

# Northwest Chess Letter

NOVEMBER, 1965

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TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

Nov 10-13 Utah Open  
 Nov 13-14 Klamath Falls Open  
 Nov 6- 7 Spokane County Open Chess Tny  
 Nov 27-28 Northwest Open  
 Dec 4 Western Idaho Open  
 Dec 27-28 Northwest Jr.  
 Dec 31 to Jan 2 N.W. Invitational (tentative)  
 (See page 4 for the 1966 schedule)

1966 Spokane County Open Chess Tny  
Nov 6-7

This event is being sponsored by the Spokane Community College Chess Club (Spartan Knights) in co-operation with the Spokane Chess Club.  
Place: Spokane Community College Cafeteria, Spokane, Wash. E. 3403 Mission Avenue.  
Fee: Entry fee is \$ 3.00  
Prizes: Trophies will be awarded to the first and second place finishers and to the highest finishing B player.  
Schedule: 1st rd 9:45 AM Nov 6, 2nd rd 2:15 PM 3rd rd 7:00 PM 4th rd 9:00 AM Nov 7, 5th rd 2:30 PM  
Time Limit: 45 moves in 2 hours.  
Registration: 9-9:45 AM Sat or Oct 29th & Nov 5th evenings at the Spokane Chess Club.  
Contact: George W. Priebe E.3403 Mission Ave Spokane, Washington

1965 UTAH OPEN

Place: WCA Chess Club 737 E. 2nd South, Salt Lake City, Utah.  
Type: Seven round Swiss system tournament open to all comers.

Schedule: Registration Nov 10 7-7:45 PM, Rd1 8:00 PM, Rd2 Nov 11 9:00 AM, Rd3 3:00 PM, Rd4 Nov 12 9:00 AM, Rd5 3:00 PM, Rd6 Nov 13 8:00 AM Rd7 2:00 PM Banquet 8:00 PM

Entry Fee: \$8.50 plus USCF membership. Jrs (18 or less) \$6.50 plus USCF membership, \$2.00 refund if banquet is not attended, \$2.00 per person for additional banquet guests.

Prizes: Trophies for highest placing resident, highest placing non-resident, Class B, C, and un-rated. All prize money will be distributed on a plus score basis depending on the number of entrants.

Pairings: A modified Harkness system.

Time Limit: 50 moves in 2½ hours, 20 moves per hour thereafter. No adjournments.

Ties: Median, Solkoff, Sonnenborn-Berger will be used to break ties in that order.

Director: Harold Lunstrom, Chess Editor of the Deseret News.

Advance Registration and Inquiries:  
Dennis Hansen, 798 E. 8080 S., Sandy Utah 84070

2nd ANNUAL KLAMATH FALLS OPEN CHESS TOURNEY

Place: Winema Motor Hotel, Main & 11th St., Klamath Falls, Oregon.

Date: November 13-14

Entry Fee: \$4.00

U.S.C.F. Rated Section

1st \$50.00 2nd \$30.00 3rd \$20.00 also trophies and prizes for: Best B and C players, best Jr and best woman. Also Klamath County Champion given by KOTI-TV.

Entrants must be USCF members. Non-members can sign up for \$4.00. Klamath Co. Champion will be determined by the highest local scoring entrant.

RESERVE SECTION - restricted to B

No cash prizes, but trophies for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd places. Klamath County Reserve Champion trophy contributed by the Pelican Hotel. Prizes for the Best Woman and Best Junior. Other prizes for door, upset, booby, and others. Junior defined as under 18 yrs of age.

Registration: 8:00 AM Sat Nov. 13, 1965. Three rounds on Saturday starting at 9:30 AM and 2 rounds on Sunday starting at 9:00 AM.

Time control: Saturday 50 moves in 2 hours. Sunday 40 moves in 2 hours with 25 moves per hour and 20 moves per hour respectively for Sat and Sun following the completion of the first two hrs of play.

Tie - breaking: Median-Solkoff-S.B.-by lot.

Advanced registration welcome, if you find you can't come the money will be refunded.

Lodging suggestion: Winema Motor Hotel, Main & 11th Street, Klamath Falls Ore. Advance registration inquiries to: Klamath Falls Park and Recreation Dept. City Hall, Klamath Falls, Ore. Phone 882-3863. Tournament sponsor KOTI-TV channel 2 Klamath Falls, Ore.

NOVEMBER 19 DEADLINE FOR DECEMBER NWCL !!!



## DALBERG'S SIMULTANEOUS!!!

Saturday Nov. 6th at 1:00 PM at the College Center, Portland State College.

USCF Master Ivars Dalbergs, 1965 Oregon champion, will play all comers.

Fee of only \$1.00 per board. Players are requested to bring their own sets and boards.

Sponsored by the Portland State Chess Club and Oregon Chess Committee.

All proceeds will go to the N.W. Invitational Fund, so here's a chance to beat the champ and support an outstanding tournament too!!

(Ed note. Those players able to go to this exhibition and give it their support will be able to play against the best the NW can muster and also promote a N.W. Invitational Tny bringing together six of the strongest N.W. players in a tournament in their own backyard. How can you go wrong?)

## NORTHWEST CHESSBOARD - David Fulton ALBERSTON WINS 1965 FORT LEWIS CHESS TOURNAMENT

Eleven players came together to play for the Fort Lewis crown, but it was Bruce Alberston who walked away with it. He is current co-All Service Champion. He missed the fourth round game being called on alert over the Los Angeles Riot.

Other players who forfeited games, did so because of manoeuvres. John Tyler and Joe Yee were unable to participate. John Tyler has been emancipated and Joe Yee was attending school in N.J.

The tournament winner was not decided until the last round when B. Alberston was lucky enough to get the afternoon off.

Siegmund Bartmann proved to be B. Alberston main foe. They both finished 4-1; however, Alberston won on tie-breaking points (8-7). Three other players, Leo Tactacan, Jim McRae and Arthur Van Kueren proved to know the game quite well. These players lacked opening knowledge, but could give any Class B player a tough time.

One of the more interesting events of the tourney was when Alberston held a captive audience of five to ten players while describing the Open Defense to the Ruy Lopez.

The winner(s) of this tny travel to S.F. at the end of August to play in the 6th Army Championship. This is prepatory to the All-Service Championship. (edited for space reasons).

Fort Lewis men ranked one and two in the 2nd Annual 6th Army Chess Tournament at Prebidio last month as Bruce Alberston came away with the '65 championship and Joseph Yee the runner-up honors. Alberston is now eligible for nomination as the 6th Army representative.

The above is from the Ft. Lewis Ranger. Yee tells us that Alberston has left for a restricted area overseas and will be unable to play in the Armed Forces Tournament in D.C. We can only assume then that Yee is the new representative. Good luck to both of them! Yee says the Ft. Lewis Chess Club sends along their best wishes to Alberston in his new assignment.

## October game errors noted!

(1) Page 18. Moore vs Scott: the analysis 33.. N-K7ch 34.RxN B-K6ch 35.K-R1 N-B8ch and mates is wrong (unless move 32 is not R/1-R2) as 35.RxB! and there is no mate. (This was also pointed out by Jim Uselton)

(2) Page 20. Hashisaki vs Blackmore: Move 22 P-N6ch! should be changed to 22.P-N6ch?! as 22.PxKP! draws at least. 22.PxKP! PxP (if BxP 23.Q-Q6ch draws at least.) 23.BxR! draws.

Joseph Yee

As your editor sees it, in (1) above the note should read 33...N-K7ch 34.RxN PxN! and now White is helpless against the threat of R-B8ch, as 35.QxP B-K6ch 36.B-B2 N-B6ch is a real unhealthy position for White!

Many other articles are still wanting for space including annotated games by Duncan Suttles from the World Junior Championship. For these thanks to the editor of the Canadian Chess Chat who is anxious to work with the WCF and NWCL in spreading chess throughout the N.W. area.

Also a letter and game by Mal Skarsten as he travels throughout the U.S.

The secret Pupols analysis worked out at the Eigerwand. And others.

## Books on hand!

Practical Chess Openings-Fine(English)	7.50
Queen's Gambit-Pachman(English)382pages	3.40!
New Ways in the Openings-Gunderam(Ger)	2.50
Queen's Gambit-Euwe(German)111 pages	1.65
200 Miniature Games of Chess-J.duMont	1.95
Win at Chess-Reinfeld	1.00
Championship Chess-P.W. Sergeant	1.50
The Pleasures of Chess-Assiac	1.25
How Not to Play Chess-ZnoskoBorovsky	1.00
Chess the Easy Way-Fine	1.00!
How to Win in the Middle Game-Horowitz	1.00
The Russians Play Chess-Chernov	1.25
Strategy in the Endgame-Reinfeld	1.00
The Soviet School of Chess-Kotov-Yudo.	2.00!
Chess for Fun and Chess for Blood-Lasker	1.25
Modern Ideas in the Chess Openings-Horo	1.00
How to win in the Chess Openings-Horowi	1.00

I will try to get some reviews of books in future issues of the NWCL. Order from editor Richard W. Parsons 522 16th Ave. E. Seattle Available to members only!

# TOURNAMENT NORTHWEST BY BUZ EDDY

The WASHINGTON CHESS FEDERATION bid for the 1966 U.S. Open was sent to the USCF early this month. According to Lt. Col. E. B. EDMONDSON, president of the USCF, the U.S.C.F. tournament committee will meet during the week between Christmas and New Year to select the most attractive bid, and we will be informed of their selection shortly thereafter. We will announce their decision at the 1966 WASHINGTON OPEN.

Between now and then we will be actively promoting financial support for the event, and should the Seattle bid not prove successful this year, we will hold any money so promoted for a future bid. Send contributions to US Open Tournament Fund; c/o Stephen Christopher, 7016 N.E. 170th Ave.; Bothell, Washington.

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A problem confronting tournament organizers is that of whether to make a week-end tourney a five or a six round event. The attractions of each plan are distinct. Five rounds allows for a later start Sunday morning, ample round time, and convenient traveling time Sunday evening. It was this attraction, coupled with the fact that your writer arrived home as late as 4 AM from a few six round events, that led us to decide to hold only five round events in Seattle the past year. (Seafair excepted because of advance publicity) A six round event, however, is by far a better chess tournament. The deliniation among the top brackets, and among the class groupings reflects to a far greater accuracy, the over-the-board performance of the week-end. For this reason we shall revert to the six round tournament starting with the 1966 WASHINGTON OPEN.

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Our pairing system came under fire at the recent PEACE ARCH OPEN from several of the Canadian contingent. The primary point in question was whether color distribution should be used as a factor in the selection

of opponents. We have steadfastly held that pairing should be made totally consistant to the elimination principal, and then after opponents have been selected colors are assigned as equitably as possible. The obvious jection to this practice is that more than the necessary number of players find themselves with a heavily unbalanced color distribution during an event. We feel that this is the less of two evils, as pairing under the influence of color results in over-all less accurate tournament results.

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Prior to and during the upcoming KLAMATH FALLS OPEN a series of meetings will be held among representatives of the five Southern Oregon Chess Clubs and other interested parties, for the purpose of establishing a Southern Oregon Chess Association. We received earlier this month a copy of the 1st edition of Southern Oregon Chess News, which appeared to be produced on equipment comparable to that used by the W.C.F. The five S. Oregon clubs, (Ashland, Medford, Roseburg, Klamath Falls, and Grants Pass) have all been fairly active during the past few years, and show promise of forming a strong and lasting association. We wish the Association success, and promise the continued support of all W.C.F. facilities. Perhaps the day is not far off when we will see the state of Oregon organized on a statewide basis.

