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Full tournament crosstables are on pages 135, 137, and 142.

ACS GRAND OPENING

The American Chess Service will open its new facility at 1135 North 96th (half block east from Aurora) on FRIDAY, May 4th with a series of five-minute speed sections and free refreshments. ACS, which has recently been sponsoring a series of weekend swiss tournaments in Washington and Oregon, will now open a full-time combination office and playing rooms, the first and only professionally managed chess location in Washington State, featuring services similar to Pat Maloney's House of Chess in Portland and William Van Camp's Chess Center in Vancouver, B.C. (more details on page 143.)

Circulation for NWC has increased from 1254 for the January issue to 1678 for April, and we estimate 1750 for this issue. WCF President Russell W. Miller now wants 2,000 before converting to white paper, after which we can think about going onto the newstands.



CHESS MARATHON — Senior master chess player Jude Acers of San Francisco took 117 challengers simultaneously Saturday in exhibition at Lloyd Center and after 13 hours, 14 minutes, won 93 games, tied 11 and lost 13. (STORY PAGE 136)

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The following is extracted from the magazine, CHESS IN NEW YORK STATE, March 1973 issue:

The Education of a Chess Player

Saturday. 9:00 A.M.

Well, here I am. I can hardly wait for the first round to start. What a lot of weird-looking people! I'll bet everybody thinks I'm a beginner who barely knows how the pieces move.

Won't they be surprised when I win all my games?

Saturday. 10:45 A.M.

How careless of me! I must remember to watch out for my Queen in future games. I should be able to win the rest if I only watch out for my Queen. Before every move I'll ask myself: "Will this move lose my Queen?" . . .

Saturday. 4:30 P.M.

Wouldn't you know it? Out of fifty players, I had to play one that knows the Giuoco Piano better than I do. But at least I didn't lose material. If I keep on playing my usual game, my luck is bound to change.

Saturday. 10:30 P.M.

I think I know what the trouble is. I'm too nervous. Normally I play well enough to win most of the time, but the strain of playing in a tournament has upset me. I'll do better after a good night's sleep.

Sunday. 11:45 A.M.

Well, that was better. My opponents are getting weaker, at any rate. This one didn't even know how to mate me. He just kept queening pawns for no reason. I ought to get a really easy opponent for the last round.

Sunday. 2:30 P.M.

Who do I play? Why, that's not fair! He already has half a point. I'm going to complain to the tournament director!

Saturday. 9:30 A.M.

Well, here I am again. Most of these people look familiar. There's the tournament director who yelled at me last time. I suppose the first round will be late again. Probably nobody recognizes me. If they do, they probably think I'm going to play like last time. They don't know that I've been reading that book about "traps" in the openings!

Won't they be surprised when I win all my games? . . .

--Len Cool

chess calendar

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*5	Moby Delp Open	SeattleCC	\$4/\$4		Cash %	Western Chess Co., 13220 6th S.W. Seattle, WA 98146
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*5-6	Apple Blossom Open	Wenatchee	\$7/\$8		Cash %	Murlin Varner, 1800 N. Carl, E. Wenatchee, WA 98801
5-6	Northwest Open	Seattle U	\$10/\$12		\$735	Tim Litten, 5032 N.E. 2nd, Seattle, WA 98103
5-6	1-Day tmts 45/2 3-SS	ACS Seattle	\$2/\$2		Books	1135 North 96th, Seattle, WA 98103, Robert Karch
6	Jude Acers Exhibition	Bremerton	free			Merit Mart, Bremerton, Wash NOON
7-28	Mon nite RR Class Tmts	ACS Seattle	\$3/\$3			1135 N. 96th, Seattle, Robert Karch 523-1550
8	Jude Acers Exhibition	Winslow	\$3 per bd			Bob Kennicott, Rt 7 Box 7351, Bainbridge IS, WA 98110
8-29	Tuesday nit RR Class Tmts	ACS Seattle	\$3/\$3			1135 N. 96th, Seattle, Holly Mulkey
8	6-wks Ladies Chess Course	ACS Seattle	\$3 ss/\$15 full			9:30-11:30am, 1135 N. 96th, Seattle, Robert Karch
9-30	Wed nite 4 rd Swiss	ACS Seattle	\$5		\$25 + %	1135 N. 96th, Seattle, Robert Karch
11-25	Fri nite 5 min tmt	ACS Seattle	50¢/50¢		Books	1135 N. 96th, Seattle, Robert Karch
*12	Seattle Chess Club Tornado	Seattle CC	\$6/\$6		Cash %	Marvin Hayami, Seattle CC, 617 S. Jackson St., Seattle
12	Jude Acers Exhibition	Yakima	free			Yakima Mall, Yakima, Wash 12 noon
*12	Tacoma Spring Time Open	Tacoma CC	\$4/\$5		Cash %	William Lowrie, 101 E. Rd, Tacoma, WA 98406
*12-13	10th Chess Center Open	Vancouver BC	\$4/\$4		Cash %	William Van Camp, Rm 205, 2940 Main St., Vancouver B.C.
*12	Sema Open	Seattle U	\$6/\$6		\$80 + Trop.	N-P Chess Assoc, P.O. Box 134 US, Seattle, WA 98105
*12-13	Bellevue Spring Open	Bellevue	\$10/\$13		Cash	David Okrent, 16712 NE 19th PL, Bellevue, WA 98008
*12-13	Oregon Youth Individual	Eugene	\$3/\$3		\$225	Harry Glidden, 243 S. Stage Rd., Medford, OR 97501
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*12-13	Caissa Open	Spokane	\$3.50/\$3.50		Cash	IEEC, W 909 Sprague Ave., Spokane, Wash.
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*18&25	Fri Nite King's Gambit Accepted	Seattle CC	\$2/\$2		Cash %	Seattle Chess Club, 617 S. Jackson St., Seattle
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*26-27	The Trial Open	Seattle U	\$8/\$10		\$370 +Trop	North Pacific Chess, PO Box 134 US, Seattle, WA 98105
*26-27	Cut Open	Seattle CC	\$6/\$6		Cash %	Marvin Hayami, Seattle CC, 617 S. Jackson St.
*26-27	Washington Jr. Championship	Wenatchee	\$10/\$10		\$105	Larry Allyn, 500 Ramona, Wenatchee, WA 98801
25	Jude Acers Exhibition	Fort Lewis				
*26-27	Central Washington Open	Wenatchee	\$7/\$7		Cash %	Larry Allyn, 500 Ramona, Wenatchee, WA 98801
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*2-3	Tacoma Gambit Tournament	Tacoma CC	\$5/\$6		Cash %	William Lowrie, 101 E. Rd, Tacoma, WA 98406
*2-3	Tri-State Junior	Spokane	\$2/\$3		Books	ACS, 1135 N. 96th, Seattle, WA 98103- RW Miller
*2-3	Seattle "Life" Open	Seattle Y	\$6/\$8		USCF Life	Tom Heathcote, 7740 17th Ave N.E., Seattle, WA 98115
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*2-3	21st House of Chess Open	Portland	\$5/\$5		Trophies	House of Chess, 2118 S.E. 11th Portland, OR 97214
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6-27	Wed nite 4 Rd Swiss	ACS Seattle	\$5/\$5		\$25 + %	1135 N. 96th, Seattle, Wash. Robert Karch } 523-1550
7-28	Thursday Nite RR Rating Tmts	ACS Seattle	\$3			1135 N. 96th, Seattle, Wash. Robert Karch }
*9-10	Columbia Basin Herald Open	Moses Lake	\$8/\$10		\$300	Curtis Kron, 302 Offutt, Moses Lake, Wash 98837
*9	Tri-Cities June Open	Pasco PUD	\$3/\$3		Cash %	Jack Grigsby, 1915 N. Illinois, Pasco, WA 99301
*9-10	22nd House of Chess Open	Portland	\$5/\$5		Trophies	House of Chess, 2118 S.E. 11th, Portland, OR 97214
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THE RELUCTANT PAWN

by HOLLY

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Walt Centala tells this interesting story from his Denver days that will probably make us all a little more tolerant of delays in receipt of our chess prizes.

Seems a high official of a local bank was also a chess enthusiast, who hosted many tournaments in an office area of the building.

As the chess buffs arrived, they were admitted by the after-hours guard who directed them to the action.

One weekend, our official, who was a vice-president, held a five round Swiss, with above average entry fee and as it turned out, there were a lot of players in attendance.

The first round was paired, and our combatants took up the royal battle that evening, when the third round and adjourned games were finished, the banker closed up shop, and in the wee hours of the morning, walked into his suburban home.

Where he was summarily gunned down by his wife, who only did what many another chess widow I'm certain has dreamed of doing.

Needless to say, all of the tournament money, being on his person at the time, was tied up for months, while "due process" ran its course.



When my friends (and humourers) chide me for devoting so much space—in both this column, and on the pages of my mag, Morphy's Madness—to the escapades and sketches of skittles bums that I know, I refer them to the words of another chess chronicler, George Walker, who said, more than 100 years ago:

"...shall I suffer my contemporaries all to pass away like a vision, without a faint attempt at least to catch and embody their leading features on the canvas—or the page? The greatest living chess players are around me at this moment—men linked to me in the strong bonds of our magic masonry; and I catch the inspiration imparted by their presence. That which man has done, man may do. Were Philidor to come again in his strength, like the Cid who rose from death to smite the Moore for Spain, is it altogether certain that we could not find a champion to meet him in the lists?"

Caught the chess Grandmaster episode of the "Columbo" series a month or so ago, and wondered if the lean, hard-driving, unsentimental, money-minded, singularly motivated young GM (Played by Lawrence Harvey) was intended to be indicative of anyone IN PARTICULAR.

Having been a steady follower of "Columbo" since its inception, I was especially disappointed by the "AYN-RANDIAN" simplicity of opposing personalities of the two contenders for the world chess title.

On the one hand, the heavy-jowled, jocular ex-champion, to whom the title meant nothing more than another exquisite taste of the good life; stereotype of the kindly, compassionate Renaissance personality.

Then there is the present champion, described in the first paragraph, who will stop at nothing, let alone murder, to retain his title, which was won (of course) by default. Naturally we can't ascribe the highly valued virtues of talent and hard work to such a blackguard.

Differences as pronounced as total black against total white are fine for chess pieces, but a bit naive when applied to people.

But one thing we understood was why our IBM, murderer hero scowled throughout the entire show. In the opening scene, he played a game with the nice guy contender in a cafe with a set improvised from kitchen accoutrements. Who wants to be mated by an AVOCADO?

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The NPCA will be holding tournaments monthly and will be trying out some innovative ideas, with the hope of keeping the majority of chess players happy, both with the pairings and the prizes.

In an effort to keep the lower-rated players satisfied and the top guys from complaining about encouraging mediocrity, this TD is going to give a whirl to Jon Berry's suggestion of rating prizes being open-ended at the bottom, starting with THE TRIAL OPEN in May of this year. The way that system works is that a player (say a Class C) who makes a higher score than a Class B player will be able to 'move up' and claim the Class B prize. Likewise, a Class A player could move up and pre-empt an Expert prize. This writer feels that the quality of play, at all levels, will become sharper and more competitive with this added incentive of winning a better prize. Also, the upper players might have to greater attention to his play, as some Class B might be threatening to make off with the higher prize. There seems to be more equity to awarding prizes on scores rather than on rating groups. Comes the question about a lower-rated player happens to get easy pairings due to the large number of players in a tournament.

In all NPCA tournaments where the number of players can not be handled adequately with the conventional Swiss pairing system, accelerated pairings will be used. The greater the number of players, the more the acceleration; for the purposes of producing a clear winner and to provide a higher grade of competition. If a straight Swiss system is used for a great number of players, the result is many game winners but very little competition.

A bit more on prizes. In all NPCA tourneys, there will be a limit of one prize per player. (The prizes go further that way.) For the sake of clarity, a prize of, say, 'two chess books' is one prize. Same goes for a prize of 'Trophy +....' If there is one prize for a group, that group must have at least three players and if there are two prizes for a group, that group must have at least six players, or the prizes for that group will be adjusted accordingly will the deducted amount of the prize being re-distributed to a larger prize class. Any player who finds himself in a group by himself will be placed, prize-wise, into the next lowest rating range, and the prize fund adjusted accordingly. I agree with Bob Karch on not giving 'appearance money' to a sole player in a rating group.

I would appreciate any and all comments on the above playing conditions, and all suggestions sent to me will be given careful consideration.

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EVENTS RATED FOR THIS ISSUE

Astor Open, Salen Junior and Junior Boosters, Cascade Open, Chelan County Open, Chelan County Novices, Student Spring Vacation Open, Fourth Chess Center Open, Port Townsend Open, Grand Coulee Spring Open and Novices, The Dalles Open, Snohomish County Spring Open, Salmon Arm Open and Seniors and Juniors, Moses Lake Chess Club Open, Seattle City Chess Championship, Losers Quadrangulars (7 sections), B. C. Glass Championships and Seniors and Juniors, Fifth Chess Center Open, Jetway Open, Pasco Open, April Limited, Tenatchee Spring Open, Washington Junior Open and Novices, Sixth Chess Center Open, Portland Spring Open, Students Open, Pendleton Open, Othello Spring Open, R. Harper 0 - Cavett 4. The list contains only those players active in one or more of the above events.

A banner month. I have not checked back but I am sure that this is a record number of events for a month (yes I know that some of these are quite old). It's great to see so much chess activity out there. Keep it up.

In response to requests here are the official NCF rating fees once again, and my suggested changes. It feels like I do this every month but I guess it has been awhile.

NCF RATING FEES

2-15 players, \$1.00 (US). 16-30 players, \$2.00. 31-45 players, \$3.00. 46-60 players, \$4.00. 61 and up, \$5.00. Separate sections of the same event can be counted together but not separate events.

These days we have some very large events and the \$5.00 top is no longer reasonable. My suggested rates, for those of you who want to observe them, extend the \$1.00 per 15 players upwards indefinitely; a 141-player event would be \$10.00. I also suggest that the fee per 15 players be \$1.50 for events of 9 or more rounds. I will put these suggestions up to a vote at the next general meeting. For now I of course will honor the official rates.

Finally, just in case anyone is curious, the reversion to wider spacing in the list this month is due to technical difficulties, and not a change in policy. Next month hopefully I will return to the closer print.

1957	ADAMS, DOUG	WA
1888	ADLKIPCHNER, GEORGE	CD
1416/15	ADLKIPCHNER, TONY	CD
1375/09	AHO, JON	OR
1534/06	AITKEN, MARK	CD
960	ALLYN, BILL	WA
1737	ALLYN, BOB	WA
1818	ALLYN, LARRY	WA
1287	ALLYN, PAM	WA
1249	ALLYN, TOM	WA
1315/14	ANDERSON, BRAD	OR
1737	ANDERSON, GREG	OR
1920	ANDRETTI, DAVE	WA
1537	ANDRETTI, MIKE	WA
1360/09	ANDREWS, ROGER	OR
1468	ANDRUS, WILLIAM	OR
1307	ANGLIN, DON	WA
1482	ANKENEY, BOB	OR
1622	ANSTED, MARVIN	OR
1354/11	ARCHER, DAVID	WA
887/15	ARCHER, TOM	OR
1612/11	ARLANDSON, JAMES	OR
1340/04	AUGUSTUS, LARRY	WA
1395/15	AUSTIN, DONALD	OR
1204/06	BARIJ, MIKE	CD
1150/06	BACON, MARK	OR
1737/05	BAILEY, TOM	WA
634/01	BAKER, ARNOLD	OR
1548	BAKKE, WARREN	WA
1767	BALLAPP, BILL	OR
602/03	BARKER, SHAYNE	CD
1315/12	BARLOW, TOPY	OR
1734	BARR, SAM	WA
1276/06	BAUER, OTTO	CD
1444	BEARD, WALT	OR
1379	BEEDNAP, BEN	OR
1572/05	BELL, JACK	CD
1109/03	BELTS, WYMAN	WA
1761/05	BELT, CRAIG	OR
1744/10	BENSON, BOYO	WA
1197/03	BERMFL, MIKE	ID
1428	BESS, CARL	WA
1393/05	BEST, PERT	WA
1183/04	BEST, SANDY	WA
1884	BETZEL, BRUCE	OR

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1402/05	BEZUK, STEVE	WA
1560/10	BIDWELL, MIKE	OR
2433	BIYIASAS, PETEP	CD
1799/06	BLACKLER, RUSSELL	OR
1195/05	BLARSTEIN, BRIAN	WA
1417	BLOSE, DAVID	OR
1051/07	BOGART, JOANNE	CD
1564	BOLDWAY, RAY	OR
1613	BRADLEY, DALE	OR
2096	BRANDENBURG, JOE	OP
1503/09	BRENNAN, MIKE	CD
1808	BRICHER, GARY	OR
2081	BRICHER, JAMES	OR
1858	BRICHER, ROGER	OR
1656	BRICHER, VINCE	OR
1870/14	BROMAN, VINCENT	WA
1493/08	BROVERMAN, MAURICE	CD
1401/10	BROWNE, DAN	ID
2066	BROWN, HAROLD	CD
1944	BROWN, PAUL	CD
1361/05	BPUCE, JIM	CD
1484	BEYSON, RON	OR
1655/05	BUCHANAN, RICHARD	WA
1689	BUCKPEPRY, ROBERT	CD
1457/05	BURGER, BRIAN	CD
1335/06	BURT, DAVE	CD
1085/06	BUSCH, PHIL	OR
1663/04	CAIN, SEAN	WA
1793	CALKINS, DAVE	WA
1727	CALLIS, DON	OR
1365/05	CAMPDEN, BILL	CD
1531	CAMPBELL, GORDON	CD
1119/03	CAPARILLI, CARMIN	WA
1569	CAPWELL, GEORGE	OR
1355/04	CARLSON, ROBERT	WA
1552/08	CARPOTHERS, CLYDE	OR
1425	CARTER, ALFRED	WA
958/08	CASTLE, CLIFF	WA
1622/05	CAULTON, TOM	WA
1730	CAVETT, DAVID	CD
1622/06	CANLEY, BRIAN	CD
1523/06	CANLEY, DAVE	CD
1803	CAYFORD, JERRY	CD

