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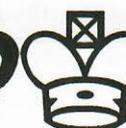
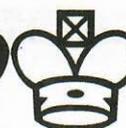
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PIONEER PASSES ON**

**WHO'S WHO IN
COLORADO'S TOP
TEN PLUS FIVE LIST**



**GAMES GALORE FROM
THE 1995 CO OPEN!**

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WINS 3RD ANNUAL
ELK HUNT**



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FROM MATT'S DESK



by CCI Editor

Matthew T. De Elena



Hello my fellow chess advocates! I am very excited about being the new *Informant* editor. Other than a few minor changes, the magazine is still the same. Any feedback concerning the magazine would be greatly appreciated and should be sent to my address found at the left. **Also, please keep the deadlines in mind when submitting material to be published for the *Informant* to allow the magazine to be published on time. I WILL STICK TO THE DEADLINE.**

To begin, I would like to say goodbye to Ron MacRall. Due to a job transfer, Ron is now living in New Mexico with his family. He contributed much to chess in Colorado, and I am sure he will continue to do so in New Mexico. Ron directed many tournaments, was the Treasurer on the CSCA Board of Directors, and was greatly involved with Dever Chess Club activities. Ron, I hope you come back to see us sometime!

I would also like to say goodbye to Alan Bast. Alan moved to San Antonio, Texas on November 8, 1995. I hope he and his family had a warm Christmas and Happy New Year. He requested this be his last published game in Colorado. It is from the Police Station Open II in April 1995.

Richard Hofheimer (2140) -
Alan Bast (1631)
FRENCH DEFENSE

1.e4 e6 2.f4 b6 3.Nf3 Bb7 4.d3 c5
5.c4 d5 6.cd ed 7.Nc3 Nf6 8.e5 d4
9.ef dc 10.Qe2+ Kd7 11.Ne5+ Kc7
12.Nf7 Qf6 13.Nh8 Bd6 14.d4 Nd7
15.bc cd 16.Qc4+ Bc6 17.cd b5
18.Qc2?

18.Qc3

18. ... Re8+ 19.Be2 Qd4 20.Bb2
Bb4+ 21.Kf1 Qf4+ 22.Bf3 Bc5
23.Rd1 Bf3 24.g3 Be2+ 25.Kg2 Qf3+
26.Kh3 Qg4+ 27.Kg2 Bf3+ 0-1

What a terrific game Alan played, despite the 500+ rating point difference! Take care of yourself and your family Alan, you will be missed.

On Saturday September 16, 1995, I took part in a simultaneous exhibition in Greeley at the Safeway on 10th Street. Expert Brad Lundstrom, who is the Store Manager of that Safeway, put on the simul to raise money for the United Way. And raise money he did! Brad raised \$1,400.00 through donations and entry fees. News about the simul was aired on Greeley's channel 8 several times on Sept. 18th, and an article was published in the People section of the *Greeley Tribune* on Sept. 19th. Out of a total 31 games, Brad lost only two, both to teenagers.

Now that I am the editor of the *Informant*, I have little time for much else. Unfortunately, this includes writing the Postal Column I have written a couple of times in past issues of *CCI*. If there are any postal players that would like to have a game published, please send it to me. Here is a letter from an avid postalite and *Informant* subscriber from Mason, MI, who gives information on the APCT (American Postal Chess Tournaments), and the CCLA (Chess Correspondence League of America).

J. Franklin Campbell

columnist, *APCT News Bulletin*

I think it would be a great service to your readers to provide them information about *serious* postal chess organizations. They can receive a free sample copy of the APCT magazine and information about APCT by writing to: APCT, P.O. Box 305, Western Springs, IL 60558-0305. A year's subscription costs \$18 or \$34 for two years. CCLA membership is \$20 per year or \$38 for two years and

information can be obtained by writing CCLA, P.O. Box 3841, Barrington, IL 60011-3481.

Finally, Todd Bardwick has done some research and put together the following Colorado chess records which were set in 1995:

- Largest scholastic turnout with 324 players between North and South Individual Qualifiers and 44-4 player teams for the Colorado Team Championships.

- Most players (12) to the National Elementary School Championships.

- Youngest player to draw an International Master in a Simul: Alex White (8 years old) vs. IM Igor Ivanov.

- Strongest Colorado Closed with an average rating of 2325!

- Best results by Colorado players at the U.S. Open with SM David Neal-Gliksman scoring 9½ out of 12 points to take 3rd place overall and Anthea Carson winning the Class D prize.

- Longest Colorado game between masters lasting 143 moves, taking 12 hours, and ending in a draw between David Neal-Gliksman and Todd Bardwick during round 4 of the Colorado Open.

- Largest upset draw which took place between Brent Truskowski (1122) and Francis Toften (2087) with a 965 rating point difference which took place during round 2 of the Aurora Open.

- Largest upset victory coming from 10 year old Jacob Herold (951) who defeated Jay Shaeffer (1791) in round 6 of the Colorado Open with a 840 rating point differential! ♘

Buckspeak

by CSCA President Richard Buchanan

I'd like to add my voice to the accolade welcoming Matt De Elena aboard as our new *Informant* editor. I know I speak for Matt, Carl, and all other editors past, present, and future in reminding folks that being editor is one tough gig, and help is much appreciated. There's a lot to do: choosing and annotating games; collecting information; proofreading; etc. Help out if you can; give Matt a call. It's no fun being there all alone.

Along the same lines: Wearing my USCF Regional Vice-President hat, I recently sent out a mailing to clubs all around Region IX asking for information about meeting times and other data that I could have on hand. The response hovered between "minimal" and "pathetic." I heard nothing from clubs in Denver, Boulder, Greeley, Pueblo, and numerous other locations. I guess I shouldn't be too surprised, but still...Oh, well, I still have my music.

The CSCA Scholastics program is looking a lot different this year, thanks largely to the dynamic work of Joyce Baldwin (our new Scholastics Coordinator) and Donna Karras. There will be three regional qualifiers tournaments (in Grand Junction as well as Denver and Colorado Springs) in February. Joyce is lining up all kinds of support for these events. They should be most efficiently organized and loaded with prizes and other goodies. As usual we will need a substantial team of volunteers to help run things. To sign up, call Joyce at (303) 841-4129, myself, or Rand Dodd in Grand Junction at (970) 245-4015.

A few things will be different this year. Players are encouraged to pre-register for the tournaments. The entry fee for all sections will be \$5 if it is sent in ahead of time, but it will jump to \$10 at the site. There will be an additional \$5 fee for those qualifying for the finals. (And, as usual, this will require USCF membership.) The Team Championship

will have an entirely different format. Instead of teams playing teams, it will be run as an individual tournament, and the scores of the top finishers from each school will be added to determine team winners.

Speaking of team tournaments: Five Colorado students played in the All-



With the school year under way there are more schools instituting chess clubs, more tournaments, and young tournament players emerging.

The Fall Chess Challenge was held on Oct. 2nd. Seventy K-12 students attended. Alex White won the K-3 section, Ben Haun won the 4-6 section and Mark Laurer won the 7-12 section.

In October, several Colorado players traveled to Moab, Utah for a scholastic tournament. Jess Arnstein, David Baldwin, and Seth Dodd-Flower were the top three winners overall.

Seven Colorado students competed in a national scholastic tournament in Scottsdale, AZ on November 11th -12th. In the 4-6 division, David Baldwin tied for 17th and Jacob Harold took 25th. Alex White took 19th in the K-3 division. David, Jacob, Ryan Propper, and Dane Karras formed a "club" team in the 4-6 section and took 1st place. Congratulations to all of our Colorado players.

Plans are underway for the 1996 state tournaments. Included in this month's issue are the dates, rules, and entry forms. Great door prizes (chess books, software, free chess lessons, CD's and more) have been donated for all those who pre-register.

Our thanks to the families, businesses and individuals who have contributed generously to this worthy cause.

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- National Mortgage Corp.
- Dover Publishing

American Cup tournament in Scottsdale, Arizona, on Nov. 10-12. The team of David Baldwin, Alex White, Dane Karras, Jacob Herold; and Ryan Propper won first place in the elementary section! Six hundred players participated in the tournament.

There's lots of good chess coming up in the next few months: traditional tournaments in Boulder, Loveland, and Colorado Springs as well as a great Scholastics program. See you there! (2)

- Media Play
- Channel 4
- Tattered Cover
- Electronic Arts
- The Bookies
- Microsoft Publishing

INDIVIDUALS

- White Family
- Propper Family
- Geller Family
- Tredennick Family
- Stultz Family
- Frohardt Family
- Kizebel Family
- Chan Family
- Cohen Family
- Anonymous Friend

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- Alan Bardwick
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- Jim Hammersmith
- Randy Canney
- Michael Ginat
- Bela Geczy
- Mike Shedd

If you are interested in helping with the scholastic program in any way, call Joyce Baldwin at (303) 841-4129 or Donna Karras at (303) 988-3773.

Even More Scholastic News From Rand Dodd

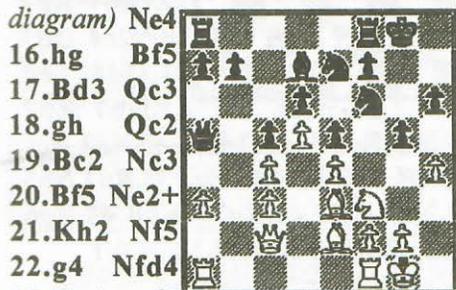
On Nov. 18th the Grand Junction Jr. Chess Club (*see Club Directory for info. on this new club -ed.*) held it's second scholastic chess tournament this year. There were two sections playing in a round robin format. Kids ranged in ages from 7 to 16 years old, with a total of 16 competitors. Winners in Section A (experienced players) were: 1st Amanda Dodd-Flower; Skyler Congdon tied with Seth Dodd-Flower for 2nd. Winners in Section B (novice players) were: 1st Brandon Jong; 2nd Josh Martinez; and 3rd Nick Anson. (2)

GAMES FROM THE 1995 COLORADO OPEN

GAME SELECTIONS BY MARK SHIEDIES

Morrow - Myers NIMZO-INDIAN CLASSICAL

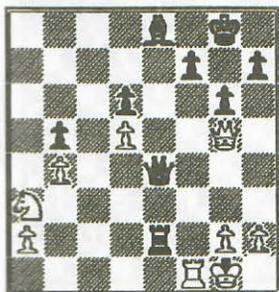
1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 e6 3.Nc3 Bb4 4.Qc2
c5 5.e3 0-0 6.Nf3 Nc6 7.a3 Bc3+ 8.bc
d6 9.Be2 e5 10.d5 Ne7 11.e4 h6 12.h3
Qa5 13.0-0 Bd7 14.Be3 g5 15.h4 (see
diagram) Ne4



16.hg Bf5
17.Bd3 Qc3
18.gh Qc2
19.Bc2 Nc3
20.Bf5 Ne2+
21.Kh2 Nf5
22.g4 Nfd4
23.Ne1 f5
24.Bd4 cd 25.Ra2 Nf4 26.g5 Rac8
27.Ng2 Ng2 28.Kg2 Rc4 29.f4 e4
30.Kf2 Rfc8 31.Kg3 Rc3+ 32.Kh4 Kh7
33.Rd2 Ra3 34.g6+ Kg6 35.Rg2+ Kh7
36.Rfg1 Rf3 37.Rg7+ Kh8 38.Kg5 e3
39.Kf6 Rf4 40.h7 Rg4 41.R7g4 fg
42.Rg4 d3 43.Kf7 Rc7+ 44.Kf8 d2 0-1

Westmoreland - Zupa SICILIAN PELIKAN

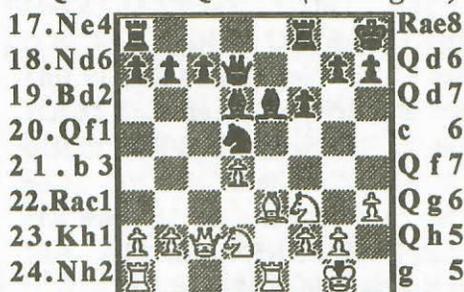
1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.d4 cd 4.Nd4
Nf6 5.Nc3 e5 6.Ndb5 d6 7.Be2 a6
8.Na3 b5 9.Nd5 Nd5 10.ed Nd4 11.c3
Ne2 12.Qe2 g6 13.f4 Bg7 14.fe Be5
15.Bf4 0-0 16.Be5 Re8 17.0-0 Re5
18.Qf3 Qe8 19.c4 Ra7 20.Qf6 Re2
21.Rf2 Rae7 22.Raf1 Bd7 23.cb ab



24.b4 Rf2
25.Qf2 Re2
26.Qb6 Qe4
27.Qd8+ Be8
28.Qg5 (see
diagram)
Qd4+ 29.Kh1
Qf2 30.Rg1
Re1 0-1

Derman - Mulyar FRENCH EXCHANGE

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.ed ed 4.Bd3 Bd6
5.Nf3 Nc6 6.h3 Nge7 7.0-0 0-0 8.Re1
Nb4 9.Bg5 f6 10.Be3 Nd3 11.Qd3 Bf5
12.Qb3 Qd7 13.Nbd2 Kh8 14.c4 dc
15.Qc4 Be6 16.Qe2 Nd5 (see diagram)



17.Ne4 Rae8
18.Nd6 Qd6
19.Bd2 Qd7
20.Qf1 c 6
21.b3 Qf7
22.Rac1 Qg6
23.Kh1 Qh5
24.Nh2 g 5
25.Qd3 Rg8
26.f3 Qf7 27.g4 Qc7 28.Kg2 Bf7
29.Nf1 Re7 30.Re7 Qe7 31.Kf2 Qa3
32.Qb1 Bg6 33.Qa1 Qa6 34.Re1 Qd3
35.Qb2 Rf8 36.Ng3 f5 37.gf Bf5
38.Bg5 Bh3 39.f4 Nf4 40.d5+ Kg8
41.Bh6 Ne2+ 42.Bf8 Qg3+ 43.Ke2
Qg2+ 44.Kd3 Qb2 0-1

Neal-Gliksman - Hammersmith SICILIAN ALAPIN

1.e4 c5 2.c3 Nc6 3.d4 cd 4.cd d6
5.Nf3 Nf6 6.Nc3 e6 7.d5 ed 8.ed Ne5
9.Nd4 Be7 10.f4 Ned7 11.Be2 0-0 12.
0-0 Nc5 13.Bf3 Bd7 14.b4 Na6 15.a3
Re8 16.Bb2 Qb6 17.Kh1 Bf8 18.h3
Nc7 19.Nb3 Nb5 20.Nb5 Bb5 21.Bf6
gf 22.Re1 Re1+ 23.Qe1 Re8 24.Qg3+



Bg7 25.Na5
Re3 26.Rc1
Re8 27.Bg4
Kf8 28.Bf5 h5
29.Qh4 Qe3
30.Rg1 Qa3
31.Nb7 Qb4
32.Rb1 (see
diagram) Qa3
33.Rb5 Qc1+ 34.Kh2 Bh6

34. ... Re1 Appears to be OK for
Black. 35.Qe1 Qe1 36.Nd6 Qf1 is fairly
even.