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## 1966 TOURNAMENT DATES

Jan. 8 - 9	WASHINGTON OPEN (Seattle)
Jan. 22 - 23	MARCH OF DIMES (Camas)
Feb. 5 - 6	PORTLAND OPEN (Portland)
Feb. 19-20-21	WASHINGTON CLOSED (Seattle)
Mar. 5 - 6	
Mar. 19 - 20	
Apr. 2 - 3	
Apr. 16 - 17	
Apr. 30 May 1	
May 14 - 15	
May 28-29-30	
June 11 - 12	
June 25 - 26	
July 9 - 10	
July 23 - 24	
Aug. 6 - 7	
Aug. 14 - 26	? ? ? ?
Sept. 3 -4 -5	OREGON OPEN (Portland)
Sept. 17 - 18	RUSE DE GUERRE OPEN (Camas)
Oct. 1 - 2	NW 30/30 & SEATTLE CYCLONE
Oct. 15 - 16	PEACE ARCH OPEN (Bellingham)
Oct. 29 - 30	WASHINGTON WOODPUSHERS

NOTE: PSO, Seattle Open, and Seafair Tourneys will not be held if U. S. Open bid is accepted.

# RON SMITH WINS

## 1965 RUSE DE GUERRE

RONALD SMITH, of Hoquiam, posted a  $4\frac{1}{2}$  -  $\frac{1}{2}$  record to win the 1965 Ruse de Guerre Open. Only six players registered for the U.S.C.F. section, so this was conducted as a round-robin tournament. Smith won his 1st three games against JERRY WOLFE, of Troutdale, ESTHER SCHRADER and JACK SCHRADER, of Salem, then drew his fourth round encounter with FRED SCHMIDT, of Camas. In the final round Smith met and defeated second finishing ROBERT A. MITCHELL, of Klamath Falls.

Esther Schrader gained third spot in the tournament,  $\frac{1}{2}$  point ahead of Jack. But we suspect that their first round draw was in the interest of "domestic tranquility" as it appeared to us that "Poppa Jack" had a win in the final position.

The reserve section with 11 entrants saw JAMES MITCHELL, of Portland, sweep to victory with a  $4\frac{1}{2}$  -  $\frac{1}{2}$  record, yielding only a third round draw to second place EDDIE SONIER, of Seattle. Sonier posted a 4 - 1 result by drawing in the fourth round with LEWIS RICHARDSON, of Portland.

BILL COOPER, of Camas, (now attending the U. of W. in Seattle) took a clear 3rd place with a  $3\frac{1}{2}$  -  $1\frac{1}{2}$  record.

The event was originally scheduled for six rounds, but the low number of entrants forced the open section to be conducted in five rounds, and it was decided to follow suit with the reserve section. Time control was 45 in 2, and the TD was Buz Eddy.

### SUMMARY of the 1965 RUSE DE GUERE OPEN - USCF Section

Player	Home	-1-	-2-	-3-	-4-	-5-	Score	1	2	3	4	5	6
1. Ronald G. Smith	Hoquiam	W6	W3	W4	D5	W2	$4\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	X	1	1	1	$\frac{1}{2}$	1
2. Robert A. Mitchell	Klamath Falls	W5	D4	W6	W3	L1	$3\frac{1}{2}$ - $1\frac{1}{2}$	0	X	1	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	1
3. Esther Schrader	Salem	D4	L1	W5	L2	WF6	$2\frac{1}{2}$ - $2\frac{1}{2}$	0	0	X	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	1F
4. Jack Schrader	Salem	D3	D2	L1	WF6	L5	2 - 3	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	X	0	1F
5. Fred Schmidt	Camas	L2	L6	L3	D1	W4	$1\frac{1}{2}$ - $3\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	0	0	1	X	0
6. Jerry Wolfe	Troutdale	L1	W5	L2	LF4	LF3	1 - 4	0	0	OF	OF	1	X

### RESERVE SECTION

Player	Home	-1-	-2-	-3-	-4-	-5-	Score	Median
1. James Mitchell	Portland	W11	W6	D2	W3	W4	$4\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	
2. Eddie Sonier	Seattle	W7	W5	D1	D4	W9	4 - 1	
3. Bill Cooper	Camas	W10	D4	W9	L1	W6	$3\frac{1}{2}$ - $1\frac{1}{2}$	
4. Lewis Richardson	Portland	W8	D3	W10	D2	L1	3 - 2	10
5. Bradley Hoover	Camas	Bye	L2	W8	L6	W11	3 - 2	5.5
6. Jack Pattie	Grays River	W9	L1	D7	W5	L3	$2\frac{1}{2}$ - $2\frac{1}{2}$	8
7. Earl Knapp	Gig Harbor	L2	D8	D6	D10	Bye	$2\frac{1}{2}$ - $2\frac{1}{2}$	6
8. R. V. Horn	Klamath Falls	L4	D7	L5	W11	W10	$2\frac{1}{2}$ - $2\frac{1}{2}$	5.5
9. Bill Jessett	Camas	L6	W11	L3	Bye	L2	2 - 3	
10. Don Lutens	Gig Harbor	L3	Bye	L4	D7	L8	$1\frac{1}{2}$ - $3\frac{1}{2}$	
11. Henry Kaffenberger	Olympia	L1	L9	Bye	L8	L5	1 - 4	

# VIKTORS PUPOLS

## TIE FOR FIRST IN 1965

VIKTORS PUPOLS, of Seattle, and DUNCAN SUTTLES, of Ft. Camp, B.C. tied for first at the recent PEACE ARCH OPEN. Each finished the event with a  $5\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$  record winning five games and drawing only with each other. Pupols won the first place trophy on a flip-of-the-coin after the three standard tie breaking systems left the two deadlocked. Suttles claims a perfect record in coin flips, losing every one.

Suttles posted his five wins over CECIL FALKOWSKY, of Vancouver, MYRON MILLER, of Bellingham, TERRY NELSON, of Seattle, C. AYKROYD and LESLIE VITANYI, both of Vancouver.

Pupols picked up his five wins from JOHN WALKER and RODNEY DUNN, of Seattle, W. BLACKMORE, of Bellingham, BRIAN POTTER, of Vancouver, and Terry Nelson.

Prior to the third round Blackmore-Pupols encounter, Blackmore was walking around the tournament room asking if anyone knew a Dick Peeples. Upon Viktors arrival Blackmore stared at him questioningly and asked "Are you Mr. Puh..Pup..?" Pupols, being equal to the occasion responded with "Come on, Blackmore, you ninny!" Blackmore then engaged Pupols in the type of wide open tactical game that Pupols has been trying to avoid of late. Pupols is attempting to present the image of a "rock solid" positional player. In this encounter, however, he showed himself as a capable tactician, and dispatched Blackmore with apparent ease.

Meanwhile, across the tournament room, Suttles had his hands full with Terry Nelson. Nelson had established a threatening pawn chain, which a few observers felt might hold for a draw with possibly some winning opportunities. But Nelson saved Suttles the effort of trying to evolve a slow hard win in the position, by trying to press the game prematurely. Suttles countered quickly and accurately, winning a material advantage and the game.

JOSEPH KALTENECKER, of Port Alberni, B. C., took a clear third place in the tourney with a  $4\frac{1}{2}$ - $1\frac{1}{2}$  record. Kaltenecker won four yielded a final round draw to BRIAN POTTER, of Vancouver, and was upset in the third round by relative newcomer RODNEY DUNN, of Seattle.

Kaltenecker was the high scoring class "A" player, but selected the third place award, leaving LESLIE VITANYI, of Vancouver and Brian Potter to share the top class "A" prize, with their 4 - 2 records.

The high class "B" prize went to EDDIE SONIER, of Seattle, who also finished the event with a 4 - 2 score. In his third game with COLIN AYKROYD, of Vancouver, Sonier developed what appeared to be a winning position, but lost the game via time-forfeit.

Top class "C" honors went to WAYNE CHIN, of Bellingham, who has been participating in organized chess for only eight months. He is the son of Bellingham expert DANNY CHIN. Chin scored an upset first round win over LOU FESL, of Marysville, and went on to post two more wins over newcomer ED REID, of White Rock, B.C. and over JOHN WARD, of Tacoma, to finish with a 3 - 3 score.

The tournament was conducted in the Convention Hall of Bellingham's Leopold Hotel on the week-end of October 16 - 17. 27 players attended the event (less than 20 last year) with eight from north of the border. Only five Bellingham players were able to participate, as Bellingham Chess Club mainstays DANNY CHIN, and HAROLD RAYMOND had to attend to business and official matters.

BRUCE McLEOD made the best showing of the Bellingham contingent with a 3 - 3 record. McLeod upset Leslie Vitanyi in the first round and took his second round game with Joseph Kaltenecker into adjournment. After holding Brian Potter to a draw in the third round he dropped the adjourned game. He broke even with another  $1\frac{1}{2}$  points Sunday.

# DUNCAN SUTTLES

## PEACE ARCH OPEN

After each had won his first four encounters, the stage was set for decisive Pupols-Suttles game. The game opened in a predictable fashion and proceeded several moves along the well analysed Robatch-Suttles-"The RAT". It then appeared to your writer that the game was beginning to swing in Suttles direction, as he picked up the exchange. But Pupols had compensation in the form of a pawn sitting on Suttles seventh rank, which Suttles had to give back the material to win. At adjournment it ap-

peared that Suttles had the draw in hand but that his winning chances were slight, if at all existant, for Pupols had checked his king virtually out of play. Upon resuming play the game was converted into a king and rook ending with Suttles having doubled P's on the knight file opposing Pupols single pawn. Suttles searched diligently, but no win appeared and the game was drawn.

Time control for the event was 50 in two. Tournament director was Buz Eddy.

### Summary of the 1965 PEACE ARCH OPEN

Player	Home	-1-	-2-	-3-	-4-	-5-	-6-	Score	Med	Solk	S.B	CF
1. Viktors Pupols	Seattle	W11	W10	W19	W8	D2	W9	5½-1½	14½	22½	17¼	1
2. Duncan Suttles	Ft. Camp	W18	W14	W9	W4	D1	W7	5½-1½	14½	22½	17¼	0
3. Joseph Kaltenecker	Port Alberni	W24	W13	L10	W6	W5	DE	4½-1½				
4. Colin Aykroyd	Vancouver	W17	W6	W5	L2	L7	W18	4-2	15			
5. Eero Jaaska	Los Angeles	W16	W26	L4	W13	L3	W10	4-2	13½	19		
6. Eddie Sonier	Seattle	W27	L4	W12	L3	W16	W14	4-2	13½	18½		
7. Leslie Vitanyi	Vancouver	L13	W24	W15	W16	W4	L2	4-2	13	20	11½	
8. Brian Potter	Vancouver	W22	W15	D13	L1	W19	D3	4-2	13	20	10½	
9. Terry Nelson	Seattle	W21	W23	L2	W11	D10	L1	3½-2½	14½			
10. Rodney Dunn	Seattle	W25	L1	W3	W18	D9	L5	3½-2½	14			
11. John Walker	Seattle	L1	W20	W14	L9	D18	W23	3½-2½	11½			
12. Lou Fesl	Marysville	L15	W27	L6	D25	W22	W19	3½-2½	8			
13. Bruce McLeod	Bellingham	W7	L3	D8	L5	W20	D17	3-3	15			
14. Myron Miller	Bellingham	W20	L2	L11	W15	W21	L6	3-3	13			
15. Wayne Chin	Bellingham	W12	L8	L7	L14	W27	W21	3-3	12½			
16. Bill Cooper	Seattle	L5	W22	W25	L7	L6	W26	3-3	10½			
17. Roy Cummings	Coquitlam	L4	L19	D20	W26	W25	D13	3-3	9			
18. Cecil Falkowsky	Vancouver	L2	W21	W23	L10	D11	L4	2½-3½	13			
19. William Blackmore	Bellingham	D26	W17	L1	W24	L8	L12	2½-3½	12			
20. Steve Hueston	Bellingham	L14	L11	D17	W22	L13	W25	2½-3½	10½			
21. John Ward	Tacoma	L9	L18	W26	W23	L14	L15	2-4	10			
22. Earl Knapp	Gig Harbor	L8	L16	Bye	L20	L12	W27	2-4	9½	13½		
23. Eric Molson	Des Moines	Bye	L9	L18	L21	W24	L11	2-4	9½	13		
24. Charles V.J. Lewis	Vancouver	L3	L7	W27	L19	L23	Bye	2-4	8½			
25. Alan Long	Renton	L10	Bye	L16	D12	L17	L20	1½-4½	12			
26. Henry Kaffenberger	Olympia	D19	L5	L21	L17	Bye	L16	1½-4½	10½			
27. Ed Reid	White Rock	L6	L12	L24	Bye	L15	L22	1-5				