1157/05	CHALMERS, BARRY	CD
1382	CHANCE, JOHN	WA
1288	CHANG, TOM	CD
1330	CHASE, JILL	WA
1737/05	CHAVEZ, PAUL	WA
1803	CHENG, DOUG	WA
1242/05	CHISHOLM, ROBERT	CD
1727/08	GHORNOBAY, BILL	CD
1924/10	CHOW, CALVIN	CD
1718	CHRISTOPHER, STEPHEN	WA
1521	CLARK, ROBERT	OR
1289/14	CLEMENTS, BOB	CA
1207/10	CLEM, RON	OR
1742	CLENDANIEL, DAVE	WA
1199/12	CCHEN, DAVID	OR
1218/07	COLE, LEWIS	WA
2036	COLLYER, DAVE	WA
1823	COOK, MARK	WA
1583/07	COOK, NORMAN	CD
1191/06	COOK, PETEP	CD
1299/06	COOLEY, BRET	OR
1810	COOPER, TACY	CD
1343/09	COPEMAN, BRIAN	CD
1662	CORRIGAN, BARRETT	WA
1359/05	COSTA, CARLOS	CD
1930	COTTON, RON	OR
1382/10	COWELL, WILLIAM	WA
1287/03	COX, HAROLD	WA
1094/14	DAGG, DAVID	OR
807/04	DAINARD, GREG	WA
1578	DAMISH, TODD	WA
1390/09	DAMRON, ERIC	OR
1096/06	DAVENPORT, DEWAYNE	OR
1268/11	DAVIDSON, KATHY	CD
963/10	DAVIDSON, KENNY	CD
1414/10	DAVIS, WILLIAM	OR
1746	DAWSON, DICK	CD
2153	DEAN, RANDY	WA
1442	DEFTY, JEFF	OR
1938	DEIKE, RON	ID
1637/12	DELANFY, LOREN	WA
1279	DENISON, ELBERTA	OR
1332/06	DEN DULK, ARTHUR	CD
877/06	DETHMAN, STEVE	OR
1382	DFWEESE, MALCOLM	WA
915/10	DE LA FUENTE, ANNA	WA
966/10	DE LA FUENTE, DAVID	WA
1924	DE LA FUENTE, GEORGE	WA
1321	DIRKS, KEVIN	WA
1422/08	DITZEL, CHARLES	WA
1308/10	DOBBS, BOB	CD
1366/05	DODDS, HARRY	CD
1632/03	DOLAN, TIM	WA
1232	DOOLIN, RICHARD	OR
1444	DOYLE, AARON	CD
1995	DVOPSHAK, ALAN	OR
1071/03	DYER, JOEL	WA
1239/04	FLDRIDGE, STEWART	WA
1926	EMIG, MARTIN	CD
1321/06	ENGLESON, PAUL	OP
1431/06	ENNIS, DON	CD
1820	ENZ, CARL	WA
1309/06	ESTABROOK, STAN	OR
1412/05	FADER, LES	WA
705/05	FARRELL, BRENT	CD
1395	FELTON, GREG	CD
1636/13	FERGUSON, BILL	OR
1185/09	FESER, GREG	WA
978/14	FESER, MARJORIE	WA
1147/08	FIDELMAN, BOB	CD
1368/09	FILER, GALE	WA
1857/01	FINN, WILLIAM	CD
1701/12	FISCHER, PETER	CD
1145/06	FLEETWOOD, RAY	OR
1318/15	FLEMING, BILLY	CD
1906	FOGARASSY, FRANK	CD
924/11	FOLTZ, GORDON	WA
1700	FOLTZ, KEN	WA
755/11	FOLTZ, MIKE	WA
1026/11	FORSYTH, KEVIN	WA
1749/10	FOSBURY, DAVE	OR

2002/10 FOX, DANIEL CD
 1404/04 FRANTUM, MIKE OR
 1680/03 FRANTZ, MEL WA
 1283/03 FRANTZ, MERLE WA
 1664/15 FREDEPICKS, GARY OR
 1321/14 FREDERICK, STANTON WA
 1337/06 FREEMAN, LOIS CA
 2029/03 FRYE, STEVE WA
 1394/06 FULKER, CHRIS CD
 2011 FULLBROOK, NIGEL CD
 589/03 FUNDERBURK, BCB OR
 1587/14 FUREY, MIKE OR
 1646/15 GADDIS, WILLIAM WA
 1285/06 GALA, ANDREW OR
 1500/06 GALBREATH, DAN OR
 1601 GAROUTTE, TEDDY WA
 1087/03 GARRETSON, KEN WA
 1520/06 GEARY, BILL WA
 1524 GEARY, CHARLES WA
 1365/05 GEIST, GARY OR
 1647/14 GEMMER, MYRON WA
 1744 GENTALA, CHRIS WA
 2016 GENTALA, WALT WA
 1491/15 GEORGE, LARRY CD
 1757 GERVIN, ROGER WA
 1029/10 GIBB, PAM WA
 1525/05 GIBB, STEVE WA
 1304/06 GILES, BRETT CD
 1415 GINGRICH, CLIFFORD OR
 1507/05 GLEAVES, CURT OR
 958/06 GOODEN, KEVIN CD
 1317/06 GOODEN, LAURIE CD
 1485/04 GORECKI, FRANK WA
 1289/15 GOSS, ROBERT CD
 1323/08 GRAHAM, BEN OR
 1634 GRANT, TERRY WA
 1525/12 GRANULA, ZDRAVKO CD
 1374/15 GRAVES, TOMMY OR
 1898 GPAY, PARTY WA
 951/04 GREENE, KEN WA
 1543/13 GREENKE, TERRY WA
 1387 GREGG, SCOTT WA
 1623 GREGORY, HUGH WA
 1718 GREGORY, ROGER OR
 1832 GRIGSBY, JACK WA
 793/02 GRIMSHAW, JOHN OR
 2120 GRISHAM, DON OR
 1598 GRISHAM, DOUG OR
 1442 GRONAU, BILL WA
 1812/05 GRONER, AMUND CD
 2004 GROSCHL, BOREK WA
 1505/05 GROVES, MIKE OR
 1390/06 GRUTZMACHER, DAVE CD
 1701 GUIZZETTI, LOUIS WA
 1344 GWYTHYR, DAVID OR
 1068/11 HACK, GARY CD
 2091 HAINES, DUNCAN CD
 1481/08 HALE, GARY OR
 1284/07 HALE, GENE OR
 1483/05 HALE, LARRY OR
 1673/04 HALL, JIM OR
 1106/12 HALVORSON, MIKE WA
 1572/14 HAMBLIN, RON OR
 1166/04 HAMILL, BEV OR
 1573/10 HAMILL, WILLIAM OR
 1608/10 HAMILTON, GARY CD
 1568/05 HAMMERSCHWIDT, KARL CD
 1342/11 HANDFORD, RICHARD CD
 1997 HANLEN, JIM WA
 1329/12 HAPP, PON WA
 2273 HARMON, CLARK OR
 1684 HARPER, ROGER CD
 1409 HARRISON, STEVEN WA
 1179/02 HART, FRANK WA
 1240/09 HASELDEN, ROBERT OP
 1277/13 HATFIELD, ERIC WA
 1565 HAUFF, STEVE WA
 1523/15 HAWS, JOHN WA
 1820 HAYAMI, MARVIN WA
 1165/05 HAYES, ROGER CD
 1346 HEATHCOTE, TOM WA

1487/10 HFNNING, RANDY WA
 2025 HERBERS, PAT OR
 1125/06 HERBERT, DAVE OR
 1923 HFSSSEN, PAT WA
 1956 HEYWOOD, BILL OR
 1470/08 HIGBIE, GORDON WA
 968/06 HILL, DAVE CD
 1663 HILL, KIRK OR
 1391 HOLDERMAN, MIKE WA
 1270/05 HORTSCH, MIKE OR
 2009 HUNT, DARREL CD
 1230 HUTCHINSON, A. A. WA
 1504 HUYBENS, BARRY CD
 1293 IMPEY, MITCHELL CD
 1943 IRWIN, PHIL OR
 1776 JAASKA, EERO WA
 1722 JACKSON, WAYNE OR
 1220/04 JACOBSON, BILL OR
 1530 JACOBSON, ROBERT WA
 1098/12 JAMES, JOHN WA
 1862 JANGORD, KRIS WA
 1853 JEANPIERRE, RICHARD CD
 1157 JENSEN, RICK WA
 2037 JEWITT, EARL CD
 1219/04 JIM, RAY OR
 1550/09 JOHNSON, ALLAN CD
 718/08 JOHNSON, CLIFF WA
 1113 JOHNSON, DOUG WA
 1412/04 JOHNSON, ERIC WA
 1360 JOHNSON, VERN WA
 2029 JONES, CHRIS CD
 1956 JONES, DAVID OR
 1414/03 JUERGENS, KURT WA
 1283/06 KANTOR, KEN OR
 1549 KARCH, DAVID WA
 1220 KARCH, MIKE WA
 1993 KARCH, ROBERT WA
 2048 KAUPPILA, TIM WA
 1637/14 KAZA, ROGER OR
 1722 KELLY, WAYNE WA
 1865/06 KENNEDY, MIKE CD
 1303/16 KERSHAW, TONY OR
 1559 KESSLER, ROD WA
 1490/05 KINDER, JOHN CA
 1101/05 KINTNER, JIM WA
 2101 KIPLINGER, BILL OR
 1336/03 KIRBY, LIZ OR
 1785 KIRKPATRICK, FRANCIS WA
 1546 KIRSCHNER, JIM WA
 1651 KLEMENT, DAVE OR
 807/05 KLINGFERMAN, DAVE OR
 1224/08 KLINGERMAN, RALPH OR
 844/10 KNACKSTEDT, TOM OR
 1567/05 KNAUSS, ORRIN WA
 1805/10 KNODEL, AL CD
 1810 KONG, FARL CD
 1530/08 KOSPAPTOV, NIKOLA CD
 1980/05 KRIMER, GREG OP
 1261 KRON, CURTIS WA
 1896 KRZYZOWSKI, ERNEST CD
 1280/05 KUBILLUS, HENRY CD
 1861 KUGE, TOM OR
 689/06 KUHL, RICKY CD
 1026/11 KURY, BILL CD
 1432 LAMAR, BILL WA
 1780 LAM, GREGORY CD
 1434 LAM, RANDY OR
 1528/04 LANYON, JIM OR
 1123/06 LARRIGAN, BOB WA
 1902 LASSEN, MARV WA
 894 LATHROP, KEVIN WA
 1614 LAVALLEE, TONY CD
 1005/01 LA BERGE, PAUL WA
 2123/04 LEBLANC, PAUL CD
 1616/05 LEIFER, KELLY WA
 962/06 LEMAY, GERALD CD
 1706 LEMAY, RICHARD CD
 1596 LEMOINE, JACK WA
 1855/15 LEONG, ALBERT OR
 1255 LIGON, MIKE OR
 1535/11 LINNEY, LARRY WA
 1147/11 LITNN, SCOTT OR
 1563/05 LITTELL, EVERETT OP
 1771 LITTELL, TIM WA
 1256/05 LOGAN, KEN CP

1153/05 LONGWORTH, BRIAN CD
 1517 LORRAIN, VINCE WA
 580/05 LOUDOUN, RON CD
 746/15 LUBY, BAUS WA
 1568 LUBY, BOB WA
 1835/04 LUCAS, KEVIN OR
 1089/06 LUMLEY, JIM CD
 1904 LYON, DON OR
 1434 MACKENZIE, MARK OR
 1699/14 MACKAY, TERRY CD
 594/01 MAGNUSON, SIGRUD WA
 1412 MANN, ALEX OR
 1286/09 MANN, HENRY WA
 1438/05 MANN, RICHARD WA
 1231/09 MANN, ROBERT WA
 1682 MARGOLIN, PHILLIP OR
 1442 MARKERT, MIKE WA
 1523/13 MARSH, KIRK WA
 1609 MARSH, TOM WA
 1905/05 MATHESON, LEE WA
 1858 MATSFN, WAYNE OR
 1465/09 MATTHEWS, BRET OR
 1303/05 MAYER, SCOTT OR
 1412 MCBRIDE, CINTHIA OR
 1799 MCCALL, JOHN WA
 1264/04 MCCLURE, TIM OR
 1257/07 MCCORPICK, GREG WA
 1093/05 MCCOY, MIKE WA
 1758 MCCOY, ROBERT CD
 1611 MCCURDY, BOB WA
 1301/03 MCDERMOTT, JIM WA
 1366/06 MCFARLANE, BRUCE CD
 1497 MCGEARY, BILL WA
 1438 MCGEE, MIKE WA
 1354/05 MCKEE, KEN CD
 1311/06 MCLAIN, JOE CA
 2064 MCLAREN, BRIAN CD
 1399/05 MCHICKLE, DOUG OR
 1538 MCNELLY, PETER CD
 1789/15 MCNIVEN, SCOTT WA
 1807/14 MEDALEN, DAVID CD
 1615 MEEKER, BILL OR
 1882 MERRILL, RONALD OR
 1052/04 MIDDLETON, JOHN WA
 1799/15 MIEHE, PETE OR
 1572 MILLER, CAROL WA
 1085 MILLER, KATHY WA
 1804 MILLER, RUSSELL WA
 1745 MILLER, WILLIAM CD
 1613 MINGUS, MARTY OR
 1369/07 MINTZ, EARL WA
 1415/08 MINTZ, LARRY WA
 1566 MOLDEN, LEONARD CD
 1265/10 MOLLGARD, KRISTIAN CD
 1223/05 MOLNAP, PAUL CD
 1846 MCLNAR, PCY CD
 1557 MONTCHALIN, MATT OR
 1937 MCCOR, HARRY WA
 1635/05 MOORE, WALT CD
 1626/10 MORAVCSIK, ANDREW OR
 1911 MORIN, GLENN CD
 1279/07 MCCORRIS, ERNIE WA
 2158 MCCOPIS, MICHAEL OP
 1807 MORTIMER, PHIL CD
 1642 MCSHOFSKY, GERARD OR
 1694 MOLFORD, MIKE WA
 1319/09 MUNOZ, JOE OR
 1017/06 MUNOZ, PERRY CD
 1328/06 MUNRO, JANICE CD
 1701 MURPHY, CHARLES OR
 1205/04 NAFF, OTIS WA
 1544 NAYT-COH-DAG, GENF WA
 1543 NAWROCKI, WALTER WA
 1460/15 NEEDS, SHEILA CD
 1222/15 NETZEL, JOHN WA
 1406 NEVE, RICHARD OR
 1491/03 NEWMAN, LARRY ID
 1506 NGAT, DON CD
 1736 NORRY, KEVIN WA
 958/03 NORLIE, CARL WA
 923/06 OCHOA, RAYEN OP
 1005/06 OCHOA, TRACY OR
 1756 OLSON, BRIAN WA
 1844 OLSON, DALE WA
 1588 OSMILL, JOHN CD

1555/05	ORNALES, LOUIS	OR	1306	SCHRADER, JAY	OR	2095	WARNER, EUGENE	WA
1550/07	ORTH, RUSSELL	WA	1100	SCHRADER, RACHEL	OR	1923/10	WARNER, IRVING	AL
1774/05	ORTON, WILLIAM	OH	1250/11	SCHUCK, BRUCE	CD	1617	WARREN, BRUCE	WA
1129/03	PALMER, BILL	WA	1829/06	SCHULTE, RAY	CD	993/06	WARREN, MIKE	OR
1660/13	PALMER, ROGER	WA	1504/13	SCHULTZ, TOM	ID	2264	WATERMAN, DENNIS	OR
1453	PALMER, TIM	WA	985/10	SCHUMACHER, GREG	WA	1413	WATERS, GARY	OR
1388/05	PALM, BOB	CD	1571	SCIOLY, TONY	WA	1305/13	WATTS, KEN	WA
1419	PARSON, IAN	CD	1827	SEIRAWAN, YASSER	WA	1632/05	WAZEKA, ROBERT	OR
1503	PATTERSON, GAFF	WA	1086/06	SEKELA, MIKE	CD	1436	WEIZEL, DENNIS	CD
1642	PAULSON, LUTHER	WA	1338/04	SFLSOR, JERRY	WA	1760/14	WESTBROOK, MIKE	CD
1480/02	PECKINPAUGH, MATT	WA	1465	SERNA, ALBERT	OR	805/06	WHITE, GREG	OR
1377/03	PECKINPAUGH, TIM	WA	1438	SHANLEY, TOM	WA	1253/06	WHITTLE, BRAD	CD
1393	PECK, MURRAY	OR	1239/06	SHONK, ROB	CA	1355/04	WILBUR, PHIL	OR
1117/05	PENINGER, MARK	OR	1602/05	SHORDEE, BILL	CD	935/01	WILBY, ERIC	OR
2131	PERALA, BYRON	OR	1632	SHORT, L. W.	OR	1756/05	WILSON, BARRY	CD
1561/11	PETERSON, EDWIN	OR	1013/04	SHULL, JOHN	WA	1469	WILSON, JEFF	OR
724/05	PETERS, RICHARD	OR	1390/13	SIMONSEN, LAURENCE	OR	1787/03	WILSON, ROCKY	WA
1113/03	PHILLIPS, BOB	CA	1652	SIMONS, LLOYD	OR	1664	WILSON, STEVE	WA
1066/07	PIERCE, RICKY	WA	1386/05	SINCLAIR, BRUCE	CD	1521/03	WILSON, ZALPH	OR
1218/04	PINNEY, GARY	WA	1234/06	SJODIN, GUS	CD	1686	WINKEL, DAVE	WA
2032	PINTAR, JOHN	OR	1391	SLETTEN, DANNY	OR	1568	WINTER, KEITH	CD
1735	PIRE, HANNIEGN	WA	1554	SLETTEN, DAVID	OR	1410	WISDOM, CHARLES	OR
1324/06	PLOEGER, FRED	WA	587/06	SLETTEN, DON	OR	1729/03	WOEHLE, BERNIE	WA
1891	POBANZ, GARY	OR	1195/04	SMITH, CHARLES	OR	2112	WOLFE, JERRY	OR
1634	POLICH, DUANE	WA	1040/05	SMITH, KENT	OR	1617	WOLF, JOHN	OR
1337/14	POLLOCK, DAVE	WA	1891	SMITH, KEN	WA	824/03	WOLTERS, ALBERT	WA
1783	POLLOCK, STAN	WA	1528	SMITH, PHIL	WA	1456	WONG, DAVID	OR
1121/04	POPE, JOE	OR	1753/15	SPARKS, JAMES	WA	1360	WOODVILLE, ANTHONY	OR
1802	POYSER, KIP	WA	1621/10	SPELICH, PAUL	CD	2050	WOOD, ALEX	CD
1478/06	PRICHARD, SHERRY	CD	1029/06	STARK, CHRIS	OR	983	WOOD, PENNY	OR
1602	PRINK, LAURENCE	OR	788/04	STARK, TIM	OR	1198/06	WRIGHT, JOHN	OR
1351/06	PROBERT, BRIAN	OR	1886	STEFURAK, D. LEO	WA	987/07	WRIGHT, VICTOR	WA
931/06	PROZNICK, REND	CD	1509	STENNING, DALE	WA	1484	YAMAGUCHI, STAN	WA
1516	PRUIM, ANDY	CD	2256	STENSHOLT, EIVIND	OR	1295	YAMAMOTO, ED	WA
1451	PRUITT, JACK	OR	2009	STEPHENSON, ROBERT	WA	1717	YOULDEN, BRENT	WA
1256/05	PURBAUGH, PON	WA	1057	STEVENSON, SIDNEY	CD	1510	YOUNG, MARV	WA
1515/04	PURTFLL, BILL	CD	1540/11	STEWART, T. JAMES	CD	1506	ZASTERA, JIM	OR
1850/04	RABY, STEVE	CD	1313/15	STILES, KEITH	WA	1443	ZEPEDA, JOE	WA
1717/03	RADON, RON	WA	1207/04	STRAUME, STEVEN	WA			
1145/03	RADON, VELMA	WA	1372	STRINGER, GAIL	CD			
1282/03	RASMUSSEN, BENT	WA	1332	STRINGER, LYNN	CD			
1967	RASMUSSEN, ERNST	WA	1668	STROHM, ROBERT	WA			
1722	RASMUSSEN, OWEN	WA	1476	STUCKEY, ALAN	WA			
1603	REANEY, RICHARD	CD	1649	SUKKAU, DON	CD			
1210/08	REED, MIKE	WA	1808/15	SULG, HANS	WA			
1714	REFVE, JFFF	CD	1482	SUNDSTPOM, BILL	WA			
1594	REID, BILL	WA	1776	SURRATT, DAVID	WA			
1700	RICE, WAYNE	WA	1124/06	SVTSDAHL, BILL	CD			
1790	RIDDELL, GEORGE	CD	1388	SWAN, LARRY	WA			
883/03	RIDDEREUSCH, RUSS	WA	2119/11	TALAVS, ARVED	CD			
1218/09	RIDENOUR, JFFF	WA	1635	TATE, WILLIAM	CD			
1315/06	RIDGEWAY, MIKE	WA	1876	THOMAS, STEVE	WA			
982/12	RIGEL, JOHN	OR	1650	THOMPSON, ALLEN	WA			
1636/10	RILEY, DAN	WA	840/04	THORNTON, DAVID	WA			
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1929	SCHRADER, JACK	OR	1690/08	WALLACE, MARK	WA			



