxc4 Rxb2 30 Bxa6 Rbf2 31 Be2 R2f4 32 a4 Ke7 33 Rbl g5 34 Rb7+ Ke8 35 Rb8+ Ke7 36 Rbxf8 Rxa4 37 Re8+ Kf6 38 Rh6+ Kg7 39 Rxd6 Rff4 40 Rdd8 Rae4+ 41 Kd3 g4 42 Rg8+ Kf6 43 Rde8 Rd4+ 44 Kc3 Rxd5 45 Rxb4 Rf5 46 Re4 Kg5 47 Bg4 Rf4 ½-½.



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\* B-O after B24

B.Hall-Bartlow, QP: 1 d4 d5 2 Nf3 Nf6 3 Nbd2 e6 4 c3 c5 5 g3 Nbd7 6 Bg2 Be7 7 0-0 b6 8 Re1 Bb7 9 Nf1 c4 10 Qc2 h6 11 N1d2 Qc7 12 e3 Ne4 13 Nxe4 de 14 Nd2 f5 15 f3 Nf6 16 Qa4+ Qc6 17 Qxc4 Qxc4 18 Nxc4 ef 19 Bh1 Ng4 20 Rf1 f2+ 21 Rxf2 Nxf2 22 Bxb7 Rb8 23 Bc6+ Kf8 24 Kxf2 g5 25 Ne5 Kg7 26 Bb5 Bd6 27 Nd3 Rhf8 28 Bd2 Rbd8 29 Ke2 Rf6 30 c4 Bc7 31 Rf1 Rdf8 32 Ne5 Bxe5 33 de R6f7 34 Bb4 Rd8 35 Bd6 h5 36 b4 g4 37 c5 bc 38 Bxc5 Rb8 39 Bc4 Re8 40 Rd1 Rb7 41 Rd6 Kf7 42 Ba6 Rc7 43 a4 Rb8 44 Bc4 Re8 45 Bb5 Rb8 46 Bc6 Re7 47 b5 Rc8 48 Rd2 Rc7 49 Bd6 Rxc6 50 bc Rxc6 51 Kd3 and White won (1-0).

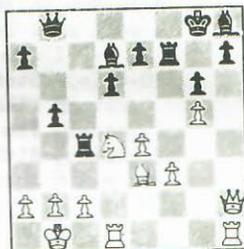
Thompson-Olsen, KING'S INDIAN: 1 Nf3 d6 2 d4 Nf6 3 g3 g6 4 Bg2 Bg7 5 0-0 0-0 6 c4 d5 7 cd Nxd5 8 e4 Nf6 9 e5 Nd5 10 Nc3 f6 11 Qb3 e6 12 Rd1 c6 13 Ne4 Nd7 14 ef N7xf6 15 Bg5 b6 16 Qa3 Qe8 17 Ne5 Nxe4 18 Bxe4 Bxe5 19 de Qf7 20 Rf1 Bb7 21 f4 Qc7 22 Qf3 Rf7 23 Qd3 a5 24 Qe2 Ba6 25 Bd3 Bxd3 26 Qxd3 b5 27 Rac1 Qb6+ 28 Rf2 c5 29 Rd1 c4 30 Qd4 Qb7 31 Rdf1 Rd7 32 Qe4 Qa7 33 g4 Ne3 34 f5 Nxf1 35 Kxf1 Rf8 36 Be3 Rd1+ 37 Ke2 Qd7 38 f6 Kf7 39 Kf3 Rd3 40 Kf4 h6 41 h4 Rh8 42 h5 g5+ 43 Kg3 Rg8? 44 Qh7+ Rg7 45 Qxg7+ Ke8 46 Qg8 mate.

Shedd-Ponomarev, QGD: 1 c4 e6 2 Nf3 d5 3 e3 Nf6 4 Nc3 Nbd7 5 d4 c6 6 a3 Ne4 7 Nxe4 de 8 Nd2 f5 9 f3 Bd6 10 g3 ef 11 Qxf3 0-0 12 c5 Bc7 13 Bc4 Kh8 14 0-0 e5 15 b4 ed 16 ed Nxc5 17 Bb2 Na4 18 Qb3 b5 19 Bd3 Be6 20 Qc2 Nxb2 21 Qxb2 Bb6 22 Nf3 Bd5 0-1.