# PUGET SOUND LEAGUE

## 1965-66 PUGET SOUND LEAGUE RULES

1. Time Control for each game shall be 40 an hour, with 40 moves per hour thereafter.
2. A match shall consist of five boards, with two games (one with each color) at each board. A sixth player may play the second game on fifth board.
3. Matches start at 1:00 PM. A team lacking a full compliment of players may elect to do one of two things. (A) To begin play forfeiting the lowest boards, or (B) Await the arrival of additional players permitting time to elapse on all clocks. Once play has began, a team may not add additional players, with the exception of the fifth board alternate mentioned above.
4. Highest ranking player plays first board, second ranking player plays second board, etc. This is generally left to the team captains discretion, however once ranking has been established in a match, it may not be altered in future matches.
5. Team captains draw for color on 1st board and other boards alternate. That is, board 3 and 5 play the same color drawn for board 1, and board 2 and 4 play the opposite color.
6. The home team shall provide clocks, sets, and boards.
7. The FIDE Laws of Chess shall govern play. (No kibitzing, touch move, recording, etc.)
8. Match results only shall be used to determine the league standings.
9. Players may openly consult team captains regarding offering or accepting draws, but once an agreement on a draw is reached it is final.
10. No player may play on more than one team during the season.
11. At the conclusion of each match, the team captain shall report the result of the match to the League Director: B. Eddy; 504 Terry; Sea.

## LEAGUE STANDINGS

Team	Won	Lost	Games won	Games lost
1. Univ. of Wash.	1	0	10	0
2. Tacoma C.C.	1	0	7½	2½
3. Golden Horde	1	0	6	4
4. Bellingham C.C.	½	½	5	5
5. Boeing C.C.	½	½	5	5
6. W. Seattle C.C.	0	1	4	6
7. Seattle C.C.	0	1	2½	7½
8. Kitsap C.C.	0	1	0	10

## 1st ROUND MATCH RESULTS

U.ofW.-10 KITSAP - 0. Kitsap phoned the UW Sunday morning reporting that two of their players had taken ill, and that they would be unable to field a team.

TACOMA - 7½ SEATTLE 2½. Tacoma swept 4½ of the possible 5 points in the first round of their encounter with the Seattle C.C. with only NORM ABRAHAMSON being able to wrest a half point from ERNST RASMUSSEN for the visitors. In the second round the hosts re-lented a bit yeilding two points on 3rd and 5th boards.

TACOMA CHESS CLUB	7½-2½	SEATTLE CHESS CLUB
1. Ernst Rasmussen	1½ ½	Norm Abrahamson
2. Dave Fulton	2	0 - Stephen Christopher
3. Ernie Prentice	1	1 - James Knittel
4. John Pericich	2	0 - John Chance
5. Dave Haugen	1	0 - Chris Corwin
5. John Ward	0	1 - Chris Corwin

GOLDEN HORDE - 6 WEST SEATTLE - 4. The defending champions won their opener by a narrow margin, sorely missing the services of 14 game winner MATT KENNY and expert "SHAG" FRANETT. Surprise of the match was on 1st board where PAT HICKEY won two from expert editor RICHARD PARSONS.

GOLDEN HORDE	6 - 4	WEST SEATTLE
1. Richard Parsons	0	2 - Pat Hickey
2. George Kajanoff	2	0 - Max Mage
3. Robert Holzinger	2	0 - Pete Olson
4. Eddie Sonier	1	1 - Gary Holmquist
5. Robert Lundin	1	0 - Charles Joannes
5. Robert Lundin	0	1 - Bill Gillette

BELLINGHAM - 5 BOEING - 5. Without the services of ANDY SCHOENE or CLARK HARMON, Boeing could only manage a draw in their match with the improved Bellingham team. Boeing edged ahead with 3 first round wins, but the home team matched them with 3 in the second to draw the match.

BOEING CHESS CLUB	5 - 5	BELLINGHAM
1. Alan Clark	1	1 - William Blackmore
2. Seid Ibrahim	0	2 - Danny Chin
3. Neil Harmon	1	1 - Peter Hashisaki
4. Rupert Dorn	2	0 - Myron Miller
5. Arnold Rudzitis	1	1 - Wayne Chin

NOTE: Teams that have not already done so, please remit \$3.00 PSL fees, and \$3.00 club membership renewal.



OREGON STATE UNIVERSITY TOURNEY

1965 All-O.S.U. Chess Tournament Oct 9-10

1. Jerry Wolfe	W18 W7 W3 W2 W4	5-0
2. John Cleveland	W13 W6 W5 L1 W7	4-1
3. Ron Murata	W10 W11 L1 W12 W5	4-1
4. Dick Jarvinen	W17 D16 W10 W6 L1	3½-1½
5. Mike Schemm	W19 W8 L2 W14 L3	3-2
6. Ron Gist	W14 L2 W17 L4 W13	3-2
7. Ken Driessel	W15 L1 W11 W16 L2	3-2
8. Steve Thomson	W20 L5 L12 Bye W11	3-2
9. Dan McFarling	L11 L12 W21 W10 Bye	3-2
10. Larry Root	L3 W15 L4 L9 W12	2-3
11. Carl Stromness	W9 L3 L7 W17 L8	2-3
12. Jay Saxton	L16 W9 W8 L3 L10	2-3
13. Ken Sunamoto	L2 L14 W18 W15 L6	2-3
14. Carl Takumi	L6 W13 W16 L5 F	2-3
15. Linda Waterman	L7 L10 Bye L13 W16	2-3
16. Rudolf Milpacher	W12 D4 L14 L7 L15	1½-3½
17. Don Dimitre	L4 W19 L6 L11 F	1-4
18. Ashad Masoud	L1 W20 L13 F F	1-4
19. David Crosley	L5 L17 F F F	0-5
20. Louis Thurston	L8 L18 F F F	0-5
21. Greg Hertel	F F L9 F F	0-5

Jerry Wolfe won the closed tournament at Oregon State University on the 9th and 10th of October. Wolfe beat both John Cleveland and Ron Murata, who tied for second and third. Various class prizes went to Dick Jarvinen, Mike Schemm, Ron Gist, Ken Driessel, Dan McFarling, Ken Sunamoto, Linda Waterman and Rudolf Milpacher.

Two odd events marked this tourney. Dick Jarvinen, a player with a year of N.W. tny experience behind him, having an overwhelming superiority over his second round opponent, accidentally stalemated him. In the other one, Steve Thomson, misunderstanding the starting time for the third round, came in with a minute left on his clock. Yet he managed to play to a rook-up position before his flag-fell. Clay Kelleher.

NORTHWEST INTERCOLLEGIATE LEAGUE

PORTLAND STATE COLLEGE - W.WASH ST. COLLEGE

1. Leon Sage	10 William Blackmore
2. Tim Nettleton	11 Myron Miller
3. Ralph Stein	10 Nadav Friedman
4. Lewis Richardson	1½ Charles Urbanowica
	1 Gary Gelow
<u>Reserves</u>	
5. Coggins, Prof.	1 Jack Benedict
	0 Vladimir Milicic
6. Bruce Holmgren	0 Clark Drummond
	½ Pete Fulton

FSC's #1 player, Leon Sage, led the Vikings to victory over the Washington Team with a resounding first-round defeat over the enemy's top player William Blackmore. The Vikings had to shell out \$42.50 from their own pockets to finance the expedition because Dean of Stud-

ents Channing Briggs refused to let the club have a state car as is customary for inter-college events of this sort. Briggs did not give a reason for his refusal. (The staff of the NWCL is hopeful that with a winning team the Dean will relent in the future.)

CONCORDIA forfeits to GEORGE FOX !!!

UNIVERSITY OF WASH. - SEATTLE PACIFIC

1. Dave Williams	1	Dave Grant
2. Vincent Gillis	1	John Krehbiel
3. Larry Brandt	1F	
4. John Walker	1F	

The University of Wash. Team defeated Seattle Pacific after a mix-up ended with the latter having only two of their team members showing up. Only two games were played, and after losing both the Seattle Pacific players found it hopeless to continue.

Jim Campbell (phone LA 4-1799) is the captain of the U of W team in the P.S. League so contact him. Kitsap didn't know this last week, so they called the wrong man.

Portland requests that teams playing them bring additional members as they are always able to supply additional members that would like to play for the experience!

TEAM STANDINGS

GEORGE FOX	1-0	8-0
UNIV. OF WASH	1-0	8-0
PORTLAND STATE	1-0	5-3
WEST. WASH. ST.	0-1	3-5
SEATTLE PACIFIC	0-1	0-8
CONCORDIA	0-1	0-8

Western Washington had a bearded player on their team, but Portland was fully prepared bringing along a shaggy one of their own!

Thanks Prof. Coggins for the long distance call supplying the results.

SCHEDULE :

Round 1A	November 6	OREGON ST at Geo. Fox
Round 2	November 13	George Fox at Uof Wash. Concordia at Portland St. Western Wash at Seattle Pacific
Round 2A	November 20	Oregon State at Concordia
Round 3	January 15	Portland State at George Fox Seattle Pacific at Concordia
Round 3A	January 29	Portland State at Oregon State

Now that this new feature to the N.W. is off the ground, let's give it all the support possible. This should be an annual event in N.W. chess, (TRULY N.W. !!)

# N.W. POSTAL!

At present there are 26 entrants with 9 of the players entering two or more sections. 19 players are Washingtonians, 6 are Oregonians and 1 is from Alabama. We have a total of 7 players eligible for class "C" prizes, 11 eligible for class "B" prizes, and only 2 eligible for class "A" prizes! There are three prizes for the top "A" players, but only 2 eligible!!! This is a wonderful opportunity for all those class A tournament players and Class "A" postal players to pick up a cinch prize! This leaves 6 eligible for only the top prizes; of course, all players are eligible for the top prizes (\$50 first!).

Here is the listing of the participants, their class and sections they are playing in: Paul Becker, B, 1, 5, 7 - Arvin Dangerud, C, 7 - Richard Davis, B, 5 - Mrs. Denison, C, 6, 8 - Richard Hainsworth, C, 1 - Greg Kern, 6, 7 - Russell Miller, B, 1, 2 - Eino Moks, B, 6 - Oliver Morris, 1 - Peter Olson, B, 2 - Dick Parsons, 2, 3 - John Potter, C, 5 - Ernie Prentice, 3, 4 - Otto Reddig, B, 4 - John Reh, A, 1 - Jan Roskam, B, 3 - Mike Schemm, C, 3, 4 - Eddie Sonier, B, 2 - John Walker, B, 2 - Les Walker, B, 2 - F.H. Weaver, 5 - Gene Webb, B, 3 - Bill Weber, B, 6 - Zack Wester, C, 4 - Arthur Wick, 7 - Dave Williams, C, 4

President Clark Harmon has decided that as he writes the story he can't believe it so he is going to enter two sections himself and see if he can't pick up a little of this money as the A players refuse to try for it themselves. He has even offered to pay his debt to Pupols if he will enter, now that is a real incentive! Personally I don't see how Pupols can resist the title of N.W. Postal Champion as he is a postal player of some renown.