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The Study Bug

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No. 22. A. Zaitsev-Wade: 64. Kc3 Kc5 65. e4 Kd6 66. Kxc4 Kc6! 67. Kd3 Kd7 68. Ke2 Ke8 69. Kf1 Ke7 70. Kf2 Kf8 71. Kg1 Kg7 72. Kh2 Kh8 73. Kh3 Kh7 74. Kg2 Kg8 75. Kf3 Kf7 76. Kg4 Kg8 77. Kf3 Kf7 78. Ke2 Ke8 79. Kd3 Kd7 80. Kc2 Kc8 81. Kb2 Kd8 82. Ka2 Kc8 83. Kb3 Kd7 84. Kb4 Kd6 85. Kc3 Kc7 86. Kd4 Kd6 87. e5ch Drawn. Why did Zaitsev continue in this theoretically drawn position? Maybe he wanted to see if Wade had the proper technique. To make sure you have the proper technique give it a workout with the following study by Grigoriev.

No. 23. Grigoriev: 1. Ke2 Kd7/1 2. Kd3/11 Ke7 3. Kc3/111 Ke6 4. Kc4 Kd7 5. Kb4 Kc7 6. Ka5 Kb7 7. b3! Ka7/1v 8. Kb4 Kb7/v 9. Kc4 Kc7 10. Kd4 Kd7 11. Ke5 Ke7 12. b4 wins. 1) 1. ... Kb7 2. Kd3 Ka6 3. b4 Kb5 4. Kc3 Ka6 (4. ... Ka4 5. Kc4 Ka3 6. b5) 5. Kc4! Kb7 6. Kd4 Kc7 (6. ... Ka6 7. Ke5 7. ... Kb5 8. Kd6) 7. Ke5 Kd7 8. Kf6. 11) To answer 2. ... Ke6 with 3. Kc4! 111) And not 3. Kc4? Ke6 draws 4. Kd4 (4. Kb4 or Kb3 Kd5 and the pawn falls) 4. ... Kf6! 5. Kc3 5. ... Ke5! 6. Kc4 Ke6! 7. b3 (7. Kd4 Kf6 or Kf5 8. b4 Ke6! or 1f 7. b4 Kd7! 8. b5 cbch 9. Kxb5 Kc7) 7. ... Kd7! 8. Kb4 (8. Kd4 Ke6 9. b4 Kd7!) 8. ... Kc7 9. Ka5 Kb7 10. b4 Ka7 11. Ka4 Kb7 12. Kb3 Kc7 13. Kc3 Kd7 14. Kc4 Kd8 15. Kd4 Kd7 16. Ke5 Ke7 drawn. 1v) Otherwise 8. Ka6 wins the pawn. v) 8. ... Ka6 9. Kc3 Ka5 (9. ... Kb5 10. b4) 10. Kc4 Ka6 11. b4 Kb7 12. Kd4 wins as in the main line. Also, if 8. ... Ka6 white wins after 9. Kc4 Ka5 10. b4ch Ka4 (10. ... Ka6 11. Kc3 Kb5 12. Kb3 Ka6 13. Ka4) 11. b5! cbch 12. Kd4! 12. ... Ka5 (12. ... b4 13. c6 b3 14. Kc3 Ka3 15. c7) 13. Kd5 b4 (13. ... Ka6 14. Kd6 b4 15. c6 b3 16. c7 b2 17. c8Q b1Q 18. Qa8ch) 14. c6 b3 (14. ... Kb6 15. Kd6 b3 16. c7 b2 17. c8Q b1Q 18. Qb8ch) 15. c7 b2 16. c8Q b1Q 17. Qa8ch Kb4 18. Qb8ch and 19. Qxb1.

No. 8. Bent: 1. Ba3ch Kb5 2. Bc4ch/1 Kxc4 3. Nd6ch/11 3. ... Kd5 4. c4ch Kxd4 5. Kf6 clQ/clN 6. Rd3/e3 mate. 1) 2. Nxa7ch or Nd6ch Kb6 and the king escapes. 11) 3. Ke6? Bh3ch.

No. 9. Kalandadze: 1. Rh8ch Kg2 2. Bg8ch Kf2 3. Rf8ch 3. ... Ke2 4. Be8ch Kd2 5. Bd8ch Kc2 6. Rc8ch Kbl/1 7. Rc7! 7. ... alQch 8. Ra2 Qxb2 9. Rb7. 1) 6. ... Kxb2 7. Bb8ch 7. ... Ka3 8. Rb7 and 9. Ba7ch.

No. 10. Kalgin: 1. Kd2 Kb4 2. Ke3 Kc5 3. Kf4 Kd6 4. Kg5 4. ... Ke7 5. Kh6/1 Kf8 6. g7ch Bxg7ch 7. Kg6 Bh8 8. f6 Ke8 9. e5 Kf8 10. e6 Ke8 11. e7. 1) 5. g7? Bxg7 6. Kg6 Bf6 draws as black cannot be put into zugzwang.

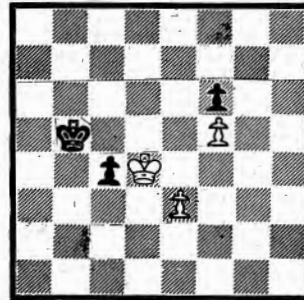
No. 11. Gorgiev: This form of the study where one side has a large preponderance of material is called a Grotesque. It is controversial because it is not in accord with the dictum laid down by the father of the Soviet School of Composition, Troitzky, who held that for a study to have artistic merit the central idea, or theme, must be expressed with the minimum number of pieces needed to do so. To illustrate this I will give the study from which No. 11 was evolved: wKc2, wN's d2, f3; bKa2, bBa1, bP's b6, b7, d5. 1. Nbl b5 2. Nd4 b4 3. Nb5 b3ch 4. Kd2 d4 5. N5a3 b5 6. Kd3 6. ... b4 7. Kxd4 ba 8. Nc3 mate. The study is unsound, 3. ... d4 4. Nxd4 b3ch 5. Nxb3 b6! draws. Now for the solution to No. 11: 1. Nd1 d5/1 2. Nf4 d4 3. Nd5 d3ch 4. Kf2 4. ... f4 5. N5c3 d5/11 6. Kf3 d4 7. Kxf4 dc 8. Ne3 mate. 1) 1. ... f4 2. Nxf4xd5xb4 mate, 1. ... c3 2. Ne3 mate. 11) Obviously there are several duals (alternate solutions) hereabouts as white has lots of tempo moves. According to the Troitzky view of things, the earlier study, if sound, would be artistically the better study even though it took less effort to compose it.

No. 12. Prokes: 1. Ke3/1 Bxc2 2. d4 dc 3. Kd2 and the pawn queens. 1) 1. d4? dc 2. c4 Kf1 and black queens first. Prokes (pronounced prokesh) composed hundreds of these short solution natural studies. Many consider the lack of introductory play a serious defect in his work, however, the "Player's Composer" has no lack of supporters!

No. 13. Pogosjants: A tough study if you didn't get the right idea which is to gain time for the king to get over to protect the wPg6. 1. h7ch Kh8 2. b3/1 Bcl/11 3. g3 3. ... Ba3 4. g4 Bcl 5. Kxc1/111 Bxb3 6. Kd2 Ba2 7. Kc2 Be6 8. Kd3 Bxg4 9. Ke4 Draws. 1) 2. ba? 2. ... Be6 3. a4 Bf5ch 4. Kc3 Bxg6 5. Kd4 Bc2 6. a4 Ba5 wins. 11) Black must keep the w-squared bishop. 111) 5. g5? Ba3 zugzwang.

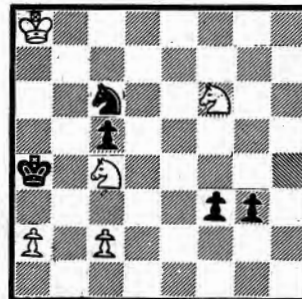
Deadline for solutions (No's 24-29) is July 1st.

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Tallin, 1971



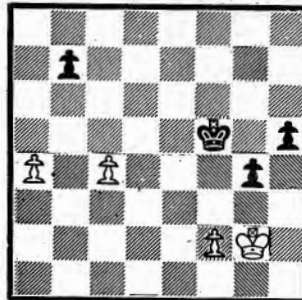
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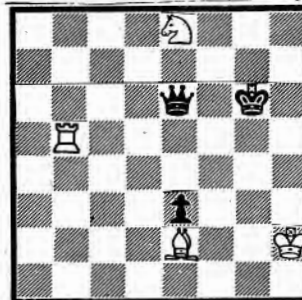
Draw 5w & 5b

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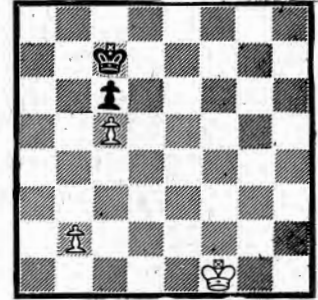
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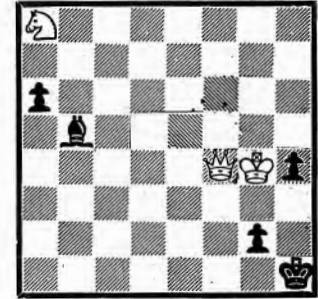
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Schachmatny Listok, 1931



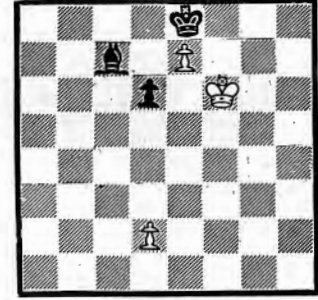
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No. 25 V. Chekhover
H. M. Trud, 1950



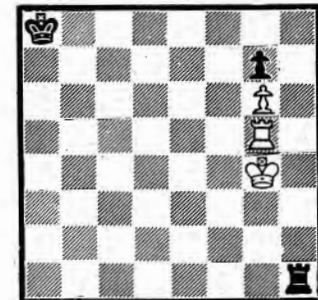
Win 3w & 5b

No. 27 L. Prokes
Prace 24/4/47



Draw 3w & 3b

No. 29 A. Mandler
Ceskoslovensky Sach 1950



Win 3w & 3b

PROBLEMS

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No. 33
Michael Lipton
"The Problemist" 1966
Special Prize

No. 34
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Bromley, England

One of the prime difficulties encountered by a few of the solvers lies in not examining ALL Black defences. If even a single move of Black stops white from giving mate in the specified number of moves, then another key must be found. Many are sending in wrong keys which are easily defeated. So, check ALL Black moves before accepting a key.

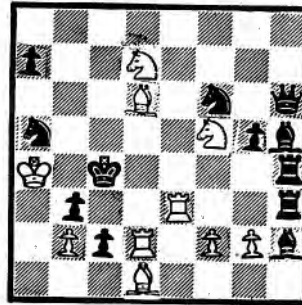
Regarding No. 33, this is a correction of No. 28 from last month. As you will have noticed, there should have been a Black Rook on h4 (this was mentioned in the written material). Because this error in printing allows several unintended solutions, including a mate in one, No. 28 is VOID with NO points given or deducted. An advance apology to those who spent time on this, but hopefully you will understand that this would otherwise cause complications. Possible score for April is now 29.

Below are the accumulated scores for solvers through the first three months. The underlined number is the highest possible score for the month:

	W	F	M		J	F	M	
	A	E	A		A	E	A	
	N.	B.	R.		N.	B.	R.	
J. Heathcote.....	22	24	32	(78)	J. Huffman.....	16	18	-- (34)
B. Malepa.....	22	24	32	(78)	R. Norman.....	14	10	8 (32)
B. Williams.....	22	24	30	(76)	D. Neubauer.....	--	24	-- (24)
J. Pruitt.....	22	24	28	(74)	M. Ansted.....	--	14	10 (24)
D. Bradley.....	22	24	26	(72)	J. Tremaine.....	8	8	8 (24)
K. Dirks.....	18	22	30	(70)	D. Collyer.....	22	--	-- (22)
A. Stuckey.....	18	22	30	(70)	A. Pilkey.....	20	--	-- (20)
J. Berry.....	8	22	32	(62)	R. Harding.....	18	--	-- (18)
T. Green.....	12	22	26	(60)	S. Durrent.....	--	16	-- (16)
P. Garcia-Pelayo.....	16	22	20	(58)	R. Jarmon.....	16	--	-- (16)
E. French.....	18	18	19	(55)	R. Palmer.....	8	8	-- (16)
R.K. Williams.....	24	20	--	(44)	S. Hauff.....	12	--	-- (12)
D. Calkins.....	14	22	--	(36)	A. Lewis.....	--	8	(8)

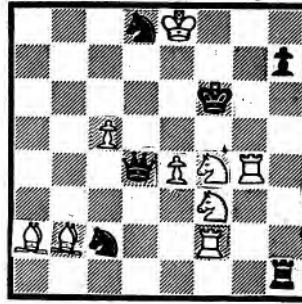
SOLUTIONS FOR MARCH: No. 17 (Mansfield) 1.Re7 The key opens diagonals for both Queens and anticipates the pin of 1...Ra7. No. 18 (Lepage) 1.Se2 This is the Rupp theme, a key which simultaneously pins a White piece and a Black piece, both of which are unpinned by a Black defence moving to this newly vacated square. The Rupp is shown twice here by 1...Sd4 and 1...Bd4. These moves defeat the threat of 2.Qd5, but now allow respectively 2.Qe5 and 2.Qg6. No. 19 (Brown) 1.Kb4 was the intention, unpinning both the WQ and the BP as well as giving a flight. Unfortunately, there are two cooks: 1.Qxc2+ and 1.Sxd4. These are good cook examples: as one captures a major Black piece and gives check, while the other has only one weak variation. Obviously, these make for poor solutions and the solver should try to find the much more interesting intention of the composer. This Problem was worth 9 points, including 3 each for the key and the two cooks. Only Edward French found both cooks. A corrected version of No. 19 in Forsyth notation is: 4s3/3S4/1B2p1s1/1PK1p2R/R2pkp2/ppq5/r1q1P1S1/1B3r2. Key 1.Kb4. No. 20 (Rudenko) 1.Sc6! 1.Se6? Pf4! 1.Sxf5? Sd7! The two tries introduce new mates each by self-blocks after capturing the d5-R. No. 21 (Drese) 1.Bd4! The six captures of the Bishop stop the threat of 2.Qc5, but these self-blocks allow new mates: There is an additional self-block after 1...Se6. No. 22 (Loshinski & Schliff) 1.Kf8 threatening 2.Bf6+ Kxd6, 3.Bd4+ The four moves of the d7-R open a square for the BK but become in effect new self-blocks: 1...Rc6, 2.Rxg5+; 1...Rc5, 2.Qe2+; 1...Rc4, 2.Qxg5+; and 1...Rc3, 2.Qf5+. Beautifully done and very hard to solve! No. 23 (Kubloek) 1.Ka8! followed by 2.Rf8+ and 3.Se5+ Several solvers tried 1.Ra6 but Black has 1...Ra5! A very nice Problem by this young composer. No. 24 (Kuznecov) 1.Bb7! The only move which safely eludes the Rook to prepare for mate from the g2-P. The main line runs: 1.Bb7 Rb8, 2.Bc6 Rb6, 3.Bd5 Rb5, 4.Be4 Rb4, 5.Bf3 Rf4, 6.Sg3#

SEND SOLUTIONS IN FOR (Nos. 33-40) BY JUNE 10.



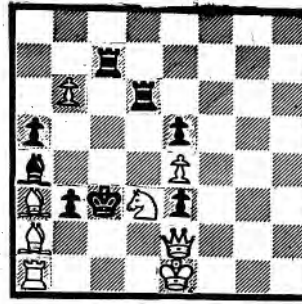
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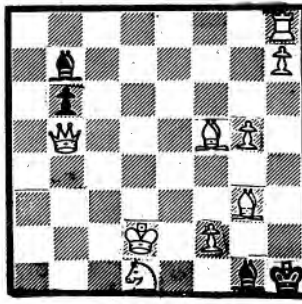
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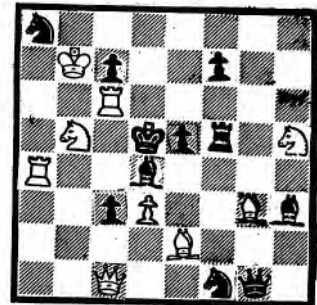


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Barry Andrade
"Parallele 50"
1938

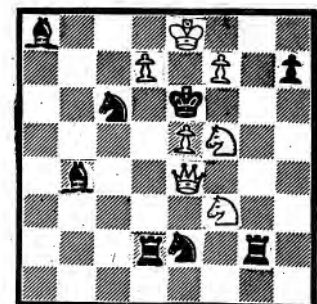


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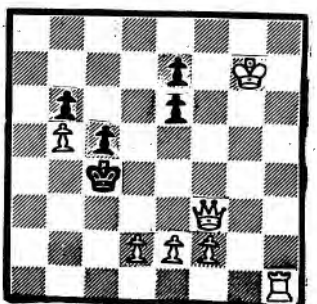
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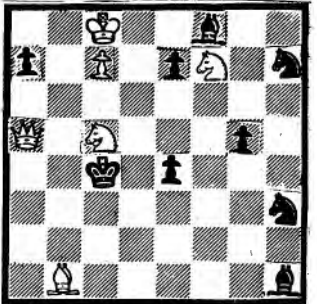
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No. 38
Johann Berger
"Deutsche Schachztng"
1887



#3

No. 40
P.F. Blake
"Westminster Gaz."
2nd Prize 1917-18



#4

BOOK REVIEWS

Book Reviews on this page by
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The following are brief reviews of books pertaining to studies and endgame theory. All but the first are available through USCF.