Karnisky-Manley, RETI: 1 Nf3 d5 2 c4 d4 3 b4 f6 4 d3 e5 5 a3 c5 6 bc Bxc5 7 g3 Ne7 8 Bg2 Nbc6 9 Nbd2 0-0 10 0-0 Nf5 11 Ne4 Be7 12 Qb3 Rb8 13 Bd2 Be6 14 Qa4 Qd7 15 Rfb1 Nd6 16 Nxd6 Bxd6 17 Bb4 Bg4 18 Rb2 f5 19 Rab1 Bxb4 20 ab Bxf3 21 Bxf3 Ra8 22 Qb5 Rfe8 23 Bd5+ Kh8 24 Ra1 e4 25 Rba2 ed 26 ed Qe7 27 Bxc6 bc 28 Qc5 Kg8 29 Qxe7 Rxe7 30 Ra6 Rab8 31 Rxc6 Rxb4 32 Rd6 Reb7 33 Ra5 g6 34 Rxd4 Rb1+ 35 Kg2 Rcl 36 c5 Rc2 37 Rf4 Kf7 38 d4 Ke6 39 Ra6+ Kd7 40 Rf3 Kc7 41 g4 fg 42 Rf7+ Kb8 43 Rf8+ Kc7 44 Rh8 Rc4 45 Rxb7+ Kb8 46 Rh8+ Kc7 47 Rxc6 Rxd4 48 Rh7 1-0.

Cornelison-Presutti, SICILIAN: 1 e4 c5 2 Nf3 d6 3 d4 cd 4 Nxd4 Nf6 5 Nc3 g6 6 f3 Bg7 7 Be3 0-0 8 Bc4 Nc6 9 Qd2 Bd7 10 0-0-0 Re8 11 Bb3 Ne5 12 g4 b5 13 h4 Qa5 14 Kbl Nc4 15 Bxc4 Rxc4 16 Nd5 Qd8 17 Nxf6+ Bxf6 18 h5 Qb8 19 hg fg 20 Qh2 Rf7 21 g5 Bh8\* 22 Nf5 Bxf5 23 ef Be5 24 f4 Bxf4 25 Bxf4 Rxf4 26 fg 1-0.

Towbin-Eversole, QGD: 1 d4 e6 2 Nf3 d5 3 Bf4 c5 4 e3 Nc6 5 c4 Nf6 6 Nc3 Ne4 7 Nb5 Qa5+ 8 Nd2 cd 9 ed g5 10 Be3 a6 11 Na3 Bg7 12 Nc2 h5 13 Be2 g4 14 f3 Nxd2 15 Bxd2 Qd8 16 Be3 gf 17 Bxf3 dc 18 0-0 h4 19 Be4 Qe7 20 Qg4 f6 21 Bg6+ Kd8 22 Rad1 Bd7 23 d5 ed 24 Rxd5 Ne5 25 Rxe5 Qxe5 26 Rd1 1-0.



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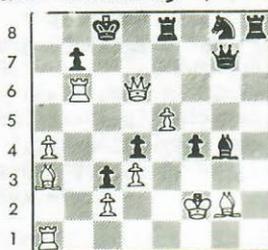
\* C-P after B21

W. Engels-Burden, KING'S INDIAN: 1 d4 Nf6 2 Nf3 g6 3 g3 Bg7 4 Bg2 0-0 5 0-0 d6 6 c4 Nbd7 7 Nc3 e5 8 d5 a5 9 e4 Nc5 10 Qe2 Bd7 11 Bd2 h6 12 h3 Nh5 13 Ne1 a4 14 Rcl Qe8 15 Nb5 Rc8 16 Kh2 f5 17 Bb4 Na6 18 Bxd6 cd 19 Nxd6 Qe7 20 Nxc8 Bxc8 21 ef Bf5 22 Be4 Bxe4 23 Qxe4 Nxc3 24 Qg2 Nxf1 25 Qxf1 e4 26 Rc2 Bxb2 27 Qg2 Kg7 28 Kh1 Bd4 29 Re2 Nc5 30 Nc2 Qe5 0-1.