- First Prize \$ 50
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- Third Prize \$ 10
- Fourth Prize \$ 5
- Fifth Prize 1 yr subscription to NWCL
- Sixth Prize 1/2 yr subscription to NWCL

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For rules see June, July, August issues of the NWCL.

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## 1965 PORTLAND STATE COLLEGE TOURNEY

1 Leon Sage	W10 W3 D6 W5	3 1/2 - 1/2	
2 Ruben Saez	W4 W7 L3 W6	3-1	10 1/2
3 James Mitchell	W12 L1 W2 W10	3-1	
4 Bruce Betzer	L2 W8 W11 W9	3-1	8
5 Tim Nettleton	W11 W14 W7 L1	3-1	6 1/2
6 Denny Jenquin	W13 W9 D1 L2	2 1/2 - 1 1/2	
7 Ralph Stein	W8 L2 L5 W13	2-2	8 1/2
8 Don Kirkpatrick	L7 L4 W12 W11	2-2	7
9 Conrad Brown	W14 L6 W13 L4	2-2	5
10 Lewis Richardson	L1 D13 W14 L3	1 1/2 - 2 1/2	
11 Bruce Holmgren	L5 W12 L4 L8	1-3	9
12 Everett Dale	L3 L11 L8 W14	1-3	6
13 Barrett McMaugh	L6 D10 L9 L7	1/2 - 3 1/2	
14 Lawrence Jubb	L9 L5 L10 L12	0-4	

The 1965 Portland State Tournament attracted a small but powerful field this year. Leon Sage, who but recently moved to Portland, was one of the starting favorites and edged out the contenders by a narrow half-point.

Ruben Saez was right in there til the last, but needed desperately to draw an adjourned 3rd round game with Jim Mitchell. Saez was in trouble in most of his games but against Mitchell he lost a pawn early. He fought long and hard but Jim won a fine endgame.

Portland St. College C.C. Prexy Jim Mitchell thus scored his second success in as many weeks ( he won the reserve in Camas).

Three very fine trophies were awarded by the club. The club is very active and energetic this year, they have a program going to teach beginners, and have some clever posters put up around the school campus.

T.D. Greg Kern, assisted by Leif Karell. It was necessary to suspend the Buz Eddy rule, because of the drastically short time limit 40/hr.

Reported by Gregory Kern

### OREGON CHESS COMMITTEE

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Purpose: to promote chess events in Ore. and give aid and comfort to all organizers in Oregon. 1)N.W. Masters Invitational 2)Ashland 1965 3)Portland Open June 1, 66.(new event) 4) N.W. Junior, are being sponsored by this comm.

One new member will be added each year. We will try to represent the state equally. If any promoters need assistance contact us. We are currently engaged in raising funds for N.W. Invitational Tny, with Dalbergs, MacSkasy, Zengalis, Pupols, McCormick & Suttles as a tentative line-up.

## SOUTHERN OREGON CHESS ASSOCIATION

Your president has begun regularly corresponding with the provisional sec'y of this about-to-be formed chess organization in Ore. The sec'y, Arthur Everett, 813 Beach St., Ashland, Oregon., has done a tremendous amount of work; and largely through his efforts a Southern Oregon Chess Ass'n seems to be virtually a reality. I plan on being at their organizational meeting the weekend of the Klamath Falls Open, to offer the support of the Washington Chess Federation and help as much as I can. The agenda is as follows: Nov. 12th, Friday, 8:30 P.M., Winema Hotel, Klamath Falls. Wes McKaig, Chairman. The main business will be discussion of the Draft Articles of the Association. Topics to be discussed will be scope, membership, activities to promote (matches: over-the-board, radio; tournaments, local, regional, women's, junior's), and type of organization.

Nov. 13th, Saturday, 8:30 AM, Coffee Shop, Frank Freeburger, Chairman. Business will consist of final reading of Articles of Association and appointment of Officer and Committee Chairman nomination committee, and other topics of importance not covered in first meeting.

Nov. 14th, Sunday, 8:00 AM, Coffee Shop, Lew Hill, chairman. Business will consist of election of officers, ratification of Articles of Association, and distribution of Articles for signature.

This may sound ambitious for one weekend, but months have gone into its preparation, and with around 250 potential members in Southern Ore. alone, it could be a 2nd force in N.W. chess.

WELCOME SOUTHERN OREGON CHESS ASS'N!

### THE SOUTHWEST CORNER :

- Being a Report on the Doings of Various Chess Clubs, With an Occasional Violent Opinion on the Game of Chess, by Norm Stough. -

This really should be entitled, "How to Form a Chess League, in 183 Easy Lessons", or something to that effect. Some time ago, at a meeting of the Twin Cities Chess Club in Centralia, someone in a mad moment suggested we try to form a Southwest League. It didn't look like too much of a job, and always aware of the value of making yourself felt, I volunteered to give it a whirl. We DO live and learn, don't we? So far, I have received one fairly positive "perhaps", and an absolute, concrete, "maybe". But there is still hope for a Southwest League, perhaps with a late winter start this year. The primary difficulty to date has been the distances involved. An article in the Chess Letter several months ago suggested a Southwest League to take in all the territory south of Pierce County, however, a quick look at a map shows up the impracticality of this arrangement. A

team from Camas, for instance, would have to drive over 150 miles for a match with teams from either Lacey or Hoquiam, and 120 miles to Centralia. Aside from the economic factors involved, a team would obviously not be at peak strength after having spent nearly four hours in transit. In addition to which, spending nearly eight hours in a day just getting to and from, leaves little time for a serious chess match. So far, an attempt to form a league within an area small enough to allow decent travel times has been stymied by the fact that there are simply not enough clubs in this region. Yet, the solution is to aid in the formation of new clubs, and interesting them in playing in a league. Like I said, we live and learn.

Centralia College announced the formation of a chess club this past month, with original membership approaching two dozen. They intend to compete in college matches around the state, if such are available, while we have hopes of convincing them of the advantages of playing in the Southwest League as well. An evening of skittles is presently planned between the college players and the Twin Cities club, with a serious match in prospect for the future.

For those who may not have heard, the old Olympia chess group, apparently defunct, has been re-activated as the Lacey Chess Club, meeting every Monday evening at Lacey Lanes. Another prospect, and though a small group at present, they should grow. They have some strong players among the group, and an active interest in the game.

I have not heard from the Grays Harbor Club since I graciously loaned them some chess charts and can only assume they are all busily memorizing all the variations of the English and King's Indian openings. If this is true, look out for them at next years Grays Harbor Open.

We have no report from Camas, except to mention in passing that Lew Richardson has slipped across the border under cover of darkness, and presented himself (wringing wet) at the Portland Chess Club, asking for asylum. It has been rumored that they have found one for him, and he will be admitted. More on this next month.

Correspondents write to Norm Stough, Rt 2 Box 476, Chehalis, Washington.

### N.W. INVITATIONAL

The N.W. invitational tny tentatively scheduled for Dec. 31 to Jan 2 seems to be getting well off the ground. Gregory Kern has now Dlabergs, MacSkasy, Suttles, Zemgalis, McCormick and Pupols as the probable line-up. A tournament book may be produced on the event. As soon as the event is definitely lined up a write-up on the careers of the players will be given in the N.W. CHESS L.

# RUSSELL'S "CHESS" "CHATS"



Mrs E. Pritchard won the British Ladies C. Championship, an 18 women 11 round Swiss.

Hastings Christmas Congress is set for Dec. 29-Jan 8. Players expected are Gligoric (Yugo) Uhlmann (E. Ger) Pflieger (W. Ger) Gheorghiu (Rou) Nicolaiy (W. Ger) P. N. Lee, N. Littlewood, W. R. Hurtston all of England plus 2 Russian grandmasters, probably World Champ Petrosian and I Boleslavsky. P. Keres won last year.

Hartston won the main event of the Paisuton Congress 5-1. Clark, Gibbs and Toothill had 4½. This was the 15th annual and had 130 players in its various sections.

Van Seters won the Belgian Championship (but not the title, he is Dutch) 8½, Boey 7½.

Soviet Champ Victor Korchnoy won the 8th Asztalos Memorial Tournament 14½-½!

Northern Championship Tournament of the Scandinavian Countries ended in a tie with Thorbergsson (Iceland) & Johannessen (Norway) at 9 points apiece.

Johannesburg City Championship went to both Dieyer and Heyns 7-2.

Swedish Championship went to Johansson and Nilsson 10½.

Marcus won the playoff with Walther for the Swiss Championship.

The Moscow Championship was won by Aronin with 10½-4½.

The finals of the 1965 World Championship Candidates series takes place in Tbilisi, Georgia between Mikhail Tal and Boris Spassky. Play starts Nov. 1. 12 games are scheduled and if a tie results 4 more games are to be played and if there is still a tie a flip of a coin will decide the outcome. Parsons picks Spassky and I pick Tal.

The 1965 Tchigorin Memorial at Sachi was won by Spassky and Unzicker (W. Ger) 10½-4½.

The eighth Junior World Championship was held in Barcelona, Spain August 14-Sept 1. 28 players from all over the world took part. No American player was entered, but Duncan Suttles played representing Canada. The players were divided in to five preliminary groups of more or less equal strength. The top two players in each group qualified for the finals. Group A Schoneberg (E. Ger) 3, Keene (England) & Tukmakov (USSR) 2½. Tukmakov won a place in the finals when his second Averbakh chose the right piece of paper in drawing of lots which was drawn to break the tie. Group B Kurajica (Yugo) 4, Bronstein (Arg) 3, Suttles (Canda) 1½. This was the strongest preliminary group. Suttles lost to Kurajica in a 38 move Sicilian which was printed in the Oct BRITISH CHESS MAGAZINE. Group C Hubner (W. Ger) 4 Simon (Spain) 3 Group D had Farajo (Hun) 4½ & Bleiman (Israel) 3½. Group E Hartoch (Holland) 4½, Zwais (Nor) 3½.

In the Finals of Group A, Kurajica won 6½ points and the title of World Junior Champion. Hartoch and Tukmakov had 6 apiece.

Kurajica is only 17 and can play again in 1967. He probably will receive the international master title for his result.

Suttles and Keene were best in the B Finals. Suttles did not lose a game 6½-1½! Keene next with 6 and Cordovil (Port) 4½. Golombek says of Suttles in his report in the Oct BCM, "Suttles is a talented and temperamental player with a great penchant for developing his N's on KR3, would not have disgraced himself in the top final ...".

Finals of the C group Gonzales (Spain) 6-1, Bou Aziz (Tunisian) 4½. He was the youngest player in the tournament.

Taking into account all of the games played, Suttles placed 11th out of 28.

A. L. McAuley of New Orleans won the 50 player Arkansas Open held in Hot Springs. Ronnie Taylor also scored 4½-½ but lost the title on tiebreakers.

James T. Sherwin won the Second Marble City Open in Vermont 5-0. 34 players entered.

Charles Weldon won on tiebreakers over Don Haffner the Providence Open scoring 4½-½.

USCF Master Jan Familijens won the Baltic Chess Club Championship in N.Y. City 6-1. August Rankis won second with 5½-1½.

Andrew Saltis won the N.Y. City Jr. on tiebreakers over Mare Yoffie, both scoring 7-1 in a field of 92!

Grandmaster David Bronstein of the USSR has proposed a major rule change in the royal game. He wants the queen as well as the king to be allowed to castle. He wants to speed up the game by eliminating moves aimed at an early capture of the queen.

The US Chess Championship will be held this Dec. 12-30 in NY City's Henry Hudson. The top 12 USCF rated players have been invited. R. Fischer (2734) S. Reshevsky (2591) P. Benko (2578) W. Lombardy (2572) L. Evans (2554) W. Addison (2520) R. Byrne (2518) Anthony Saidy (2509) Nicolas Ros-solino (2480) A. Bisquier (2476) C. Kalme (2462) & Donald Byrne (2446).