35.Rb4 Qd2 36.Rc4 Re2 37.Qg3
Qd5 38.Rc8+ Ke7 39.Rc7+ Kf8
40.Rc8+ Ke7 41.Rc7+ Kf8 1/2-1/2

Kaiser - Morrow SICILIAN F4 ATTACK

1.e4 c5 2.Nc3 Nc6 3.f4 d6 4.Nf3 Bg4
5.Bb5 a6 6.Bc6+ bc 7.d3 g6 8.0-0 Bg7
9.h3 Bf3 10.Qf3 Qc7 11.f5 Bd4+
12.Kh1 Nf6 13.Ne2 Be5 14.c3 d5
15.Bf4 0-0-0 16.Be5 Qe5 17.ed Qd5
18.fg hg 19.b4 cb 20.cb g5 21.Rac1
Kb7 22.Qe3 Rd7 23.Nc3 Qd3 24.Qg5
Ne4 25.Ne4 Qe4 26.Rf7 Rh3+ 27.Kg1
Qd4+ 28.Rf2 Rd3 29.Qg6 Rd1+
30.Rd1 Qd1+ 31.Kh2 Rd6 32.Qg5
Qe1 33.Rf7 Re6 34.Rf4 Qe3 35.Qg3
Qd2 36.a4 Re2 37.Rf3 Re6 38.Rd3
Rh6+ 39.Kg1 Qc1+ 40.Kf2 Rf6+
41.Ke2 Qf1+ 42.Kd2 Rf2+ 43.Kc3
Qa1+ 44.Kc4 Rc2+ 45.Rc3 Qa2+ 0-1

Daw - Westmoreland CATALAN

1.d4 d5 2.Nf3 e6 3.c4 Nf6 4.g3 c5
5.Bg2 Nc6 6.0-0 cd 7.Nd4 Bc5 8.Nb3
Bb6 9.cd Nd5 10.e4 Ndb4 11.Qe2 Nd4
12.Nd4 Bd4 13.Nc3 0-0 14.a3 Nc6
15.Be3 Be3 16.Qe3 e5 17.Rad1 Qe8
18.Nd5 Rb8 19.f4 ef 20.Rf4 Be6



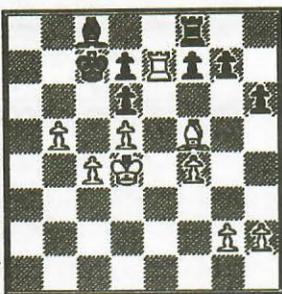
21.Rh4 Rd8
(see diagram)
22.Nf6+! gf
23.Qh6 Rd1+
24.Bf1 Bf5
24. ... Rf1+
25.Kf1 Bh3+
26.Kf2
25.ef 1-0

Bardwick - Ponomarev ENGLISH

1.c4 Nf6 2.Nc3 b6 3.e4 e5 4.Nf3
Bb4 5.d3 Nc6 6.Be2 h6 7.0-0 Qe7
8.Nb5 Bd6 9.d4 ed 10.Nd6+ cd 11.Nd4
Nd4 12.Qd4 0-0 13.f3 Qe5 14.Be3 Re8

15.Rad1 Re6 16.Qd2 Ba6 17.Bd4 Qa5
18.Qa5 ba 19.Bf6 Rf6 20.Rd5 Rc8
21.Ra5 Rc6 22.Rc1 Re6 23.b4 Re5
24.Rd5 Kf8 25.a4 Rd5 26.ed Rc7
27.Kf2 Ke7 28.b5 Bb7 29.Re1 Kf6
30.Bd3 Rc8 31.f4 a6 32.Re2 ab 33.ab

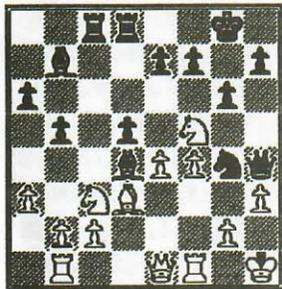
Ra8 34.Ke3
Ke7 35.Kd4+
Kd8 36.Bh7
Kc7 37.Re7
Rf8 38.Bf5
Bc8 (see dia-
gram) 39.c5
g6 40.b6+
Kd8 41.b7
Ke7 42.b8=Q dc+ 43.Kc5 gf 44.Qe5+
1-0



(after 38. ... Bc8)

Morrow - Murray
SICILIAN DRAGON

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 d6 3.d4 cd 4.Nd4 Nf6
5.Nc3 a6 6.Be2 g6 7.0-0 Bg7 8.Be3 b5
9.a3 0-0 10.Kh1 Bb7 11.Bd3 Nbd7
12.f3 Qc7 13.Nde2 Rac8 14.Qd2 Rfd8
15.Rab1 Ne5 16.Bd4 d5 17.Be5 Qe5
18.f4 Qh5 19.Ng3 Qh4 20.Qe1 Ng4
21.h3 Bd4 22.Nf5 (see diagram) Nf2+
23.Rf2 gf 24.Rf1 Qe1 25.Rbe1 fe



(after 22.Nf5)

26.Be2 Bf6
27.Bg4 e6
28.f5 Bc3 29.
bc ef 30.Rf5
Rc3 31.Rg5+
Kh8 32.Rf1
Rf8 33.Be6
Rc2 34.Bf5 f6
35.Rh5 Rc7
36.g4 d4 37.Kh2 d3 38.Rd1 Rc2+
39.Kg3 Rf7 40.Rh6 Re7 41.Rf6 e3
42.Bd3 Rg2+ 43.Kh4 e2 44.Re1 Re3
45.Rd6 Rgg3 46.Rd8+ Kg7 47.Rd7+
Kf6 48.g5+ Ke6 49.Rb7 Rh3+ 50.Kg4
Rhg3+ 51.Kh4 Rd3 52.Re2+ Kd5
53.Rh2 Ra3 54.Rh7 Rge3 55.g6 Ra4+
56.Kg5 Ke6 57.Kh6 Raa3 58.Rb7
Rh3+ 59.Rh3 Rh3+ 60.Kg7 Kf5
61.Kf7 Ke5 62.g7 Rf3+ 63.Ke8 Rg3
64.Kf8 Kd6 65.Rb6+ Kc5 66.Ra6
Rf3+?

Black could have still drawn with 66.
... b4, giving up his rook for the pawn.

It's tough sometimes to switch your
mind-set when you've had a winning
position earlier.

67.Ke7 Re3+ 68.Kf7 1-0

Shedd - Daw
QUEEN'S GAMBIT ACCEPTED

1.c4 Nf6 2.Nc3 c5 3.Nf3 e6 4.d4 d5
5.Bg5 dc 6.e4 Be7 7.Bc4 cd 8.Nd4 Qa5
9.Qd2 0-0 10.0-0 Rd8 11.Nd5

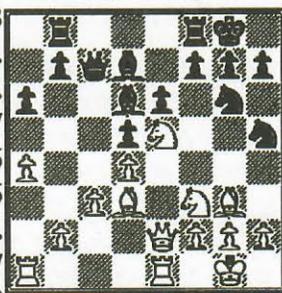
From here on out the players seem to
leave pieces hanging all over the place.
Desperado combinations evolve.

11. ... Qd2 12.Ne7+ Kf8 13.Bd2
Rd4 14.Nc8 Rd2 15.Rad1 Ne4 16.f3
Nc6 17.Na7 Ne5 18.Bb3 Rd1 19.Rd1
Nc5 20.Nb5 Nb3 21.ab Ke7 22.Kf1
Ra6 23.Rc1 Nc6 24.Na3 Rb6 25.Rc3
Na5 26.Rc7+ Kf6 27.Nc4 Nc4 28.bc
Rb2 29.c5 e5 30.c6 bc 31.Rc6+ Kf5
32.Rc7 Kf4 33.Rf7+ Ke3 34.g3 Rh2
35.Kg1 Rf2 36.f4 ef 37.gf Rf4 1/2-1/2

Duke - Schwartz
CARO-KANN EXCHANGE

1.e4 c6 2.d4 d5 3.ed cd 4.Bd3 Nc6
5.c3 Nf6 6.Bf4 e6 7.Nf3 Bd6 8.Ne5 Qc7
9.Qe2 0-0 10.Bg3 a6 11.a4 Bd7 12.0-0
Ne7 13.Nd2 Rab8 14.Ndf3 Ng6
15.Rfe1 Nh5 (see diagram) 16.Nd7
Ng3 17. Nf6+ gf 18.hg Rfe8 19. Nh4
B f 8

f5 21.
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B g 7
K h 8



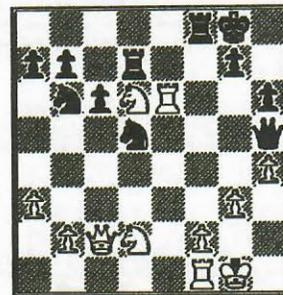
(after 15. ... Nh5)

20.Qh5
f4 Nh4
Q h 4
23.Qh5
24.Kf2
25.Qd1
R h 1
27.Qb3
28.Be2
29.Qf6
29.Rh4 Rg8 30.Rah1 Bf8 31.Qb6
Qd8 32.Qb3 Qf6 33.Ba6 Bg7 34.Be2
Qe7 35.g4 fg 36.Bg4 Qc7 37.g3 Qd6
38.Bd1 f6 39.Qc2 Qe7 40.Qg6 Rbd8
41.Rh6+ 1-0

Zulqernain - Shedd
SEMI-SOMETHING

1.d4 d5 2.e3 Bf5 3.Bd3 Bd3 4.Qd3

c6 5.Ne2 Nf6 6.Ng3 e6 7.c4 dc 8.Qc4
Bd6 9.Nc3 Nbd7 10.Nce4 Be7 11.Bd2
0-0 12.Bb4 Nd5 13.Be7 Qe7 14.a3 f5
15.Nd2 f4 16.ef Rf4 17.Nge4 e5 18.g3
Rf7 19.0-0 N7b6 20.Qc5 ed 21.Qd4
Rd8 22.Qc5 Qe5 23.Qc2 Rd8 24.Rae1
Qh5 25.h4 h6 26.Nd6 Rd7 27.Re6 (see
diagram) 27. Nf4! 28.Qe4



(after 27.Re6)

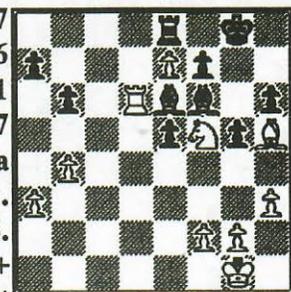
28.gf Qg4+
29.Kh2 Qh4+
30.Kg2 Qg4+
31.Kh2 Qe6
28. ... Ne6
29.Qe6+ Kh7
30.N2e4 Qd5
31.Qd5 cd
32.Nb7 Rb7
33.Nc5 Re7 34.Rd1 Re2 35.Nd3 Nc4
36.Nf4 Rb2 37.Rd5 Na3 38.Rd7 Nb5
39.Ne6 Rff2 40.Rg7+ Kh8 41.Rg6
Rfc2 42.Rh6+ Kg8 43.Rg6+ 0-1

Wilcox - Myers
QUEEN'S INDIAN
PETROSIAN SYSTEM

1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 e6 3.Nf3 b6 4.a3 Be7
5.Nc3 Bb7 6.Bf4 d6 7.e3 Nbd7 8.Be2
Nh5 9.0-0 Nf4 10.ef 0-0 11.Re1 Re8
12.Qd3 Bf8 13.Ng5 g6 14.d5 h6 15.Nf3
Nc5 16.Qc2 e5 17.b4 Nd7 18.f5 g5
19.Ne4 c6 20.Qd3 Nf6 21.Nf6+ Qf6
22.Qe4 Rac8 23.h3 Rc7 24.Nh2 Qe7
25.Bh5 Rec8 26.Ng4 cd 27.cd Rc4
28.f6 Re4 29.fe7 Re1+ 30.Re1 Bg7
31.Ne3 Re8 32.Nf5 Bd5 33.Rd1 Be6
34.Rd6 Bf6 (see diagram)

34. ... Bf5 35.Rd8 Bd7 36.Rd7 Bf6
37.Ra7 Re7

35.Re6 fe 36.Nh6+ Kg7 37.Be8
Kh6 38.Bd7
Be7 39.Be6
Kg7 40.Kf1
Kf6 41.Bd7
a5 42.ba ba
43.a4 e4 44.
Ke2 Ke5 45.
f3 Kf4 46.g3+
Kg3 47.fe Kf4



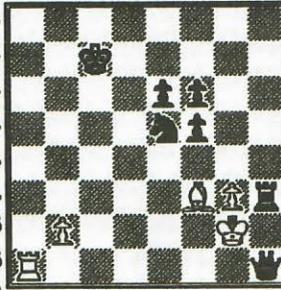
(after 34. ... Bf6)

48.Bf5 Bd6 49.Kd3 Ke5 50.Ke3 Be7
51.Kf3 Bf6 52.Kg4 Be7 1/2-1/2

Neal-Gliksman - McCarty
FRENCH RUBINSTEIN VAR.

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.Nc3 de 4.Ne4 Nf6
5.Nf6+ gf 6.Nf3 b6 7.Bb5+ c6 8.Bd3
Qc7 9.Qe2 Bb7 10.Bd2 Nd7 11.0-0 h5
12.a4 a5 13.c4 0-0-0 14.c5 bc 15.Qe1
Rg8 16.Ba5 Qf4 17.Qe4 Qe4 18.Be4
Re8 19.dc Nc5 20.Bc2 Ba6 21.Rfc1
Bh6 22.Bd2 Be2 23.Bd1 Bd1 24.Rd1
Bd2 25.Nd2 Rd8 26.b4 Nd3 27.Ne4 f5
28.Nf6 Rh8 29.b5 cb 30.ab Kb7
31.Nh5 Rh5 32.Ra3 Rdh8 33.Rdd3
Rh2 34.Kf1 Rc8 35.Rac3 Rc3 36.Rc3
Rh1+ 37.Ke2 Rb1 38.Rh3 Rb5 39.Rh7
Kc6 40.Rf7 Kd6 41.g3 Ke5 42.Rd7
Rb2+ 43.Ke3 Rb3+ ½-½

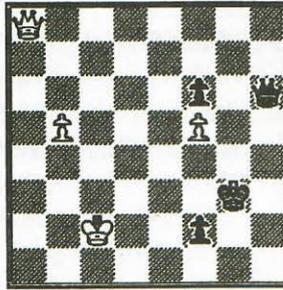
Bg3 22.Qc7+ Kc7 23.Bg5 Rd7 24.Bf6
Rh7 25.Kc2 Rd1 26.Rd1 Nd7 27.Bg5
f6 28.Be3 Bh4 29.Ba7 b6 30. Bf3 Bf2
31.a4 Ne5 32. a5 Nc4 33.
ab+ Bb6 34. Bb6+ Nb6 35.
Rh1 h4 36. Kd3 Nd7 37.
Ra1 h3 38.g3 h2 39.Ke3
Rh3 40.Kf2 Ne5 41.Kg2 h1=Q+ (see diagram) 0-1



(final position)

Roode - Daw
ACCELERATED DRAGON

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.d4 cd 4.Nd4
g6 5.Nc3 Bg7 6.Be3 Nf6 7.Be2 0-0
8.Qd2 d5 9.ed Nd5 10.Nc6 bc 11.Rd1
Bb7 12.Bd4 Bd4 13.Qd4 Qa5 14.Qa4
Qb6 15.Nd5 cd 16.b3 Rac8 17.c4 dc
18.Bc4 Bg2 19.Rg1 Bc6 20.Qa3 Bb5
21.Bb5 Qb5 22.Qa7 Rc6 23.Rg3 Ra6
24.Qd7 Qe5+ 25.Re3 Qh2 26.Rd2 Rf6
27.Qh3 Qf4 28.Re7 Qb4 29.Qe3 Rd6
30.Re4 Qa3 31.Rd6 Qd6 32.a4 Qa3
33.Kf1 Rb8 34.Re8+ Re8 35.Qe8+
Kg7 36.Qe5+ f6 37.Qb5 Qc1+ 38.Kg2
h5 39.a5 Qd1 40.Qb7+ Kh6 41.Qf3
Qd6 42.b4 g5 43.b5 g4 44.Qe3+ Kg6
45.Qe4+ Kg5 46.a6 h4 47.f4+ Kh6
48.Qe3 Qd5+ 49.Kf2 h3 50.f5+ Kh5
51.a7 Qg2+ 52.Ke1 h2 53.Qe8+ Kg5
54.Qg6+ Kf4 55.Qh6+ Kg3 56.Qe3+



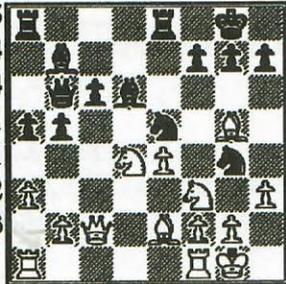
(after 60. ... f2)

Qf3 57.Qf3+
gf 58.a8=Q
h1=Q+ 59.
Kd2 Qh6+
60. Kc2 f2
(see diagram)
61.b6? f1=Q
62.b7 Qc4+
0-1

Bardwick - Brunt
DUTCH

Buchanan - Ponomarev
SEMI-SLAV MERAN VAR.