Schultz-Schreiner, QGD: 1 d4 d5 2 c4 Nf6?! 3 Nc3?! e6 4 Bg5 Be7 5 Nf3 Nbd7 6 e3 0-0 7 Rcl c5 8 cd Nxd5 9 Bxe7 Qxe7 10 Nxd5 ed 11 dc Nxc5 12 Qxd5 Ne4 13 Bd3 Qb4+ 14 Kf1 Qxb2 15 Qxe4 Qxc1+ 16 Ke2 Qb2+ 17 Nd2 g6 18 g4 Bd7 19 Rbl Qc3 20 Rb3 Qc1 21 h4 Rfe8 22 Qf4 Be6 23 Rxb7 Qc8 24 Rb4 Rb8 25 Ra4 Rb2 26 Rxa7 Bxg4+ 27 f3 Be6 28 Rc7 Qd8 29 Rc2 Rxc2 30 Bxc2 Bxa2 31 Ne4 Re6 32 Qg3 Qd5 33 Qb8+ Kg7 34 Qb2+ Kh6 35 Nf6 Bc4+ 36 Kf2 Qd2+ 37 Kg3 Qe1+ 38 Kg4 Qg1+ 39 Kf4 Qxe3+ 40 Kg4 Qg1+ ½-½.

Aandahl-Burden. RETI: 1 Nf3 g6 2 g3 Bg7 3 Bg2 5 0-0 6 c4  
 c5 7 Nc3 Nc6 8 Rb1 d6 9 Bd2 h6 10 a3 Be6 11 b4 Qd7 12 Ne1 Rad8 13 Nd5 b6  
 14 Nc2 Nd4 15 Nxd4 cd 16 Nxe7+ Qxe7 17 Qa4 d5 18 c5 e4 19 c6 f5 20 b5 Rf7  
 21 Rfcl Rc8 22 Rc2 g5 23 Rbcl Be5 24 Bb4 Qf6 25 c7 f4 26 Qxa7 fg 27 fg Qf2+  
 28 Kh1 Qe3 29 Qxb6 Bg4 30 Qxh6 Rh7 31 Qg6+ Kh8 32 b6 Rxh2+ 33 Kxh2 Qxg3+  
 34 Kg1 Qh2+ 35 Kf1 Qf4+ 36 Kg1 Qh2+ 37 Kf1  $\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$ .

Aandahl-Williams, K's IND. REV. 1 Nf3 e6 2 g3 d5 3 Bg2 c5 4 0-0 Nf6 5 d3  
 Nc6 6 Nbd2 e5 7 e4 d4 8 Nc4 Bd6 9 Nxd6+ Qxd6 10 h3 h6 11 a3 Be6 12 Nh4



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\* A-W after W32

Nxd4 18 Bd6+ Kg6 19 Bxf8 Ba5 20 Bc5 Nc6 21 Rf8 Bd8 22 Nf3 Bd7 23 Kd1 Rc8  
 24 Bxa7 Ba5 25 Rxc8 Bxc8 26 Ne5+ Kf6 27 Nxc6 Bxe1 28 Bd4+ e5 29 Nxe5 Bxg3  
 30 Nc4+ Ke7 31 Ne3 Bf2 32 Ke2 Bxe3 33 Kxe3 and the game was drawn later ( $\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$ ).

Kilibarda-Cornelison, GRUNFELD: 1 d4 Nf6 2 c4 g6 3 Nc3 d5 4 cd Nxd5 5 e4  
 Nxc3 6 bc Bg7 7 Nf3 c5 8 Bb5+ Bd7 9 Bxd7+ Qxd7 10 0-0 0-0 11 Rb1 Nc6 12 dc  
 Qc7 13 Be3 Na5 14 Qc1 Rfd8 15 Bd4 e5 16 Be3 Bf8 17 c4 Rac8 18 Qc3 Bxc5  
 19 Nxe5 b6 20 Ng4 Bxe3 21 fe Nxc4 22 Nh6+ Kf8 23 Qh8+ 1-0.

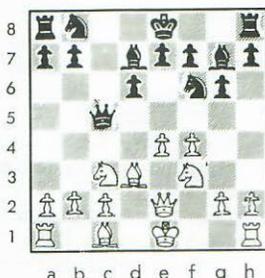
DAY'S INN ACTION OPEN (G/30)