## 4TH CAPABLANCA MEMORIAL TOURNAMENT

Former World Champion Vassily Smyslov (O) of USSR won the tourney with 13 wins, 3 losses and 5 draws for 15½-5½. Next were R. Fischer, E. Geller (1) (USSR) and B. Ivkov (1) (Yug) at 15-6. Cholmov (1) (USSR) 14½, Pachman (½) (Cz), Donner (O) Hol 12½, Robatsch (O) (Austria) 12, Bilek (O) (Hun) 11½, Parma (½) (Yug) 11, Pietzsch (O) (E. Ger) and Szabo (O) (Hun) 10½, Tringov (O) (Bul) and O'Kelly (½) (Bel) 10, Jimenez (½) (Cuba) and Ciocaltea (½) (Rum) 9½, Doda (O) (Pol) 8½, Lehmann (O) (W. Ger) and Wade (½) (Eng) 7½, Cobo (O) 5½, Garcia (O) & Perez (O) with 4 each.

As reported previously, Fischer played in this tournament while staying in N.Y. City due to State Department refusal to grant him a pass -



port to Cuba. Fischer played his games in the Marshall Chess Club with the moves transmitted by teletype. This caused Fischer's playing sessions to last eight hours instead of the usual 5 hours. He drew several games with lesser masters after building up superior positions because of fatigue. This event was Fischer's first venture into Master chess since his 11-0 victory in the U.S. Championship Dec 1963. Fischer's result was a fine 12 wins, 3 losses and 6 draws. He had satisfaction in beating the winner Smyslov, in the second round, in 41 moves, but he lost to Ivkov in Round 10 and this was his first loss since the 1962 US Championship. His other losses were to Geller and Cholmov in the 17th and 18th rounds. He then bounced back to win 3 straight to finish tied for second place.

Ivkov should have won but lost a game in which he was 4 pawns and the exchange ahead, to Garcia. He followed this with a loss to Rob - atsch and so fell to a second place. Ivkov had lost earlier to Cholmov.

The press and T.V. coverage of the opening rounds was larger than any U.S. event in the history of US chess.

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**PORTLAND CHESS CLUB NEWS**

The Portland C.C. after the slow summer season is beginning to pick up steam. Since your president joined the club on Sept. 28th, about five new or returning members have been added to the club roster. It is difficult to get an accurate count of the membership, but it is definitely over 45 paying members.

The Portland C.C. is unique: it is successful! It has existed over the years as a strong club, has remained in the downtown area, and has paid its way. Three attributes possessed by few clubs in the Pacific Northwest.

Much of the success of the club has been its officers, Cy Friedman as president today, E.G. Short as sec'y some years back, and others before my time. Another factor is the excellent club rating system and ladder developed by E. G. Short. By the way this is the same rating system used by the Mechanic's Institute C.C. in San Francisco and the Seattle C.C. With the unwritten club rule of "all games at the club must be rated" in force, plus the rating system itself; a highly accurate club ladder is obtained. Considerable interest is generated by the ratings themselves, irrespective of ability. Below is the club ladder as of Oct. 16.

The ladder is revised every week.

A		C	
Dalbergs	1127	Neubauer	492
Harmon	913	Carangelo	487
Dunaway	865	Dangerud	483
Burnham	816	Hunt	466
Jenquin	807*	Knudtson	441
Kelleher	804	Muir	441
Weisz	751	Pories	432
Ruffe	725	Truu	406*
Scott	703*	Grenz	383
Hill	684	Potter	378
B		D	
Moore	682	Malison	368
Karell	646	Coggins	327
Friedman	640	Van Wyk	319
Skarsten	589	Norris	294
Stein	574	Benedict	274
York	562	Becker	265
Dod	549	Peterson	258
Delaney	516	Gallup	257
Kirk	501	Foster	254
Richardson	493	Manes	248
		E	
* indicates a new rating high!		Akesson	175
		Jellum	136
		Gardner	129

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	P.S.L.	SCHEDULE
<u>Nov. 7</u>	Seattle Chess C.	at Univ. of Wash.
	Golden Horde	at Kitsap
	West Seattle	at Boeing
	Tacoma C. C.	at Bellingham
<u>Nov. 21</u>	Univ of Wash.	at W. Seattle
	Golden Horde	at Bellingham
	Seattle C.C.	at Boeings
	Tacoma C. C.	at Kitsap
<u>Dec. 5</u>	Univ. of Wash.	at Tacoma
	Golden Horde	at Boeing
	W. Seattle	at Kitsap
	Bellingham	at Seattle C.C.

I will start my transcontinental chess tour during the first week of January, 1966. My itinerary will include all sections of this country. I will offer two types of exhibitions—simultaneous and the clock exhibition in which I play up to ten clock games against strong opposition, including masters. The fee for the simultaneous performance will be \$200 for up to 40 players. A charge of \$5 per board for over 40 boards. Clock exhibition fee will be \$200.

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# NORTH WEST CHESS RATINGS

BY FRED HOWARD

3rd Quarter report including

Seafair Open A Section  
 Seafair Open B Section  
 John Braley vs Pat Hickey  
 Oregon Championship  
 Wm. Blackmore vs Peter Hashisaki  
 Larry Parr vs James Turner  
 Norman Abrahamson vs Svend Monrad  
 Oregon Open

Montana State Tournament A Section  
 Montana State Tournament B Section  
 Montana State Tournament Jr. Section  
 Ashland Open A Section  
 Ashland Open Reserve Section  
 Bay Area C.C. vs Brookings C.C.  
 Seattle Chess Club Summer Tournament

## Masters 2200 - 2399

Braley, John	Wn.	2200
Dalbergs, Ivars	Ore.	2307
Macskasy, Elod	B.C.	2283
Pupols, Viktors	Wn.	2231
Schoene, Andy	Wn.	2219
Suttles, Duncan	B.C.	2254
Wang, Arthur	Cal.	2247

Dunkin, L.W.	Mont.	1805
Feuerberg, Gary	Ore.	1943
Fomin, Eugene	Wn.	1845
Freling, Roger	Ida.	1904
Garrott, John	Wn.	1818
Giden, Robert	Mont.	1822
Hickey, Pat	Wn.	1875
Hill, Allan G.	B.C.	1925
Holzinger, Robert	Wn.	1910
Jenquin, Denny	Ore.	1917
Kaltnecker, Joseph	B.C.	1885
Karell, Lief	Ore.	1959
Kelleher, Clay	Ore.	1963
Kennedy, Matt	Wn.	1886
Kern, Gregory	Ore.	1960
May, Frank	Eng.	1853
McGillicuddy, Kent	Cal.	1904
Mitchell, Robert A.	Ore.	1856
Moore; Deane	Ore.	1877
Pitkanen, Papani	Wn.	1932
Potter, B.A.	B.C.	1906
Poulson, Sief	Ore.	1877
Rasmussen, Otto	B.C.	1838
Sage, Leon	Ore.	1964
Salverson, Ted	Mont.	1904
Schmidt, Fred L.	Wa	1801
Sjodin, Robert	Wn.	1888
Spaulding, J.B.	Mont.	1832
Toth, Joseph	Wn.	1879
Vitanyi, Leslie	B.C.	1896
Waterman, Dennis	Ore.	1958
Weisz, Pierre	Ore.	1837
Wolfe, Jerry	Ore.	1941

## Experts 2000 - 2199

Alberston, Bruce	Wn.	2025
Aykroyd, Colin	B.C.	2008
Bamme, Eric	B.C.	2005
Byron, Fred F. Jr.	Ore.	2011
Harmon, Clark R.	Wn.	2149
Kenny, George	Wn.	2146
Lapikan, Dr. Peter	Mont.	2179
McCormick, James	Wn.	2150
O'Gorman, Peter	Wn.	2051
Pullen, Kent	Wn	2126
Saez, Ruben	Ore.	2026
Smith, Adam J.	Mont.	2016
Sutherland, Don	Cal.	2038
Turner, Donald	Ore.	2025
Wade, Daniel	Wn.	2037
Zuk, R.	B.C.	2005

## Class A 1800 - 1999

Abrahamson, Norman	Wn.	1856
Adams, Doug	Wn.	1902
Albert, Wally	Mont.	1986
Barto, John R.	Mont.	1802
Blackmore, Wm.	Wn.	1805
Brandal, Willy	Wn.	1911
Bricher, Vince	Ore.	1794
Campbell, Jim	Wn.	1919
Colpron, Milt	Wn.	1826
Delaney, Darrell	Ore.	1818

## Class B 1600 - 1799

Barney, Dave	Ore.	1723
Beardon, Tracey	Ore.	1717
Betzer, Bruce	Ore.	1688

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Boettcher, James	Wn.	1731
Bricher, Gary	Ore.	1762
Carroll, Boyd	Ore.	1632
Christopher, Stephen	Wn.	1650
Cook, Dennis	Mont.	1662
Corpus, Dennis	Wn.	1646
Cummings, Roy	B.C.	1654
Dean, Randy	Wn.	1733
Donnell, Brian	Ore.	1632
Drake, Dean	Mont.	1662
Dunn, Rodney	Wn.	1738
Eddy, Buz	Wn.	1704
Eng, Jon	Wn.	1743
Espey, Rodney	Ida.	1723
Farkas, Mike	Wn.	1658
Fesl, Lou	Wn.	1793
Forbes, Norman	B.C.	1624
Fuhrer, Dick	Mont.	1693
Fulton, David	Wn.	1797
Gaven, Bob	Wn.	1621
Gonzales, Hector	Mont.	1784
Grassham, Carl	Ore.	1600
Gray, Bob	Ore.	1600
Haker, John	Mont.	1764
Hansen, Ralph	Mont.	1630
Hanson, Steve	Mont.	1753
Hashisaki, Peter	W.	1617
Haugen, Dave	Wn.	1760
Herbers, Pat	Wn.	1672
Hitchcock, Aaron	Mont.	1678
Hoffman, John	Ore.	1600
Howard, Fred	Wn.	1624
Jarmon, Ron	Wn.	1741
Jarvinen, Dick	Ore.	1687
Johnson, Martin	B.C.	1643
Johnston, Lyman	Wn.	1758
Johnston, Pat	Mont.	1725
Jones, J.J.	Wn.	1600
Kindret, M.	B.C.	1708
Kirk, Bill	Ore.	1735
Knapp, Earl	Wn.	1618
Knittel, James	Wn.	1688
Krause, Brian	ILL.	1798
Lajoie, Everett Jr.	Mont.	1630
LaVergne, Alan	Wn.	1611
LeBoeuf, Dr.	Ore.	1600
Lewis, Charles J.	B.C./	1708
Litke, Wendell	Wn.	1748
Lundberg, Helmer	Mont.	1758
Lundin, Robert	Wn.	1664
Maiden, Jack	Mont.	1676
McCharles, J.A.	B.C.	1644
McFarling, Dan	Ore.	1696
McLeod, Bruce	Wn.	1620
Metcalf, Dennis	Ore.	1643
Meyer, Edward	Ore.	1632
Miller, Gib	Ore.	1600
Moks, Eino	Wn.	1733