1.d4 d5 2.c4 e6 3.Nc3 c6 4.e3 Nf6
5.Nf3 Nbd7 6.Bd3 dc 7.Bc4 b5 8.Bd3
Bb7 9.a3 a5 10.0-0 Bd6 11.e4 e5
12.Be3 0-0 13.Ne2 Re8 14.Qc2 ed
15.Ned4 Ne5 16.Be2 Nfg4 17.Bg5 Qb6
18.h3 (see diagram) c5 19.Ne5 Be5
20.Nb5



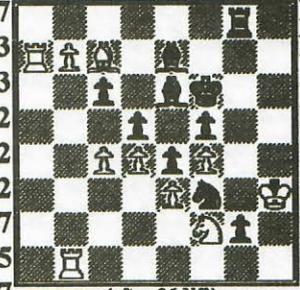
(after 18.h3)

21.Qc4
22.Bg4
23.Rfe1
24.Qf1
25.Be2
26.g3
27.f3
27.Kh2
27. ... Qe3+ 28.Kg2 h4 29.Rad1
Qg5 30.Kh1 Bg3 31.Qg2 Qe5 32.Nc3
Be1 33.Rd5 Qe6 34.Bc4 Bc3 35.bc
Qe1+ 36.Kh2 Qc3 37.Rc5 Qd4 38.Rc7
Qf4+ 0-1

Derman - Lundstrom
CARO-KANN

1.e4 c6 2.d4 d5 3.Nd2 de 4.Ne4 Nf6
5.Nf6+ gf 6.Bc4 h5 7.Ne2 Bf5 8.Ng3
Bg6 9.h4 e6 10.c3 Bd6 11.Qf3 Nd7
12.Ne4 Be4 13.Qe4 Qc7 14.Bd2 0-0-0
15.0-0-0 Kb8 16.Kb1 c5 17.Be2 Nb6
18.dc Bc5 19.c4 Bf2 20.Rhfl f5 21.Qf4

Kh8 17.Ng3 Qd1 18.Rfd1 Nb6 19.Bf1
Be6 20.a4 Rg8 21.Kh1 Ng4 22.Rdc1
h5 23.Nd1 h4 24.a5 hg 25.ab Nh2
26. b7
27.Bh3
28.Bc3
29.Rc2
30.Ra2
31.Kg2
32.Ra7
33.Ba5
34.Bc7
35.Kh3 g2 36.Nf2 (see diagram)
g1=N+



(after 36.Nf2)

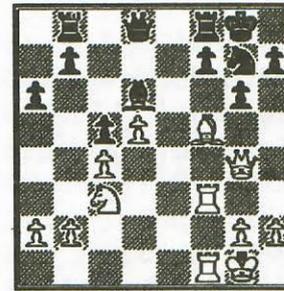
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37.Rg1 Ng1+ 38.Kh2 Nf3+ ½-½

Reserve

Zalevsky - Aragon
CZECH BENONI

1.e4 e6 2.d4 c5 3.d5 d6 4.c4 e5
5.Nc3 a6 6.Bd3 Nf6 7.Nge2 Be7 8.0-0
0-0 9.f4 ef 10.Bf4 Bg4 11.Qe1 Bh5
12.Ng3 Bg6 13.Nf5 Qc7 14.e5 de
15.Be5 Qd8 16.Bb8 Bf5 17.Bf5 Rb8
18.Rf3 Bd6 19.Qh4 g6 20.Raf1 Nh5
21.Qg4 Ng7 (see diagram) 22.Ne4! h5



(after 21. ... Ng7)

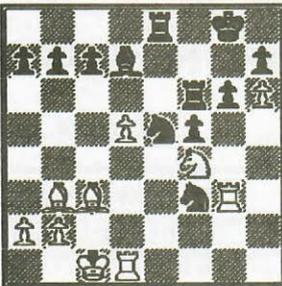
23.Qh3 Be5
23. ... Nf5
24.Rf5 gf 25.
Rf5 and Fritz2
found a huge
plus for White.
24. B g 6
Qe7 25.Rf7
Rf7 26.Bf7+
Kh8 27.Bh5 Bd4+ 28.Kh1 Qe4
29.Bg6+ 1-0

Broadie - Stuart
PHILIDOR

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 d6 3.Bc4 Be7 4.0-0
Nf6 5.Nc3 0-0 6.d4 ed 7.Nd4 Nbd7 8.f4
c6 9.Qe2 Qc7 10.Nf5 Bd8 11.Rd1
Qb6+ 12.Kh1 Nc5 13.Nd6 Bg4 14.Qe1
Bd1 15.Qd1 Na6 16.e5 Ne8 17.Nf7 Rf7
18.Qd7 Qf2 19.Bf7+ 1-0

Johnson - Dail
QUEEN'S GAMBIT DECLINED

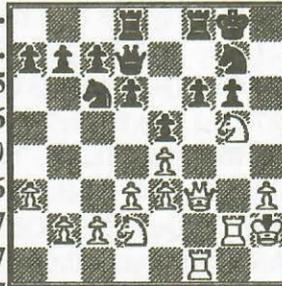
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5.Qa4+ Nc6 6.Bd2 Bc3 7.Bc3 Bd7
8.Qd1 e4 9.f3 Bf5 10.g4 Be6 11.Bg2
0-0 12.Ne2 ef 13.Bf3 Ng4 14.cd Ne3
15.Qd3 Nd5 16.Rg1 Qh4+ 17.Rg3 Nf4
18.Qe4 Ng6 19.d5 Nce5 20.0-0-0 Qe4
21.Be4 Bd7 22.h4 f5 23.Bc2 Rae8
24.h5 Nh4 25.Nf4 Nh3 26.h6 g6
27.Bb3 Rf6 (see diagram) 28.d6+ Kf8
29.dc Rc6 30.Rf3 Rc7 31.Rf2Ng4
32.Rc2 Bc6 33.Ne6+ Re6 34.Be6 Ne3
35.Rd8+ Ke7
36.Rcd2 Ke6
37.Rf8 Rd7
38.Rg8 Rd2
39.Bd2 Ng4
40.Rg6+ Ke5
41.Rg7 Nf6
42.Re7+ Kd6
43.Rf7 Ke6
(after 27. ... Rf6)



5.Bb2 Qc7 6.g3 Nge7 7.Bg2 Ng6 8.Qe2
Be7 9.0-0 d4 10.Re1 0-0 11.d3 f6
12.Nbd2 fe 13.Nc4 Bf6 14.Nfd2 b5
15.Bc6 Qc6 16.Na3 Bb7 17.Ne4 Rf7
18.Qg4 Raf8 19.Re2 Bd8 20.Rf1 Rf5
21.f3 Ne7 22.Bc1 Nd5 23.Bh6 R8f7
24.Nb5 Nf6 25.Nf6+ R5f6 26.Na7 Rf3
27.Nc6 Rf1+ 28.Kg2 Bc6+ 29.Re4
R1f2+ 30.Kh3 Bd5 31.Bg5 Be4 32.de
Bg5 33.Qg5 Rc2 34.Qe5 Rf6 35.Qb8+
Kf7 36.Qc7+ Kg6 37.Qd7 Re2
38.Qe8+ Kh6 39.Qc6 d3 40.Qc5 d2
41.g4 Rf3+ 0-1

Bales - Broadie
GIUCO PIANO CANAL VAR.

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bc4 Bc5 4.d3
d6 5.0-0 Nf6 6.Be3 Be3 7.fe 0-0 8.Nbd2
Bg4 9.h3 Bd7 10.a3 Qe7 11.Rf2 Rad8
12.Qe2 Be6 13.Be6 Qe6 14.Ng5 Qe7
15.Raf1 h6 16.Ng3 Nh5 17.Kh2 g6 18.
g4 Ng7 19.
Rg2 Qe6 20.
g5 hg 21.Ng5
Qd7 22.Qf3 f6
(see diagram)



Smith - Cronin
SICILIAN PAULSEN VAR.

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 e6 3.d4 cd 4.Nd4 a6
5.Bd3 Qc7 6.Nc3 Nf6 7.Bd2 Nc6 8.Nc6
bc 9.Qe2 d6 10.0-0 Be7 11.Rfe1 e5
12.Bg5 Bg4 13.f3 Qb6+ 14.Kh1 Qb2
15.fg Qc3 16.Bf6 Bf6 17.Ba6 0-0
18.Bc4 Rad8 19.Bb3 g6 20.Qe3 Qa5
21.a4 d5 22.Red1 d4 23.Qe1 Qa6
24.Qf1 Qf1+ 25.Rf1 Bg5 26.h3 Bf4
27.Rf3 c5 28.c4 d3 29.a5 d2 30.Rff1
Rd4 31.a6 Ra8 32.Rfd1 Re4 33.Kg1
Rd4 34.Kf2 e4 35.g3 e3+ 36.Kf3 e2
37.Ke2 Re8+ 38.Kf3 Re3+ 39.Kf2 Rg3
40.a7 Rd8 41.a8=Q Ra8 42.Ra8+ Kg7
43.Bc2 Rh3 44.Ke2 Rc3 45.Rd2 Bd2
46.Kd2 Rc4 47.Bd1 Rd4+ 48.Ke1 c4
49.Ra4 Re4+ 50.Be2 f5 51.gf gf
52.Rc4 Rc4 53.Bc4 1/2-1/2

DeMayola - Zalevsky
CLOSED SICILIAN

1.e4 e6 2.Nf3 d5 3.e5 c5 4.b3 Nc6

Sallee - Strandberg
CLOSED SICILIAN

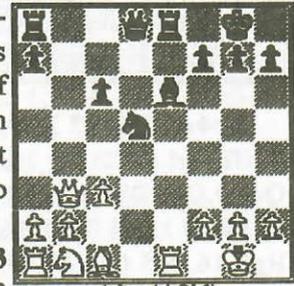
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5.Bg2 Bg4 6.0-0 Qd7 7.c3 e5 8.Nbd2
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12.f4 Bg2 13.Kg2 ef 14.Rf3 Ne5 15.Rf4
g5 16.Rf6 gh 17.Rf5 hg 18.Qg3 0-0-0
19.Qf4 Rdg8+ 20.Kh1 Ng4 21.Nf3
Nf2# 0-1

Smith - Marget
GIUCO PIANO

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bc4 Bc5 4.0-0
Nf6 5.Ne5? Ne5 6.d4 Bd4? 7.Qd4 Nc4
8.Qc4 d5 9.ed5 Nd5 10.Re1+ Be6
11.Qb5+ c6 12.Qb7 0-0 13.c3 Re8
14.Qb3 (see diagram)

This tactical game has its share of mistakes from both sides, but it's fun to watch.

14. ... Ne3
15. Qa4 Nc2
16. Qc2 Bb3 17. Re8+ Qe8 18. Qd2 Rd8
19. ab Rd2 20. Bd2 Qe2 21. h3 Qd1+
22. Kh2 Qb3



If White can get his pieces untangled, there would be good winning chances. But that's not easy to do.

23. Ra7?

23. Bc1 h6 24. Nc2 Qc2 25. f3 Kh7
26. Nc4 Qe2 27. Ne3 Qe1 and white is still tied down. It seems like there should be something for white.

23. ... Qb8+ 24. g3 Qa7 25. Be3 Qa2
26. Nd2 Qb2 27. c4

Despite Black's material plus, it is still a lot of work to break through for a win because of the balanced pawn structure.

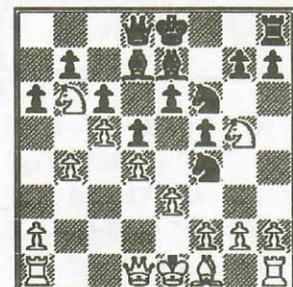
27. ... f5 28. c5 Kf7 29. Kg2 Qe5
30. Nf3

But this simplifies Black's task, because the pin of the knight ties white down.

30. ... Qe4 31. h4 Kg6 32. Bd4 Kf7
33. Be3 Kg6 34. Bd4 Kh6 35. Be3+ Kh5
36. Bd4 Kg4 37. Kf1 Qf3 38. Ke1 Qd3
0-1

Yurkus - Bales
LENINGRAD DUTCH

1. d4 f5 2. c4 e6 3. Nc3 Nf6 4. Nf3 d5
5. Bf4 c6 6. c5 Be7 7. b4 a6 8. Na4 Nbd7
9. Ng5 Nf8 10. Nb6 Ng6 11. Na8 Nf4
12. e3 Bd7 13. Nb6 (see diagram) Qb6!



14. ef
14. cb Bb4+
14. ... Qb4+
15. Qd2 Qd2+
16. Kd2 h6
17. Nf3 Ne4+
18. Ke3 Bf6
19. Rb1 Bc8
20. Bd3 g5

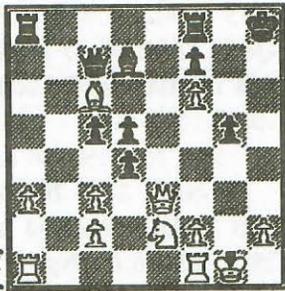
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38. ... Ng3 39.fe Nh5 40.e7 Bd7 41.Rf8 Ng7 42.Rb8 Nf5+ 43.Kf2!

39.Rh4+ Kg7 40.Rxh1 Bd7 41.Kf4 Kf7 42.Kg5 Kg7 43.Rh6 Kf7 44.Rh8 1-0

Moore - Reitfors
FRENCH WINAWER

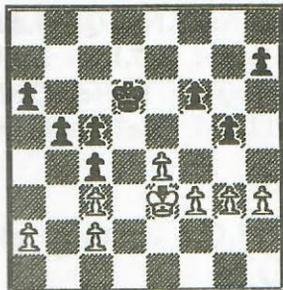
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(after 17... ed)

Nickelson - Calkins
RUY LOPEZ EXCHANGE VAR.

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bb5 a6 4.Bc6 dc 5.d4 ed 6.Qd4 Qd4 7.Nd4 Bc5 8.Nf3 Nf6 9.Nc3 Bb4 10.0-0 Bc3 11.bc 0-0 12.Re1 Re8 13.Nd2 Be6 14.Bb2 Rad8 15.Nf3 b5 16.h3 Nd7 17.Nd4 Ne5 18.Ne6 Re6 19.f3 Nc4 20.Bc1 Red6 21.Kf1 f6 22.Bf4 R6d7 23.Ke2 g5



(after 34... Kd6)

24.Be3 Ne3 25.Ke3 Rd2 26.Re2 Re2+ 27.Ke2 c5 28.Rd1 Rd6 29.Rd2 Kf7 30.Ke3 Ke6 31.Rd3 Ke5 32.g3 c4 33. Rd4 c5 34.Rd6 Kd6 (see diagram) 35.f4 h6 36.Kf3 h5 37.fg fg 38.h4 gh 39.gh Ke5 40.Ke3 a5 41.Kf3 b4 42.Ke3 a4 43.Kf3 b3 0-1

Johnson - Carson
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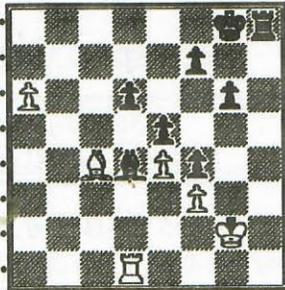
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Cronin - Sallee
MODERN DEFENSE

1.e4 g6 2.d4 Bg7 3.Nf3 c6 4.Be3 d5 5.e5 Nh6 6.h3 0-0 7.g4 f6 8.Qd2 Nf7 9.ef ef 10.Nc3 f5 11.0-0-0 fg 12.Ng5 Ng5 13.Bg5 Bf6 14.Bh6 b6 15.hg Bg4 16.Be2 Be2 17.Ne2 Re8 18.f4 c5 19.f5 Re2 20.Qe2 Bg5+ 21.Kb1 Bh6 22.Qe6+ Kg7 23.fg hg 24.Rdf1 Qg8 25.Qf6+ Kh7 26.Rh6+ 1-0

Spentzos - Yurkus
CLOSED RUY LOPEZ

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bb5 a6 4.Ba4 Nf6 5.0-0 b5 6.Bb3 Be7 7.Re1 d6 8.c3 Bg4 9.h3 Bh5 10.d4 0-0 11.d5 Na5 12.Bc2 Nc4 13.a4 Nb6 14.Nbd2 h6 15.Nf1 Bg6 16.a5 Nbd7 17.b4 Nh5 18.g4 Nf4 19.Bf4 ef 20.Nd4 Ne5 21.Nh2 Bh4 22.Rf1 Qg5 23.Ndf3 Qf6 24.Ne5 de 25.Qf3 h5 26.Kh1 hg 27.Qg4 Qg5 28.Qg Bg5 29.Nf3 Bf6 30.Rg1 Bh5 31.Bd1 Bf3+ 32.Bf3 Rad8 33.Rad1 Rd6 34.Be2 Bh4 35.f3 Rh6 36.c4 bc 37.Bc4 Rb8 38.d6 cd 39.Ba6 Rb4 40.Ra1 Bf2 41.Rgf1 Bd4 42. Ra2 Rh3+ 43. Kg2 Rg3+ 44. Kh2 Rb2+ 45. Rb2 Bb2 46. Be2 Bd4 47. a6 Rg5 48. Rd1 Rh5+ 49. Kg2 Rh8 50. Bc4 g6 (see



(after 50... g6)

diagram) 51.Rd4 ed 52.a7 Kg7 53.Bd5

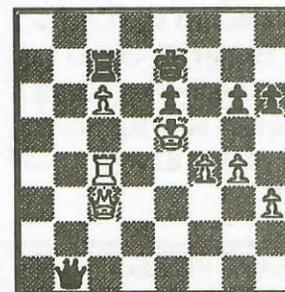
f5 54.ef gf 57.a8=Q Ra8 56.Ba8 Kf6 57.Bd5?

White should win here, but the first priority is to get the king over to the d-file. This move presents Black with 2 extra moves needed to get to the center. 57.Kf2 d3 58.Ke1 Ke5 59.Kd2 Kd4 60.Bb7 lets White pick up the black pawns at his leisure.