August 18, Denver

Mark Kriseler, Director

1	Jim Burden	2067	W15	D9	W8	D4	W7	W5	5
2	Steve Towbin	2163	W27	W13	L5	W11	W14	W4	
3	Mikhail Ponomarev	2290	W10	D20	$\frac{1}{2}$ B	$\frac{1}{2}$ B	W8	W11	$4\frac{1}{2}$
4	Jim Hamblin	2151	W24	D8	W20	D1	W5	L2	4
5	Richard Buchanan	2079	W21	W16	W2	W14	L4	L1	
6	Shane Brown	1479	L14	W18	W12	L20	W16	W13	
7	Daoud Zupa	1830	W23	L11	W26	W15	L1	W14	
8	Dan Avery	1956	W19	D4	L1	W9	L3	W17	$3\frac{1}{2}$
9	Samuel Welch	1831	W18	D1	L11	L8	W24	W19	
10	Matt Kahle	1742	L3	W17	W25	W13	L11	D12	
11	Mark Kriseler	2028	$\frac{1}{2}$ B	W7	W9	L2	W10	L3	
12	Michael Presutti	1845	W22	L14	L6	W26	W21	D10	
13	Timothy Williams	1978	W25	L2	W21	L10	W15	L6	3
14	Ivan Ochoa	2046	W6	W12	WF	L5	L2	L7	
15	J. C. MacNeil	1653	L1	W23	W16	L7	L13	W21	
16	Vance Aandahl	1926	W17	L5	L15	W24	L6	W22	
17	David Hendershot	1296	L16	L10	BYE	W18	W22	L8	
18	Joel Shure	Unr	L9	L6	W23	L17	W27	W25	
19	Rimas Yurkus	Unr	L8	D24	L22	W23	W26	L9	$2\frac{1}{2}$
20	Ian MacLellan	1979	W26	D3	L4	W6	---	---	
21	Ed Vigil	1676	L5	W22	L13	W25	L12	L15	2
22	Brad Austin	Unr	L12	L21	W19	W27	L17	L16	
23	Jerry Oak	Unr	L7	L15	L18	L19	W25	W26	
24	Richard Chapman	1733	L4	D19	W27	L16	L9	---	$1\frac{1}{2}$
25	Chris Baughman	Unr	L13	W27	L10	L21	L23	L18	1
26	Josh Kahle	1158	L20	BYE	L7	L12	L19	L23	
27	Al Gardner	1738	L2	L25	L24	L22	L18	BYE	

( Editor's note: And once again we contemplate Brian Wall's commentary on the variation of the Pirc Defense beginning 1 e4,d6 2 d4 Nf6 3 Nc3 g6 4 f4 Bg7 5 Nf3 c5 6 dc Qa5 7 Bd3 Qxc5 8 Qe2 Bd7! For more on this variation, as well as the motivation for all this, see the last two issues of the INFORMANT.)



Position after  
8...Bd7

VI - THE SHERBRING FILE

Mark Sherbring would get exasperated at all my tricks. "Even if 8...Bd7 is tactically sound, which I doubt, it is positionally ridiculous! All White has to do is not give you his b-pawn and he has a great game." Instead of 9 Be3 Mark would try various other moves like 9 a3. I never gave the positional dangers of 8...Bd7 much thought - the tactical danger seemed too acute. It reminds me of

the scene where Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid are trapped by a posse against a 300 foot cliff. Their only hope is to jump into a shallow rocky mountain stream. Robert Redford: "I won't jump!"

Paul Newman: "Why not?"

RR: "I can't swim."

PN: "You idiot, the fall will kill you!"

After 9 a3 Black can try ...e5 at some point turning the position almost into an f4 Najdorf, or try ...0-0 and perhaps retreat his knight to e8 when e5 comes in. When I tried playing this position out for 10-15 moves White always has the initiative but I cherished the hope that Black can survive somehow with his two bishops. But Kasparov agrees with Mark! BATSFORD CHESS OPENINGS II gives the following line: "8 Qe2 0-0 9 Be3 Qa5 10 0-0 Nc6 11 h3 Bd7 (11...e5 12 fe de 13 Qf2 Be6 14 Qh4 with clear advantage) 12 a3 Rac8 13 Qf2 intending Qh4 with clear advantage." No source is given so I assume Kasparov invented this line himself. Great minds think alike!

John Nunn in THE COMPLETE PIRC (1989) mentions the position after 8 Qe2 0-0 9 Be3 Qa5 10 0-0 and now "if Black plays 10...Nc6 then White should prevent ...Bg4 with 11 h3. Black is left without a natural square for the c8 bishop... The problem with 10...Nc6 is that without the exchange on f3 Black is unable to get a firm grip on the central dark squares and this makes it hard for him to develop counterplay." Nunn also mentions the fact that 8 Qe2 0-0 9 Be3 Qb4 has never been refuted, giving 10 a3 Qxb2 11 Kd2 Nxe4+ and 10 0-0 Qxb2 11 Nb5 Ne8 12 a3 and 12 e5 all as unclear tries.