Imagination in the Endgame, Robert Brieger, Chess Digest, Dallas, 1973. 56pp. \$2.50

This book might have been called "Endgame Movies" as there is a diagram every two moves. For an easy introduction to studies it is hard to beat. Unlike many endgame books intended for the beginner, it does not bog down in trivial studies. Of course, the material is elementary. Brieger takes studies, or parts of studies, which illustrate a single theme (with some very good choices), and spreads them out in a multiple-diagram form that is easy on the brain and easy on the eyes. It is gratifying to see an American write a book on the endgame after such a long interim (the last was Chernev's Practical Chess Endings, 1961). A must for the collector as there are several studies not available elsewhere.

Basic Chess Endings, Reuben Fine, David McKay Co., New York, 1941. 573pp. \$3.75

There is probably more busted analysis in this book than in any other chess book in print. Considering the size and scope of the book it is quite understandable in a first edition. According to Evans, Fine is contemplating a revision--after 32 years and several reprints! For all of the errors, though, it is still probably the best endgame book for the tournament player (in English, that is). It is cheap, it is comprehensive, and, most importantly, it is didactic. Fine gives a pretty good exposition of the strategical principles involved in playing endgames. Endgame analysis (whether correct or faulty!) slips from the mind unless it is frequently reviewed. (Any questions as to how I know this are strictly out of place!) Second best to having the exact analysis memorized is having the correct principles memorized, and these are pretty easily absorbed from BCE. Ken Smith is coming out with a translation of Averbakh's three volume work in Russian after which we can put BCE in a museum, a relic of the good old days when they sold baloney by the pound and Fanny was a girl's name.

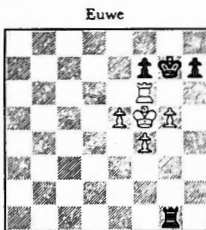
Rook Endings, G. Levenfish & V. Smyslov, Chess Digest, Dallas, 1971. 224pp. \$6.95

This is a translation of the Russian work published in 1959 (2nd Edition). I consider this to be everything that Fine's chapter on rook endings should have been. The word "classic" has been overused so it probably won't mean too much to you when I apply it to this book. It really fits, though. There is no other book that treats practical rook endings as well as this one (for a sample look to the right). It does not give as thorough a treatment of the basic R & P v. R as does Cheron, but mastery of that ending is often of little help when the situation you are faced with is that of attempting to draw when the opponent has a passed pawn on the wing. As I indicated above, hard analysis is often not enough. One must be able to analyze the position at hand. A book like Rook Endings comes in mighty handy in such cases.

Rook Endings

PAWNS ON ONE WING

When all the pawns are on one wing the defensive possibilities are greater. However, to make proper use of his chances a player must be familiar with the ways of playing such endings and with certain critical positions. This will make his choice of this or that move during the game easier.



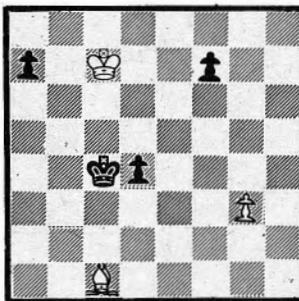
Euwe

Gligoric
Black to play; White wins

1... R-KB8

The other method of defence, 1... R-QR8, is analysed below.

A Pocket Guide to Chess Endgames, D. Hooper, G. Bell & Sons, Ltd., London, 1970. 197pp. \$5.00



The position at left is taken from this book and is typical of the sort of endgames Hooper covers, i.e. simple positions only.

5:2n (Thomas-Flohr, Hastings, 1935-36.) White is at a disadvantage, for his king is outside the Square of both passed pawns; but having the move he can draw: 1. B-Q2 (in the game he lost after 1.K-Q6? P-R4; 2.P-Kt5 P-B5; 3.P-Kt5, P-Q6; 4.K-K7, P-R6), K-Q6; 2.B-R5, K-K7; 3.K-K7, P-Q6; 4.KxP, P-Q7; 5.BxP, KxB drawn. Black to play wins, 1... P-R4. (Recognize this? It's No. 161 in BCE and it busts another Fine ending

1234 Modern End-Game Studies, M.A. Sutherland & H.M. Lommer, Dover, New York, 1968. 358pp. \$3.00

A corrected reprint of the 1938 classic. Many of the most famous studies are in this. One of the two best anthologies ever.

360 Brilliant and Instructive Endgames, A.A. Troitzky, Dover, New York, 1968. \$2.00

Another Dover reprint of a famous study book. Only this time it's an inferior version as missing are the 61pp. treatise "2N's v. P's", Troitzky's valuable thematic index and a short biography of him. The studies and Troitzky's notes still make it a great book.

2 R-QB6
3 R-B8+
4 R-Q8!

K-B1
K-N2
...

17 R-N7+
18 R-N3 and wins.

Black is in Zugzwang. If 4... P-R3, then 5 P x P + K x P 6 R-KN8 followed by P-N4 and K-B6±. White's principal threat is P-B5, -6, so that the Black rook must remain on the KB-file.

4... R-B7
5 R-Q1!
5 R-B6

Or 5... R-QR7 6 R-Q7 R-R3 7 K-N4 and then P-B5.

Black's rook proves to be too close to the White king and White can get P-B5 in.

6 K-K4!
7 K-K3
8 P-B5!

R-B7
R-QR7
R-KN7

On 8... R-R2 White would continue 9 K-K4 and 10 R-Q8.

9 R-Q7 R x P

On 9... K-B1 decisive is 10 P-B6 K-K1 11 R-K7+ K-B1 12 R-R7 K-K1 13 R-R8+ K-Q2 14 R-KB8 K-K3 15 R-K8+ K-B4 16 P-K6!±.

10 R-B4
11 P-K6
12 K-K5
13 K-Q6
14 R x P
15 R-K7
16 K-B6

R-N8
R-B8+
R-K8+
P-R4
K-N1
P-R5
P-R6

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1... R-QR8
2 R-QB6
3 R-B7
4 K-N4
R-R8

Or 4... R-R4 5 K-B3 R-R6+ 6 K-K4 R-R5+ 7 K-K3 R-R6+ 8 K-Q4 R-R5+ 9 R-B4 R-R8 10 P-B5 R-KN8 11 K-Q5 R x P 12 P-B6 K-K1 13 K-Q6 K-Q1 14 R-QR4.

5 P-B5
6 K-B4
7 K-K4
8 K-Q5
9 K-B6
10 R-Q7
11 K-B8
12 P-B6
13 K-Q7!
14 K-B6
15 R-Q7
16 K-N7
17 K-B7

After the exchange of rooks White has a won pawn ending.

BRITISH COLUMBIA

New Westminster Open March 10-II

RANK	NAME	CITY	RATING	1	2	3	4	5	TOTAL
1.	Harold Brown	Victoria	1989	w24	d4	w29	w9	w13	4 1/2
2.	David Powell	Burnaby	2284	w39	w11	w34	w14	d3	4 1/2
3.	Wayne Crookes	Burnaby	2160	w15	w13	w6	d5	d2	4
4.	Brian Williams	Vancouver	2129	w23	DI	w45	w10	d5	4
5.	Robert Chow	Vancouver	1983	w25	w12	w19	d3	d4	4
6.	Ernie Krzyzowski	Vancouver	1904	w40	w47	L3	w34	w15	4
7.	Glenn Morin	Burnaby	1776	L10	w52	w48	w12	w14	4
8.	Thomas Strothotte	Burnaby	UNR	w36	L34	w41	w F	w19	4
9.	Robert Zuk	Surrey	2378	w52	D10	w33	L1	w24	3 1/2
10.	Chris Jones	Vancouver	2042	w7	D9	w28	L4	w25	3 1/2
11.	Richard Pomfret	Burnaby	2025	w46	L2	w35	D25	w26	3 1/2
12.	Barry Thorvardson	Surrey	2059	w16	L5	w30	L7	w29	3
13.	Ben Kruger	Vancouver	2000	w17	L3	w27	w31	L1	3
14.	Nigel Fullbrook	Vancouver	1952	w26	w35	w20	L2	L7	3
15.	Gerry Forbes	Port Alberni	1809	L3	w17	w47	w18	L6	3
16.	Bill Edie	Vancouver	1784	L12	L25	w40	w35	w33	3
17.	Vincent Laxton	Vancouver	1771	L13	L15	w52	w47	w34	3
18.	Ken Freed	Sardis	1650	d45	D32	w37	L15	w31	3
19.	Ken Forman	New West.	UNR	w27	w48	L5	w20	L8	3
20.	Daniel Fox	Burnaby	UNR	w32	w50	L14	L19	w38	3
21.	Dennis Steigerwald	California	UNR	w50	L20	D26	D33	w42	3
22.	Nikola Kostartov	Vancouver	UNR	L F	D24	D32	w49	w37	3
23.	Earl Kong	Vancouver	1787	L4	L37	w44	w30	D27	2 1/2
24.	George Riddell	Kelowna	1738	L1	D22	w43	w42	L9	2 1/2
25.	Harold Lemke	Richmond	1722	L5	w16	w38	D11	L10	2 1/2
26.	Don Sukkaw	Kelowna	1677	L14	w49	D21	w28	L11	2 1/2
27.	Gregg Fraser	Kelowna	1596	L19	w44	L13	w36	D23	2 1/2
28.	William Tate	Burnaby	1527	D51	w41	L10	L26	w39	2 1/2
29.	Tony Lavallee	Sicamous	1463	d43	w51	L1	w F	L12	2 1/2
30.	Zdravko Granula	Vancouver	UNR	d42	w43	L12	L23	w41	2 1/2
31.	Ken Rink	Kelowna	1634	L48	w50	w36	L13	L18	2
32.	Bruce Helander	Surrey	1600	L20	D18	D22	L38	w49	2
33.	Larry Kirstein	Victoria	1565	d41	w42	L9	D21	L16	2
34.	Jerry Bourasaw	Richmond	1503	w37	w8	L2	L6	L17	2
35.	Greg Felton	North Van.	1388	w44	L14	L11	L16	w50	2
36.	Mike Davis	Coquitlam	UNR	L8	w40	L31	L27	w47	2
37.	Fred Grosser	Vancouver	UNR	L34	w23	L18	w48	L22	2
38.	Josip Skrepnik	Delta	UNR	w49	L45	L25	w32	L20	2
39.	Kon Kleemaier	Kelowna	1835	L2	d46	L42	w51	L28	1 1/2
40.	Ravi Hira	North Van.	1634	L6	L36	L16	d44	w48	1 1/2
41.	Larry George	Salmon Arm	1557	D33	L28	L8	w43	L30	1 1/2
42.	Jim McNe	Surrey	1531	D30	L33	w39	L24	L21	1 1/2
43.	David Medalen	Vancouver	UNR	D29	L30	L24	L41	w51	1 1/2
44.	Edward Moses	Ocean Park	UNR	L35	L27	L23	d40	BYE	1 1/2
45.	John Trefiak	New West.	UNR	D18	w38	L4	withdrew		1 1/2
46.	Robert Barbeau	Vancouver	1772	L11	D39	w51	withdrew		1 1/2
47.	Svend Nielsen	Coquitlam	1343	BYE	L6	L15	L17	L36	1
48.	Ben Braun	Langley	UNR	w31	L19	L7	L37	L40	1
49.	Kathy Davidson	Sicamous	UNR	L38	L26	w50	L22	L32	1
50.	Kenny Davidson	Sicamous	UNR	L21	L20	L49	w F	L35	1
51.	Claus Grassmuck	Langley	1504	D28	L29	w46	L39	L43	1
52.	Robert Niemi	Vancouver	1837	L9	L7	L17	withdrew		0

Comments on the following games by T.D.

WHITE	BLACK	WHITE	BLACK
WHITE-E. Krzyzowski	BLACK-G. Forbes	WHITE-B. Kruger	BLACK-H. Brown
a good positional	game by Ernie with	1. P-QN3	P-K4
manoeuvring,	creating weakness-	2. B-N2	N-QB3
es in Black's	camp, adding pressure	3. P-K3	P-Q3
and finally	breaking through.	4. P-QN4	B-K2
1. P-Q4	P-Q4	5. P-KN3	N-KB3
2. P-QB4	P-K3	6. B-N2	B-B4
3. N-QB3	N-KB3	7. P-Q3	O-O
4. B-N5	QN-Q2	8. P-QR3	R-KI
5. PXP	PXP	9. N-QB3	Q-Q2
6. P-K3	P-B3	10. P-QN4	B-KBT
7. N-R3	B-K2	11. P-N5	N-QI
8. B-Q3	O-O	12. QN-K2	P-QB3
9. Q-B2	P-KR3	13. P-QR4	P-Q4
10. B-R4	R-KI	14. Q-N3	N-K3
11. O-O	N-R4?	15. BPXP	BPXPQP
12. BxB	QxB	16. N-R1	N-B4
13. QR-N1	N(L)-B3	17. Q-Q1	P-Q5
14. P-QN4	P-QN3	18. P-K4	B-K3
15. P-QR4	B-N2	19. P-KB4	PXP
16. N-K2	KR-QBI	20. PXP	N-N5
17. N-N3	P-KN3	21. B-B3	N-K6
18. KR-KI	N-R1	22. Q-Q2	R-QBI
19. N-K5	N(3)-Q2	23. B-Q1	NxB
20. P-B4	NxN	24. QxN	B-N5
21. BPxN	N-K3?	25. N(I)-K2	NxKP
22. BxP!	PxB	26. PxN	RxP
23. QxPch	N-N2	27. Q-Q3	R(I)-KI
24. N-B5	Q-QB2	28. K-B2	BxN
25. NxPch	K-R1	29. NxB	RxNch
26. N-B7ch	K-NI	30. QxR	RxQch
27. R-KBI	R-KBI	31. KxR	Q-K3ch
28. N-N5	RESIGNS.	32. K-B2	Q-K6ch
		33. K-R1	P-Q6
		34. RESIGNS.	

A critical game for the

WHITE	BLACK	WHITE	BLACK
WHITE-R. Zuk	BLACK-H. Brown	WHITE-R. Zuk	BLACK-H. Brown
tournament winner, Bob sacked a	pawn for the attack that did	1. P-K4	P-Q4
not come through. Harold eventually got the	two bishops and a Queen-side pawn majority.	2. N-KB3	N-QB3
		3. B-N5	P-QR3
		4. B-R4	N-KB3
		5. O-O	B-K2
		6. R-KI	P-QN4
		7. B-N3	P-Q3
		8. P-B3	O-O
		9. P-KR3	P-R3
		10. Q-Q2	P-K3
		11. O-O	N-Q2
		12. P-KR3	PxN
		13. BxB	P-R4
		14. PXP	RxKP
		15. BxQP	O-O
		16. Q-K2	PxB
		17. QxN	B-12
		18. QxP	BxN
		19. QxQ	KRxQ
		20. PxB	R-Q7
		21. KR-NI	RxP
		22. KxP	HxSP
		23. QR-NI	R-B7
		24. R(7)-N2	R-R5
		25. P-N3	N-Q5
		26. R-N4	RxR
		27. RxR	N-R3
		28. R-N7	R-KI
		29. R-Q7	R-K7

WHITE	BLACK	WHITE	BLACK
WHITE-D. Powell	BLACK-N. Fullbrook	WHITE-D. Powell	BLACK-N. Fullbrook
1. P-K4	P-QB4	1. P-K4	P-QN4
2. N-KB3	P-K3	2. N-KB3	P-Q3
3. P-Q4	PXP	3. P-Q4	PXP
4. NXP	P-QR3	4. NXP	N-KR3
5. B-K3	N-KB3	5. N-QB3	P-QR3
6. N-Q2	P-Q3	6. B-KN5	P-K3
7. B-K2	P-QN3	7. P-B4	B-K2
8. P-KB4	QN-Q2	8. Q-B3	Q-B2
9. B-B3	B-N2		
10. P-B4	Q-B2		
11. R-QBI	B-K2		
12. O-O	O-O		
13. P-QN4	QR-R1		
14. P-QR3	Q-NI		
15. Q-K2	Q-R1		
16. B-B2			
DRAW AGREED			

A drawn game turned to a victory by Black's blunder on move 14.

B.C. CLASS CHAMPIONSHIPS -

VICTORIA - MAR 31st & APR 1st.

T.D.'s - Ray & Eunice KERR
Assistant - Larry KIRSTEIN
Time: 45 in 2 hours.

Prizes: there were 19 trophies, for winners of each class and runners up.

Cash prizes went to:

Ist. Duncan Haines	\$42.50
2nd. Nogel Fullbrook	\$25.00
3rd. Earl Jewitt	\$ 8.50
Brian McLaren	\$ 8.50
Ist. A Arved Talavs	\$25.50
2nd. A Paul Brown	\$ 8.50
R. Jeanpierre	\$ 8.50
Ist. B Paul LeBlanc	\$25.50
2nd. B Earl Kong	\$17.00

It is regrettable that no games were turned in to publish. Due to a last minute change in my shifts, I was forced to work these two days and turned over T.D. duties to Ray and Eunice Kerr who did very well. Problems encountered were few. I attended after work to see that all was going OK and found there were no complaints with the change. With the possibility of my moving this summer, this take-over by the Kerr's will insure continuing events for the Victoria region. A special thanks is extended to those players who travelled all the way from the B.C. Interior to compete.

Larry Kirstein

SENIORS CLASS - 65 & over..