57. ... d3
But this may be a draw...
58.Kf2 Ke5 59.Bb7 Kd4 60.Ke1 Ke3 61.Kd1 d2 62.Bc6 Kd3 63.Bd7 Ke3 64.Bc6 1/2-1/2

Bales - Kessler
SICILIAN SCHEVENINGEN

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 d6 3.Bc4 e6 4.Nc3 a6 5.a3 Nc6 6.0-0 Nf6 7.d4 cd 8.Nd4 Nd4 9.Qd4 b5 10.Ba2 Bb7 11.Bg5 Be7 12.Rad1 Rc8 13.Rd2 0-0 14.Rfd1 Qe8 15.Bf6 Bf6 16.Qd6 Bc3 17.bc Be4 18.Qa6 Ra8 19.Qb6 Rb8 20.Qd6 Rc8 21.Qe5 Bb7 22.Qd6 Rc3 23.Bb3 h6 24.Qb6 Bd5 25.Bd5 ed 26.Rd5 Ra3 27.h3 Ra8 28.Qb5 Qe4 29.Qd3 Qa4 30.c4 Qc6 31.Qc3 Rae8 32.c5 Re6 33.Rd6 Qa4 34.Rc1 Rc8 35.Re6 fe 36.c6 Re7 37.Qc5 Qf4 38.Rc4 Qf8 39.Qe5 Qe7 40.f4 g6 41.g4 Kf7 42.Kf2



(after 46... Ke7)

Qd8 43.Ke3 Qb8 44.Qc3 Qb6+ 45.Ke4 Qb1+ 46.Ke5 Ke7 (see diagram) 47. Qb4+ Qb4 48.Rb4 Rc6 49.Rb7+ Kf8 50. Kf6 Ke8 51.Re7+ Kf8 52.Re6 Rc4 53.Kg6 Rf4 54.Rf6+ Rf6+ 55.Kf6 1-0

Strandberg - Calkins
SPIKE

1.g4 e5 2.Bg2 Nf6 3.g5 Nh5 4.d4 Nf4 5.Bf4 ef 6.Nf3 d5 7.Qd2 Bd6 8.Nc3 c6 9.h4 Bf5 10.Ne5 Be5 11.de g6 12. 0-0-0 Nd7 13.Qf4 Qc7 14.Bh3 Qe5 15.Qe5+ Ne5 16.Bf5 gf 17.Rd4 Ke7 18.Nd1 Nc4 19.Rh3 h6 20.gh Rh6

21.Rf4 Rh5 22.b3 Nd6 23.Ne3 Rg8
24.Rhf3 Ke6 25.Kd2 Rg1 26.Rh3 c5
27.Ra4 d4 28.Nf5 Ne4+ 0-1

Schine - Carson
SEMI-SLAV

1.d4 d5 2.c4 c6 3.Nc3 Nf6 4.Nf3
Nbd7 5.Qc2 e6 6.a3 Be7 7.e4 de 8.Ne4
Ne4 9.Qe4 Nf6 10.Qc2 h6 11.Bd3 0-0
12.0-0 c5 13.Be3 b6 14.Rad1 Qc7
15.Ne5 Bd6 16.f4 Be5 17.fe Ng4
18.Qe2 Ne3 19.Qe3 cd 20.Qe4 g6
21.Qa8 Bb7 22.Qf8+ Kf8 23.Bg6 f5
24.Bf5 ef 25.Rf5+ Ke8 26.Rdf1 Qc4
27.Rf6 Ba6 28.e6 Ke7 29.Rh6 Qf1#
0-1

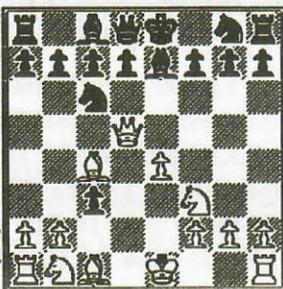
Jennings - Cohen
SEMI-SLAV

1.d4 d5 2.c4 c6 3.Nf3 g6 4.Nc3 e6
5.e3 Bg7 6.Bd3 Ne7 7.0-0 0-0 8.Re1
Nd7 9.e4 de 10.Ne4 Nf5 11.Be3 Ne3
12.Re3 Bh6 13.Re1 Nf6 14.Nf6+ Qf6
15.Ne5 Qe7 16.Qb3 Qh4 17.Re4 Qd8
18.Rae1 Bg7 19.Bc2 f6 20.Nf3 a6 21.a4
Kh8 22.Rh4 Qe8 23.d5 e5 24.d6 Rb8
25.c5 Be6 26.Qd3 Bf5 27.Qd2 Qe6
28.Bf5 gf 29.Qd1 Qd5 30.Qd5 cd
31.Rd1 d4 32.b4 Kg8 33.Nd2 b5 34.a5
Rfd8 35.Nf1 h6 36.Ng3 f4 37.Nf5 Kf7
38.Nh6+ Kg6 39.Ng4 f5 40.Rc1 Rd7
41.Rh6+ Kf7 42.Ne5+ Be5 43.Rh7+
Bg7 44.Re1 Kg6 45.Rh4 Kg5 46.Rh7
Kg6 47.Rh4 d3 48.Rf4 d2 49.Rd1 Re8
50.Kf1 Bc3 0-1

Brunette - Broadie
GÖRING GAMBIT

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.d4 ed 4.c3 dc
5.Bc4 Be7 6.Qd5 1-0 (see diagram)

Black resigned, even though the po-
sition is fairly even! The
tricky point is
that 6. ... Nh6
7.Bh6 0-0 8.
Bc1 Nb4 9.
Qd1 c2 is actu-
ally good for



(after 6.Qd5)

Black.

Gardner - Bartlow
COLLE SYSTEM

1.d4 Nf6 2.Nf3 d5 3.e3 e6 4.Bd3
Be7 5.0-0 b6 6.Nbd2 Bb7 7.Ne5 0-0
8.b3 c5 9.Bb2 Nbd7 10.Ndf3 Rc8 11.c4
Ne4 12.Rc1 Ndf6 13.Qe2 Rc7 14.cd ed
15.dc bc 16.Rfd1 Qa8 17.Nd4 a6
18.Nf5 Rfc8 19.Ne7+ Re7 20.Ng4 Ng4
21.Qg4 g6 22.f3 Nd6 23.Qf4 Ne8 24.h4
Rc6 25.h5 Qc8 26.hg fg 27.Kf2 Qc7
28.Qg5 Rce6 29.Bd4 Qa5
29. ... cd 30.Rc7 de+ 31.Qe3 Re3
32.Rb7 Rd3 33.Re7 Rd1 34.Re8+ Kf7
30.Bc5 Qa2+ 31.Rc2 Re5 32.Ra2
Rg5 33.Be7 1-0

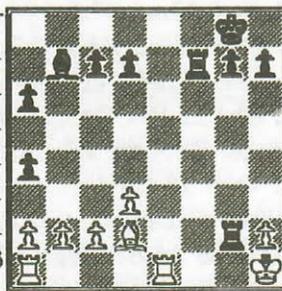
Draney - Marget
RUY LOPEZ

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bb5 a6 4.Ba4
Nf6 5.Nc3 Bc5 6.Ne5 Ne4 7.Nc6 Bf2+
8.Kf1 Nc3 9.Nd8 Nd1 10.Ke2 b5
11.Rd1 ba 12.Kf2 0-0 13.Nf7 Rf7+
14.Kg1 Bb7 15.d3 Re8 16.Bd2 Re2
17.Re1 Rg2+ 18.Kh1 (see diagram)
Rd2+?

18. ... Rf1+ 19.Rf1 Rg6+ 20.Rf3
Bf3#

19.Kg1 Rg2+ 20.Kh1 Rc2+ 21.Kg1

R g 2 +
K h 1
23.Kg1
24.Kh1
25.Kg1
26.Ra1
27.Re1
28. h 3
29.Rf1
30.Kf1 0-1



(after 18.Kh1)

Membership Meeting Open

Splichal - Laor
EXCHANGE RUY LOPEZ

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bb5 a6 4.Bc6
dc 5.0-0 f6 6.d4 Bg4 7.d5 cd 8.Qd5
Qd5 9.ed Bf3 10.gf 0-0-0 11.c4 f5
12.Nc3 Nf6 13.Bg5 Bc5 14.Ne2 h6

15.Be3 Be7 16.a3 b5 17.b3 Nd7
18.Rac1 Ba3 19.Ra1 b4 20.Rfd1 Nb6
21.Bb6 cb 22.Ra2 Rd6 23.Rc2 Kb7
24.f4 ef 25.Nf4 Rhd8 26.Re1 Rc8
27.Re7+ Rc7 28.Rc7+ Kc7 29.Ne6+
Kd7 30.f4 a5 31.Nd4 Rg6+ 32.Kf2 Rg4
33.Ne6 g5 34.h3 Rh4 35.Kg3 Kd6
36.Rf2 Bc1 37.fg hg 38.Rf5 Bf4+
39.Nf4 Rf4 40.Rg5 Rf1 41.Rg6+ Kc5
1-0

Dieckhoff - Hansen
CENTER COUNTER

1.e4 d5 2.ed Qd5 3.Nc3 Qa5 4.Bc4
Nf6 5.Nf3 Bg4 6.d4 e6 7.Bd2 c6 8.0-0
Qh5 9.Be2 Bd6 10.Ne5 Be2 11.Qe2
Qe2 12.Ne2 Nbd7 13.Nc4 Bc7 14.Bf4
Bf4 15.Nf4 Ke7 16.Rfe1 Nb6 17.Ne3
Rhd8 18.c4 Kf8

18. ... Nc4 19.Nc4 Rd4 20.Ne6 fe
19.Rad1 Rd7 20.b3 Rad8 21.Ne2
Nc8 22.f3 Ne7 23.g4 h6 24.Kf2 Ng6
25.f4 c5 26.dc Ng4+ 27.Kf3 Nh2+
28.Kg3 Rd1 29.Nd1 Rd2 30.Ndc3 Rc2
31.Rh1 e5 32.fe Ne5 33.Rh2 Nd3
34.Na4 Ra2 35.Nec3 Ra3 36.Rd2 Nc1
37.b4 g5 38.Kg4 Kg7 39.Rd7 Kg6
40.Rb7 Ne2 41.Kf3 Nc3 42.Nc3 Rc3+
43.Ke4 Rc4+ 44.Kd5 Rc1 45.Ra7 g4
46.Ra6+ Kg5 47.c6 g3 48.Ra2 h5 1/2-1/2

A note on one scoresheet says
"Drawn - Black in time trouble or
would've won".

Nelson - Drake
PETROV'S DEFENSE

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nf6 3.Ne5 Qe7 4.d4
Ne4 5.Be3 g6 6.Bc4 f6 7.Bf7+ Kd8
8.Bg6 fe 9.Be4 Qb4+ 10.Nc3 Qb2
11.Bg5+ Be7 12.Be7+ Ke7 13.Nd5+
Kd8 14.0-0

Or 14.Qf3
14. ... ed 15.Qf3 d3 16.c3 c6
17.Qf6+ 1-0 (2)



2nd Annual Aurora Open

Director: Dave Quarve

Sept. 30-Oct. 1

| | <u>rating</u> | <u>Rd 1</u> | <u>Rd 2</u> | <u>Rd 3</u> | <u>Rd 4</u> | <u>Rd 5</u> | <u>Tot</u> |
|----------------------------|---------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|------------|
| 1 Roland Mombelli | 1693 | W6 | W9 | W8 | D2 | D3 | 4.0 |
| 2 Francis Toften..... | 2087 | Bye | W7 | W3 | D1 | W10 | 3.5 |
| 3 Ronald MacRall..... | 1499 | W15 | W5 | L2 | W8 | D1 | 3.5 |
| 4 David Barbour | 1722 | W12 | L8 | D10 | W7 | D5 | 3.0 |
| 5 Steve Artis | 1675 | W13 | L3 | W14 | D6 | D4 | |
| 6 Anthony Cordova..... | 1311 | L1 | W15 | W9 | D5 | D8 | |
| 7 Brent Truskowski..... | 1122 | W10 | D2 | Bye | L4 | W12 | |
| 8 Michael Fuchs | 1621 | W11 | W4 | L1 | L3 | D6 | 2.5 |
| 9 Gottfried Kessler..... | 1620 | W14 | L1 | L6 | D12 | W13 | |
| 10 Paul Adams | 1410 | L7 | W13 | D4 | W11 | L2 | |
| 11 Terry Griffin | 1283 | L8 | D12 | W15 | L10 | --- | 1.5 |
| 12 Constantine Vigderman . | Unr. | L4 | D11 | D13 | D9 | L7 | |
| 13 Jeremy Nichols | Unr. | L5 | L10 | D12 | W14 | L9 | |
| 14 Douglas Anderson..... | 1279 | L9 | Bye | L5 | L13 | --- | 1.0 |
| 15 Walter Swietlik | Unr. | L3 | L6 | L11 | --- | --- | 0.0 |

COLORADO'S TOP

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Based on the October 1995
USCF Rating Supplement

| | | |
|---------------------------|------|----|
| 1 David Neal | 2459 | t5 |
| 2 Michael Mulyar | 2434 | s8 |
| 3 Randy Canney | 2370 | m6 |
| 4 Jerry Kearns | 2365 | s2 |
| 5 James McCarty | 2365 | m8 |
| 6 Michael Ginat | 2310 | M4 |
| 7 Mikhail Ponomarev | 2272 | M0 |
| 8 Bob Fordon..... | 2232 | X4 |
| 9 Todd Bardwick | 2231 | m7 |
| 10 Bruce Monson | 2218 | m6 |
| 11 Robert Karnisky | 2166 | m4 |
| 12 Sage Mo | 2150 | X7 |
| 13 Geoffrey Genz | 2149 | X6 |
| 14 Ron Deike..... | 2138 | m2 |
| 15 Scott Lett | 2129 | X0 |

Colorado Springs Chess

Director: Richard Buchanan

October 1995

Club Championship

prize winners in bold print

| | <u>rating</u> | <u>Rd1</u> | <u>Rd2</u> | <u>Rd3</u> | <u>Rd4</u> | <u>Tot</u> |
|---------------------------------------|---------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| 1 Chris Brunt | 2021 | W18 | W11 | W4 | W6 | 4.0 |
| 2 Richard Buchanan | 1965 | W13 | W5 | D3 | W7 | 3.5 |
| 3 Nate Winterfield | 1736 | W14 | W15 | D2 | D8 | 3.0 |
| 4 Jeff Fox | 1834 | W20 | W16 | L1 | W12 | |
| 5 Davar Alai | 1676 | W23 | L2 | W17 | W10 | |
| 6 Dan Avery | 2080 | W22 | W8 | D7 | L1 | 2.5 |
| 7 Red Turner | 1910 | W17 | W10 | D6 | L2 | |
| 8 John Farrington..... | 1851 | W19 | L6 | W18 | D3 | |
| 9 Josh Bullard | 1362 | L11 | W13 | W22 | D16 | |
| 10 Dave Fisch..... | 1684 | W21 | L7 | W14 | L5 | 2.0 |
| 11 Charles Martin..... | 1719 | W9 | L1 | L12 | W19 | |
| 12 Jesse Arnsteen..... | 1518 | L15 | W21 | W11 | L4 | |
| 13 Katie Roberts-Hoffman | 1459 | L2 | L9 | W21 | W20 | |
| 14 Allen Ufer | 1388 | L3 | W19 | L10 | W17 | |
| 15 Ron Smits | 1990 | W12 | L3 | WF | --- | |
| 16 Josh Bloomer | 1558 | W24 | L4 | --- | D9 | 1.5 |
| 17 Jacob Herold..... | 1420 | L7 | W24 | L5 | L14 | 1.0 |
| 18 Kris Markey | 1485 | L1 | W20 | L8 | --- | |
| 19 Gary Frenzel..... | 1405 | L8 | L14 | W23 | L11 | |
| 20 Ted Roberts | 1398 | L10 | L12 | L13 | W24 | |
| 21 Matthew Herold | 1288 | L6 | --- | L9 | W23 | |
| 22 Anthea Carson | 1524 | L6 | --- | L9 | W23 | |
| 23 Tory Roberts-Hoffman.. | 1216 | L5 | --- | L19 | L22 | 0.0 |
| 24 Charles Brunette | 1200 | L16 | L17 | L20 | L21 | |

3rd Annual Elk Hunt Alternative

Director: Ron MacRall

Oct. 14-15

Game Selections: Carl Van Laethem

Open Section

| | rating | Rd1 | Rd2 | Rd3 | Rd4 | Rd5 | Tot |
|---------------------------|--------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 1 James Mc Carty | 2326 | W4 | W3 | W2 | W5 | D6 | 4.5 |
| 2 Francis Toften..... | 2027 | W11 | W7 | L1 | W3 | W4 | 4.0 |
| 3 Edwin Schreiber | 1932 | W10 | L1 | W8 | L2 | W9 | 3.0 |
| 4 Tobias Myers | 1832 | L1 | W16 | W7 | W6 | L2 | |
| 5 James Hammersmith | 2096 | L7 | W11 | W6 | L1 | D8 | 2.5 |
| 6 David Landers | 2000 | W8 | W9 | L5 | L4 | D1 | |
| 7 Danny Kaiser | 1811 | W5 | L2 | L4 | D9 | W12 | |
| 8 Matthew De Elena | 1634 | L6 | W15 | L3 | W10 | D5 | |
| 9 George Spentzos | 1487 | W15 | L6 | Bye | D7 | L3 | 2.0 |
| 10 Pat Bruno | 1544 | L3 | L12 | D15 | L8 | W11 | 1.5 |
| 11 Richard Broadie..... | 1700 | L2 | L5 | L13 | W16 | L10 | 1.0 |
| 12 Norbert Martinez | 1612 | --- | W10 | --- | --- | L7 | |
| 13 Joseph Aragon | 1408 | --- | --- | W11 | --- | --- | |
| 14 Matthew Jennings | 1216 | W16 | --- | --- | --- | --- | |
| 15 Yuval Laor..... | 1914 | L9 | L8 | D10 | --- | --- | 0.5 |
| 16 Josh Smith | 998 | L14 | L4 | Bye | L11 | --- | |

Landers - McCarty ENGLISH

1.c4 e5 2.b3 Nf6 3.Bb2 Nc6 4.g3 Bc5 5.Bg2 0-0 6.Nc3 d6 7.Nf3 e4 8.Ng5 Bf2+ 9.Kf2 Ng4+ 10.Kg1 Qg5 11.Ne4 Qg6 12.h3 f5 13.Nd6 Qd6 14.hg fg 15.Qc2 Bf5 16.Qc3 Qd7 17.Rf1

17.Bd5+ is also good.