So I will defer to the grandmasters and admit that Mark's 9 a3 should give White a good position, leaving Black's minor pieces cramped and awkward. Here are some other 9th moves I've investigated:

A: The Merry-go-round. 9 Nd2 Bg4 10 Nb3 Bxe2 11 Nxc5 Bxd3 12 Nxd3 =

B: The Kamikaze. 9 e5 de 10 fe Ng4 11 Bf4 Nc6 12 Ne4 Qb6 13 Neg5 Ngxe5 14 Nxe5 Nxe5 15 Bxe5 Qa5+ 16 Bc3 Bxc3+ 17 bc Qxg5. I'm sure White can improve somewhere but I've always admired the way Black's pieces magically transform themselves from awkward ugly ducklings to beautiful swans once they have the chance to zero in on the e-pawn.

C: The Schmulevich Continuation. 9 Bd2 is interesting with the idea of castling queenside and pushing the kingside pawns. Essentially White has the Computer Variation (see July issue, p. 32) a tempo down. Black can sell out and play 9...Bg4, admitting his concept is utterly absurd, or play 9...e5 or try the interesting continuation 9...0-0 10 0-0-0 b5, trying yet again to justify his bishop on d7.

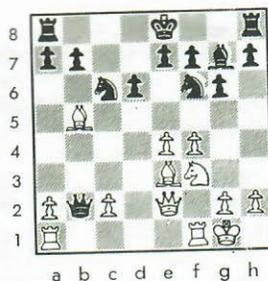
D: The Accelerated Polgar. 9 h3 (Judith Polgar played 8 Qe2 0-0 9 Be3 Qa5 10 h3 against IM Zurab Azmaiparashvili at Amsterdam 1989.) Nh5 (threatening 10...Bxc3+ and 10...Ng3) 10 Be3 (10 Qd2 Nxf4) Ng3 (White has a lot for his pawns after 10...Bxc3+ 11 bc Qxc3+ 12 Kf2.) 11 Bxc5 (If 11 Qf2, then 11...Nxb1 or 11 Qd2 Qb4 12 Nd5 Qxb2 13 Kf2 Nxb1+ 14 Rxb1 0-0 15 Nc7 Nc6 16 Nxa8 Rxa8) Nxe2 12 Something x e2 dc with the two bishops.

White has other tries but let's stop here.

## VII - THE CARLSON CONTINUATION

Curtis Carlson played chess in Colorado for many years, but for those too young to remember him, let me give you a brief history. Although he never became Colorado Junior Champion, he did distinguish himself by becoming the only chessplayer ever investigated by the GSCA for unethical conduct during a tournament. Brazenly he overcame this shameful episode to become a sexual guru with millions of followers, Ray Haskins having the honor of being his first disciple. Today Curt lives in California and will angrily deny his sordid past.

Curt and his wife spent ten days in New Hampshire in September 1989. Curt, Dave Jellison, and I had a great time reminiscing and playing backgammon, risk, and speed chess. We were all Colorado State Champions at one time. One of our speed chess games went 9 Be3 Qb4 10 0-0 Qxb2 11 Nb5 Bxb5 12 Bxb5+ Nc6\* 13 Bd4 Qa3 14 e5 de 15 fe Nd5 16 Ng5 (16 Qc4!) 0-0 17 Bxc6 bc 18 Rf3 Qa4 19 c3 (Here I thought for about 90 seconds.) c5 20 Bxc5 Rac8 21 Bd4 Qc4 22 Qf2 f6 23 ef Bxf6 - I don't remember the rest. Curt said that 23 Ne6 would have won. The next day I told him I thought 14...Nd5 was stronger but he immediately uncorked 15 Qc4 and now after 15...Nb4 16 c3 a6 (Jellison) Black seems to be surviving somehow. After Curt left town I studied his line intensely for two months, debating the merits of 13 Rb1 or Curt's 13 Bd4. Finally it dawned on me that 13 e5 was more flexible, making Black move his knight first and then deciding on Rb1 or Bd4. After 13 e5 White becomes a samurai with two swords poised to strike.



\* after 12...Nc6

First we eliminate the easy wins.