1. T. James STEWART	1554	Victoria
2. Kristian MOLLGARD	1145	Victoria
3. Richard HANDFORD	1393	Victoria
4. Ernie WAKEFIELD	None	Victoria
5. Sidney STEVENSON	1029	Sooke

Bye	W3	W2	D5	W4	4
W5	L4	L1	W3	Bye	2 1/2
W4	L1	Bye	L2	W5	2 1/2
L3	W2	W5	Bye	L1	2 1/2
L2	Bye	L4	D1	L3	1

From the Fifth Chess Centre Open

WHITE-Van Camp BLACK-Krzyzowski

I. P-K4	P-KN3	I5. Q-R4	N-KB3
2. P-KN3	B-N2	I6. P-KB4	Q-B4ch.
3. P-QB3	P-QB3	I7. K-R2	O-O
4. P-Q3	P-Q4	I8. PxP	QxKP
5. QN-Q2	P-K4	I9. B-B4	Q-QB4
6. KN-B3	B-N5	20. P-K5	N-Q4
7. B-N2	Q-Q2	21. N-K4	Q-K2
8. P-KR3	B-K3	22. B-N5	P-B3
9. N-N5	N-QR3	23. Pxp	Bxp
10. NxB	QxN	24. NxBch.	NxN
11. N-B3	QPxP	25. Q-B4ch	K-N2
12. N-N5	Q-Q2	26. QR-KI	Q-QB2
13. Pxp	Q-K2	27. Q-KR4	N-Q4
14. O-O	R-QI	28. BxN	RxR
		29. Q-Q4ch	RESIGNS.

EXPERT CLASS

	Rating	City	1	2	3	4	5	Total
1. Duncan HAINES	2006	Victoria	W18	W16	W4	D2	W3	4 1/2
2. Nigel FULLBROOK	1947	Vancouver	D14	W11	W8	D1	W4	4
3. Earl JEWITT	2024	Victoria	W13	L9	W6	W5	L1	3
4. Brian MCLAREN	2069	Nanaimo	W10	W12	L1	W7	L2	3
5. Chris JONES	2055	Vancouver	L12	W4	D7	L3	W17	2 1/2
6. Darrel HUNT	2010	Victoria	L9	W13	L3	W8	D7	2 1/2
7. Harold BROWN	2082	Victoria	W15	D8	D5	L4	D6	2 1/2
8. Harry MOORE	1950	Victoria	W17	D7	L2	L6	D16	2

"A" CLASS

9. Arved TALAVS	1831	Victoria	W6	W3	W10	W15	L11	4
10. Paul BROWN	1907	Vancouver	L4	W17	L9	W16	W15	3
11. Richard JEANPIERRE	1816	Victoria	D16	L2	W27	D14	W9	3
12. George ADLKIRCHNER	1896	Victoria	W5	L4	L15	L17	W18	2
13. Roy MOLNAR	1854	Burnaby	L3	L6	D17	W18	D14	2
14. Tracy COOPER	1800	Victoria	D2	L5	D16	D11	D13	2
15. Glen MORIN	1918	Burnaby	L7	W18	W12	L9	L10	2
16. Martin EMIG	1974	Victoria	D11	L1	D14	L10	D8	1 1/2
17. Phil MORTIMER	1815	Victoria	L8	L10	D13	W12	L5	1 1/2
18. Greg LAM	1830	Vancouver	L1	L15	LF	L13	L12	0

"B" CLASS

19. Paul LEBLANC	None	Victoria	Bye	W23	W21	W20	W22	4 1/2
20. Earl KONG	1701	Vancouver	W28	W22	W26	L19	W23	4
21. Robert MCCOY	1696	Victoria	D25	W27	L19	W30	W26	3 1/2
22. Roger HARPER	1719	Victoria	W27	L20	W31	W26	L19	3
23. William MILLER	1733	Campbell R	D30	L19	W25	W24	L20	2 1/2
24. Mike WESTBROOK	1708	Kamloops	L31	Bye	W28	L23	W25	2 1/2
25. Robert SCHOFIELD	1769	Brentwood	D21	D30	L23	W31	L24	2
26. David CAVETT	1713	Victoria	W29	W31	L20	L22	L21	2
27. Richard REANEY	1594	Kamloops	L22	L21	L11	W28	L30	2
28. Karl HAMMERSCHMIDT	None	Comox	L20	W29	L24	L27	W31	2
29. Gene Bo NATT-O-DAGG	1490	Bellingham	L26	L28	W30	Bye	LF	1 1/2
30. John O'NEILL	1628	Victoria	D23	D25	L29	L21	L27	1
31. Brian BURGER	None	Victoria	W24	L26	L22	L25	L28	1

"C" CLASS

32. Amund GRONER	None	Kamloops	L33	W48	W35	W36	W37	4
33. Peter FISCHER	1507	Victoria	W32	W38	L37	W39	W34	4
34. Allan JOHNSON	1570	Victoria	W46	W42	L43	W37	L33	3
35. Peter MCNELLY	1546	Victoria	W50	L39	L32	W40	W38	3
36. Dennis WEIZEL	1424	Victoria	W49	W51	L44	L32	WF	3
37. Bill SHORDEE	None	New West	W39	W50	W33	L34	L32	3
38. Brian COPEMAN	1415	Nanaimo	L47	L33	W51	WF	L35	2
39. Ian PARSON	1410	Victoria	L37	W35	WF	L33	LF	2
40. Walter RUTECK	1368	Kamloops	L44	L43	W42	L35	WF	2
41. William FINN	None	Vancouver	W42	-----Withdrew-----				1
42. Michelle SCHOFIELD	1457	Brentwood	L41	L34	L40	L50	L51	0

"D" CLASS

43. Gordon CAMPBELL	1372	Victoria	W45	W40	W34	D44	W46	4 1/2
44. Barry WILSON	None	Victoria	W40	W49	W36	D43	W48	4 1/2
45. Lynn STRINGER	1334	Victoria	L43	WF	W47	L48	W49	3
46. Jack BELL	None	Victoria	L34	W47	W48	W51	L43	3
47. Bob PALM	None	Victoria	W38	L46	W45	W49	W50	3
48. Bruce SINCLAIR	None	Victoria	W51	L32	L46	W45	L44	2
49. Brian LONGWORTH	None	Victoria	L36	L44	W50	L47	L45	1
50. Barry CHALMERS	None	Victoria	L35	L37	L49	W42	L47	1
51. Bob DOBBS	1383	Victoria	L48	L36	L38	L46	W42	1

JUNIORS CLASS - 14 & under..

1. Calvin CHOW	1593	Victoria	W10	W13	D7	W2	W5	4 1/2
2. Jeff REEVE	1678	Victoria	W9	W17	W3	L1	W7	4
3. Tony LAVALLEE	1538	Sicamous	W6	W8	L2	W17	W9	4
4. Barry HUYBENS	1481	Victoria	L14	W10	W16	D7	W8	3 1/2
5. Leonard MOLDEN	1534	Victoria	W18	D7	W17	W11	L1	3 1/2
6. Sheila NEEDS	1205	Victoria	L3	L9	W13	W15	W11	3
7. Garry HAMILTON	1681	Victoria	W12	D5	D1	D4	L2	2 1/2
8. Andy PRUIM	1542	Victoria	W16	L3	W15	D9	L4	2 1/2
9. Aaron DOYLE	1424	Victoria	L2	W6	W14	D8	L3	2 1/2
10. Gail STRINGER	1371	Victoria	L1	L4	W18	D16	W14	2 1/2
11. Donald NGAI	1550	Victoria	L15	W14	W12	L5	L6	2
12. Robin SCHOFIELD	1402	Brentwood	L7	W18	L11	L14	W17	2
13. Terry MACKAY	1886	Victoria	L17	L1	L6	WF	W16	2
14. Bill CAMDEN	None	Victoria	W4	L11	L9	W12	L10	2
15. Tom CHANG	1294	Victoria	W11	L16	L8	L6	WF	2
16. Mitchell IMPEY	1290	Victoria	L8	W15	L4	D10	L13	1 1/2
17. Tony ADLKIRCHNER	1437	Victoria	W13	L2	L5	L3	L12	1
18. Joanne BOGART	1077	Victoria	L5	L12	L10	Withdrew	0	0

The following is a letter received by your B.C. Section Editor from Jim McNeel, President of W.B.C.C. and BCCF representative for New Westminster. I feel that the intent and content of this letter are so important to B.C. chess-players (especially Coastal) that I should take the liberty of printing it here.

The letter is intended to be informational, not contentious. If, however, the President of the BCCF feels that a reply or clarification is required, he is invited to send that reply or clarification to me for publication in the June issue of NWC. *A.J.W.*

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COMPETITION OR COMPLEMENT?

Last fall, a new chess organization was formed in the Lower Mainland known as Western British Columbia Chess. Originally, it was formed over a disagreement with the aims of the BCCF, but today, most of the disagreements have been settled. Instead, new aims, different from those of the BCCF, have given WBCC new life.

Our main aim is to promote tournament play for the new and average player. We felt that the majority of players were not chess geniuses like Suttles, Blyasas, and Zuk, but were B, C, and D Class players.

Most of them play for the fun of it. They aren't often attracted to tournament play due to high entry fees, little chance of winning, and the seriousness of play. The BCCF tournaments tended to attract top players due to money-making opportunities. Nowhere was this more true than in the Lower Mainland. The WBCC decided to create an organization for the average woodpusher, with tournaments designed strictly for them. It was a success from the start, and we are gaining an average of 30 members a month.

We have less costs, so we can charge only \$2.00 for Adults and \$1.00 for Seniors and Juniors per year. Our tournament entry fees range from free to a maximum of \$3.00. We have our own rating system and we can rate any type of tournament we like. It is the freedom of being a separate organization that allows this range. One-day tournaments have been a great success.

The WBCC has been able to fill in gaps that the BCCF cannot or will not. If the BCCF opts to support a CBC magazine in favour of NWC, the WBCC can possibly keep alive the close co-operation between Washington, Oregon, and British Columbia. Definitely, the WBCC and BCCF should not be bickering. Two strong organizations can only mean better chess play in B.C.

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CHILLIWACK CHESS CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP.

Ken Freed, of the Chilliwack C.C., tells us that the Club has completed the seventh round of its II-man round-robin tournament.

The present standings are:-

- 1. Ken Freed 7-0
- 2. Nick Remple 5½-1½
- 3-4 B. Good and G. Culbert 5-2

The following game was played in the sixth round of the Club Championship. WHITE-N. Remple BLACK-K. Freed

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|----------|-------|----------|--------|------------|--------|----------------------------|--------|
| 1. P-Q4 | N-KB3 | 8. P-KR3 | QN-Q2 | 15. P-KN4? | N-R4 | 22. K-K2 | N-B5ch |
| 2. P-QB4 | P-Kn3 | 9. O-O | P-K3 | 16. K-R2 | B-B3 | 23. K-QJ | QXP |
| 3. N-QB3 | B-N2 | 10. B-N5 | P-KR3 | 17. P-B3 | BxRP | 24. B-B1 | Q-R7 |
| 4. P-K4 | P-Q3 | 11. B-R4 | P-KN4 | 18. BxP | QxBch | 25. N-K2 | P-N7 |
| 5. N-B3 | O-O | 12. B-N3 | P-K4 | 19. K-N1 | P-N6 | 26. BxP | NxB |
| 6. B-Q3 | P-B4 | 13. N-Q2 | N-N3 | 20. R-K1 | Q-R7ch | 27. R-KN1 | QxKch |
| 7. P-Q5 | P-QR3 | 14. Q-R2 | P-N5!? | 21. K-B1 | Q-R8ch | and White resigned on #46. | |

Interior News

Games from the Salmon Arm Open.

- WHITE-M. Westbrook
- BLACK-D. Reaney
- 1. P-K4 P-K4
- 2. P-KB4 PXP
- 3. N-KB3 N-K2
- 4. P-Q4 N-N3
- 5. B-B4 P-QB3
- 6. O-O B-K2
- 7. N-B3 O-O
- 8. Q-Q3 P-N4
- 9. B-N3 B-N2
- 10. N-K2 N-R3
- 11. NxP NxN
- 12. BxN P-Q4?
- 13. P-K5! N-B2
- 14. P-B3 N-K3
- 15. B-B2 P-N3
- 16. B-R6 R-K1
- 17. N-K1! B-N4
- 18. Q-R3 BxB
- 19. QxB N-N4
- 20. R-B4

also good is R-B6 and BxP
20. P-B3?
21. BxP! PXP
22. R-B7!! NxR
23. QxPch RESIGNS.

ADULT section

- WHITE-Larry George
- BLACK-R. Chisholm
- 1. P-K4 P-K4
- 2. N-KB3 P-Q3
- 3. B-B4 B-KN5
- 4. P-Q3 N-KB3
- 5. B-KN5 P-KR3
- 6. B-R4 B-K2
- 7. P-KR3 BxN
- 8. QxB O-O
- 9. N-B3 N(3)-Q29
- 10. BxB QxB
- 11. N-Q5 O-O
- 12. O-O-O P-QB3
- 13. N-QB3 P-QN4
- 14. B-N3 N-QB4
- 15. K-N1 NxN
- 16. BPxN P-N5
- 17. N-K2 P-QB4
- 18. Q-N4 Q-N4
- 19. QxQ PxQ
- 20. P-N3 N-B3
- 21. P-KR4 PXP
- 22. RxB P-B3
- 23. QR-Q1 K-B2
- 24. P-N4 P-N4
- 25. R-R7ch K-K3
- 26. K-N3 N-K2
- 27. N-R5 R-N1
- 28. N-N7ch K-B2?
- 29. N-B5ch K-K3??
- 30. RxNMATE!

WHITE-J. Bruce

- BLACK-K. McKeel
- 1. P-K4 P-K4
- 2. N-KB3 N-QR3
- 3. B-N5 P-R3
- 4. P-QR3 P-QR3
- 5. B-R4 B-B4
- 6. P-Q3 KN-K2
- 7. B-KN5 Q-K3
- 8. P-B3 P-R3
- 9. B-R4 P-Q3
- 10. Q-K2 Q-N5
- 11. O-O? P-KN4
- 12. P-R3? Q-B5
- 13. B-N3 QxB
- 14. P-Q4 Q-B5
- 15. PxB PXP
- 16. QN-Q2 P-N5
- 17. PXP BxP
- 18. Q-Q3? R-Q1
- 19. Q-B2 KR-N1
- 20. P-KN3? BxN
- 21. K-R2 QxN
- 22. QR-K1 QxQ
- 23. BxQ QR-N3
- 24. R-K3 B-B3
- 25. B-Q3 RxB1
- 26. RxB R-K7
- 27. KR-Q1 BxR(I)
- 28. RxB P-B3

and Black won in a few more moves

Games from the Salmon Arm Open

- WHITE-G. Hack
- BLACK-T. Lavallee
- 1. P-K4 P-QB4
- 2. N-QB3 N-QB3
- 3. N-B3 P-Q3
- 4. R-B4 P-K4
- 5. P-Q3 B-K2
- 6. N-Q5 N-B3
- 7. P-QB3 P-QR3
- 8. B-K3 P-QN4
- 9. NxNch BxN
- 10. B-Q5 Q-B2
- 11. N-N5 BxN
- 12. BxB O-O
- 13. O-O B-K3
- 14. P-QB4 BxB
- 15. KPxB N-Q5
- 16. Q-N4 P-KB3
- 17. B-K3 P-KB4
- 18. Q-R4 N-K7ch
- 19. K-R1 P-B5
- 20. QR-K1 PXP
- 21. PXP N-Q5
- 22. BxN BPxB
- 23. P-QN3 P-QR4
- 24. P-R4 QR-N1
- 25. R-QN1 Q-KB2
- 26. P-KB3 Q-B4
- 27. Q-N4 QxQ
- 28. PxQ P-K5
- 29. QR-N2? P-K6

WHITE-G. Hack

- BLACK-T. Lavallee
- 30. R-Q1 KR-K1
- 31. P-R3 P-KN4
- 32. R-K2 RXP
- 33. RxQP R-N8ch
- 34. K-R2 R-N5
- 35. P-R4 P-R3
- 36. P-R5 RXP
- 37. K-N1 R-R8ch
- 38. K-R2 R-R5
- 39. K-N1 R-N5
- 40. K-B1 R-KB1
- 41. R-Q3 RXP
- 42. R-R2 R(I)-QB1?
- 43. P-N3? R-KB1
- 44. K-N2 P-B6ch
- 45. K-R2 P-B7
- 46. RESIGNS

JUNIOR section

- A good game from a young lady in elementary school.
- WHITE-Sherry Pritchard
- BLACK-Kenny Davidson
- 1. P-K4 P-K4
- 2. N-KB3 N-KB3
- 3. NxP NxP
- 4. Q-K2 Q-R5
- 5. P-KV3 Q-B3
- 6. QxN B-B4
- 7. P-Q4 P-Q3
- 8. P-KB4 B-B4
- 9. Q-K3 N-QN3
- 10. PxB PXP
- 11. N-N4ch Q-K2
- 12. QxQch KxQ
- 13. N-K3 B-K3
- 14. BxN PxB
- 15. N-QB3 QR-Q1
- 16. O-O QB-R6
- 17. R-Q1 RxR
- 18. N(K)xR R-Q1
- 19. B-K3 R-Q3?
- 20. BxP K-K3
- 21. BxR KxB
- 22. N-K3 RESIGNS

The quick-knock-out of the tournament.
WHITE-B. Kury
BLACK-L. Gooden
1. P-K4 P-K4
2. Q-KB3 N-KB3
3. B-B4 P-QN3
4. P-KN4 B-N5?
5. P-N5 N-N1??
6. QxP MATE

Senior Section

NAME	CITY	RATING	1	2	3	4	5	TOTAL	T.B.	PRIZE
J. George Riddell	Kelowna	I738	W12	W4	W11	W7	W3	5		\$10 +trophy
2. Alex Wood	Kelowna	2052	W14	W8	D3	W4	W5	4	1	\$8 2nd
3. Mike Westbrook	Kamloops	I708	W19	W10	D2	W6	LI	3	1	\$6 best B
4. Larry George	Salmon Arm	I557	W17	LI	W15	L2	W18	3	14	\$2 tied best C
5. Bill Purtell	Salmon Arm	UNR	L6	W18	W9	W11	L2	3	14	\$6 best UNR
6. Richard Reaney	Kamloops	I594	W5	L7	W13	L3	W12	3	13	\$2 tied best C
7. A.L. Knodel	Kamloops	I930	W18	W6	W19	LI	L10	3	13	7
8. Paul Sperlich	Salmon Arm	I660	W15	L2	W17	L9	W11	3	13	
9. Don Sukkau	Kelowna	I677	W13	L11	L5	W8	W14	3	12	
10. Keith Winter	Kelowna	I566	W20	L3	L12	W13	W7	3	10	\$2 tied best C
11. Hans Vullings	Vernon	I260	W16	W9	LI	L5	L8	2	16	\$1
12. Harry Dodds	Salmon Arm	UNR	LI	L17	W10	W15	L6	2	14	\$1 tied
13. Henry Kubillus	Salmon Arm	UNR	L9	W16	L6	L10	W17	2	12	\$1 runners-up
14. Jim Bruce	Salmon Arm	UNR	L2	L15	W16	W19	L9	2	12	\$1 in division
15. Ken McKee	Salmon Arm	UNR	L8	W14	L4	L12	W20	2	10	\$1 with most
16. Dale Townsend	Salmon Arm	UNR	L11	L13	L14	W20	W19	2	7	\$1 entries
17. E.P. Robinson	Salmon Arm	UNR	L4	W12	L8	D18	L13	1	11	
18. Robert Chisholm	Salmon Arm	UNR	L7	L5	W20	D4	L17	1	10	
19. Roger Hayes	Salmon Arm	UNR	L3	W20	L7	L14	L16	1		
20. Larry Toeboesch	Salmon Arm	UNR	L10	L19	L18	L16	L15	0		