17. ... Rae8 18.Bd5+ Kh8 19.e4 Bg6

20.Kg2

This sacrifice not cre-enough counter-



(after 20.Kg2)

24.e5 c6 25.Be4

25.Bf7 Bf7, forced since e6 is threatened, 26.Qf7 Rf7 leaves white with a solid advantage.

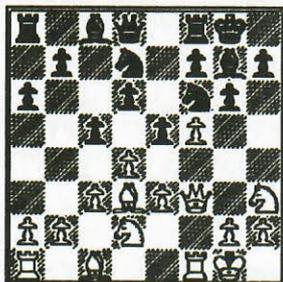
25. ... Be4 26.Qe4 Qd2+ 27.Rf2 Qd3 28.Qh4 Qg6 29.Bc3 Nd3 30.Rf3 Nc5 31.Qf4 Kg8 32.Qf5 Qf5 33.Rf5 Ne4 34.Bd4 c5 35.Ba1 Rf8 36.Rf8+

Kf8 37.Kf3 Ng5+ 38.Kf4 Ne6+ 39.Kf5 Kf7 40.Bc3 g6+ 41.Ke4 Ke7 42.Kd5 Kd7 43.Bd2 b6 44.Be3 Nc7+ 45.Ke4 Ne6 46.a3 Kc6 47.a4 a5 48.Kd3 Kd7 49.Ke4 Kc6 50.Kd3 Ng7 51.Bf4 Kd7 52.Ke4 Ke6 53.Bg5 Kd7 54.Kd5 Ne6 55.Be3 Nc7+ 56.Ke4 Ne6 1/2-1/2

De Elena - Landers STONEWALL ATTACK

1.d4 Nf6 2.e3 g6 3.Bd3 Bg7 4.f4 0-0 5.c3 d6 6.Nd2 Nbd7 7.Nh3 c5 8.0-0 e5 9.f5 a6 10.Qf3 (see diagram) d5 11.e4 ed 12.ed Ne5 13.Qe2 Nd5

14.Ne4 15.Qd3 16.bc 17.Bg5 18.Qe4 19.Qb7 20.Qc7 21.Qg3 22.Nf4 23.Nh5 Bd4+ 24.Be3 Be3+ 25.Qe3 Qd4 0-1



(after 10.Qf3)

Laor - De Elena SICILIAN SCHEVENINGEN

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 e6 3.d4 cd 4.Nd4 Nf6 5.Nc3 d6 6.Be2 Be7 7.0-0 Nc6 8.Be3 Bd7

8. ... 0-0

9.Ndb5 Qb8 10.a4 a6 11.Na3 Qc7 12.Nc4 0-0 13.Bb6 Qb8 14.f4 Re8 15.g4

15.Qd2 with the idea of Rad1 is probably a better plan.

15.Bc8 16.a5 (see diagram) Ne4! 17.Ne4 d5 18.Ned2 dc 19.Nc4 e5 20.f5 Bg5 21.c3 e4 22.Qd5



(after 16.a5)

22. Nd6 Re7 23.Bc4 is quite interesting.

22. ... h6?! Black must not allow the knight to reach d6. 22. ... Bf4 23.Rf2 e3 24.Rg2 h5 seems to be black's best.

23.Nd6 Re7 24.Ne4 Bf4 25.Rf2 Bd7 26.Bd3?!

White can keep the advantage with 26.Bc5 Re5 27.Qd3 Re8 28.Nd6 Bd6 29.Bd6.

26. ... Ne5! 27.Bc2

27.Qc5.

27. ... Ng4 28.f6 Bh2+ 29.Kf1 Bc6

30.Qf5 Nf2

And Black went on to win. 0-1

Bruno - Laor
LENINGRAD DUTCH

1.c4 f5 2.g3 Nf6 3.Bg2 g6 4.Nf3 Bg7 5.0-0 0-0 6.d4 d6 7.Bg5 Ne4 8.Be3 Nc6 9.Nbd2 Nd2 10.Qd2 e5 11.de de 12.Qd8 Rd8 (see diagram) 13.Rab1

White should play 13.Rad1 in order to equalize black's rook on the open d-file. The undefended b-pawn is not really a target after 13. ... e4 14.Rd8+ Nd8 15.Nd4 followed by b3.



(after 12. ... Rd8)

13. ... h6

Black should make some use of the open file with 13. ... e4 14.Nd2 Nd4.

14.b3 Be6 15.Rfd1 e4

This move would have been more effective while the open d-file wasn't opposed by white.

16.Ne1 Nd4 17.Rd2 Rd7 18.Kf1 Rad8 19.Rbd1 a5 20.f3 ef 21.ef a4 22.Bd4 Rd4 23.Ke2 h5

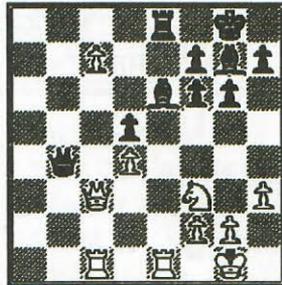
Black can keep it quite interesting with 23. ... Rd2+ 24.Rd2 Re8 with the threat of a discovered check and Bc3.

24.f4 b6 25.Rd4 Rd4 26.Rd4 Bd4 27.Nf3 ab 28.ab Bb2 29.Ne5 Kg7 30.Kd3 c5 31.Bd5 Bc8 1/2-1/2

Spentzos - Laor
ALEKINE'S EXCHANGE VAR.

1.e4 Nf6 2.e5 Nd5 3.c4 Nb6 4.d4 d6 5.ed cd 6.Nc3 g6 7.Nf3 Bg7 8.h3 0-0 9.Bd3 Nc6 10.Be3 Nb4 11.0-0 Nd3 12.Qd3 Bf5 13.Qe2 Rc8 14.b3 d5 15.c5 Nd7 16.Rac1 Nf6 17.Rfe1 Re8 18.Bg5

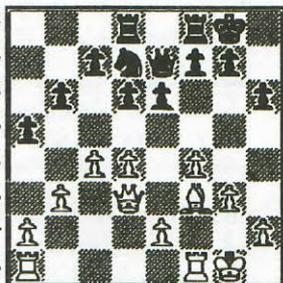
Be6 19.Qd3 b6 20.b4 a5 21.a3 ab 22.ab Ra8 23.c6 b5 24.c7 Qc8 25.Nb5 Qb7 26.Bf6 ef 27.Nd6 Qb4 28.Ne8 Re8 29.Qc3 1-0



Landers - Meyers
QUEEN'S INDIAN DEFENSE

1.c4 Nf6 2.Nc3 e6 3.Nf3 b6 4.g3 Bb7 5.Bg2 Be7 6.0-0 0-0 7.b3 d6 8.d4 Ne4 9.Qd3 Nc3 10.Qc3 Nd7 11.Qd3 a5 12.Ng5 Bg5 13.Bg5 Qg5 14.Bb7 Rad8 15.f4 Qe7 16.Be4 h6 17.Bf3 (see diagram) e5 18.d5 ef 19.gf Nc5 20.Qc2 Qe3+ 21.Kh1 Qf4 22.Rg1 Qe5 23.Raf1 Rde8 24.Rg4 f5 25.Rg2 Re7 26.Rfg1 Ne4 27.Qc1 Rf6 28.Qe1 Ng5 29.Qh4 Nf3 30.ef Kf8 31.h3 f4 32.Kh2 Qf5

33.Qf2 Qd3 34.Qb2 Rff7 35.Qf2 Re5 36.Qh4 Qf3 37.Rf2 Qe3 38.Rg4 Ref5 39.Qd8+ Qe8 40.Qh4 f3 41.Re4 Re5 42.Rf4 Re2 43.Rf7+ Qf7 44.Kg3 Qg6+ 45.Kf3 Rf2+ 46.Kf2 Qf6+ 47.Kg3 Qh4+ 48.Kh4 Kf7 49.Kh5 Kf6 50.h4 Kf5 51.a3 g5 52.hg hg 53.b4 ab 54.ab g4 55.Kh4 Kf4 0-1



(after 17.Bf3)

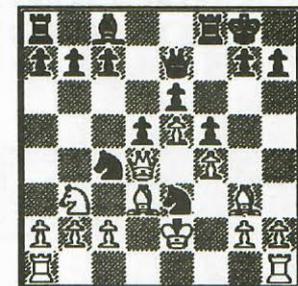
Kaiser - Martinez
SICILIAN F4 ATTACK

1.e4 c5 2.Nc3 Nc6 3.f4 e6 4.Nf3 Be7 5.Bc4 Qc7 6.d3 a6 7.0-0 b5 8.Bb3 Bb7 9.a3 d6 10.f5 e5 11.Ng5 Nd8 12.Qh5 13.dc bc 14.Ba4+ Bc6 15.Bc6+ Qc6 16.Ne6 Bf6 17.Nd5 Ra7 18.Bg5 g6 19.fg Ne6 20.gf+ Rf7 21.Bf6 Nf6 22.Nf6+ Kf8 23.Nh7+ Rhh7 24.Qh7

Nf4 25.Qh8+ Ke7 26.Qh4+ Ke8 27.Rae1 c3 28.bc3 Qc4 29.Rf3 Ne2+ 30.Kh1 Rf3 31.gf Nf4 32.Rb1 Ne6 33.Rb8+ Kf7 34.Rb7+ Nc7 35.Rc7+ 1-0

Meyers - Tofton
LONDON SYSTEM

1.Nf3 d5 2.d4 Nf6 3.Bf4 e6 4.e3 Bd6 5.Bg3 Nbd7 6.Bd3 Qe7 7.Ne5 Be5 8.de Ng8 9.Qg4 f5 10.Qa4 Nh6 11.Nd2 0-0 12.Nb3 Ng4 13.f4 Ne3 14.Kd2 Nb6 15.Qd4 Nbc4+ 16.Ke2 (see diagram)

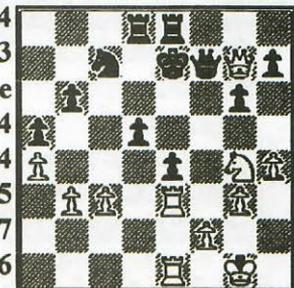


(after 16.Ke2)

b6 17.Bf2 c5 18.Qc3 d4 19.Qe1 Ng2 20.Qc1 Nce3 21.Be3 Ne3 22.Qe1 Nd5 23.Qg3 Qf7 24.h3 Qg6 25.Qf3 Bb7 26.Kf2 Qh6 0-1

McCarty - Meyers
ALEKINE'S DEFENSE

1.e4 Nf6 2.d3 e5 3.Nf3 Nc6 4.c3 d5 5.Nbd2 Bd6 6.Be2 0-0 7.0-0 a5 8.ed Nd5 9.Nc4 Re8 10.a4 Bf8 11.Re1 g6 12.Bf1 Bg7 13.g3 b6 14.Bg2 Bb7 15.Qb3 Qd7 16.Ng5 Re7 17.Bh3 Qe8 18.Ne4 Kh8 19.Bd2 Rd8 20.Rad1 Ba8 21.Bg5 f6 22.Bc1 Na7 23.Qc2 Qf7 24.Bg2 Nc8 25.h4 Nd6 26.Ned6 cd 27.b3 Ree8 28.Ba3 Bf8 29.Qd2 Nc7 30.Ba8 Na8 31.d4 d5 32.Bf8 Qf8 33.Ne3 Nc7 34.de fe 35.Ng4 Qf5 36.Nh6 Qf6 37.Re3 Kg7 38.Rde1 e4 39.Ng4 Qe6 40.Qd4+ Kf8 41.Qh8+ Ke7 42.Qg7+ Qf7 (see diagram)



(after 42. ... Qf7)

43.Qd4 Qe6 44.f3 Rd6 45.fe d e 46.Qe4 Kd8 47.Qf4 Qd5 48.Ne5 Kc8 49.Nf7 Rde6 50.Re6 Re6 51.Re6 Ne6 52.Qd6 Qc5+ 53.Kg2 Qd6 54.Nd6+

Kd7 55.Ne4 Nc5 56.Nc5+ bc 57.Kf3
Ke6 58.Ke4 h6 59.b4 ab 60.cb 1-0

Schreiber - McCarty
ALEKINE'S MODERN

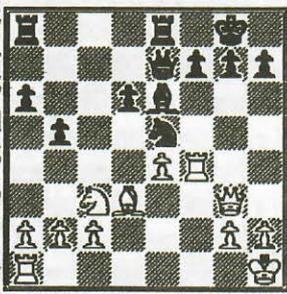
1.e4 Nf6 2.e5 Nd5 3.d4 d6 4.Nf3
Bg4 5.Be2 e6 6.0-0 Be7 7.c4 Nb6 8.ed
cd 9.Nc3 0-0 10.Be3 Nc6 11.h3 Bf3
12.gf d5 13.b3 dc 14.bc Bf6 15.Qc1
Nd4 16.Rd1 Ne2+ 17.Ne2 Qc8 18.Rb1
Nc4 19.Qc2 Ne3 20.Qc8 Rfc8 21.fe
Rc2 22.Nf4 b6 23.a4 Rac8 24.Rd7
R2c7 25.Rbd1 g6 26.Kg2 Kf8 27.e4
Ke8 28.Rc7 Rc7 29.Nd3 Rc2+ 30.Kg3
Bc3 31.Kf4 Rg2 32.e5 Ra2 33.Kg5
Ra4 34.Kf6 Rd4 35.f4 h5 36.Kg5 Ke7
37.Nf2 Rd1 38.Nd1 Bd4 0-1

Smith - Broadie
GIUCCO PIANO CANAL VARIATION

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bc4 Bc5 4.d3
d6 5.Nc3 Nf6 6.Bg5 Bg4 7.h3 Bh5
8.Qd2 Bf3 9.gf Nd4 10.Qd1 h6 11.Bh4
g5 12.Bg3 Nh5 13.f4 ef 14.Qh5 Qf6
15.0-0-0 fg 16.fg Qf2 17.Rd2 Qf3 18.g4
Qh1+ 19.Rd1 Qf3 20.Nd5 0-0-0
21.Ne7+ Kb8 22.Bf7 Ne2+ 23.Kd2
Be3+ 0-1

Hammersmith - De Elena
SICILIAN SCHEVENINGEN

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 e6 3.d4 cd 4.Nd4 Nc6
5.Be3 Nf6 6.Nc3 d6 7.Be2 Be7 8.0-0
a6 9.Kh1 Qc7 10.f4 0-0 11.Bf3 Nd4
12.Bd4 e5 13.Be3 ef 14.Bf4 Be6
15.Qe1 Nd7 16.Qg3 Ne5 17.Be2 Rfe8
18.Bd3 Bf6 19.Bg5 Bg5 20.Qg5 Qe7
21.Qg3 b5 22.Rf4 (see diagram) Ng6
23.Rf2 Qh4
24.Qh4 Nh4
25.Nd5 Bd5
26.ed Ng6
27.Bg6 hg
28.h3 Re5
29.Raf1 f5
30.Rd2 Kf7
31.Rf3 b4
32.Rf4 Rb8 33.Kg1 a5 34.Kf2 Rb5
35.Rfd4 Kf6 36.a3 g5 37.ab Rb4



(after 22.Rf4)

38.Rb4 ab 39.Kf3 Re4 40.g4 g6 41.c3
bc 42.bc Ke5 43.Rd1 f4 44.Rd3 Re3+
45.Re3+ fe 46.Ke3 Kd5 47.Kd3 Kc5
48.c4 d5 1/2-1/2

Hammersmith - Landers
SICILIAN SCHEVENINGEN

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.d4 cd 4.Nd4
d6 5.Be3 Nf6 6.Nc3 e6 7.Be2 Be7
8.0-0 0-0 9.Kh1 d5 10.ed Nd5 11.Nd5
Qd5 12.Bf3 Qd7 13.Nc6 bc 14.Qd7
Bd7 15.Rad1 Be8 16.c4 Rb8 17.Rd2
c5 18.Rfd1 a5 19.Bf4 Rb4 20.b3 a4
21.Rd3 h6 22.g3 ab 23.ab Rb6 24.Kg2
Bc6 25.Bc6 Rc6 26.Rd7 Bf6 27.Rb7
Bd4 (see diagram) 28.b4 e5 29.b5 Rcc8
30.Be3 Ra8 31.Rb1 Rfc8 32.b6 f6
33.Rd7 Rab8 34.Bd2 Kh7 35.Ba5 e4
36.Re7 f5
37.b7 Rf8
38.Bc7 Kg6
39.Bb8 Rb8
40.Rb6+ Kg5
41.Rc7 f4
42.gf+ Kf4
43.Rc8 Be5
44.Rb8 Bb8
45.Rc6 e3 46.fe+ Ke3 47.Rc8 1-0



(after 27... Bd4)

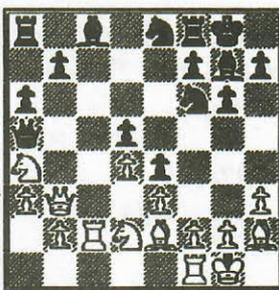
Schreiber - Spentzos
CARO-KANN

1.e4 c6 2.d4 d5 3.Nc3 de 4.Ne4 Bf5
5.Ng3 Bg6 6.h4 h6 7.h5 Bh7 8.Nf3 Nd7
9.Bd3 Bd3 10.Qd3 Ngf6 11.Bf4 e6
12.0-0-0 Nd5 13.Bd2 Qc7 14.Kb1
0-0-0 15.c4 Nf4 16.Qf1 Nf6 17.Ne2 Ne2
18.Qe2 Bd6 19.g3 b6 20.Bc3 Rhe8
21.Rhe1 Nh5 22.Ne5 Nf6 23.Qf3 Be5
24.de Rd1+ 25.Rd1 Nh7 26.Rd6 Kb7
27.Qd3 Nf8 28.b4 Kc8 29.b5 c5 30.Rc6
1-0

Meyers - Kaiser
KING'S INDIAN DEFENSE

1.Nf3 Nf6 2.d4 d6 3.Bf4 g6 4.e3 Bg7
5.Be2 0-0 6.h3 c6 7.c4 Nbd7 8.Nc3 Qa5
9.0-0 e5 10.Bh2 e4 11.Nd2 d5 12.a3
Qd8 13.cd cd 14.Rc1 a6 15.Na4 Ne8
16.Qb3 Qa5 17.Rc2 Ndf6 (see dia-

gram) 18.Nb6
Bd7 19.Na8
Ba4 20.Qc3
Qd8 21.Qc8
Qa5 22.b4
Nd6 23.Qf8+
Bf8 24.ba Bc2
25.Rc1 Ba4
26.Nb6 Bc6



(after 17... Ndf6)

27.Ba6 Nde8 28.Be2 Ba3 29.Rc6 bc
30.a6 Bb4 31.a7 Bd2 32.a8=Q h5
33.Nd7 Kh7 34.Nf6+ Nf6 35.Qc6 Be3
36.Qf6 Bf2+ 37.Kf2 1-0

Spentzos - Kaiser
KING'S INDIAN DEFENSE

1.d4 d6 2.Nf3 Nf6 3.Bg5 g6 4.Nbd2
Bg7 5.e4 0-0 6.Be2 c6 7.0-0 Qc7 8.c3
Nbd7 9.Qc2 e5 10.de Ne5 11.Ne5 de
12.Rad1 Be6 13.Bc4 Bc4 14.Nc4 h6
15.Bf6 Bf6 16.Rd3 b5 17.Ne3 Bg5

Black should not allow white control
of the d-file. 18.Rad8 is a more practi-
cal move.