13...Nh5 14 g4 or 13...Ne4 14 Bd4 or 13...de 14 fe and then 14...Nh5 15 g4 or 14...Ng4 15 Bd4 Qa3 16 Qe4 or 14...Ne4 15 Bd4 or 14...Nd5 15 Bd4 Qa3 16 Qc4 Nb4 17 Bc5.

That leaves four replies, none of which I consider satisfactory. So I have more or less completed my first goal: refuting 8...Bd7.

A: 13...de 14 fe Nd7 The question now is - when is the best time for e6? The immediate 15 e6 fe 16 Ng5 or Fang's 15 Qc4 0-0 16 e6 is possible, but I prefer 15 Bxc6 bc 16 Bd4 and now let's look at a few queen moves:

I: 16...Qb7 17 e6 Bxd4+ (17...Nf6 is the only other move to save both pieces but the bishop only gets in the way after 18 ef+ Kxf7 19 Ng5+.) 18 Nxd4 Nf6 (Other moves are too horrendous to contemplate.) 19 ef+ Kxf7 20 Qe6+ Kf8 (20...Kg7 21 Rb1 Qc7 22 Qxf6+) 21 Rb1 Qc7 22 Rxf6+ (or 22 Qxf6+) ef 23 Qxf6+ Kg8 24 Rf1 is convincing.

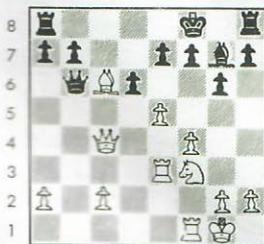
II 16...Qa3 17 e6 Bxd4+ 18 Nxd4 Nf6 19 ef+ Kxf7 20 Qc4+ Ke8 (21 Ne6+ follows 20...Kf8 or 20...Kg7) 21 Qxc6+ Kf7 22 Qd5+ Kg7 23 Ne6+ 1-0.

III: 16...Qb5 17 c4 Qa5 18 e6 Bxd4+ (On 18...Nf6 19 ef+ Kxf7 20 Rael is too strong.) 19 Nxd4 Nf6 (After 19...fe both 20 Nxe6 and 20 Qxe6 are strong.) 20 ef+ Kxf7 21 Qe6+ Kf8 22 Rxf6+, etc.

B: 13...Nd7 improves the last line a little: White has fewer open lines but his position is still full of promise. Again I prefer 14 Bxc6 bc 15 Bd4 and let's try a random queen move - Oh, I don't know, say 15...Qa3 16 e6 Bxd4+ (16...Nf6 17 ef+ Kxf7 18 Ng5+ wins as usual.) 17 Nxd4 Nc5 (On 17...fe 18 Nxe6 with the plan Rael, f5, f6 should win, or 17...Nf6 18 ef+ Kxf7 19 Qe6+ Kf8 20 f5 Qc5 and now Fang's 21 Qe3 looks strong.) 18 ef+ Kxf7 19 f5 and Black has a wretched position. More analysis can be done but I think you're beginning to get the idea.

Only two tries left!

C: As mentioned earlier, 13...Nd5 14 Bd4 Qa3 15 Qc4 Nb4 16 c3 a6 seems to hold for Black although White can try other 16th moves. I prefer 13...Nd5 14 Rb1 Qa3 (The knight blocks the queen's exit after 14...Qxa2 15 Ral Qb2 16 Rfb1 Qc3 17 Bd4.) 15 Rb3 Qa5 (On 15...Qxa2 16 Bd4 threatens 17 Ral so 16...Qa5 17 Qc4 Nb6 18 Bxc6+ bc 19 Qxc6+ Kf8 20 Qxa8+ or 19...Kd8 20 Rxb6 Rc8 21 Ra6. Along the same lines is 17...Nc7 18 Bxc6+ bc 19 Qxc6+ Kf8 20 Qxa8+ or 19...Kd8 20 ed Bxd4+ 21 Nxd4 ed 22 Qxd6+ Kc8 23 Nc6.) 16 Qc4 Nxe3 17 Bxc6+ Kf8 (Allowing 18 Qxf7 would be suicide.) 18 Rxe3 Qb6\* (After 18...bc 19 Qxc6 Black has no material compensation for the absurd position of his kingside pieces.) and now we come to a critical position for the whole Burnside System.