Junior Section

NAME	CITY	RATING	1	2	3	4	5	6	TOTAL	T.B.
1. Ray Schulte	Enderby	UNR	W34	W5	W22	W3	D2	W4	5	16
2. Norman Cook	Kelowna	I622	W41	W12	W8	W10	D1	D6	5	16
3. Tony Lavallee	Sicamous	I463	W21	W14	W13	LI	W8	W9	5	16
4. Mike Kennedy	Kamloops	UNR	W36	W7	W32	W18	W17	LI	5	13
5. Brian Cawley	Salmon Arm	UNR	W9	LI	W11	D19	W15	W16	4	15
6. David Cawley	Salmon Arm	UNR	W35	W19	L18	W22	W10	D2	4	13
7. Bill Fleming	O.K. Mission	I297	W37	L4	W33	W13	D16	W17	4	13
8. Gary Hack	Kelowna	796	W43	W11	L2	W28	L3	W23	4	15
9. Sherry Pritchard	Sicamous	UNR	L5	W34	W12	W27	W18	L3	4	14
10. Bruce Schuck	Kelowna	I018	W31	W23	W20	L2	L6	W21	4	13
11. Bruce McFarlane	Salmon Arm	UNR	W25	L8	L5	W34	W27	W22	4	13
12. Don Ennis	Salmon Arm	UNR	W24	L2	L9	W30	W19	W33	4	12
13. Peter Cook	Kamloops	UNR	W44	W37	L3	L7	W35	W20	4	11
14. Chris Fulker	Rutland	UNR	W38	L3	D19	D20	W32	W18	4	11
15. Mark Aitken	Salmon Arm	UNR	W40	L32	W23	W21	L5	W24	4	11
16. Janice Munro	Sicamous	UNR	L17	W29	W26	W25	D7	L5	3	14
17. David Burt	Chase	UNR	W16	D20	W41	W32	L4	L7	3	13
18. Robert Goss	Rutland	I495	W33	W26	W6	L4	L9	L14	3	15
19. Brad Whittle	Kelowna	UNR	W28	L6	D14	D5	L12	W34	3	15
20. William Svisdahl	Sicamous	UNR	W45	D17	L10	D14	W26	L13	3	14
21. David Grutzmacher	Sicamous	UNR	L3	W38	W36	L15	W25	L10	3	13
22. Bill Kury	Vernon	I091	W42	W30	LI	L6	W33	L11	3	13
23. Paul Molnar	Kamloops	UNR	W46	L10	L15	W36	W28	L8	3	13
24. Gus Sjodin	Sicamous	UNR	L12	L33	W37	W42	W29	L15	3	11
25. Michael Babij	Falkland	UNR	L11	W42	W30	L16	L21	W40	3	11
26. Arthur Den Dulk	Chase	UNR	W39	L18	L16	W31	L20	W35	3	10
27. Otto Bauer	Salmon Arm	UNR	L30	W43	W40	L9	L11	W39	3	10
28. Brett Giles	Salmon Arm	UNR	L19	W39	W35	L8	L23	W32	3	10
29. Kathy Davidson	Sicamous	UNR	L32	L16	W43	W40	L24	W38	3	9
30. Perry Munoz	Kelowna	UNR	W27	L22	L25	L12	D31	W12	2	11
31. Gerald Lemay	Salmon Arm	UNR	L10	L36	W46	L26	D30	W44	2	7
32. Warren Schalm	Salmon Arm	UNR	W29	W15	L4	L17	L14	L28	2	14
33. Laurie Gooden	Salmon Arm	UNR	L18	W24	L7	W39	L22	L12	2	13
34. Kenny Davidson	Sicamous	UNR	L1	L9	W44	L11	W43	L19	2	18
35. Reni Proznick	Salmon Arm	UNR	L6	W45	L28	W41	L13	L26	2	12
36. Richard Dawson	Kelowna	I096	L4	W31	L21	L23	L39	BYE	2	10
37. David Hill	Falkland	UNR	L7	L13	L24	L38	W44	W45	2	10
38. Michael Tremblay	Sicamous	UNR	L14	L21	L42	W37	W41	L29	2	10
39. Mike Sekela	Kelowna	UNR	L26	L28	W45	L33	W36	L27	2	10
40. James Lumley	Sicamous	UNR	L15	W46	L27	L29	W42	L25	2	10
41. Kevin Gooden	Salmon Arm	UNR	L2	W44	L17	L35	L38	W43	2	8
42. Ricky Kuhl	Salmon Arm	UNR	L22	L25	W38	L24	L40	L30	1	10
43. Ronnie Loudoun	Salmon Arm	UNR	L8	L27	L29	W46	L34	L41	1	10
44. Michael Sallenbach	Salmon Arm	UNR	L13	L41	L34	W45	L37	L31	1	8
45. Brent Farrell	Salmon Arm	UNR	L20	L35	L39	L44	W46	FL37	1	7
46. Shayne Barker	Chase	UNR	L23	L40	L31	L43	L45	FL36	0	

To encourage interest, and to raise a small amount of money for the Salmon Arm Club, Expert Alex Wood gave a simultaneous performance for 18 juniors, losing two games (to Peter Cook and Robert Goss).

Mr. Wood's most dramatic simultaneous win follows: WHITE-A. Wood BLACK-B. Giles
 1. P-K4 P-K4 8. R-Nch N-K2 15. B-R6ch K-N1
 2. N-KB3 N-QB3 9. NXP P-QB4 16. R-N4ch N-N3
 3. B-N5 P-QR3 10. N-B5 P-R5 17. R-Nch K-B2
 4. B-R4 N-B3 11. P-QB3 B-B4 18. R-N7ch K-K3
 5. O-O NXP 12. B-KN5 P-R3 19. Q-B7ch K-K4
 6. P-Q4 PXP 13. N-NPch K-R2 20. N-R3 K-Q3
 7. R-KI B-N5? 14. Q-R5ch KxN 21. B-B4 MATE

The newly formed Salmon Arm Club broke two Interior Chess records on the weekend of March 24-25: not only did it hold the only invitational tournament in a city other than Kelowna (!), but it also held the largest Interior tournament on record, with 66 entrants. It brought 10 new adult BCCF memberships, and 34 junior BCCF memberships.

Tournament -Director Dave Gooden, with assistance in publicity and pairings from the Kelowna Chess Club, did a fine job, especially for his first!

The Tournament was held in the spacious library of Shuswap Junior High School. Provision was made for those staying overnight (the gym was used as a sleeping area, the players bringing their own sleeping bags and air-mattresses).

In the Adult section, interest grew as the Fourth round began. Al Knodel, White against George Riddell, had a chance at first place if he won. He would then be playing Alex Wood (due to colour alternation) in the last round. If George won, however he would have the chances, and would be White in the fifth against Mike Westbrook (once again, due to the colours). In all events, George did win, so he had to play Mike (rather than Alex, with the same score). The interest was not over, though, because the outcome of the Riddell-Westbrook game would affect the standing of A. Wood, who beat Bill Purtell in the last round. Were Mike to win, he and Alex would be tied first; if Mike drew, George and Alex would be tied first. He lost, and Alex took clear second. In the final standings, the tie-break method used was first the Solkoff, then the Median. All three major cities sending players were represented in the top quarter of the table.

In the vast Junior section, a sixth round was needed (and judging by tie-breaking, perhaps a seventh would have been in order had time permitted). The tie-breaking here was first the Median, then the Solkoff, and if necessary, the Sonnenborn-Berger. Prizes in the Junior section were as follows:-

- GRADE VIII to 18 YEARS OLD
- 1st. Ray Schulte \$3 and trophy
- 2nd through to 4th. (tied)
- Norm Cook
- Mike Kennedy \$2 each
- Tony Lavallee
- 5th. David Cawley \$1.75
- Brian Cawley \$1.75
- GRADE VII AND UNDER
- 1st. Bill Fleming \$1.25 and Trophy
- 2nd and 3rd (tied) \$1 each
- Sherry Pritchard
- Chris Fulker

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1. Peter Biyiasas	Vancouver BC	2418	W18	W9	W8	W4	W3	5 - 0	\$180
2. James Bricher	Cottage Grove	2018	W33	W15	D5	W24	WF23	4½- ½	\$80
3. Clark R. Harmon	Milwaukie	2261	W20	W21	W16	W11	L1	4 - 1	\$5
4. Don Grisham	Portland	2080	W24	W26	W17	L1	W14	4 - 1	\$5
5. Byron Perala	Portland	2122	W34	W19	D2	D14	W21	4 - 1	\$5
6. Joe Brandenburg	Eugene	2102	L17	W54	W15	W28	W18	4 - 1	\$5
7. William Kiplinger	Portland	2112	L15	W60	W44	W22	W19	4 - 1	\$5
8. Pat Herbers	Portland	2007	W65	W57	L1	W32	W17	4 - 1	\$5
9. Alan Dvorshak	Portland	1960	W72	L1	W25	W51	W29	4 - 1	\$35
10. John E. Pintar	Eugene	2028	W44	L16	W33	W43	W20	4 - 1	\$5
11. Michael A. Schemm	Portland	2103	W27	D14	W12	L3	W39	3½-1½	
12. James T. Hanlen	Spokane	1864	W23	D13	L11	W62	W45	3½-1½	\$30
13. Dave Rupe	Seattle	2020	W25	D12	L14	W40	W35	3½-1½	
14. Bill Heywood	Portland	1911	W63	D11	W13	D5	L	3 - 2	
15. Wayne Matsen	Portland	1817	W7	L2	L6	W53	W51	3 - 2	
16. Don Lyon	Eugene	1904	W30	W10	L3	D35	D31	3 - 2	
17. Tom A. Kuge	Portland	1789	W6	W45	L4	W46	L8	3 - 2	\$10
18. Ronald E. Merrill	Eugene	1883	L1	W37	W35	W50	L6	3 - 2	
19. Phil Irwin	Beaverton	1944	W22	L5	W48	W47	L7	3 - 2	
20. Bruce J. Betzer	Milwaukie	1862	L3	W51	W29	W48	L10	3 - 2	
21. Ron Cotton	Portland	1929	W64	L3	W30	W52	L5	3 - 2	
22. Brent Youlden	Yakima	1668	L19	W38	W26	L7	W50	3 - 2	\$10
23. Dennis Waterman	Portland	2288	L12	W32	W27	W37	LF2	3 - 2	
24. Gregory B. Krimer	Portland	1785	L4	W52	W45	L2	W48	3 - 2	\$10
25. William T. Ballard	Portland	1770	L13	W36	L9	W61	W52	3 - 2	\$10
26. Steve Thomas	Kent	1898	W31	L4	L22	W66	W43	3 - 2	
27. Gary Bricher	Cottage Grove	1801	L11	W43	L23	W67	W56	3 - 2	
28. David G. Fosbury	Portland	1566	W49	L34	W38	L6	W63	3 - 2	\$15
29. Russell Wadleigh	The Dalles	UNR	W68	W64	L20	W34	L9	3 - 2	\$15
30. Lloyd Simons	Corvallis	1647	L30	W67	L21	W49	W47	3 - 2	\$10
31. Gerard Moshofsky	Portland	1636	L26	D62	W40	W68	D16	3 - 2	\$10
32. Roger Kaza	Beaverton	1569	W66	L23	W69	L8	W46	3 - 2	\$15
33. John McCall	Renton	1765	L2	W53	L10	W59	D42	2½-2½	
34. Roger Bricher	Cottage Grove	1853	L5	W28	W46	L29	D37	2½-2½	
35. Mark Mackenzie	Portland	1363	W61	W55	L18	D16	L13	2½-2½	\$10
36. Bob Jacobson	Spokane	1435	W41	L25	D65	L39	W64	2½-2½	\$15
37. Mike Farey	Portland	1558	W37	L18	W66	L23	D34	2½-2½	
38. William Hamill	Corvallis	UNR	W56	L22	L28	D63	W62	2½-2½	
39. Gary L. Waters	Eugene	1443	W73	L44	D55	W36	L11	2½-2½	\$15
40. Jeff Wilson	Portland	1397	W70	D72	L31	L13	W65	2½-2½	\$10
41. Everett W. Littelli	Portland	UNR	L36	W76	L43	W54	W57	3 - 2	\$15
42. Richard G. Neve	Portland	1378	L46	L47	W73	W44	D33	2½-2½	\$10
43. Matthew L. Montchalin	Portland	1538	W50	D27	W41	L10	L26	2 - 3	
44. Greg Anderson	Troutdale	1771	L10	W39	L7	L42	W69	2 - 3	
45. David Andreotti	Yakima	1971	W55	L17	L24	W58	L12	2 - 3	
46. James T. Rollandf	Portland	UNR	W42	W63	L34	L17	L32	2 - 3	
47. Larrey E. Hale	Portland	UNR	L53	W42	W68	L19	L30	2 - 3	
48. Pete Mieh	Corvallis	1425	W71	W65	L19	L20	L24	2 - 3	
49. Vern W. Johnson Jr.	Spokane	1319	L28	W61	L60	L30	W68	2 - 3	
50. Randy Lam	Stilverton	898	L43	W56	W54	L18	L22	2 - 3	\$30
51. Michael Groves	W. Linn	1499	W75	L20	W67	L9	L15	2 - 3	
52. Bob Ankeney	Portland	1473	W69	L24	W70	L21	L25	2 - 3	
53. Joe Zepeda	Yakima	1424	W47	L33	L63	L15	W67	2 - 3	
54. Mike Andreotti	Yakima	1569	W74	L6	L50	L41	W70	2 - 3	
55. Vincent C. Bricher	Cottage Grove	1708	L45	L35	D39	D64	W71	2 - 3	
56. David Wong	Portland	1478	L38	L50	W71	W70	L27	2 - 3	
57. Edwin J. Peterson	Portland	1574	W76	L8	LF	W69	L41	2 - 3	
58. Cynthia McBride	Portland	1430	L67	W73	L64	L45	W66	2 - 3	
59. Richard S. Doolin	Salem	1339	L60	L69	W75	L33	W73	2 - 3	
60. Doug Grisham	Portland	1592	W59	L7	W49	LF	LF	2 - 3	
61. Bev Hamill	Corvallis	UNR	L35	L49	BYE	L25	W74	2 - 3	
62. Benjamin P. Graham	Salem	1142	L37	D31	W74	L12	L38	1½-3½	
63. John R. Wolf	Portland	1650	L14	L46	W53	D38	L28	1½-3½	
64. L.W. Short	Portland	1661	L21	L29	W58	D55	L36	1½-3½	
65. Phillip Margolin	Portland	1743	L8	L48	D38	W74	L40	1½-3½	
66. Mrs. Elberta N. Denison	Troutdale	1289	L32	W71	L37	L26	L58	1 - 4	
67. Scott Mayer	Portland	UNR	W58	L30	L51	L27	L53	1 - 4	
68. Donald Austin	Portland	1473	L29	W75	L47	L31	L49	1 - 4	
69. Mike Hortsch	Portland	UNR	L52	W59	L32	L57	L44	1 - 4	
70. Brad Anderson	Salem	UNR	L40	W74	L52	L56	L54	1 - 4	
71. Mike McCoy	Vancouver WA	UNR	L48	L66	L56	W73	L55	1 - 4	
72. Wayne T. Jackson	Corvallis	1726	L9	D40	LF	LF	LF	½-4½	
73. Cliff Johnson	Spokane	UNR	L39	L58	L42	L71	L59	0 - 5	
74. Doug Johnson	Spokane	1240	L54	L70	L62	L65	L61	0 - 5	
75. Tod Archer	Beaverton	890	L51	L68	L59	LF	LF	0 - 5	
76. Gene Hale	Portland	1331	L57	L41	LF	LF	LF	0 - 5	

International Master Peter Biyiasas went through 1973 Portland Spring Open Chess Tournament unmarked. This was his second victory in two weeks (see elsewhere in this issue to see if he made it three) and also second victory over Clark Harmon in two weeks and with Black pieces this time.

As stated in April NWC, accelerated pairings were used to give Biyiasas the highest rated players possible. I do not like springing things on players that they do not know in advance about, but there was notice in April issue that this would happen. I do like the results of accelerated pairings and most of the players like the results also. You will note that three top rated players lost in the first round, Brandenburg, Kiplinger, and Waterman. Maybe they were thinking as in a normal first round swiss event that the player across the board was going to be an easy mark. Some were afraid that accelerated pairings as explained in Official Chess Handbook were being used where you really have two different tournaments for a couple of rounds by not pairing any of the top half against the bottom half until round 3. But that is not the case with the way I paired this event. (See elsewhere in this issue for full story on these new pairings.)

76 players was a good turnout but the sponsor only netted \$11.00 after expenses. The event was helped some by the publicity given it by J.K. Gill as the event qualified the top six to play in J.K. Gill Portland Closed May 5-6. Several of the unrated players listed are not really unrated for they played in their first Northwest event just in late or mid March so don't have a printed rating yet, Wadleigh, Hamill.

The event was held in Heathman Hotel instead of Park Haviland, they are right across the street. Lighting was better but the room more stuffy and the Ironworkers cocktail party across the small hall got nosy near the end. We will be back in Park Haviland for May 26-28 hope to see 150 of you then. R.W. Miller

1973 Portland Spring		24 NN3	PKN4
White: Clark Harmon		25 PN5	NB4
Black: PETER BIYIASAS		26 RB2	RB
1 PQB4	PKN3	27 NR5	QB2
2 NQB3	BN2	28 QQ2	RB2
3 PQ4	PQ3	29 RN	R1KB
4 NB3	BN5	30 PN6	PxNP
5 PK3	NKR3	31 PxNP	QN
6 BK2	OO	32 BN4	PxP
7 QN3	QB1	33 PxP	NxKP
8 BQ2	PQB3	34 NN3	NxR
9 RQB1	NR3	35 BxR	RxB1
10 PKR3	BQ2	36 QxN	NxP
11 NK4	NB2	37 QQ2	QN6
12 PQR4	PB3	38 NxN	BK4
13 PB5+	PQ4	39 N4B3	PxN
14 BB3	NB2	40 N-N4	BxN
15 N4Q2	BB4	41 QxP+	KR1
16 NR4	BQ2	42 Resigns	
17 N4B3	RK		
18 OO	PK4		
19 KRK	NK3		
20 BB	PK5		
21 NR2	PB4		
22 QQ	PB5		
23 PQN4	NR3		

At 10:08am on Saturday April 21, 1973, Senior Chess Master Jude F. Acers of San Francisco made his first move on board 1 of a 117 board simultaneous, a World Record for number of players played all at the same time. It was 13 hours and 41 minutes later when he shook hands with the last player to resign. Acers played the exhibition without a break but did down 25 cups of coffee and 1 peanut butter sandwich.