18.Rfd1 h5 19.Rd7 Qb6 20.Qe2 a5
Again Rad8 is still black's best.
21.Nc2 b4?! 22.Qc4

White could make the black b and c
pawns easy targets with 22.cb ab
23.Qc4.

22... bc 23.Qc3 Rab8 24.b3 Qb5
25.R7d6

I believe 25.Na3 threatening 26.Nc4
is white's last chance for any serious ini-
tiative. After 25.Na3 Qb4 26.Qe5 Qa3
27.Qg5 Qa2 28.Qc5 Rb3 29.Qc6
white's pieces are more actively placed.

25... Rbd8 26.Qc4 Be7 27.Rd8
Rd8 28.Rd8+ Bd8 29.Qb5 cb 30.Na3
b4 31.Nc4 Bc7 32.f3 Kg7 33.Kf1 Kf6
34.Ne3 Ke6 35.Nd5 Bb8 36.Ke2 Kd6
37.Kd3 Kc5 38.g4 hg 39.fg Bd6 40.h3
f5 41.gf gf 42.Ne3 f4 43.Ng4 Bc7
44.Nh2 Kd6 45.Nf3 Ke6 46.Kc4 Kf6
47.Kd5 Kg6 48.Ke6 Kh5 49.Kf5 Bb8
50.Ke6 1/2-1/2

Kaiser - Toften
FRENCH WINAWER

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.Nc3 Bb4 4.e5 c5

Reserve Section

| | rating | Rd1 | Rd2 | Rd3 | Rd4 | Rd5 | Tot |
|---------------------------|--------|------|------|------|------|------|-----|
| 1 Terry Griffin | 1315 | Bye | W8 | W9 | W2 | W4 | 4.5 |
| 2 Sean Groves | 1225 | W11 | W6 | W7 | L1 | W8 | 4.0 |
| 3 Alexander White | 1098 | W13 | W12 | Bye | L4 | W9 | 3.5 |
| 4 Doug Anderson | 1301 | W10 | L7 | W11 | W3 | L1 | 3.0 |
| 5 Matt Hathorn | 1137 | L7 | D10 | W12 | D6 | W11 | |
| 6 Jim Lawrence..... | 1096 | W14 | L2 | Bye | D5 | W10 | |
| 7 David Goldman..... | Unr. | W5 | W4 | L2 | L8 | Bye | |
| 8 David Baldwin | 1126 | D9 | L1 | W14 | W7 | L2 | 2.5 |
| 9 Clark A. Pacheco | 962 | D8 | W13 | L1 | W11 | L3 | |
| 10 Colin Micha Smith..... | 1030 | L4 | D5 | Bye | Bye | L6 | 2.0 |
| 11 Amanda Guilinger | Unr. | L2 | Bye | L4 | L9 | L5 | 1.0 |
| 12 Alexander Rietema..... | 957 | Bye | L3 | L5 | ---- | ---- | |
| 13 Marget Gregory | 1350 | L3 | L9 | ---- | ---- | ---- | 0.0 |
| 14 Kenneth W. Dail | 1342 | L6 | ---- | L8 | ---- | ---- | |
| 15 Dan Groves | 1035 | ---- | ---- | ---- | ---- | ---- | |

Re8 13.Rfd1 Nb6 14.Nd2 cd 15.cd Na4
16.Nf3 Nc3 17.Re1 Ne2+ 18.Qe2 Bd7
19.Bd2 Qc7 20.a4 a5 21.Bc3 Ra6
22.Recl e6 23.Ra3 Rc8 24.Nd2 Bf8
25.d5 ed 26.ed Re8 27.Qf3

Interesting is 27.Ne4 with the idea of
positioning the queen on b2.

27. ... Bg7 28.Bg7 Kg7 29.Ne4 Bf5
30.Qc3+ Kb8 31.Qh8+ Ke7 32.Qf6+
Kd7 33.Qf7+ Re7 34.Nf6+ Kc8
35.Qf8+ Qd8 36.Qd8+ Kd8 37.f3 b6?!
38.Kf2 Raa7 39.Rb3 Rab7 40.g4 Bc8
41.Rcb1 Kc7 42.Ng8

42.Ne4 is better. The text puts the
knight "out of bounds."

42. ... Rf7 43.Nh6 Rf4 44.Kg3 g5
45.Rc1 Bd7 46.Ra3 Rb8 47.Nf7??

47.b4 is strong.

47. ... Rxf7 0-1



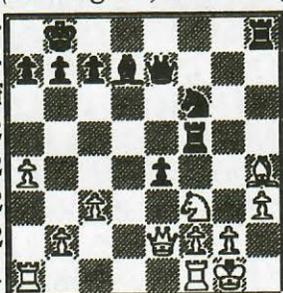
(after 21.Nb5)

36.Rg8 a3
37.ba Ra3
38.Kb2 Rd3
39.c5 Ke7
40.Bc4 Rd4
41.Kc3 Rd1
42.Kb4 Kd7
43.Bb5+ Kc7
44.Rg7 Rb1+
45.Ka5 Ra1+ 46.Ba4 Rc1 47.Rf7+
Kd8 48.Rd7+ Kc8 49.Kb6 Rb1+
50.Kc6 Rb4 51.Bb5 Rb2 52.Ba6+ Kb8
53.Rb7+ 1-0

Splichal - Simon
PHILIDOR'S DEFENSE

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 d6 3.d4 ed 4.Qd4 Nc6
5.Bb5 Bd7 6.Bc6 Bc6 7.0-0 Be7 8.Qg7
Bf6 9.Qg4 Bd7 10.Qf4 Qe7 11.c3
0-0-0 12.Be3 Be5 13.Ne5 de 14.Qf3
Kb8 15.Nd2 h5 16.h3 h4 17.a4 f5 18.ef
Rf8 19.Qe2 Rf5 20.Nf3 Nf6 21.Bg5 e4
22.Bh4 (see diagram) Rf3 23.Bg5 Rf5

24.f4 Qg7
25.g4 Qh7
26.gf Qh3
27.Qg2 Qe3+
28.Qf2 Qh3
29.Qg2 Qe3+
30.Rf2 Rh3
31.Kf1 Qd3+
32.Re2 Ng4



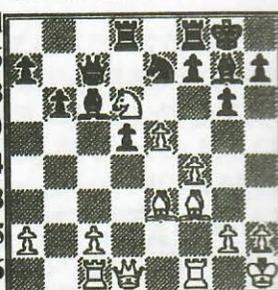
(after 22.Bh4)

33.Qg4 Bf5 34.Qg2 Rg3 35.Qh2 Bh3+
36.Ke1 Qf3 37.Rd1 Qf1+ 38.Kd2
Rd3+ 0-1

Brunette - Akin
ACCELERATED DRAGON

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.d4 cd 4.Nd4
g6 5.Be2 Bg7 6.Be3 Nf6 7.Nc3 0-0 8.f4
d5 9.e5 Ne4 10.0-0 Nc3 11.bc Bd7
12.Nb3 e6 13.Kh1 Rc8 14.Nc5 b6
15.Nb7 Qc7 16.Nd6 Rb8 17.e4 Ne7

18.cd ed
19.Rc1 Bc6
20.Bf3 Rbd8
(see diagram)
21.c4 d4
22.Bd4 Nc8
23.c5 b5
24.Bc6 Qc6
25.Qf3 Qf3



(after 20. ... Rbd8)

26.Rf3 a6 27.Ra3 f6 28.Kg1 fe 29.fe
Rf4 30.Rd1 Bf8 31.Ra6 b4 32.Ra8 Bd6
33.cd Rf7 34.e6 Rb7 35.d7 Rc7 36.Rc8
Rcc8 37.dc=Q Rc8 38.e7 Kf7 39.Re1
Ke8 40.Bf6 Rc2 41.Rd1 1-0

Zucker - Krowczyk
KING'S INDIAN DEFENSE

1.d4 d6 2.Nf3 Nf6 3.Bf4 g6 4.e3 Bg7
5.h3 0-0 6.Be2 c6 7.c4 Ne4 8.Qc2 Qa5+
9.Nc3 Nc3 10.bc c5 11.0-0 Nd7 12.e4

Overdorff - Bloomer
NIMZO-INDIAN RUBINSTEIN VAR.

1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 e6 3.Nc3 Bb4 4.e3 d5
5.Bd3 0-0 6.Nf3 Nbd7 7.0-0 b6 8.cd
ed 9.Qc2 Bb7 10.Ng5 h6 11.Nh3 Re8
12.Nf4 Bc3 13.bc Ne4 14.f3 Nd6
15.Qf2 Rc8 16.b4 c5 17.Nh5 e4 18.Bc2
Nf6 19.Nf4 Re7 20.g4 Nh7 21.Kh1 Qf6
22.Qg3 Nb5 23.Ne2 Nd6 24.Ba3 Rd7
25.Bc1 Rde7 26.Rf2 Rd7 27.Bd2 b5



(after 24.Nf4)

28.Rg1 g6
29.g5 hg 30.
hg Qe7 31.
Qg4 Rdd8 32.
Rgg2 Kg7 33.
Rh2 Rh8 34.
Rh6 (see dia-
gram) Qg5 35.
Rfh2 Qg4
36.fg Nf6 37.Rb8 Rh8 38.g5 Rh2+
39.Kh2 Nh7 40.Kg3 Nxe5 41.Nf4
Nge4+ 0-1

Davis - Smith
FRENCH DEFENSE

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.Nc3 Nf6 4.Qf3 c5
5.Bb5+ Bd7 6.e5 Bb5 7.ef cd 8.Nb5
Qc5+ 9.Bd2 Qe5 10.fg Bg7 11.b3 Nd7
12.Ne2 Nc5 13.Qg3 Ng6 14.Rd1 Rc8
15.c3 de 16.Nc3 Qc6 17.Rc1 Qa6

18.Ne2 Rc1+ 19.Nc1 0-0 20.h4 Ne7
 21.h5 Nf5 22.Qg4 Kh8 23.h6 Bb2
 24.Rh5 Qc6 25.Nd3 Bc3 26.Nb4 Bd2+
 27.Kd2 Rg8 28.Qg8+ Kg8 29.Nc6 bc
 30.g4 Ne7 31.Rg5+ Ng6 32.f4 Kf8
 33.f5 Ne7 34.fe fe 35.Rg7 a6 36.Rh7
 Ng6 37.g5 Ne5 38.Rg7 c5 39.g6 c4
 40.bc Nc4+ 41.Kc3 Ne5 42.Kd4 Nf3+
 43.Ke3 Ne5 44.Ra7 Ng6 45.h7 a5
 46.Ra8+ Kg7 47.h8=Q+ Nh8 48.Ra5
 d4+ 49.Ke4 Nf7 50.Ra7 Kf6 51.Ra6
 Ke7 52.a4 Ng5+ 53.Ke5 1/2-1/2

Richard Moore - Randall Moore
RICHTER-VERESOV ATTACK

1.Nc3 d5 2.d4 Nf6 3.Bg5 g6 4.f3
 Bg7 5.Qd2 Nbd7 6.e4 de 7.fe 0-0 8.Bd3
 e5 9.d5 Nc5 10.Nge2 c6 11.0-0 b5 12.b4
 Nd3 13.Qd3 Qd6 14.Nc1 a6 15.Nb3
 cd 16.Bf6 Bf6 17.Nd5 Bd8 18.Nf6+
 Qf6 19.Rf6 Bf6 20.Rf1 Bg7 21.Nc5
 Rd8 1-0

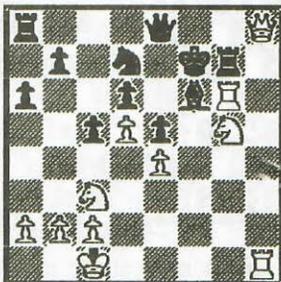
MacNeil - Nickelson
PIRC

1.e4 d6 2.d4 Nf6 3.Nc3 g6 4.Be3
 Bg7 5.Qd2 0-0 6.Bc4 e6 7.h4 c6
 8.0-0-0 Qe7 9.f3 e5 10.d5 c5 11.g4 h5
 12.Be2 hg 13.fg Bg4 14.Bg4 Ng4
 15.Bg5 Nf6 16.Nf3 Qe8 17.Bf6 Bf6
 18.h5 a6?

Black doesn't realize the immediate
 danger facing him. 18.Bg7 is necessary
 here in order to keep the queen out of
 h6.

19.Rdg1
 20.hg fg 21.Qh6 is also quite strong.
 19. ... Nd7 20.hg fg 21.Qh6 Rf7
 Black is no better off with 21. ... Kf7
 22.Qh7+ Bg7 23.Rg6.
 22.Rg6+ Rg7 23.Qh8+ Kf7
 24.Ng5+??

(see diagram)
 White wins with
 24.Rg7+ Bg7
 25.Ng5+ Kg6
 26.Qh7+ Kf6
 (26. ... Kxg5
 27. Q f 5 #)



(after 24.Ng5+)

27.Rf1+ Ke7 28.Qg7+ Kd8 29.Ne6+
 Kc8 30.Rf8 Qf8 (30.Nf8 Qc7#) 31.Nf8.
 24. ... Bg5+
 Oops. 0-1

Reserve

Anderson - Griffin
FRENCH

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 e6 3.d4 Nf6 4.Nc3 d5
 5.e5 Ne4 6.Bd3 Nc3 7.bc h6 8.h4 Bd7
 9.h5 Be7 10.g3 Nc6 11.Nh4 Bh4
 12.Rh4 Qa5 13.Bd2 c4 14.Be2 0-0-0
 15.f4 Ne7 16.g4 Rdg8 17.Qb1 Bc6
 18.Qb2 g6 19.Bc1 gh 20.Rh5 Rg6 21.f5
 ef 22.gf Rg1+ 23.Kf2 Rhg8 24.f6
 R8g2+ 25.Ke3 Re1 26.fe Ree2+ 27.Kf3



(after 27. ... Re2)

Rc2 (see dia-
 gram)
 28. Q b 7 +
 Kb7 29.Be3
 Qc3 30.Rb1+
 Kc7 31.Rf1
 Qd3 32.Rhh1
 Qf5+ 0-1

Lawrence - Hathorn
KING'S INDIAN ATTACK

1.Nf3 d5 2.g3 Nf6 3.Bg2 Bg4 4.0-0
 Nc6 5.d3 e6 6.Nbd2 Bb4 7.c3 Bd6
 8.Qe1 0-0 9.e4 de 10.de e5 11.h3 Be6
 12.Qe2 Qd7 13.Ng5 h6 14.Ne6 Qe6
 15.Nc4 Bc5 16.Ne3 Rad8 17.b4 Bb6
 18.a3 a5 19.Nf5 ab 20.ab Ne7 21.Nh4
 c5 22.Be3 cb 23.cb Be3 24.Qe3 Qc4
 25.Rab1 Rd4 26.Nf5 Nf5 27.ef Qb5
 28.f4 Rb4 29.Rb4 Qb4 30.fe Re8 31.g4
 Qb2 32.Re1 h5 33.g5 Nd7 1/2-1/2

Hathorn - Smith
QUEEN'S GAMBIT ACCEPTED

1.d4 d5 2.c4 dc 3.Nc3 Nf6 4.Bg5
 a6 5.e3 Be6 6.Nf3 h6 7.Bf6 ef 8.Qa4+
 Nc6 9.Rd1 Bd7 10.Qc2 b5 11.Be2 Bb4
 12.0-0 Bc3 13.Qc3 Bf5 14.d5 Ne7
 15.Qb4 Be4 16.d6 cd 17.Rd6 Qc8
 18.Rfd1 0-0 19.Rd7 Nc6 20.Qc3 Ra7

21.Ra7 Na7 22.Qd4 Qa8 23.a4 Nc8
 24.ab ab 25.h3 Re8 26.Qd7 Nb6
 27.Qb5 Qc6 28.Qc6 Bc6 29.Rd6 Bf3
 30.Bf3 Rb8 31.Rd4 Rc8 32.Rd6 Na4
 33.Rd2 Rb8 34.Be4 Kf8 35.Rc2 Nb2
 36.Bd5 Rb4 37.Kf1 Ke7 38.Ke2 g5
 39.Kd2 Rb5 40.Bc4 Nc4+ 41.Rc4
 Rb2+ 42.Ke1 f5 43.Rc6 f6 44.Rc7+
 Kf8 45.Rh7 Rb1+ 46.Ke2 Rg1 47.Rh6
 Kg7 48.Rh5 Rg2 49.Kf3 Kg6 50.Rh8
 Rg1 51.Re8 g4+ 52.hg fg+ 53.Kf4 f5
 54.Re6+ Kh5 55.Kf5 Rf1 56.Kf4 Rf2+
 57.Kg3 Rf3+ 58.Kg2 Kg5 59.Re5+ Rf5
 60.Re8 Kh4 61.Re4 Rg5 62.Rd4 Re5
 63.e4 1/2-1/2 ♘



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A LONG DAY'S JOURNEY INTO KNIGHT (& A LONG KNIGHT'S JOURNEY INTO DAY!)