a b c d e f g h

\* after 18...Qb6

Black hopes to gain a pawn and a tempo for his troubles after 19 Re1 Qxc6. My first thought was the exchange sac 19 Bxb7?! Qxe3+ (Black has no compensation for his inactive pieces after 19...Qxb7.) 20 Kh1 Re8 (20...Rd8 21 Ng5 d5 22 Bxd5 is convincing.) 21 Ng5 e6 22 Qc7 Re7 23 Qd8 Re8 24 Qxd6+ Re7 (24...Kg8 25 Qd7 Rf8 26 Nxe6 fe 27 Qxe6+ Rf7 28 Bf5) and now I can't find a win for White, much to my frustration. Dave Jellison tried to win by putting the bishop on d7 but it doesn't quite work, e.g., 25 Bc6 Qb6 26 Rd1 (26 c4 Bh6 27 c5 Qc7 28 Rb1 Bxg5 29 fg Kg7 30 Rb7 Qxb7 31 Bxb7 Rxb7 32 h4 Rc8 followed by Rb7-c7xc5) Bh6 27 c4 Bxg5 28 fg Qc7 29 Bd7 (29 c5 Kg7 30 Bf7 Rxd7 31 Qxd7 Qxc5) Qxd6 30 ed (30 Rxd6 Kg7 31 c5 Rxd7 32 Rxd7 Rc8 33 Rxa7 Rxc5 34 h4 Rxe5) Rxd7 31 c5 Kg7 or 31...f5. When this article is translated into 27 languages, no doubt someone from India will find a win after 19 Bxb7?!, but for now I can't.

Joe Fang tried to solve the critical position with the overexuberant piece sac 19 Nd4 Rc8 (Black has a choice between a bad middle game or a bad endgame after 19...bc 20 Rb3.) 20 Kh1 (I'm not sure White wins after 20 Rb3 Rxc6 21 Qxc6 bc 22 Rxb6 ab. 23 Nxc6 Ke8 or 20 Kb3 Rxc6 21 Rxb6 Rxc4 22 Rxb7 Bh6 23 c3 de 24 fe Be3+ 25 Kh1 Bxd4 26 cd Rxd4.) bc (20...Rxc6 21 Nxc6 Qxe3 22 Nd8 is not very much fun for Black.) 21 Ne6+? and now Fang-Wall, Speed Chess, November 1989 continued 21...Kg8? 22 Rb3 d5 (22...Qa5 23 Qxc6) and Joe announced Queenmate with 23 Qa4. But 21 Ne6+ should be refutable with 21...fe 22 Qxe6 Qxe3 23 f5 (23 Qxc8+ Kf7 24 Qxc6 is equally unconvincing.) Rb8 24 fg+ (24 f6 Bxf6 25 Rxf6+ Ke8) Ke8 25 Qf7+ Kd7.

With all this analysis under our belts, best play from the diagram may be 19 Nd4 Rc8 20 Kh1 bc 21 Rb3 and again Black has a difficult choice between a bad middlegame or a lousy endgame. There must be a win for White somewhere in all this.



D (back to the first diagram and 13 e5): 13...Ng4 also leads to fascinating



\* after 20...Rab8

before these three great players and produced the following analytical snippet:  
From the last diagram 21 Ng5 Nf6 22 Qe6 (Fang) Qd5 (Jellison) 23 Qh3 (Fang)  
h6 (Rao) 24 Nf3 (Fang) Rb7 (Rao) 25 Re5 (Fang) Qd6 (Wall).

IV: 15 e6 0-0 16 ef+ Rxf7 17 Bxg7 (17 Bc4 Nxd4 18 Bxf7+ Kf8 19 Nxd4 Bxd4+  
20 Kh1 Bxa1 is unclear - Black's extra pawn compensates for his exposed king.)  
Kxg7 and now White can try 18 Bc4 Qc5+ 19 Kh1 Rxf4 and White has nothing because  
the black queen controls g5 or 18 Rael Qc5+ 19 Kh1 Rxf4 20 Bxc6 bc 21 Qxe7+  
Rf7 22 Qh4 Qh5 23 Qg3 Raf8 24 Qxd6 Qd5 25 Qg3 Nh6 and hopefully Black has  
consolidated at last, or 18 Ng5 Qe3+ 19 Kh1 Qxe2 20 Bxe2 Ne3 and I believe  
Black holds; or similarly 18 Bxc6 bc 19 Ng5 Qe3+ 20 Qxe3 Nxe3.