The score at end of play was Acers 98½ opponents 18½, breaking down to 93 wins, 11 draws and 13 loses. The record event was held at Lloyd Center in Portland Oregon and all the opponents were from the Portland area. The Lloyd Center had 140 players signup, hoping for 120 players to take part but some no shows and some arriving late did not allow this.

Event drew TV cameramen from all three Portland area stations. KOIN TV sent newsman Arnie Mason to play Mr. Acers.

Players ranged in age from about 10 years old to 60 including two women, Cynthia McBride and Ruth Stromquist. Miss Stromquist was the next to last player to finish and drew her game in an ending that she should have won. Other players who drew were Portland residents: Tony Miller, Mel Peterson, Bob Slayton, Paul Austin, Gerald Reiner, Don Nash plus high school students Dale Schwartzhauer of Grant High, Jim Allen of Rex Putman Dav Wong of Cleveland High and Andrew Hodge of Benson High.

The players who won were: Mike Calcagno of San Barlo High in Gresham (He won in 21 moves when Acers overlooked a one move mate on King Rook Two), Richard Wood of Lincoln High and Mitchell Groh of Roosevelt High were the young players plus adults Bob Malone, Arvin Dangerud, Mike Shank, Mert Bong, William Ballard, Chuck Cummings, Gary Webb, John Wolf, and Steve Radosevich. At end of ten hours play 53 games were still in progress, at 11 hour mark 46 games, at 12 hours 34 games and 13 hours 19 games.

The rules of the exhibition were that players could have either White or Black, move instantly when Mr. Acers arrived at their board, the masters move on a board was not complete until he had made a move on the next board. International Master Arthur Dake of Portland dropped by the exhibition and was heard to remark "An exhibition of this type is very good for chess." He wished Mr. Acers good luck when they shook hands. This was the first time the two had ever meet but Acers had played over a number of Dake's games. Oregon Chess Champion Clark Harmon came by to watch.

The event was held in the open area of the Lloyd Center North Mall and drew lots of spectators. One could tell just where the master was by looking for the largest crowd of onlookers. It got dark about 7:00pm and the lighting was not the best from then on. The rain gods held off until the event was over but it was rather on the cool side for last couple of hours.

Bob Slayton of Lloyd Center Corp did a lot of work to setup and promote the exhibition. He also played and was one of the last ones to finish.

Russell and Kathy Miller were the monitors of the exhibition and felt after the almost 14 hours that they had spent as much time on their feet as Mr. Acers in addition to getting sunburned faces. Theirs was an easy job as there was 100% cooperation from the players. There was much discussion about Mr. Acers ability to continue play without any break. He never refused any coffee. The final game to finish went 40 moves about. When it was over Mr. Acers remarked that he was ready for 200 boards next time.

The Dalles Open was sponsored by The Dalles Chess Club, they brought the trophies and American Chess Service who supplied the director. The club has about 30 members but most did not take part in the tournament. Those who did had a good time and will be better players for it. Comments on a couple of the players, Loren Delaney is older brother of Darrell, several years ago an active player in Portland area. Tim McClure is son of Al who about 12 years ago played tournament and postal chess. Tim and

117 Board Exhibition
Portland, OR 4/21/73
White: Peter Zenthoefler
BLACK: JUDE ACERS

- 1 PQ4 NKB3
- 2 BKB4 PQB4
- 3 BxN RxB
- 4 NKB3 PxP
- 5 NxP PQ4
- 6 NQB3 PK4
- 7 NKB3 PQ5
- 8 NQN KBK2
- 9 NQ2 PK5
- 10 NK5 QQ4
- 11 PB4 PK6
- 12 NQN NK5
- 13 RKN O-0
- 14 PQB3 BQB4
- 15 PQR3 NKB7
- 16 QQB BKB4
- 17 PKN4 BK5
- 18 PQB4 QQ1
- 19 BKN2 QKR5
- 20 NKB3 NQ6 Dbl+
- 21 KQ QK8+
- 22 RxQ NKB7 ++

1973 Portland Spring Open
White: PETER BIYISAS
Black: Alan Dvorshak

- 1. NKB3 PKN3
- 2. PK4 BN2
- 3. PQ4 PQ3
- 4. NB3 NQB3
- 5. PQ5 NK4
- 6. NxN PxN
- 7. BK3 PQR3
- 8. BK2 NB3
- 9. QQ2 NN5
- 10. BxN BxB
- 11. BR6 BB3
- 12. O-0 QQ3
- 13. PB4 O00
- 14. PB5 PxP
- 15. PxP PK5
- 16. B-B4 Q-B4ch
- 17. BK3 BxN
- 18. PxB QxQP
- 19. Q-B2 KRN1
- 20. KR1 PK3
- 21. PB6 QR4
- 22. BB4 RN3
- 23. BN3 BK7
- 24. KKK1 RQ7
- 25. QB4 RQ2
- 26. QK3 BB6
- 27. QB2 BQ8
- 28. RQN1 BxP
- 29. QR7 RQ3
- 30. RxNP QR4
- 31. BxR Res.



BUDDING BOBBY FISCHERS?



★ 20,000 Youngsters Entered 1st Annual Oregonian/OMSI Junior Chess Tournament

You're looking at 7 of the 9 winners in the recent Oregonian/OMSI Junior Chess Tournament. OMSI estimated that around 20,000 contestants from three age groups entered the competition in their local school areas, from Paisley to Pendleton to Portland and other points in Oregon and southwest Washington. Those who made it through twelve regional meets to the finals competed for savings bond prizes and unique inlaid chess board trophies which were created by the students in the woodshop classes at Sunset High School.

Thanks to the Oregon Chess Federation for running the tournament... thanks to OMSI, who is a super co-sponsor... and thanks to Sunset High. Who knows, from these beginnings may emerge a World Grand Champion.

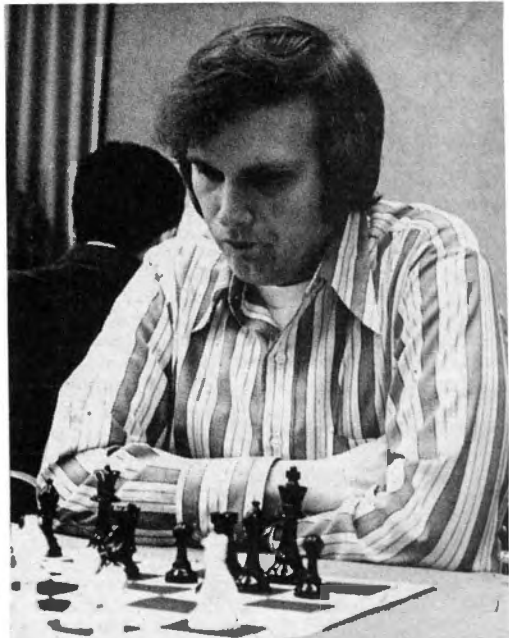
The Oregonian

		The Dalles Open		March 24		The Dalles Oregon		
Player	Home	-1-	-2-	-3-	-4-			
1. Russell Miller	Yakima	W12	W4	W5	D2	3½		
2. Russell Wadleigh	The Dalles*	W9	W3	W12	D1	3½	Trophy	
3. Kevin Lucas	The Dalles*	W6	L2	W9	W5	3	Trophy	
4. Jim Hall	The Dalles*	W10	L1	W8	W6	3	Trophy	
5. Loren Delaney	Wishram	W11	W7	L1	L3	2		
6. Clifford Gingrich	The Dalles	L3	W10	W7	L4	2		
7. Tim McClure	The Dalles*	D7	L5	L6	W12	1½		
8. Larry Augustus	Wishram*	D8	L12	L4	W11	1½		
9. Zalph Wilson	H. River*	L2	W11	L3	LF	1		
10. Charles Smith	The Dalles*	L4	L6	L11	W13	1		
11. Ray Jim	The Dalles*	L5	L9	W10	L8	1		
12. Phil Wilbur	The Dalles*	L1	W8	L2	L7	1		
13. Arnold Baker	The Dalles*	LF	LF	LF	L10	0		

Ray Jim are going to be taking part in OMSI event in Portland in Mid-April, they are Jr High Students. Clifford Gingrich is President of The Dalles CC and has lived several other places in Oregon, active in chess in all of them, Southern Oregon spots. Kathy Miller directed the event. By Russell Miller

BIYIASAS TOPS JET-WAY 31 MAR - 1 APR

		Rd1	Rd2	Rd3	Rd4	Rd5	Tot	Prizes	
1. PETER BIYIASAS (IM)	Vancouver, BC	2421	W14	W34	D5	W2	W3	4½	\$180
2. Clark R. Harmon	Milwaukie, OR	2261	W25	W8	W4	L1	W13	4	\$24
3. John D. Walker	Seattle	2234	W20	W24	W13	W9	L1	4	\$24
4. Pat Herbers	Portland	2007	W18	W31	L2	W11	W16	4	\$24
5. Randy Dean	Olympia	2125	W17	W35	D1	D19	W14	4	\$24
6. David Rupel	Seattle	2004	L7	W45	W50	W37	W19	4	\$24
7. Marvin Y. Hayami	Seattle	1745	W6	L13	D10	W45	W25	3½	\$30
8. Steven J. Thomas	Kent	1878	W36	L2	W24	W33	D9	3½	\$30
9. Stan Pollock	Federal Way	1723	W48	W36	W35	L3	D8	3½	
10. D. Leo Stefurak	Seattle	1902	D44	D50	D7	W29	W27	3½	\$15
11. Robert H. McCurdy	Seattle	1499	W52	D25	W44	L4	W15	3½	\$30
12. Marvin J. Lassen	Kent	1929	L24	W16	D31	W46	W26	3½	\$15
13. Martin Gray	Bellevue	1884	W39	W7	L3	W18	L2	3	
14. Scott McNiven	Seattle	1826	L1	W38	W15	W32	L5	3	
15. Tommy L. Bailey	Bellevue	None	W49	W20	L14	W17	L11	3	\$15
16. Anthony J. Scioly	Mercer Island	1484	W40	L12	W29	W28	L4	3	
17. John McCall	Renton	1753	L5	W22	W26	L15	W32	3	
18. Michael A. Mulford	Seattle	1504	L4	W53	W34	L13	W42	3	\$30
19. Kevin Norby	Enumclaw	1677	D46	W49	W28	D5	L6	3	\$30
20. James E. Sparks	Lynnwood	1770	L3	L15	W38	W48	W40	3	
21. William F. Gronau	Edmonds	1386	L26	L33	W41	W36	W35	3	\$30
22. Bill H. McGeary	Seattle	1473	W42	L17	L32	WF	W41	3	
23. Frank Gorecki	Seattle	None	W47	L27	L37	WF	W33	3	\$15
24. Joseph R. Sackey Jr	Tacoma	1675	W12	L3	L8	D30	W46	2½	
25. Roger A. Gervin	Seattle	1794	L2	D11	W39	W31	L7	2½	
26. Walt Moore	Auburn	None	W21	W51	L17	D27	L12	2½	
27. Roger W. Palmer	Tenino	1543	L34	W23	W43	D26	L10	2½	
28. Edmond Tusnadi	Bellevue	1959	D50	W44	L19	L16	W37	2½	
29. Daniel I. Riley	Bellevue	None	W54	D39	L16	L10	W45	2½	
30. Randy Henning	Seattle	None	L53	L32	W54	D24	W44	2½	
31. Wayne C. Rice	Renton	1590	W43	L4	D12	L25	D38	2	
32. Dale Stenning	Seattle	1265	L45	W30	W22	L14	L17	2	\$10
33. Les Fader	Seattle	None	L37	W21	W53	L8	L23	2	
34. Douglas K. Cheng	Seattle	1854	W27	L1	L18	L42	W52	2	
35. Mark Cook	Seattle	1832	W51	L5	L9	W52	L21	2	
36. David P. Karch	Seattle	1576	L8	L9	W52	L21	W51	2	
37. Walt Beard	Seattle	1425	W33	L43	W23	L6	L28	2	
38. Terry Greenke	Seattle	1318	W41	L14	L20	D39	D31	2	
39. George F. Capwell	Salem	1593	L13	D29	L25	D38	W48	2	
40. Donald L. Anglin	Seattle	1275	L16	L41	W49	W43	L20	2	\$10
41. Dave Pollock	Federal Way	None	L38	W40	L21	W51	L22	2	
42. Stanton W. Frederick Jr	Seattle	1225	L22	L48	W47	W34	L18	2	\$10
43. Russell Orth	Renton	1879	L31	W37	L27	L40	W49	2	
44. Duane J. Polich	Seattle	1665	D10	L28	L11	W47	L30	1½	
45. Rod L. Kessler	Renton	1475	W32	L6	D46	L7	L29	1½	
46. Stan Yamaguchi	Seattle	1363	D19	D47	D45	L12	L24	1½	
47. Steven Harrison	Seattle	1418	L23	D46	L42	L44	W54	1½	
48. Marjorie Joan Feser	Seattle	None	L9	W42	L51	L20	L39	1	
49. Mike Markert	Seattle	1432	L15	L19	L40	W54	L43	1	
50. Sam Barr	Seattle	1727	D28	D10	L6	LF	--	1	
51. William D. Cowell	Seattle	1502	L35	L26	W48	L41	L36	1	
52. Jeff Ridenour	Seattle	1119	L11	W54	L36	L35	L34	1	
53. Alfred Carter	Seattle	1405	W30	L18	L33	LF	--	1	
54. Vincenzo Vallone	Bellevue	1282	L29	L52	L30	L49	L47	0	



CLARK R. HARMON (Portland)

The \$180 Game

WHITE: John D. Walker
BLACK: PETER BIYIASAS

1 PQB4	PKN3	17 NQ5	QRB
2 NQB3	BN2	18 NxnCh	QxN
3 PKN3	PQ3	19 QR6	PK5
4 BN2	NQB3	20 NN	PxP
5 PQ5	PK4	21 PXP	PN4
6 RN	BK3	22 KRK	QB3
7 PQN4	QQ2	23 PB4	PxP
8 NQ5	NQ	24 BxP	QB6
9 PN5	PQB3	25 QRQ	NK4
10 PXP	PXP	26 NK2	QN5
11 NQB3	NK2	27 BxN	PxB
12 BQ2	OO	28 QxRP	PB5
13 NB3	BR6	29 PXP	PxP
14 OO	BxB	30 KB3	QRK
15 KB	PKB4	31 RKN	RB2
16 QR4	NB2	32 QQ4	QK2
		33 QB2	QB3
		34 RN4?	RK6ch
		35 KN2	RxN
		36 Resigns	

WHITE: PETER BIYIASAS
BLACK: Douglas Cheng

1 PK4	PK4	13 QNQ2	QB2	25 NB6	BxN
2 NKB3	NQB3	14 QR5	KRN	26 PxB	BN5
3 BN5	PQR3	15 PKN3	PR3	27 RxBch	KxR
4 BxN	QPxB	16 PN5	PKB4	28 Rqch	KB
5 OO	BQ3	17 PK5	BK2	29 QQ5	QxQ
6 PQ4	PxP	18 BQ4	PB4	30 RxB	PN3
7 QxP	NK2	19 BN2	BQB3	31 RK5	NN3
8 QxP	NN3	20 KRK	QK3	32 RK	BB4
9 NN5	QK2	21 KB	NR	33 PB7	RB
10 QR6	PB3	22 QRQ	PKB5	34 RK8ch	KN2
11 NKB3	BQ2	23 KN2	BQ2	35 RxB	Resigns
12 BK3	OOO	24 NK4	QQB3		

American Chess Service sponsored the Jet-Way Open, held at the Holiday Inn on old highway 99, near the Sea-Tac Airport. The event did not even attract enough entries for the guaranteed prizes, but everything promised was paid out. That is the meaning of "guarantee", and I expect all sponsors who use this word to be aware of the full implications.

Altho a financial failure, I consider that the tournament was a competitive success. International master, Canadian Champion, and Interzonal qualifier PETER BIYIASAS demonstrated his superiority. He met the strongest opposition of any player (2, 3, and 5), scoring 83% against them. The next five highest rated, who all tied for second, divided equally the \$120. Other rating group prizes as shown.

The event introduced the accelerated pairing system as refined by ANGUS R. PITT, Ratings Statistician for the Boeing Chess Club. Briefly, there is a round zero in which the top half are presumed to have defeated the bottom half, and then this "result" is entered onto the pairing card and used for pairing purposes until after round 3. ANGUS PITT says that his system eliminates the round 1 farce of games between players who are rated 500/600 points apart.

Best way to assess results of using his system is to compare with similar-size crosstables in recent issues of MVC. The NW Jr (page 33, Feb 73), was also 54 players and was paired by the same director. There Walter Nelson, who won all games, only met one opponent in the top ten. In the Jet-Way, Biyiasas met three. In

the NW Jr, Nelson met #51 and #54; Biyiasas' lowest opponent was #34.

In the Emerald City Open (page 40, Feb 73), two players tied at 5=0 in a field of 54. This would not have happened, using the Pitt system.

The Eugene Open (page 77, Mar 73) showed a 3-way tie at 4½ each in a field of 56. But the highest player #3 met was #8. In the Jet-Way, the top five all met either #1 or #2. Rupel #6 escaped, but he played the swiss gambit in round 1.

BOEING PAIRING SYSTEM

A Note On Accelerated Pairing-Angus R. Pitt

At the Seattle Spring Open at the Edgewater Inn 100 players were squeezed into a swiss! Harkness says the minimum number of rounds is the square root, = 10! And two more if you wish to determine a second and third place.

In five rounds it was not surprising that there was a first place tie between two players who had not played each other. It was possible for four players to be so tied with a perfect score. Moreover, the influx of new players has put the rating gap between first round opponents to well over 500. At this difference the odds are 24-1 in favor of the stronger player. (Harkness.) The futility of the first round is therefore obvious.

I had this sort of thing in mind when I made a study of alternative pairing systems for the annual Boeing C.C. swiss, a 7 round affair in which we could expect 60 entries. A criticism has been made that any improvement you make in the first round pairings only puts off the evil until later rounds. Therefore, after rejecting alternative systems, I had to check this point with the chosen system which was to give one point to the upper half in round 0 (not played) and take it away after the fourth of the seven rounds. The first stage of the work was to tabulate the results of 380 B.C.C. games according to rating difference and rating of the strongest player. This enabled the chances of an upset or a draw to be determined for any game in a hypothetical tournament. With this "tool" and a table of random numbers, I "played" about six tournaments of 40 players. This did show a sharp increase in pairings with large rating differences at round five, but it only gave back a fraction of the amount gained in the earlier rounds. The following projection from the above work gives the numbers of games with a rating difference greater than 450 for the upper half of a 80-player five round swiss with the extra point deducted after round three:

	Rounds 1-3	Rounds 4-5	Total
OLD	40	10	50
NEW	20	15	35

The comparison is more in favor of the "new" system than the '15' shows because the weaker players who have got into the upper half are playing well above their rating.