By Todd Bardwick



When David Neal-Gliksman and I started this game during the 1995 Colorado Open at 5:00 p.m., round 4, on Sunday September 5, little did he or I know that we would fight past midnight and well into the morning. I finally achieved a draw on move 143 by claiming a 50 move draw at 5:00 a.m. on September 6 (only 12 hours later!), a Colorado record for the longest game. In the Guinness Book of Records, the longest master game ever went 269 moves and took 20 hours and 15 minutes! It was a draw between Ivan Nikolic and Goran Arsovic in Belgrade, Yugoslavia, on February 17, 1989.

Although the endgame with R+N vs. R is a theoretical draw (I believe in most cases), David had no losing chances and opted to play to the wee hours of the morning. He had a draw earlier with Jim Hammersmith and could not afford another one if he was going to successfully defend his state title.

Since the Colorado Closed, David has been playing excellent chess. He has had 28 wins and only one draw (to Michael Mulyar) in his last 29 Colorado games, prior to this tournament. In mid-August, he placed second in the U. S. Open where he had a performance rating of around 2600! (See *December Chess Life for David's solid win over GM Walter Browne.-ed.*)

Fortunately for me, the tournament time control was not sudden death (where I would have been hard pressed to defend such a position under a time constraint). We played into the 7th time control - 20 moves in an hour, repeating. David was familiar with a well publicized game from earlier this year in which GM Walter Browne won a R+N vs. R endgame against SM Thomas Wolski in a sudden death situation. The ending is difficult for the weaker side, but drawable. David chose to test my endgame play and endurance.

The beneficiaries of this game were our 5th and 6th round opponents. David later told me that he played his last round games like blitz games, only making moves that made sense, for he was too tired to analyze them and hoped for the best! I had similar experiences on Monday. I got two hours of sleep that night, after being awake for 23 straight hours. It is difficult to play against top level competition when you feel like someone just hit you over the head with a 2x4! In my last round game, Chris Brunt was kind enough to wake me up in the midst of our game when it was my move just before time pressure!

Special thanks should go to tournament director Ron MacRall who stayed up all night with us and did not complain too much. Ron said now he will only direct sudden death tournaments in the future! And lastly, I would like to dedicate this game to Colorado expert Martin T. "Tuna" Deschner who is an advocate of this variation of the Tarrasch French Defense.

SM David Neal-Gliksman
NM Todd Bardwick
French Defense Tarrasch Variation

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.Nd2 Nf6 4.e5 Nfd7 5.f4

This move establishes the Tuna Variation.

5. ... c5 6.c3 Nc6 7.Ndf3 Qb6 8.g3 cd 9.cd Bb4+ 10.Kf2 g5!?

This move first made its appearance in a game between Yudasin and Kaplun in 1984. The normal line, 10. ... f6, has fallen out of favor as white gains an advantage in all lines. I recently talked to IM John Watson who is writing a new book on the French Defense which should be available sometime in early 1996. John said that this line has become popular at the GM level and he has devoted appropriate space for it in

his book. John also told me that, in his estimation, about half of the top 50 players in the world now use the French Defense as their favorite weapon against 1.e4. Of course, therefore, theory on the French is expanding rapidly today.

11.h3
To prevent 11. ... g4. Black equalizes after 11.fg Nde5 12.Ne5 Ne5 13.Be3 Nc4! Yudasin-Kaplun, USSR 1994, continued 11.Bh3?! h5! 12.Ng5 Qd4+ 13.Qd4 Nd4 14.Ne2 Nc2=

11. ... gf (see diagram)
12.Bf4

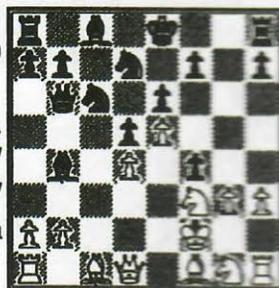
12.gf is answered by 12. ... f6. Then 13.Be3 Be7 14.Qd2 Nf8 15.Bd3 Bd7 16.Ne2 0-0-0 with an even game.

12. ... f6 13.Kg2 Be7

This is the start of what turns out to

be an inaccurate move order. If black is going to castle queenside, he should play 13. ... fe. Play could follow 14.Ne5 Nde5 15.de Bd7 16.a3 Be7 17.b4 0-0-0 as in Rossmann-Knaak, East Germany 1984. Black can also play 13. ... Bf8 14.Rh2 Bg7 15.Kh1 0-0=

14.Rh2 Nf8 15.Kh1 Bd7
15. ... Ng6 is probably best. I was dead set on castling queenside and underestimated the strength of white's dark



(after 11. ... gf)

square bishop, which keeps the black king from reaching a8. Black is a tempo slow getting in Ng6 to free his game.

16.ef Bf6 17.Rd2 0-0-0?

Black should play 17. ... Ng6 and castle kingside. His king is now stuck in the center of the battle.

18.Rc1 Be8

18. ... Ng6 19.Bd6 Be7 20.Be7 Nge7 allows Kb8, but also gives up more control of e5.

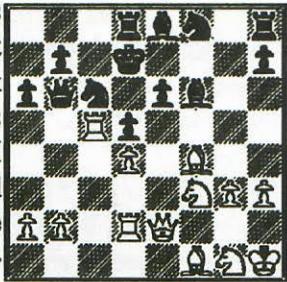
19.Rc5 a6

White threatened 20.Rb5

20.Qe2 Kd7? (see diagram)

20. ... Be7 followed by Bd6 is much better, but black really can not afford to give up more tempi as white can complete his

development to work on black's weaknesses. I expected that the centralizing my king in the middlegame against the runner-up of the '95 U.S. Open was suicide! Where is the brilliancy to finish me off? 21.Ne5+ Be5 22.Be5 Ne5 23.Qe5 Ng6 24.Qg7+ Kd6 25.Bg2 Rd7?



(after 20. ... Kd7)

25. ... Bc6 followed by Rd7 is a better try in a bad position.

26.Qf6

This is the position I missed when I played 20. ... Kd7. I was hoping to trade pieces or gain the initiative by chasing the white queen away with my rook. The Rd5+ threat is lethal and cannot be defended.

26. ... Rf8 27.Rd5+ Kc7 28.Rd7+ Bd7 29.Rc2+ Kb8 30.Qg7

Unfortunately, the h-pawn falls too. 30. ... Qd6 31.Qh7 Ne7 32.Qe4 Nd5 32. ... Nc6 33.d5 ed 34.Qd5 and black must trade queens or retreat. I was hoping to eventually win the d4 pawn. Trading the center pawns only makes white's endgame easier.

33.Qe5 Qe5 34.de Ne3 (see diagram)

Black can only harass white for a little while.

35. Rd2 Bb5

35. ... Ng2 36.Rd7 Rf2



(after 34. ... Ne3)

37.Nf3 Rb2 38.Rd2 only simplifies the position for white.

36.g4 Kc7 37.b3 a5

37. ... Bf1 38.Bf1 Nf1 39.Rg2 Kc6 or 37. ... Ng2 38.Kg2 Bc6+ 39.Kh2 Rf1 are also possible, but black is losing in all lines.

38.a4 Ng2 39.ab Ne3 40.Rd3 Nd5

End of first time control: 5:55; 5:57.

41.Rf3 Rb8

Both 41. ... Rc8 and 41. ... Rd8 are stronger.

42.Rf7+ Kb6 43.Nf3 Rc8

43. ... Kb5 44.Nd4+ Kb4 45.Kg2 Kc3 46.Ne6 Re8 47.Rf3+ Kb4 48.Rd3 Nc3 is a better try.

44.g5 Rh8 45.h4 Ne3 46.Kh2 Nf5 47.Kh3 Kb5 48.Rb7+?

Surprisingly, this may allow black to draw! Black's king position will be improved quickly as he races toward the e5 pawn on the way to white's g and h pawns. David later suggested that 48.g6! is winning for white as he rushes to advance his passed pawns before black's king can come to the rescue.

48. ... Kc6 49.Rf7

49.Ra7 Rb8 50.Ra5 Rb3 51.Kg2 is possibly stronger for white.

49. ... Kd5 50.g6

50.Kg4 Ke4 51.Rd7 or 50.Rc7 Ke4 51.Kg4 are also ideas for white in this complex ending.

51. ... Ke4 51.Rh7 Rg8 52.Ng5+ Ke5

Better is 52. ... Kf4 53.Ne6+ Ke5 54.Ng5 Rg6 with a probable draw.

53.h5 Rb8 54.Nf3+ Kf4 55.Nd2 Rd8

55. ... e5 56.Kg2 a4 57.g7 Rg8 58.ba Ng7 59.Kf1 Nf5 60.Nc4 Rc8 is also interesting, and complicated.

56.Nc4 Rd3+ 57.Kh2 Rb3

Black has managed to capture white's last queenside pawn, taking with it most of white's winning chances. Now, with the superior king position, all black has to do is stop the g & h pawns in order to draw.

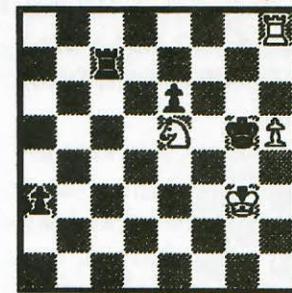
58.Rf7

58.Na5 Rc3 59.g7 Rg3 is also drawn for black.

58. ... Kg5 59.g7 Nh6 60.Rf8 a4

End of second time control: 6:56; 6:59.

61.Rh8 Rb7 62.Rh6 Rg7 63.Rh8 Rc7 64.Ne5 a3 65.Kg3 (see diagram)



(after 65.Kg3)

65. ... a2?!

65. ... Ra7 is a much easier draw which could have given us both a lot more sleep that night as the knight

must be sacrificed for the a-pawn. I debated for a while about which move to play and picked the wrong one.

66.Nf3+ Kf6 67.Ra8 Rc5 68.h6

It was now midnight and the other long game, Zupa vs. Morrow, is now over. Daoud and Hans had an exciting 2 rook and pawn endgame with pawns close to queening. We were sad to see them go home as now there was nothing left in the room to watch for entertainment. The tournament site was quiet. And now, the second part of our story, "A Long Knight's Journey into Day," has just began!

68. ... Kg6 69.Ra2 Kh6

This starts the first 50 move draw count for black.

70.Kf4 Rf5+ 71.Kg4 Kg7 72.Re2 Kf6 73.Nd4 Re5 74.Rf2+ Kg6 75.Nf3 Re4+ 76.Kg3 Ra4 77.Ne5+ Kg5 78.Rf8 Rb4 79.Kf3 Ra4 80.Ke3 Rb4

End of third time control: 7:20; 7:58.

81.Nf3+Kg6 82.Nd4 Rb1 83.Kf4 Rf1+ 84.Nf3 Kg7 85.Ra8 Kf6 86.Ra6 Rb1 87.Nd2 Rb7 88.Ne4+ Ke7 89.Nc5 Rb1 90.Ke5 Re1+ 91.Ne4 Kd7 92.Rd6+ Ke7 93.Re6+

There is no way for black to save the pawn. David did not want to capture the pawn right away as it poses no real threat to him and it's presence makes black's position more complicated to defend. This move starts a new 50 move draw count.

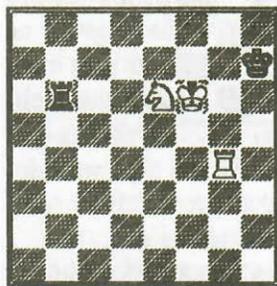
93. ... Kd7 94.Rh6 Kc7 95.Kd5 Rd1+ 96.Kc4 Kd7 97.Rg6 Ke7 98.Ra6

A TRIBUTE TO JOHN HARRIS

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By Todd Bardwick with John Howell

Kf7 99.Nc3 Rd2 100.Nd5 Rd1
 End of fourth time control: 7:37; 8:32.
101.Rd6 Kg7 102.Kc5 Rd2
103.Re6 Kf7 104.Kd6 Rd1 105.Re2
Kg6 106.Ke6 Rg1 107.Nf4+ Kg7
108.Ke7 Rg4 109.Re4 Rg1 110.Re6
Rg5 111.Rf6 Ra5 112.Rg6+ Kh7
113.Rg4 Ra7+ 114.Kf6 Ra6+ 115.Ne6
Rb6 (see diagram)



(after 115. ... Rb6)

The strategy for black is to keep the knight pinned to the king where it can not help to form a mating net. If the white king breaks the pin, black will try to perpetual

check with the rook. Black must also try to keep his rook and king far apart so that they don't get forked by the knight.

116.Rh4+ Kg8 117.Ra4 Kh7
118.Ra8 Rd6 119.Ra1 Rb6

Fortunately for black, he always has one escape square to avoid mate. Endgames with B+R vs. R give the stronger side better winning chances since the bishop can cover enemy king escape squares that the knight can not cover.

120.Ra2 Rd6

End of fifth time control: 8:51; 9:43.

121.Rh2+ Kg8 122.Rh6 Ra6
123.Kf5 Ra5+ 124.Kg6 Ra6 125.Kh5
Ra1 126.Rf6 Rh1+ 127.Kg6 Rg1+
128.Ng5 Rg2

A similar position as occurred on move 115. This position is rotated 90 degrees with the knight pinned one file from the edge of the board instead of two files.

129.Re6 Kf8 130.Re1 Rg4 131.Re3
Rg1 132.Kf6 Rf1+ 133.Nf3 Ra1
134.Nd4 Rf1+ 135.Nf5 R2

We have seen this position's cousin before!

136.Ra3 Ke8 137.Rd3 Rf1 138.Rd2
Rf4 139.Ke5 Rf1 140.Nd6+ Ke7

End of sixth time control: 9:33; 10:23.

141.Ra2 Re1+ 142.Ne4 Kf7
143.Ra7+ Kg6 Draw! (E)

This past October, John Harris, CSCA historian, past president, and organizer, passed away. John came into the chess scene soon after the CSCA's inception in 1958. John's contributions to Colorado Chess in the 1960's and early 1970's helped form the organization that is enjoyed by many Coloradoan's today.

John was an integral part of the CSCA. Organizers of that era included John Howell, Bob Shean, George Pippingos, George Bailey, Pat Mahoney, and Caswell Silver. This group of men brought the U.S. Open to Snowmass in Aspen in 1968, numerous Grandmaster simuls including Bobby Fischers' in 1964, and the Fischer-Larsen World Championship Quarter Final Match in 1971.

John was born and raised in Denver. He graduated from Colorado State University and was a Senior Planning Engineer for the city of Denver. In recent years, John has always attended the CSCA membership meeting where he could be seen taking lots of notes later to be transcribed into his records on CSCA history. John wrote a regular column for the CSCA Informant in the late '70's entitled "Reflecting Back", in which he would document the early years of CSCA's infancy. The Appreciation Open in 1974 was dedicated to John.