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Monrad, Svend	Wn.	1672
Mushey, Alex	B.C.	1606
Nelson, Robert	Wn.	1630
Olson, Peter J.	Wn.	1609
Olson, Wn.	Wn.	1684
Parr, Larry	Wn.	1688
Parrish, Stan	Ore.	1632
Pattie, Jack	Wn.	1666
Pericich, John	Wn.	1698
Pittman, Leon	Ore.	1701
Pohl, Ira	Cal.	1628
Poteete, Ray	Wn.	1728
Prentice, Ernest	Wn.	1705
Raymond, Harold	Wn.	1720
Reddy, John	Mont.	1771
Reeves, Ed	Mont.	1681
Richardson, Lewis	Ore.	1679
Roskam, Dr. Jan	Wn.	1732
Romain, Dorlaine	Mont.	1725
Rowe, Nason	Mont.	1742
Schemm, Mike	Ore.	1725
Schrader, Jack	Ore.	1695
Scott, Larry	Ore.	1724
Seedhouse, Edward	B.C.	1685
Shanley, Paul	Mont.	1681
Shin, Josh	B.C.	1688
Shoemaker, John	Wn.	1597
Smith, Ronald G.	Wn.	1776
Sonier, Eddie	Wn.	1736
Southern, Richard	Mont.	1659
Southern, Robert	Mont.	1661
Stough, Norman	Wn.	1626
Stromsberg, Ingwald	Mont.	1770
Syrnick, Z.B.	B.C.	1646
Turner, R.G.	Mont.	1604
Uselton, Jim	Ore.	1696
Walker, John	Wn.	1721
Ward, John	Wn.	1659
Weber, Bill	Wn.	1752
West, Laurence	B.C.	1717
Whipple, Evan	Ore.	1639
Wiebe, Ray	B.C.	1638
Williams, Brian	B.C.	1631
Williams, Dave	Wn.	1708
Wilson, Earl	Wn.	1763
Zarins, Arnids,	B.C.	1765
Zwitzer, Martin	Ore.	1718

## Class C 1400 - 1599

Austreng, John	Mont.	1563
Beale, Mike	Ore.	1428
Beardon, Kitty	Ore.	1610
Bosse, Col. Edward	Wn.	1526
Brown, Robert N.	Wn.	1576
Bush, Jim	Cal.	1478
Calhoun, Ronald	Ore.	1568
Cannon, Norman	Ore.	1541





# SEATTLE CHESS CLUB NEWS BY HOWARD

Club Summer Tournament finished Sept. 24th Eugene Fomin Director

		1	2	3	4	5		Med.	Sol.	
1	George Kenny	Seattle	W10	W8	W3	W2	W4	5 - 0	7½	
2	Norman Abrahamson	Seattle	W9	W7	W5	L1	W6	4 - 1	8	
3	Eugene Fomin	Issaquah	W6	W5	L1	L4	WF9	3 - 2	8	
4	James Turner	Bellevue	L8	W10	W11	W3	L1	3 - 2	5	10½
5	Stephen Christopher	Bothel	Bye	L3	L2	W11	W8	3 - 2	5	9
6	Ole Miller	Seattle	L3	Bye	D7	W8	L2	2 - 2	7½	
7	Ray Poteete	Seattle	W11	L2	D6	LF	W10	2 - 2	3	
8	Earl Wilson	Seattle	W4	L1	W9	L6	L5	2 - 3	8	
9	Fred Howard	Seattle	L2	W11	L8	W10	LF3	2 - 3	5	
10	Philip Ceis	Seattle	L1	L4	Bye	L9	L7	1 - 4	8½	
11	Brian Sherlock	Seattle	L7	L9	L4	L5	Bye	1 - 4	8	

Expert George Kenny won with a 5-0. After 3 rounds Abrahamson and Kenny were tied at 3-0. They met in the 4th round with Kenny the victor. Club Champion Gene Fomin had his trouble

in this tournament and could finish no better than 3rd. The biggest upset was Jim Turner's win over Fomin, there being over 500 points difference in rating.

### Five Minute speed Tournament Friday Oct. 1st

		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
1	Kent Pullen	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8 1/2 - 1/2
2	Pat Hickey	1/2	0	1	1	1/2	1	1	1	1	1	7 - 2
3	Tapani Pitkanen	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	6 - 3
4	John Walker	0	0	1	0	1	1/2	1	1	1	1	5 1/2 - 3 1/2
5	John Garrott	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	5 - 4
6	Buz Eddy	0	1/2	0	0	0	1	1	1/2	1	1	4 - 5
7	F. Alexander	0	0	0	1/2	0	0	1	1	1	1	3 1/2 - 5 1/2
8	S. Christopher	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	3 - 6
9	Earl Wilson	0	0	0	0	1	1/2	0	0	1	1	2 1/2 - 6 1/2
10	John Chance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0 - 9

### Top 10 on Tournament ladder

1 Gene Fomin	635	6 Norman Abrahamson	540
2 Svend Monrad	612	7 Frank Alexander	537
3 Stephen Christopher	549	8 John Walker	533
4 Fred Howard	541	9 Wm. Gillette	527
5 Garrett Zweers	541	10 John Garrott	519

### TACOMA CHESS CLUB NEWS by Ward

Following are the top ten on the club ladder as of October 1, 1965.

1. Vernon Holmes	2156	7. Ernest Frentice	1827
2. Anton Walloch	2070	8. John Ward	1827
3. Dave Williams	1959	9. John Pericich	1822
4. Dave Fulton	1928	10. Earl Knapp	1813
5. Dave Haugen	1904		
6. Carl Carlson	1888		

Currently the Tacoma Chess Club is engaged in it's annual club championship battle. This year it's a round robin event for seven rounds. Last year's champion Ernst Rasmussen is not entered, so this year we will have a new champion. The players undefeated after two rounds are:

Dave Fulton & Carl Carlson  
Reported by John R. Ward, Director TCC

# G A M E S

Kent Fullen - Bruce Alberston  
Seattle Seafair  
King's Indian Game One of Two

1. P-Q4	N-KB3	2. P-QB4	P-KN3
3. N-QB3	B-N2	4. P-K4	P-Q3

A current N.W. Postal Championship game indicates that 4...O-O 5.P-K5 N-K1 6.B-B4 P-Q3 7.PxP NxP 8.Q-Q2 N-B3 9.N-B3 as given on page 316 note (a) MCO 9th ed. may not be all that good for white because of the reply 9...N-B4 10.P-Q5 (forced) 10...P-K4! 11.B-N5 (11.PxN is not favorable because of the advantage in development that black has) 11...N/3-K2.

5. N-B3	O-O	6. B-K2	P-K4
7. P-Q5	QN-Q2	8. B-N5	P-KR3
9. B-R4	P-KN4	10. B-N3	N-R4

11. P-KR4!?

The older attempts to refute black's apparent rash pawn advance are:

(I) 11.O-O N-B5 (11...P-QR4 12.N-K1 N-B5 13.N-B2 N-B4 14.N-K3 NxKP 15.NxN NxBch 16.QxN P-KB4 17.P-B3 P-B5 18.P-B5 PxN? 19.QxP B-B4 20.QR-B1 Petrosian-Suetin, Riga 1958. Better was 18...PxB 19.PxP and 20.P-KN4) 12.N-K1 (this is inconsistent in as much as this knight fails to bear on K4) 12...NxB 13.QxN P-KB4 14.PxP N-B3 15.N-Q3 BxP 16.P-B3 Q-K1 17.N-B2 Q-N3 18.N/2-K4 P-N5 and now black has won the strategical battle for control of K4. Wexler-Fischer, Mar del Plata 1960.

(II) 11.O-O N-B5 12.N-Q2 N-B4 (12...P-KB4 13.PxP NxBch 14.QxN N-B3 15.P-B5 was supposed to give White an advantage until Wexler vs Reshevsky, Buenos Aires 1960, which went from here 15...BxP 16.QR-B1 R-B2! ((the improvement)) 17.N-B4 B-KB1 18.KR-Q1 B-N5! 19.P-B3 B-B4 ((black has provoked 19.P-B3 to make N-R4-B5 more secure and to make the break P-KN5 possible at a later date.)) 20.B-B2 N-R4 21.P-KN3 B-N3 22.N-K4 N-B3 23.R-B3 Q-Q2 24.PxP NxN 25.PxN BxQP 26.NxB PxN 27.R/1-QB1 ((27.R-B7 Q-N5! or 27.R-KB1 QR-KB1 28.R/3-B1 Q-R6 29.BxP RxRch 30.RxR RxRch 31.QxR QxQ 32.KxQ K-B1! 33.B-N8 K-K2 34.K-B2 BxP and black wins, Knoch)) 27...QR-KB1 28.BxP Q-R5! 29.B-N6 QxKP 30.QxQ BxQ 31.R-Q1 (31.R-B8 is better, Knoch) 31...P-R4! 32.P-QR4 ((32.B-K3 P-R5! 33.BxP R-B7)) 32...P-R5 33.R-B7 R-B3 34.RxP PxP 35.PxP R-R3! Resigns.)

a) 13.P-N4 N/4-Q6 14.P-QR3 NxBch 15.QxN N-B5 16.Q-Q1 P-KR4! 17.P-B3 P-N5 18.PxP BxP 19.Q-B2 B-R3 20.BxN BxB 21.Q-Q3 P-KB4 22.PxP BxBP 23.N/2-K4 Q-R5 O'Kelly-Gligoric, Madrid 1960, Black has a strong initiative.

b) 13.N-N3 P-N3 14.NxN NxBch (14...NP 15.B-N4!) 15.QxN NPxN 16.P-QR3 P-B4 17.PxR BxP 18.P-N4 P-K5! 19.QR-B1 PxP 20.PxP P-QR4 21.PxP RxP 22.NxP Q-R1 23.KR-K1 R-R7 24.R-B2 R-R8 25.QR-B1 R-R7 Szabo-Gligoric, Bud -apest 1960. Drawn by repetition.

c) 13.B-N4 NxKP! 14.N/2xN P-KB4  
(1) 15.BxP BxB 16.P-B3 Q-K1 17.P-N4 Q-N3 18.K-R1 P-QR4 19.P-QR3 P-N5! 20.P-B5 NxP! 21.KxN PxPch 22.QxP B-R6ch 23.KxB RxQ 24.RxR PxNP! Vukovick-Janosevich, Ljubljana 1960. 15.P-B3 was necessary, Sokolov.

(2) 15.B-B3 P-N5! 16.B-K2 NxBch 17.QxN PxN 18.NxP B-B4 or P-KR4

(3) 15.P-B3! P-KR4! (after both 15... KxB 16.PxP and 15...PxN 16.NxP or 16.PxP White has P-N4 and P-QB5 and also the possibility of driving off the strongly posted black knight by B-B2 and P-KN3) 16.BxN KPxB 17.BxRP PxN 18.PxP Q-K2 19.Q-B3 (19.B-N6 BxN 20.PxB K-N2!) 19...B-K4 20.B-N6 K-N2 and black has compensation for his pawn.

d) 13.P-B3 P-B4 14.PxP BxP 15.N/2-K4 P-QR4 16.B-B2 P-N3 17.B-K3 Q-Q2 18.Q-Q2 NxBch 19.QxN P-N5 and black has excellent counter-chances. Bouwmeester-Alexander, Holland vs England match 1959.