So, back in this chapter's first diagram, after 13 e5 Ng4 14 Bd4 Qa3 I can  
find no win for White. So let's try the other sword: 14 Rab1 Qa3 (14...Qxa2  
15 Bc4 Qa5 16 Bxf7+ Kxf7 17 Ng5+ Ke8 18 Qxg4) 15 Rb3 and now 15...Qxa2 is bad  
because of 16 Nd4 Nxe3 17 Nxc6 bc 18 Bxc6+ Kd8 (18...Kf8 19 Bxa8 threatens  
20 Rb8 mate, leaving Black no time to play 19...Nxf1.) 19 Bxa8 Nxf1 (Otherwise  
Black would be down material with poor piece placement; but now White ignores the  
knight and mates the Black king.) 20 Rb8+ (avoiding the helpmate 20 ed? Bd4+  
21 Kh1? Ng3+ 22 hg Qa1+ 23 Kh2 Qg1+ 24 Kh3 Qh1+ 25 Kg4 Qh5 mate) Kd7 21 Rb7+  
Ke6 (else 22 Qb5) 22 Qg4+ Kd5 (22...f5 23 ef+ Kxf6 24 Qg5+) 23 Rb5+ Kd4  
(23...Kc4 24 Qe2+ Kc3-d4 25 Qd3 mate) 24 Qd1+ Ke3 (else 25 Qd3 mate) 25 Qd3+  
Kxf4 26 Qf3+ Kg5 27 h4+ Kxh4 28 Qf4+ Kh5 29 Bf3 mate.

In case you're lost, we are looking at 13 e5 Ng4 14 Rab1 Qa3 15 Rb3 and now  
15...Qa5 leads to another critical position after 16 Nd4 Nxe3 17 Nxc6 bc 18 Bxc6+  
Kd8. White must be winning here. I thought 19 Bxa8 Nxf1 20 ed was the clearest  
but 20...Ne3 21 Qxe3 Bd4 22 Qxd4 Qe1 mate muddles the waters. I'm still working  
on this wonderful brain twister, but I feel that Black must be losing somehow,  
even if there is nothing immediately crushing.

Another good line is 13 e5 Ng4 14 Rfb1! (It turns out that in addition to two  
swords, White has also a short dagger in his robes.) Qa3 15 Rb3 Qa5 16 Nd4 Nxe3  
17 Nxc6 bc 18 Bxc6+ Kd8 19 Bxa8 and the black knight is left staring at the  
ghost rook on f1. So 14 Rfb1 Qc3! 15 Bd4 Qa5 16 ed 0-0 17 Bxc6 bc 18 de Rfe8  
19 Rb7 and consolidating the pawn on e7 should spell positional victory for White.

One more good line is 13 e5 Ng4 14 Rab1 Qa3 15 Rb3 Qa5 16 ed 0-0 17 d7 and  
again I think White can achieve a winning bind by consolidating his advanced pawn.

Where does all this leave Black? After the Carlson Continuation 11 Nb5 Bxb5 12 Bxb5+ Nc6 13 Bd4 I haven't found refutations yet to 13...Nd5 or 13...Ng4. But after the New and Improved Carlson Continuation 11 Nb5 Bxb5 12 Bxb5+ Nc6 13 e5! or 13 Rab1 I can find no defense. Black can try 12...Nfd7 instead of 12...Nc6, but his lack of development makes me very suspicious. I haven't completed my analysis, but it doesn't look good. If Black tries 9 Be3 Qb4 10 0-0 0-0 instead of 10...Qxb2 then 11 a3 is now possible because 11...Qxb2 12 Qd2 Rc8 13 Bd4 Nxe4 14 Bxe4 Bxd4+ 15 Nxd4 Qxc3 16 Qxc3 Rxc3 17 Bxb7 wins or 11...Qxb2 12 Na4 Bxa4 13 Bd4 Black would have to lose even more time by retreating his queen. Black is better off skipping ...Qb4 altogether and playing 9...Qa5 or Jim Burnside's original move 9...Qc7! After 17 years, my analysis leads me back to where I started.

Q.E.D.

(EDITOR'S NOTE: Whew! There is one more exciting installment of this article, folks, and it actually has some real games in it (including Gurevich-Wall!), so stay tuned. Those who might wish to contact Brian can write him at 6H Hartford Lane, Nashua NH 03063.)

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