The following is a list of John's many chess contributions:

- Secretary of Denver Chess League, 1962-1964
- President of Denver Chess League, 1966-1967
- Secretary of CSCA, 1963-67
- President of CSCA, 1967-69 and 1970-71
- Colorado State Director for USCF, 7 terms
- Original Founder and Team Captain of the Glenarm Chess Club
- Permanent member and Team Captain of the CSCA Traveling Team
- Founder of the Colorado State Junior Championship Tournament and Director in the early years (1967-69)
- Instrumental in bringing the U.S. Open to Colorado in 1968 where John served as Official Host
- Founder and Director of the Lowry Air Force Base Championship Tournament which lasted many years until the base closed in 1994
- Director of Explorer Scouts Chess Olympics in 1970 and 1972
- Admissions Director of World Championship Quarter Finals Match between Bobby Fischer and Bent Larsen in 1971
- Instrumental in establishing the Chess Team at the Colorado State Prison in Canyon City, including founding it's chess library
- Designed the artwork for every Commemorative plaque given out at Colorado tournaments, 1970-1980's

John has been described by his peers as friendly, competent, organized, and always willing to be involved. All of the chess players in the Rocky Mountain region owe John Harris a debt of gratitude. We will surely miss him. (E)

CSCA'S Scholastic Chess

by Scholastic Coordinator Joyce Baldwin

Upcoming Events

Sunday, Jan. 28 - **CHESS CHALLENGE '96** - Littleton Administration Building. 5 Rounds, entries sent out to previous participants; others call Donna at 988-3773 or Joyce at 841-4129.

Saturday, Feb. 10 - Colorado Springs: **IVYWILD ELEM. SCHOOL ANNUAL SCHOLASTICS CHAMPIONSHIP**

4-SS, Ivywild Elementary School, 1604 S. Cascade. Scholastics tournament, not rated. In 3 sections: **Primary** (Grades K-3; EF \$3); **Elementary** (Grades 4-6; EF \$4); **JH/MS** (Grades 7-9; EF \$5). Entry fees above are for pre-registrations rec'd by Feb. 8; all \$1 more at site. Registration 8-9 AM, 1st rd 9:30. Trophy prizes. Send entries to Richard Buchanan, 308 Ruxton Ave., Manitou Springs CO 80829. For information call Buck at (719) 685-1984 or Wendell Derritt at (719) 598-7273.

State Tournaments

Saturday, Feb 24 - **SOUTHERN QUALIFIER** - Irving Middle School, 1702 N. Murray Blvd., Colorado Springs (I-25 to Academy Blvd, to Constitution, left on Constitution, take first right on Murray). **PRE-REGISTRATION DUE FEBRUARY 19TH**

Saturday, March 2 - **WESTERN SLOPE QUALIFIER** - Knights of Columbus Building, 2853 North Avenue. Grand Junction, CO. **PRE-REGISTRATION DUE FEBRUARY 26TH**

Sunday, March 10 - **NORTHERN QUALIFIER** - Colorado Academy Middle School, 3800 Pierce Street, Lakewood, CO (C-470 to Wadsworth North, about 13 miles to Quincy east, first street North to Pierce) or (Hampden west to Wadsworth, south to Quincy, Quincy east to Pierce, Pierce south). **PRE-REGISTRATION DUE MARCH 4TH**

Sunday, March 17 - **STATE SCHOLASTIC CHAMPIONSHIPS** - Colorado Academy Middle School- 3800 Pierce Street, Lakewood, CO (see directions from Northern Qualifier above). Open to those who won at the qualifiers. Entry blanks given to those students at the qualifiers. USCF membership required. **PRE-REGISTRATION DUE MARCH 11TH**

Sunday, April 14 - **SCHOLASTIC TEAM TOURNAMENT** - Bertha Heid Elementary, 91st and Poze, Thornton, CO (I-25 to 84th Street, east to Washington, north on Washington to 88th, east on 88th, north on Poze). **PRE-REGISTRATION DUE APRIL 8TH**

Rules and Regulations for State Tournaments:

- Divisions: Qualifiers and Championship: K-3, 4-6, 7-9, 10-12 Team Tournament: K-6, 7-9, 10-12
- Entry Fees: All tournaments will be \$5.00 if money and registration are received by pre-registration date, and \$10.00 on day of tournament. **PRE-REGISTRATION IS STRONGLY RECOMMENDED. ONLY PRE-REGISTRANTS WILL BE ELIGIBLE FOR DOOR PRIZES** (chess books, software, gift certificates, chess lessons, and more).

- Schedule: Qualifiers & Team Tournaments Championship Tournament Schedule
Registration: 7:00 - 7:30 a.m. 4 Rounds, G/60: 8:30, 10:45, 1:00, 3:15
Pre-Registration Check-in: 7:30 - 8:15 a.m.
Players Meeting: 8:30 a.m.
5 rounds: Rounds 1-3 G/30: 9:00, 10:20, 11:40, 1:10, 3:00
Rounds 4 and 5, G/45
Rounds 2, 3 and 4 may start earlier if all participants are finished.

- Clocks: Boards 1, 2 and 3 will be required to use clocks. Clocks will be put on all other games after 40 minutes in Rounds 1-3 and after 80 minutes in Rounds 4 and 5.

- Eligibility:

Qualifiers - Any Colorado student may participate in any of the three qualifiers. The student may participate in all three, but once the student has qualified for the Championships, he or she may no longer participate in any other qualifier.

Championships - This tournament is only open to those who placed in the qualifiers. In the Western Qualifier, 1st and 2nd place winners will be eligible. In the Northern and Southern Qualifiers 1st, 2nd, and 3rd grade level winners will be eligible. Each division will be composed of approximately 20 students. Entry blanks will be given out at awards ceremony at each qualifier. USCF membership will be required.

Team Tournaments

A. This will be run as two separate tournaments: a club section and a school section. These sections will not play each other. The club section is for any student that does not have a school team. Each section, club, and school will be split into three divisions, (K-6, 7-9, 10-12), unless numbers warrant combining the 7-12 division in the club section.

B. Both the club and team sections will be ran similar to the qualifiers. Each student will play for individual trophies. A combination of the top three players from each club or school, in each division, will be eligible for the club or school team trophies.

C. "Club" members, please name yourselves and submit your name on the entry blank. If you wish to be put on a club team, fill out request on entry blank and send in by pre-registration date.

- Prizes:

Qualifiers - Trophies will be awarded to 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners in each division. Grade level trophies will also be presented.

Championship - Students placing 1st, 2nd, and 3rd will be awarded in each division.

Team Tournaments - Students placing 1st, 2nd, and 3rd will be awarded in each division for the team and club individuals. Students placing 1st, 2nd, and 3rd will be awarded in each division for the team and school winners.

- Supervision: All students are required to have adult supervision.

- Pizza, pop, candy, donuts, and coffee will be sold at each tournament.

- Please bring chess boards, pieces, and clocks if you have them. Please make sure names are on all items.

- Scholarships are available to those unable to pay the fees. Contact Joyce at (303) 841-4129 for details.

- Questions: Call Joyce Baldwin at 841-4129, or Donna Karras at 988-3773.

If a student is unable to attend after pre-registration, please contact Joyce or Donna by the Friday before Saturday tournaments, or Saturday before Sunday tournaments. Please call before 9:00 p.m. Contact Rand Dodd at (970) 245-4015 for cancellations on the Western Slope Tournament.

COLORADO STATE CHESS ASSOCIATION

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Please use for all qualifiers and team tournaments. Please print and fill in all information. Make checks out to C.S.C.A.

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_____ Southern Qualifier - **Pre-registration due Feb. 19, 1996**

_____ Western Qualifier - **Pre-registration due Feb. 26, 1996**

_____ Northern Qualifier - **Pre-registration due March 4, 1996**

_____ Team Tournament - **Pre-registration due April 8, 1996**

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Club Name

_____ Please place me with two other people

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| 1 | Josh Bloomer | 95 |
| 2 | Anthea Carson | 79 |
| 3 | Randall Moore | 67 |
| 4 | Anthony Cordova | 66 |
| 5 | Douglas Andersen | 60 |
| 6 | Sean Groves | 59 |
| 7 | Stuart Simon | 57 |
| 8 | Julian Lombardi | 53 |
| | Jacob Herold | 53 |
| 10 | Constantine Vigderman | 52 |

MOST ACTIVE

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| 1 | Michael Fuchs | 16 |
| 2 | Roland Mombelli | 15 |
| | Douglas Andersen | 15 |
| 4 | Ron Rossi | 11 |
| | Jeremy Zucker | 11 |
| | Gottfried Kessler | 11 |
| | Josh Bloomer | 11 |
| | Oscar Herrman | 11 |
| | Sean Groves | 11 |
| | Joseph Aragon | 11 |
| | Tobias Myers | 11 |
| | Anthony Cordova | 11 |
| | Robert Overdorff | 11 |
| | Richard Moore | 11 |
| | James McCarty | 11 |
| | LeRoy Nickelson | 11 |
| | Constantine Vigderman | 11 |
| | Randll Moore | 11 |
| | Richard Broadie | 11 |
| | George Lombardi | 11 |
| | James Hammersmith | 11 |

Club Directory

Aurora

Aurora Chess Club meets every Saturday afternoon from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Aurora Public Library (Theatre Room or Activity Room). Contact: Dave Quarve (303) 696-1336.

Boulder

Boulder Chess Club meets at the Colorado University UMC Building every Wednesday evening starting at 7:30 p.m. Rated tournaments held every month. Contact: Mike Holcomb (303) 258-3942.

Colorado Springs

Colorado College Chess Club meets during the academic year on Wednesday evenings from 7:30 to 11:00 on the second floor of the Worner Center on the northwest corner of Cascade and Cache LaPoudre, on the CC campus. Weekly lectures by Dan Avery with events open to the public. Contact: Dan Avery (719) 635-4601 or Kris Markey (719) 389-7795 for information.

Colorado Springs Chess Club meets on Tuesday evenings at the Accacia Hotel on Platte Ave. (between Tejon and Nevada) starting at 7:00 p.m. Contact: Richard Buchanan (719) 685-1984.

USAF Academy Cadet Chess Club meets during the school year (August through May), every Friday at 5:30 p.m. in Fairchild Hall (Academic Building), Room 5L4 (southeastern-most room on the 5th floor). Contact: Capt. Richard W. Roberts, 4275 Zurich Dr., Colorado Springs, CO 80920 (719) 282-1758, or Major Daniel Ginsberg, (719) 488-1012.

Craig

Craig Chess Club meets every Thursday evening from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Playing site is the School Administration Building at 755 Yampa Ave..

Denver

Denver Chess Club meets on Tuesday evenings at the VFW Post, 4300 Pecos, Denver, CO at 6:30 p.m. Rated games start at 7:30 p.m. Contact: La Moyne Splichal (303) 861-8120.

Glendale Chess Club meets every Monday at the Glendale Community Center, 999 So. Clermont, Room 2B. Play starts at 7:30 p.m. Contact: Debra Johnson (303) 399-3252.

Grand Junction

Grand Junction Jr. Chess Club meets every third Saturday of the month at the Knights of Columbus building, 2853 North Ave. For more information, contact Rand Dodd at 245-4015. There is a \$2.00 entry fee, registration begins at 9:30 a.m. and play begins at 10:00 a.m.

Greeley

Greeley Chess Club meets Thursdays from 7 to 11 p.m. at the Ramkota Inn at 8th Ave and 8th St. For more information contact Brad Lundstrom (303) 352-6642.

Lakewood

Lakewood Chess Club meets on Thursdays from 1-3 p.m. at the Clement Center, 16th and Yarrow. The club also meets on Saturdays from 9 a.m. to noon at the Higher Grounds Coffee House, 14th and Washington in Golden. For more information contact Bill Riley at (303) 232-7671.

May 24-26: 1996 WYOMING OPEN

Parkway Plaza Hotel and Convention Center, I-25 and Center St. 2 sections both 40/2 and G/1: **OPEN** Open to all. 4-SS **RESERVE** U1800 5-SS. EF \$25 if rec'd by 5/20, \$30 at site. Hotel Chess rate, 1-4 to a room, only \$37.00. For reservations call 1-800-270-STAY and mention chess tournament. Please reserve by 5/1, and no later than 5/15. Free Airport limousine, coffee shop, bar restaurant, and soda machines all on premises. Further info: (307) 472-0449 and leave message if necessary. The biggest and best Wyoming Open yet! Hefty Prize Fund anticipated!



TOURNAMENT ANNOUNCEMENTS



January 10, Colorado Springs: **FREE SIMULTANEOUS CHESS EXHIBITION**

Colorado College on the main floor of the Worner Center at 11:30-1:30. For directions see Club Directory. Contact Dan Avery at (719) 635-4601 or Kris Markey at (719) 389-7795 for more information.

Jan. 13, Denver: **CHESS MAKES A DIFFERENCE**

3-SS, G/90. Denver Chess Club located at VFW Building 4300 Pecos St., Denver (303) 477-9257. 3 sections: **OPEN** Open to all. **U1400**. And **Novice (Unr.)** Open to all. This section will not be rated and all tournament rules will apply. EF \$20 for all 3 sections, 18 and older. Jr. EF \$10 under 18. A portion of the EF's will go to Joyce Baldwin to aid her efforts with Scholastic Chess. CSCA req'd. Reg. begins at noon, Rds. 12:30, 4, 7:30. Info: LaMoyne Splichal at (303) 861-8120.

January 20-21, **BOULDER OPEN**

4-SS, 40/2, SD/1. Holiday Inn, 800 28th St. Boulder. \$\$ (1825 b/100). 4 sections: **Open**: EF \$40 if received by 1/17 (\$10 off to Jrs., Srs., unrated). \$\$ (800 b/25): 400-200. U2200, U2100 each \$100. **Under 2000**: EF \$36 if received by 1/17 (\$9 off to Jrs., Srs., unrated). \$\$ (480 b/25): 210-105. U1900, U1800 each \$80. **Under 1700**: EF \$32 if received by 1/17 (\$8 off to Jrs., Srs., unrated). \$\$ (350 b/25): 150-80. U1600, U1500 each \$60. **Under 1400**: EF \$24 if received by 1/17 (\$7 off to Jrs., Srs., unrated). \$\$ (200 b/25): 100-50 Unr. \$50. **All**: \$10 more at site. Unr. eligible only for unrated prize in U1400 and 1st or 2nd in Open. One discount per person. Jrs. are 20/under, Srs. are 65/older. CSCA membership required (\$12/yr., or \$3/tourn.), OSA. Reg. 8:30-9:30 a.m. Rds. 10,3:30 and 9,3:30. Rounds 1 and 3 will be adjourned at 3 p.m. One 1/2 pt. bye rds. 1-3 if arranged in advance of pairing. **Colorado Tour Event**. HR: (303) 443-3322. Ent: Boulder Chess Club c/o Steve Jackson, 708 Mohawk Dr. #12, Boulder, CO 80303. Info: (303) 494-5692 or (303) 530-5490 evenings. NS, NC, W.

Feb. 17-18, Loveland: **LOVELAND OPEN**

4-SS, 40/2 and 20/1. Loveland Community Building, 545 W. Cleveland Ave. 3 sections: **OPEN** Open to all. EF \$20 if rec'd by 2/16, \$25 at site. \$\$ 170-130-50, 50 U1996. **LOVELAND** U1877 EF \$16 if rec'd by 2/16, \$21 at site. \$\$100-60-35, special prize \$35. **SANTA FE** U1610 EF \$12 if rec'd by 2/16, \$17 at site. \$\$60-40-25, \$25 Unr. CSCA req'd. Reg. 8:30-9:30 a.m., rds 10, 3:30; 9, 3. Charles Moore 425 W. 10th St. **USCF Grand Prix Tournament**. **Colorado Tour Event**. NS.

March 2-3, Colorado Springs: **COLORADO SPRINGS OPEN**

5-SS, Rds 1-3 40/90 and 25/1, rds 4-5 40/2 and 20/1. Ramada Inn, I-25 & Garden of the Gods Rd. One open section, EF \$26 if rec'd by 2/29, \$31 at site, \$6.25 off EF for Jrs, srs, unr. CSCA req'd. \$\$ 175, 125, other prizes per entries. Reg. 8:30-9:30, rds 10, 2:30, 7; 9, 3. Some housing available. \$1 from each EF is voluntary contribution to Professional Players Health & Benefits Fund. Hotel (719) 594-0700. Richard Buchanan, 308 Ruxton Ave, Manitou Springs CO 80829 phone: (719) 685-1984. **USCF Grand Prix Tournament**. **Colorado Tour Event**.

March 9-10, Colorado Springs: **FIRST ANNUAL COLORADO INTERCOLLEGIATE CHAMPIONSHIPS Cosponsored by the Colorado College and Starlight Video**

4-SS, 40/2 and SD/60, Colorado College Worner Center, NW corner of Cascade and Cache La Poudre on the CC campus. One section: **open to all USCF members with a valid college/university ID** (this includes trade/technical school and graduate students). EF \$10 if received by 3/7, \$5 more at site; free to all CC students- please register early! **PRIZES**: \$\$ and trophies; student from in-state university/college with highest score wins trophy and "1996 Colorado Intercollegiate Champion" title. \$\$ based on entries. College clubs who enter three students or more compete for Colorado Intercollegiate team championship. Reg. 8:30-9:30 a.m., rds. 10, 4, 9, 3. Mail entries to Dan Avery, 208 Cheyenne Blvd., Colorado Springs, CO 80906; (719) 635-4601. **LIMITED ROOMS AVAILABLE FREE!** Contact **Kris Markey** at (719) 389-7795 or Dan Avery for more information.

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