11. .... N-B5

11...NxB 12.PxN PxP!? (12...P-N5 can lead to difficulties for Black, e.g. 13.N-Q2 P-KR4 14.O-O B-R3 15.B-Q3 N-B3 16.Q-K2 N-K1 17.R-B2 N-N2 18.QR-KB1 P-KB3 19.K-R2 B-Q2 20.P-N4! and white dominates the board, Keres - Matanovic, Moscow 1963. 17...P-QB4 was necessary according to Matanovic. 12...P-N5 13.N-R2!? was tried later by Keres against Walther in the Olympiad at Tel Aviv 1964, which continued 13...P-KR4 14.O-O B-R3 15.B-Q3 P-QB3 16.K-R1 N-B3 17.B-B2 PxP 18.BPxP N-K1 19.Q-K2 N-N2 20.R-B2 P-B4 21.PxP NxP 22.BxN BxB 23.QR-KB1 B-N3 ((better 23...Q-Q2)) 24.NxP! PxN 25.QxP K-R2 26.P-R5 B-Q6 27.RxR! KBxR 28.R-B3 B-B7 29.N-K4 K-R1 30.R-B7 Q-K1 31.NxP! Q-R5 32.Q-N5 Q-R3 33.QxPch K-N1 34.R-B6! Q-Q6 35.K-R2 Q-R2 36.Q-K6ch Resigns.) 13.NxRP (13.RxP P-KB4 14.Q-B2 N-B4 15.B-Q3 Q-B3 16.O-O-O Q-N3 17.QR-R1 QxP with a good game for black, Damjanovic-Hort, Sarajevo 1964. 13.PxP also allows black to easily force P-KB4) 13...Q-N4 14.N-B5 (threatening 14.R-R5) N-B3 15.O-O (this bold pawn offer is the logical follow-up to White's last two moves.) 15.. BxN 16.RxB! (16.PxB QxNP and White has nothing for his pawn minus.) 16...Q-K6ch! 17.K-R2 NxKP (Black wins a far more important pawn than if he had played 16...QxNP. Now he is able to eliminate White's knight ((which

night otherwise have manoeuvred to KB5 via Q1 and K3)) and, more important, gains a passed king's pawn which, when it advances, opens the diagonal for his King's Bishop. On the otherhand, White can intensify his pressure on the King's Bishop file and now has possibilities of gaining the QN1-KR7 diagonal for his bishop.) 18.NxN (18.R-B3? NxN) 18... QxN 19.Q-KB1 (19.B-Q3? Q-Q5 20.Q-K2 P-K5! 21.QxP QxQ 22.BxQ QR-K1 etc.) 19...QR-K1 20.R-Q1 R-K2 (It was too risky to play 20...Q-B7? 21.B-Q3!-QxNP 22.B-K4!) 21.P-N3 (21.B-Q3 Q-n5 22.B-K2 black can now repeat moves or try 22...Q-N3 23.B-R5 Q-R2 which is not so bad as it looks in view of the P-K5 possibility. 21.Q-B2 Q-B7! or 21.R-Q3 QxBP! Now, however, 22.R-Q3 depriving the black Queen of all its squares, is threatened in earnest.) 21...Q-K6 22.R-Q3 Q-N3 23.R/Q-KB3 P-QB3 (It was more natural to play 23...P-K5 immediately in order to prevent White's next move.) 24.P-KN4 (White also has the possibility 24.R-B2 and B-R5) 24...P-K5 25.R-R3 Q-Q5! (Now White should have continued 26.P-N5 R-K4! 27.PxP RxR 28.QxR Q-K4ch 29.QxQ BxQch etc. and black stands slightly better in spite of White's passed KRP.) 26.K-R1 R-K4 27.RxR QxR 28.R-R5 Q-R8 29.QxQ BxQ 30.RxP B-K4 31.P-N3 (31.P-B5 BxP or 31.PxP PxP 32.P-B5 P-Q4! 33.RxP P-Q5 etc. This leads to a probable win for black, but this possibility of White could have been eliminated by 30...PxP) 31...PxP 32.PxP R-B1 33.R-R2 (33.B-B4 R-B4 34.P-QR4 P-QR3 P-QN4 and RxQP) 33...R-B8ch 34.K-N2 R-B7 (or R-B4) 35.K-R3 RxP 36.B-B4 R-R6! 37.R-K2 P-N4! 38.BxP RxP 39.B-B4 RxPch 40.K-R4 P-K6 41.R-QR2 R-N8 42.RxP R-N7! 43.R-R3 (43.R-R2? RxR 44.BxR P-K7) 43...B-B5! (threatening mate and preventing RxP) 44.P-N5 P-K7 45.R-R1 B-Q7 46.K-R3 R-B7 resigns. Karaklaic - Hindle, Bognor Regis, April 1965. Notes by Hindle in CHESS June 1965.

12.PxP PxP  
 Forced as 12...NxPch 13.K-B1 N-B5 14.PxP is ruinous.

13.R-R2  
 13.B-B1 would bring about a position similar to Benko-Najdorf Piatgorsky Cup 1962.

13... B-B3 14.Q-B2 K-N2  
 15.O-O-O?!

15.BxN! KPxB 16.P-K5! BxP 17.Q-R7ch K-B3 18.R-R6ch K-K2 19.R-K6mate 15...NPxB leads to Game Two of Two with O'Gorman, and is therefore an improvement on the text.

15... R-R1 16.QR-R1 RxR

17.RxR N-B1 18.N-K1  
 This move frees the rook from the defense of the KNP, opens the KB diagonal and stops possible future checks on Q3.

18... N/1-N3  
 19.Q-Q1

This threatens by 20.B-N4 to exchange black's good bishop.

19... NxBch 20.QxN P-N5  
 21.N-B2

Heading for KB5.

21... B-N4ch 22.K-N1 B-R3?

The immediate 22...B-B5 would save two tempi.

23.N-K3 Q-N4 24.Q-Q1 N-B5  
 25.Q-R1

Pupols gives 25.N-N5 as leading to a win against the intended 25...B-Q2 26.NxBP R-QB1 27.N-N5 BxN? 28.N-B5ch!.

25... Q-N3 26.K-R1!

This threatens the winning 27.N-B5ch, as the check on the White king is now stopped. e.g. 27.N-B5ch BxN 28.PxB

- (1) 28...Q-R2 29.P-B6ch K-N3 30.Q-N1ch!
- (2) 28...Q-N4 29.BxN BxP 30.P-KN3 and 31.N-K4
- (3) 28...Q-B3 29.BxN PxB (29...BxB 30.R-R7ch K-N1 31.N-K4) 30.R-R5! (threat N-K4) e.g. 30...R-R1 31.P-R3!

26... B-N4  
 27.R-R8 B-R3 28.R-K8 P-KB3  
 29.R-K7ch K-B1 30.RxBP K-K1  
 31.BxN PxB forced 32.N-B5 K-Q1

if 32...BxN then 30.PxB and 34.Q-K1ch

33.RxBch RxR 34.QxB QxQ  
 35.NxQ RxP 36.NxP P-N4  
 37.K-N1 P-N5 38.N-N5 RxP  
 39.NxQP R-K8ch 40.K-B2 P-B4  
 41.NxP R-KN8 42.P-MN3 PxP  
 43.PxP R-QR8 44.K-N3 P-R4  
 45.P-R3 PxP 46.PxP R-Q8  
 47.N/4-K3 R-Q6ch 48.K-R4 K-Q2  
 49.P-N4 K-Q1 50.P-N5 K-Q2  
 51.P-N6 R-B6 52.P-N7 R-B1  
 53.N-R6 Resigns.

The loser of this game is the current co-All Service Champion and has just recently won a base tournament as reported elsewhere in this issue. Notes to the above and following game by the winner, analysis by the editor. Now for the second game. This one is considered an improvement for White.

Kent Fullen - Peter O'Gorman  
 Seattle Seafair  
 King's Indian Game Two of Two  
 (first 12 moves as in Game One)  
 13.R-R2 P-R4 14.Q-B2 N-B4?  
 15.BxN! NxB!?

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15...KPxB 16.P-K5 R-K1 e.g. 17.R-R5  
 P-N5 18.N-KN5

16.0-0-0 P-B4  
 17.N-Q2

Maintaining a piece on the K4 square.

17. ... PxB 18.N/CxP B-B4  
 19.B-B3 Q-K2 20.QR-R1 KR-Q1  
 21.Q-K2 P-B3 22.B-N4 B-N3  
 23.NxN PxB 24.B-K6ch B-B2  
 25.Q-N4 Resigns  
 Black can't stop 26.R-R8ch

A Recent Match Game Between:

Jim Turner - Larry Parr

1.P-Q4 N-KB3 2.P-QB4 P-K4  
 3.PXP P-N5 4.N-KB3 ....

Either 4.B-B4 or P-P4 are better. For example, if 4.B-B4 N-QB3 5.N-KB3 B-N5ch 6.QN-Q2 Q-K2 7.P-QR3 KNxKP 8.NxN NxN 9.P-K3 BxNch 10.QxB P-Q3 11.B-K2 0-0 12.0-0 B-B4 = Or 4.P-K4 NxKP 5.P-B4 KN-B3 (if 5...N-N3 6.N-KB3 B-N5ch 7.N-B3 Q-K2 8.B-Q3 with advantage for white) 6.P-QR3 P-QR4 7.B-K3 N-R3 8.N-KB3 B-B4 9.Q-Q2 P-Q3 10.N-B3 0-0 11.B-Q3 BxB 12.QxB N-B4 13.B-B2 with advantage to White.

4. .... B-QB4  
 5.P-K3 Q-K2!?

Better for Black is 5...N-QR3 6.B-K2 KNxKP/4 7.0-0 0-0 8.N-R3 P-Q3 =

6.Q-Q5 ....  
 Better for White is 6.N-QB3 and if 6...0-0? 7.N-Q5 Q-Q1 8.P-QN4! etc if 7...B-N5ch 8.KN-Q2! and Black has had it.

6. .... N-QB3  
 7.B-K2 N-N5 8.Q-K4? P-B4!

Black wins by force. White probably considered only 8...P-Q4.

9.QxBP P-Q4! 10.PxB e.p. BxQ  
 11.PxQ N-B7ch 12.K-K2 NxR  
 13.K-B3 P-QR4 14.P-K4 BxP  
 15.B-N5 B-N5ch 16.K-Q4 N-B7ch!  
 17.KxB NxB Resigns

Notes by the winner.

Bronstein - Teschner  
 Capablanca Memorial 1965

1.P-K4 P-K4 2.N-QB3 N-KB3  
 3.P-KN3 B-N5 4.B-N2 P-Q3  
 5.KN-K2 P-B3 6.0-0 QN-Q2  
 7.P-Q3 N-B1 8.P-QR3 B-R4  
 9.P-QN4 B-N2 10.P-Q4 Q-K2

11.Q-Q3 P-KR4 12.P-KR3 P-R5  
 13.P-N4 B-Q2 14.P-B4 N-K3  
 15.B-K3 PxBP 16.NxP N-N4  
 17.QR-K1 0-0-0 18.P-N5 NxNP  
 19.PxP PxB 20.Q-R6ch K-N1  
 21.R-N1ch B-N3 22.RxBch PxB  
 23.QxB Resigns

John H. Petesch - Russell W. Miller  
 Sicilian Defense - Najdorf Variation  
 Postal 1965

1.P-K4 P-QB4 2.N-KB3 P-Q3  
 3.P-Q4 PxB 4.NxP N-KB3  
 5.N-QB3 P-QR3 6.B-N5 P-K3  
 7.P-B4 Q-N3

Simagin in SHAKHMATY gives a ? to Q-N3 saying "I have always reckoned this continuation as not entirely correct.

8.Q-Q2!?

Leonard Barden in the AMERICAN CHESS QUARTERLY summer 1962 says 8.Q-Q2 is unsound and White should play 8.N-N3 B-K2 (not 8...Q-K6ch 9.Q-K2 Stein-Gligoric, Stockholm 1962.) 9.Q-B3 QN-Q2 10.0-0-0 Q-B2 Black's a tempo down, but white's displaced KN makes the chances even.

8. .... QxP

MCO 10th ed. 8...N-B3 9.0-0-0 QxN 10.QxQ NxQ 11.RxN and White stands better Keres - Panno, Goteborg 1955.

9.R-QN1 Q-R6 10.P-K5 ....

An energetic move. 10.BxN is more cautious, followed by PxB 11.B-K2 N-B3 11.B-K2 N-B3 12.N-N3 (Kavalek-Zuckerman went 12.NxN PxB 13.0-0 B-KN2 better 13...Q-R4.) 12...B-N2 13.P-B5 0-0 14.0-0 N-K4 15.N-Q4 F-N4 16.K-R1 B-Q2 17.B-R5 QR-B1 18.R-N3 (Parma-Fischer, Bled 1961) 18...Q-R4 and black stands better.

10. .... PxB

10...KN-Q2? 11.P-R5! NxP 12.PxP PxB 13.B-K2! QN-B3 14.NxN PxB 15.N-K4! P-Q4 16.0-0 Q-R5 17.B-R5ch K-Q2 18.RxB! Keres-Fuderer, Goteborg 1955.

11.PxB KN-Q2 12.B-QB4 ....  
 12.N-K4 Tal's move is no longer played because of 12...P-R3!! 13.B-R4 QxB 14.R-N3 N-B3

12. .... B-K2

12...Q-B4 is not good because of 13.BxP! PxB 14.NxP QxBch 15.Q-K3! QxQch 16.BxQ B-Q3 17.N-Q5 with advantage to white, Matanovich-Barcza, Budapest 1957.

12...B-N5 13.R-N3 Q-R4 14.P-QR3 (14.0-0 0-0 15.NxP PxB 16.BxBch K-R1 17.RxBch BxR 18.Q-B4 N-QB3 19.Q-B7 Q-B4ch 20.K-R1 N-B3 21.BxB NxP 22.Q-K6 N/4-N5 Resigns. Tringov-Fischer, Havana 1965.) 14...B-B4 15.BxKP 0-0 13.BxKP!?

Duckstein's idea. 13.R-N3 BxB 14.QxB Q-B4 (14...Q-K2 15.QxB Q-B1 16.Q-N5 R-N1 17.Q-B4 N-B4 18.0-0 with a strong attack, Keres -



Tolush, USSR Championship 1957.)15.N-Q5 P-KN3! 16.R-B1.

13. .... O-O!

13...N-QB3 is possible. 13...PxB 14.NxP BxB 15.N-B7ch K-Q1 16.QxBch KxN 17.N-Q5ch K-B3 18.N-K7ch K-B2 19.N-Q5 leads to a perpetual check.

14.O-O BxB

14...PxB? 15.NxP N-QB3 16.N-Q5! B-B4ch 17.K-R1 QNxP 18.NxR BxN 19.N-B7 R-N1 20.Q-Q5ch K-R1 21.N-K6 etc.

15.QxB P-R3

best, as it prepares an escape square for six moves later!

16.Q-R5!

Zuckermann gives ! Evans in MCO 10th ed. gives it a ? 16.Q-R4? QxN 17.RxP RxR 18.Q-Q8ch N-B1 19.BxRch KxB 20.R-B1ch K-N3 21.RxN B-Q2ch Bilek-Fischer, Stokholm 1962. Better is 21.Q-K8ch K-R2 22.RxN threatening mate, 22...QxNch results in a draw.

16.Q-K3 PxB 17.NxP RxRch 18.RxR N-QB3 19.Q-N3 Q-K2 20.N-B7 R-N1ch Bdtsyok-Savon, USSR 1963.

16.Q-Q2 PxB 17.NxP RxRch 18.RxR Q-K2 19.Q-Q5 N-N3 20.Q-Q8ch QxQ 21.NxQ N-B3 22.P-K6 B-Q2 white resigns. Schmidt-Minic, Marianske Lazne 1962.

16. .... PxB  
18.RxR Q-K2

17.NxP RxRch  
19.Q-B5

Evans in 10th ed of MCO says unclear.

19. .... N-N3

19...NxP looks better than what I did.

20.Q-B8ch QxQ

21.RxQch K-R2

The escape hole.

22.N-B7 ....

Looks like resign time.

Notes by Russell Miller

Sources: MCO 10th ed. Chess Life May 65  
American Chess Quarterly Vol 2 No. 1 Canadian  
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April 1963.

Lou Fesl - Vic Pupols  
Seattle Seafair

1.P-Q4	P-K3	2.N-KB3	N-KB3
3.P-K3	P-Q4	4.B-Q3	P-B4
5.P-B3	B-K2	6.QN-Q2	QN-Q2
7.O-O	P-QN3	8.R-K1	B-N2
9.B-N1	O-O	10.Q-B2	R-K1
11.N-K5	N-B1	12.Q-Q1	Q-B2
13.P-KB4	N-K5	14.BxN	PxB
15.N-B1	PxP	16.BPxP	QR-B1
17.B-Q2	B-Q4	18.P-QR3	P-B3
19.N-N4	Q-B5	20.B-B3	Q-N4
21.N-Q2	N-N3	22.Q-K2	Q-R5
23.Q-D1	B-Q3	24.KR-B1	B-N2

25.Q-Q1	Q-Q2	26.P-KN3	P-QR4
27.P-KR4	B-Q4	28.N-B2	P-B4
29.K-N2	N-R1	30.Q-K2	N-B2
31.P-KN4	N-Q1	32.R-R1	N-N2
33.QR-QB1	P-QN4	34.P-N4	R-R1
35.R-QN1	KR-QB1	36.KR-QB1	RPxP
37.BxP	RxR	38.RxR	BxB
39.PxB	R-R5	40.R-QN1	N-Q3
41.N-N3	BxN	42.RxB	N-B5
43.N-Q1	Q-K2	44.PxP	PxP
45.Q-K1	R-R7ch	46.K-R3	N-Q7
47.Q-K2	N-B6!!	48.QxR	QxPch
49.K-N2	Q-R7ch	50.K-B1	Q-N8ch
51.K-K2	Q-K8 mate		

A positional game showing Victors at his finest. This game rather forces one to try for immediate complications when playing Mr. Pupols in order to avoid strangulation. On the other hand, Vic has shown the editor some secret analysis that is being worked out in the Eigerwand for a future opponent. This analysis is highly combinative and sacrificial and the main of it will be reproduced as soon as Vic has had time to spring it on some unwary opponent.

Myron Miller sends along the following game stating that he is again becoming active in chess and that in Bellingham an active college chess club is being started.

Willy Brandel - M. Miller

1.P-K4	P-QB4	27.K-N3	B-N4
2.N-KB3	P-Q3	28.Q-Q1	K-R2
3.P-Q4	PxP	29.P-KR4	B-B5ch
4.NxP	N-KB3	30.K-R3	B-K3ch
5.N-QB3	P-QR3	31.P-N4	B-B5
6.B-K3	P-K4	32.NxB	QxQ
7.N-N3	B-K2	33.NxQ	PxN
8.B-QB4	O-O	34.R-Q2	P-B6
9.O-O	QN-Q2	35.K-N3	B-K3
10.Q-Q2	N-B4	36.N-B2	R-Q2
11.P-B3	Q-B2	37.N-Q3	R-KB2
12.QR-Q1	N/4xP	38.K-B2	P-N4
13.BxPch	RxB	39.P-R5	R-B3
14.PxN	B-N5	40.N-N4	P-R4
15.QR-K1	QR-KB1	41.N-Q5	R-B2
16.P-KR3	B-K3	42.N-B3	B-B5
17.N-B1	P-QN4	43.P-N3	B-K3
18.P-R3	Q-B3	44.RxP	BxKNP
19.B-N5	Q-N2	45.N-Q5	K-N2
20.BxN	RxB	46.P-K5	R-Q2
21.RxR	RxR	47.R-N6ch	K-B1
22.N-Q3	Q-N3ch	48.R-B6ch	K-N1
23.K-R2	Q-Q5	49.P-B4	PxP
24.R-K2	B-B5	50.PxP	BxP
25.R-K3	R-B2	51.N-K3	R-Q7ch
26.R-K2	P-R3	52.K-B1 adjudicated	

a win for Black after much controversy.

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Reports to October 27		Points
65C1B	Keating Denison	42
65B4A&B	Reh Cassino	20+16
64A3B	Abrahamson Skarsten	34
65A4B	Schmidt Prentice	48
64C4B	Denison P.Lamasney	78
64A12A&B	Kern Fulton	10+10
64A11A&B	Holmes splits with Cummins	27
64B12A	Carlson P.Lamasney	45
64A12B	Fulton draws with Holmes	17
65NW	Morris Hainsworth	10
65C3B	J. Jones J. Ward	52
65B4A&B	Reh R.Raymond	34+27
65B3A	R. Miller H. Glidden	37
Match	H. Raymond Vanatta	32
64A4A	Harmon J.Schrader	19
65NW	Hainsworth R.Miller	68
Match	Parsons J.Holmes	14
65C6B	McCord Hainsworth	69
64B6A	J.Donnolly Reh	83
65A3A	Prentice Collins	25
65NW	Morris Becker	10
64A14A&B	Rudzitis Weaver	33+26
65B3B	R.Miller J.Jensen	62
64A15B	Weaver Nourse	60
65A4B	Nourse Schmidt	72

Kern won 64A12 for a free section.  
Giden forfeits in 65B5, R.Cavin in 65C4.

"AA" Division (Over 1700)

1	Morris	2295	11	Eilmes	1854
2	Pupols	2100	12	Schmidt	1846
3	Seiter	2035	13	Harmon	1829
4	Rudzitis	1977	14	Wilson	1813
5	Parsons	1970	15	Knapp	1811
6	Wick	1916	16	Nourse	1799
7	Kern	1908	17	Bell	1787
8	Abrahamson	1893	18	H.Raymond	1768
9	Cummins	1856	19	Weaver	1746
10	Prentice	1855	20	Mage	1745

Stratton	1696	Stickle	1300
Skarsten	1667	Hoks	1300
Stiles	1667	Pete Olson	1300
Brickson	1650	Jan Roskam	1300
Sage	1645	Ed Sonier	1300
Almond	1610	Bill Weber	1300
Holmes	1607	Mary Morgan	1300
E.Schrader	1600	Geo. Scott	1300
Colpron	1600	Dickson	1283
Johnson	1600	R. Raymond	1279
L.Walker	1600	R. Miller	1279
Powell	1600	Laugen	1279
Stough	1600	J. Jensen	1270
Scripps	1585	Henry	1264
Brandt	1569	Grassham	1256
R.G.Smith	1559	Keating	1247
Heathman	1554	Pattie	1237
Person	1554	Davis	1230
Christey	1552	P.Lamasney	1229
Collins	1550	Donnell	1218
Dean	1545	Hurley	1208
Vanatta	1524	Norris	1198
Nagel	1500	Reid	1194
Peterson	1499	Williams	1190
Blackmore	1496	M.Miller	1181
Reh	1478	Denison	1164
J.Schrader	1477	Webb	1158
Fulton	1481	Dearing	1152
Kirk	1451	Knittel	1139
W.Jones	1447	Gorton	1138
Reddig	1441	Baldwin	1134
Huntington	1436	Herbers	1130
Howard	1424	Cassino	1125
R.Espey	1414	Hainsworth	1108
Becker	1413	Fay	1108
LaVergne	1406		

"B" Division

J. Jones	1098
Lyberger	1397
H. Glidden	1083
D. Olson	1391
R. Taylor	1079
Turner	1382
Running	1069
Carlson	1381
McCord	1069
Woodward	1381
Dorwin	1037
D. Potter	1370
Ward	1035
Gifford	1359
Bauman	1020
Rader	1355
Blosser	1020
Hughes	1351
S. Espey	1028
Monrad	1347
Youngman	1011
Carroll	1346
Klein	1002
Weikel	1342
C. Glidden	1000
Widner	1340
Holmquist	1000
Baskett	1335
Zack Wester	1000
Useton	1325
J.L.Potter	1000
Betzer	1321
Dangerud	1000
J. Donnelly	1310
Michael Schemm	1000
Dart	1309
Shives	9
Merk	1305
Cyr	982
McFarling	1305
Puz	974
W. Olson	1300
Moore	956

Dick Schultz, former editor, now back from Europe, wants in an "A" section. We need two more to fill section. Players also waiting in "B" and "C" Divisions