I submitted some of my analysis to Bob Karch who invited me to tell the players at the start of the Jet-Way Open on March 31 what was in store for them. I had with me a wall chart comparing the Old and the New for tournaments of 64, 70, 80, 90, 100, 110, 120 and 128 players. Unfortunately, there were fewer players than the lowest number on my chart. However, the nine unrated players were put at the bottom of the list and a dividing line was drawn at 1500 (for class prize considerations) leaving 26 in the lower half and 28 in the upper half. The latter received their temporary gift of one point. The pairings were done as if a round had already been played and the first tournament (as far as I know), in the NW with an accelerated pairing system was under way.

Two comparisons were available immediately: 1) The top 13 players had opponents rated 338 points (average) below them, odds 7½-1 in their favor. Under the old system this difference would have been 599 points, odds about 80-1; 2) The unrated players were matched against players with an average rating of 1420. Under the old system their opposition would have averaged 1624. These newcomers to tournament chess need the encouragement of pairings against weaker players in round one.

Play proceeded with the normal give and take. I am glad no one asked me to put money on the stronger players at the odds of 7½-1. In the upper half round one produced five upsets (3W,2D), all by players who would have been playing unrated players under the old system. In the lower half the four games between rated players went to the higher player. So did the top section games in round two.

At the end of round three there remained one player from the lower half with a perfect score. This "upstart" was in a pairing group with the 2200 to 2400 players. How did this 1421 player get there? Like eight of the thirteen in the 1499 to 1282 group, he won his first game. In rounds two and three he defeated 1576 and 1832

COMPARISON OF SWISS PAIRING SYSTEMS

At This NE=NEW=Give upper half one point in round zero (not end no. played) and deduct that point after round 3.

this made OL=OLD=Normal Swiss Pairing

pts. Assumptions: 5 rounds 64 to 128 players and (for simplicity) no draws, no upsets.

		64		70		80		90		100		110		120		128		
		NE	OL	NE	OL	NE	OL	NE	OL	NE	OL	NE	OL	NE	OL	NE	OL	
(0)	1	(32)	-	(35)	-	(40)	-	(45)	-	(50)	-	(55)	-	(60)	-	(64)	-	
	0	(32)	-	(35)	-	(40)	-	(45)	-	(50)	-	(55)	-	(60)	-	(64)	-	
1	2	16		18		20		23		25		28		30		32		
	1	32	32	34	35	40	40	44	45	50	50	54	55	60	60	64	64	
	0	16	32	18	35	20	40	23	45	25	50	28	55	30	60	32	64	
2	3	8		9		10		12		13		14		15		16		
	2	24	16	26	18	30	20	23	23	37	25	41	28	45	30	48	32	
	1	24	32	26	34	30	40	23	44	37	50	41	54	45	60	48	64	
	0	8	16	9	18	10	20	12	23	13	25	14	28	15	30	16	32	
3	4	4		5		5		6		7		7		8		8		
	3	16	8	17	9	20	10	23	12	24	13	28	14	30	15	32	16	
	2	24	24	26	26	30	30	32	33	38	37	40	41	44	45	48	48	
	1	16	24	17	26	20	30	23	33	24	37	28	41	30	45	32	48	
	0	4	8	5	9	5	10	6	12	7	13	7	14	8	15	8	16	
(3)	One	3		4		5		5		6		7		7		8		
	Point	2	28	24	30	26	35	30	39	33	43	37	48	41	52	45	56	48
	Ded'd	1	28	24	30	26	35	30	39	33	43	37	48	41	52	45	56	48
	NE	0	4	8	5	9	5	10	6	12	7	13	7	14	8	15	8	16
4	4	2	4	3	5	3	5	3	6	4	7	4	7	4	8	4	8	
	3	16	16	17	17	19	20	23	23	24	24	27	28	30	30	32	32	
	2	28	24	30	26	36	30	38	32	44	38	48	40	52	44	56	48	
	1	16	16	17	17	19	20	23	23	24	24	27	28	30	30	32	32	
	0	2	4	3	5	3	5	3	6	4	7	4	7	4	8	4	8	
5	5	1	2	2	3	2	3	2	3	2	4	2	4	2	4	2	4	
	4	9	10	9	10	10	12	12	15	14	15	16	17	17	19	18	20	
	3	22	20	24	22	28	25	31	27	34	31	37	34	41	37	44	40	
	2	22	20	24	22	28	25	31	27	34	31	37	34	41	37	44	40	
	1	9	10	9	10	10	12	12	15	14	15	16	17	17	19	18	20	
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players. Clearly he was no longer a 1421 player! In round four he was paired against Johnny Walker (2234) and lost. He drew his last game against a 1871 player.

There is an important point for TD's to observe in pairing for rounds four and five. The perfect score and near-perfect score players from the lower half must not be paired down. The Harkness system drops the lowest player if the group has an odd number. Fortunately it is NW practice (ref-Russ Miller) to drop the middle player. The power of the accelerated pairing system could be seen in the final table: 1) no perfect score, 2) no tie for first place 3) of the five players tied for second place, the leading four had approximately equal opposition.

SUMMARY: The 5 round tournament with this accelerated pairing system, call it the "Boeing System" if you like, is basically a 6 round tournament without the first round farce and: 1) It would attract more 2000-plus players, 2) It is encouraging to new(unrated) players, 3) It is a challenge to 1300 and 1400 players, 4) The top prize money is not likely to be split, 5) Even in the last four rounds, the number of meaningless games is cut drastically, 6) Against the above points, there is a possibility that a player in the lower half will get more prize money than he would have otherwise.

Warning: The TD must check that the unrated players are not experienced tournament players without a rating. If they are, they should be put above the dividing line and possibly given an assumed rating.

J. BERRY ANNOTATES

The Brilliancy Prize
White: Mark Manion
Black: Mike Bowren
RUY Lopez, Russian Def.
1. P-K4 P-K4
2. N-KB3 N-QB3
3. B-N5 P-QR3
4. B-R4 N-B3
5. O-O P-Q3
6. BxNch PxP
7. P-Q4 PxB

More usual here is 7...NxB.
8. QxP!? P-Q4

Now white can play 9. N-B3, in view of 9...PxP 10. QxQ KxQ 11. N-KN5, K-K1 12. QNxP with a slightly better ending. Also possible for black is 9...B-K3, but then 10. P-K5 gives lines similar to the game, with less choice for black.

9. P-K5 N-K5
10. QN-Q2 NxN?

A typical positional error. Black should play 10...N-B4 11. N-N3, N-K3! a la Nimzovitch. Just as the feet of the priests brought the Jordan River to a halt, so would the knight to white's central ambitions bring an end. (see Joshua 3:15-17)

11. BxN B-K2
Somewhat more active is 11.

P-QB4, then 12. Q-R4ch, B-Q2 13. Q-R5, keeping the queenside under restraint, would not be particularly good in view of 13...B-KN5. with 12. Q-KB4 (with the idea of P-B4), white would have a small advantage.
12. P-K6?!

The "positional" course was 12. B-N4, O-O; 13. BxB, QxB 14. P-QN4! with the idea of blockading the black queenside with N-Q2-N3-B5. Best for black would be 12...R-N1 to thwart this plan. It is noteworthy that in positions with this pawn structure,

white usually tries to eliminate the minor pieces, going into a favourable major piece ending. In the particular game, white plays to make weaknesses in black's camp, but only succeeds when his opponent errs in a difficult defensive position.

12. ... P-B3!
A horrible move to have to make. Not quite adequate was 12...O-O 13. PxB, RxB 14. N-K5, R-B3 15. P-QB4, R-K3 16. KR-K1, followed by B-B4, R-K3, QR-Kland P-B5, with a commanding bind. Also 12...BxB 13. QxNP, B-B3 14. Q-N3 leaves the black king in a quandry.
13. QR-K1 O-O
14. R-K2 Q-Q3?

A serious loss of time. Necessary was 14...P-QB4, 15. Q-KN4, P-B4 16. Q-N3 with possibilities such as 16...R-B3, 17. KR-K1, R-N1

18. B-B4, RxNP 19. BxP, Q-KB1 20. Q-K5, R-N2! Such a position defies the frailty of human analysis.

15. B-B4 Q-Q1
16. KR-K1 P-QR4?
Again, it would have been wise to play 16...P-QB4. The diagonal a6-f1 is as empty as chasing after the wind.

17. Q-Q2 B-R3
18. R-K3 R-N1
19. P-B3

Here white could have won quite prosaically by QxP, but he might as well go for the throat, as black's pieces present no danger for him. Black awaits his judgement day.

19. ... K-K1
20. P-QR3 P-R5

The last two moves are hard to figure out. Black should have taken the opportunity to trade one of his inactive pieces by 20...B-B4, releasing some of the congestion behind the lines.

21. N-Q4 R-N3
22. N-B5 P-B4

What else? Now follows the spilling of blood. Oh, glorious day!



23. NxNP! KxN
24. B-R6ch! K-R1
25. B-N7ch! KxB
26. R-R3 RxB

Somewhat more stubborn was 26...B-Q6! 27. QxB, R-R1 28. R/1-K3! The result, however, was inevitable.
27. Q-R6ch Resigns

A nice game, and a tribute to both players, considering the difficulty of the position.

Here are some games sent in by Paul Eggers of Tacoma.

His own comments are in " "

White: Paul Eggers
Black: Mike Franett
June, 1971

King's Indian Defence.

1. P-Q4 N-KB3
2. P-QB4 P-KN3
3. N-QB3 B-N2
4. P-K4 P-Q3
5. N-B3 O-O
6. B-K2 P-K4
7. O-O N-B3
8. P-Q5 N-K2
9. N-Q2 P-B4

10. R-N1 N-K1
11. P-QN4 P-B4
"11...P-N3 is better"
12. NPxP QPxP
13. N-N3 P-N3
A very tense battle for

the initiative is shaping up. Black will post a N on Q3, and white should do his best to get rid of it, as his pawns are basically stronger.

14. P-B3 N-Q3
15. P-QR4 K-R1!

A rather strange looking move, whose point was probably to answer 16. N-N5, with PxP, ie. 17. NxN, PxP 18. NxB, PxB; 19. QxP, RxN, and white is a pawn down, although not without compensation. Not, however, good for white is 17. PxP, RxRch, 18. KxR? NxKP! 19. P-Q6, N-N4

20. Q-Q5, Q-R5 and black suddenly has a mating attack! White should consider some move such as 16. Q-Q3 to prepare for N-N5. Instead, he goes after the 'base' on b6, which will always be weak, and which is not calling out to be attacked yet.

16. P-R5 B-QR3
17. N-Q2

A very sad move to make.
17. ... B-R3
18. Q-R4 B-K6ch
19. K-R1 B-Q5
20. N-N5 Q-Q2
21. Q-B2 BxN

Since the pawn is now on QR5, it cannot recapture the bishop.

22. PxB P-KB5
"!" Black stands much better - look at the bishops!

23. R-Q1 P-N4
24. N-N3 N-N3
25. R-K1 ...

"White, in a lousy position, sees how many tempos he can lose in a vain attempt to force P-K5 after NxN, KPxN"

25. ... P-R4
26. B-B1 QR-K1
27. NxN KPxN
28. RPxP PxP
29. B-R3 ...

"Looking at the B sac."
29. ... N-K4

"Now that the sac on QB5 is unsound, White will try it on Q4!"

30. B-N2 R-R1

Not very thematic. 30... P-N5 was indicated.

31. BxB
"!" "maybe not totally sound, but Whites position is so bad, anything is better" Yes?

31. ... PxB
32. Q-Q2 R-R5
33. R-N4 RxR
34. QxR ...

"Although it looks awful, the pin that will be on the

N(K4), and the weakness of Blacks QNP is uncomfortable

34. ... R-K1
Also good is 34...P-Q6,

35. Q-Q4, Q-KN2 36. QxNP, N/3-B5, etc.

35. QxP Q-QB2
36. R-R1 Q-B4
37. Q-N2 N-B1?

"an error?" Yes! 37...K-N1 should win easily. 38. R-B1 Q-K6 39. R-B7 P-N5 40. Q-N4 PxB 41. QxN Q-K8! for example

38. R-QB1 Q-K2
39. R-B6 Q-KN2
40. R-B1 P-N5

"? - lets Whites B out".
Simple and good is ...N-Q3

41. Q-Q2! R-B1?



Black must have been in time trouble. 41...PxP

42. QxBP?, N-N5 43. QxP N-Q3 is crushing, or

42. P-Q6! PxPch 43 BxB R-N1 44 R-B7 QxBch 45 QxQ RxQ 46 KxR NxQP winning.

42. P-Q6! PxP
"Loses, but if ...Q-Q2, 43. Q-Q5!"

43. R-B7 PxPch
44. BxB N-Q2
45. Q-Q1? ...

"! If White had gone 45. B-R3, then ...Q-R8ch, with complications" However, in the game, things ought to be simpler!

45. ... Q-B2?

To protect the KR2, black should try a 'line interference theme' with

45...P-B6! 1) 46. BxB NxP!
47. P-K5 QxP 48. RxN N-K5
49. Q-Q4! with a dead draw.

ii) 46. B-R3? NxQP! 47. RxN NxKP!, and black should at least draw.

46. B-R3 R-Q1
47. BxN RxB
48. RxNch K-R2

49. Q-Q4! Q-N6
50. Q-R8ch K-N3
51. R-N8ch K-B2
52. R-N7ch K-K3
53. Q-N8ch Resigns.

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1 LaVergne, A	2354	11 Bricher, J.	1889
2 Schultz	2211	12 Mitchell	1839
3 Parsona	2193	13 Hanlen, J.	1830
4 Hatcher	2110	14 Anderson	1814
5 Holmes	2065	15 VanNatta, F.	1808
6 Nedell	2020	16 Bricher, R.	1794
7 Williams	2016	17 Nourse	1793
8 Dalman	1980	18 Price	1771
9 Groschl	1965	19 Meye	1763
10 Pelayo	1937	20 Holmberg	1760
		21 Nalepa	1748
		22 Strange	1737
		23 Espey, R.	1734
		24 Reh	1673
		25 Barbeau	1670
		26 Drake	1663
		27 Christensen	1660
		28 Vanatta, R.	1640
		29 Becker	1634
		30 Kern	1631
		31 McCord	1630
		32 Norman	1609
		33 Lamb	1604
		34 Hargreaves	1603
		35 Weke	1602

CLASS "B"	
36 Chambers	1600
37 Gustavson	1600
38 Hamill, Bill	1600
39 Mortimer	1600
40 Pulley	1600
41 Tente	1600
42 Viale	1600
43 McLennan	1593
44 Wolthausen	1578
45 Shuler	1540
46 Serna	1523
47 Skarsten	1517
48 Reid	1511
49 Manien	1499
50 Chance	1498
51 Bjernson	1479
52 Evans	1400
53 Bailey	1390
54 Lavan	1390
55 Rogers	1390
56 Jones	1384
57 Grigsby	1360
58 Stephenson	1330
59 Hauff	1321
60 Espey, S.	1304
61 Cumming	1302

CLASS "C"	
62 Arlandson	1300
63 Ballard	1300
64 Blese	1300
65 Clark	1300
66 Clarksen	1300
67 Doolin	1300
68 Eppler	1300
69 Gelow	1300
70 Hamill, B.	1300
71 Hatala	1300
72 Jamieson	1300
73 Lactin	1300
74 Lundberg	1300
75 Matthews	1300
76 McPherson	1300
77 Miller, E.	1300
78 Miller, J.	1300
79 Morrison	1300
80 Pinede	1300
81 Pruitt	1300
82 Schill	1300
83 Searoy	1300
84 Sharp	1300
85 Towell	1300
86 Zevenbergen	1300
87 Running	1294
88 Wagner	1236
89 Lafuria	1233
90 LaVergne, D.	1233
91 Hill, L.C.	1218
92 Hayami	1215
93 Glidden	1206
94 White	1202
95 Hill, R.C.	1200
96 Carson	1195
97 Chase	1194
98 Raymond	1191
99 Waller	1183
100 Webb	1103
101 Olsen	1068
102 Miller, J.D.	1054
103 Ashton	1011

72A11B Price	37	Norman
72A6B Pelayo	54	Andersen
71M4F Hanlen	11	Norman
72A6B Pelayo	59	Hanlen
72C6B Manien	31	Hauff
72B5A Becker	46	Bjernson
72B5B Hargreaves	100	Lamb
72C5A&B Hauff	105	Carson
73C1A Skarsten	38	Running
72W06B Holmes	32	Meye
72A8B Helmes	24	Holmberg
72A7A Holmes	34	Mitchell
72C5A McCord	41	Lavan
72C5B McCord	33	Lavan
72B5B Dalman	19	Becker
72C4A Manien	35	Running
72B5B Norman	47	Bjernson
71M4D Norma n	81	Hanlen, J.
72A8A Holmberg	46	Norman
72M4E Bricher, J.	27	Norman
72A8A Parsons	8	Holmberg

1972A6	A	B
*Hanlen, J.	-111	-110 5-1
Andersen	0-10	0-10 2-4
Gress	00-0	00-0 0-6
*Pelayo	011-	111- 5-1

1972B5 (corrected)			
Hargreaves	-100	-110	3-3
Payne	0-00	0-00	0-6
Lamb	11-0	01-0	3-3
*Dalman	111-	111-	6-0

1972C5			
*McCord	-111	-111	6-0
LeMoine	0-00	0-00	0-6
Wolthausen, M.	01-0	01-0	2-4
Lavan	011-	011-	4-2

1971M4	A	B	C	D	E	F
*Hanlen, J.	1	0	1	0	1	4-2
Norman	0	1	0	1	0	2-4

1972 WASHINGTON-OREGON POSTAL MATCH

1 Andersen	0-2	Raymond
2 Hargreaves	2-0	Owens
3 Shuler	1 1/2 - 1/2	Chase
4 Serna	0-2	Norman
5 Tente	0-0	Miller
6 Holmes	2-0	Meye
7 Becker	2-0	Wickham
8 Glidden	0-1	Hayami
9 Vanatta	2-0	McGee
10 Espey	0-0	Norman
11 Hill, L.	0-1	Grigsby

OREGON 9 1/2
WASHINGTON 6 1/2

6 games remaining

1973 WASHINGTON-OREGON POSTAL MATCH

1 Hanlen, J.	vs	Becker
2 Norman	vs	Chambers
3 Pelayo	vs	Andersen
4 Grigsby	vs	Skarsten
5 Raymond	vs	Manien
6 Hauff	vs	Ballard
7 Pinede	vs	Doolin

8 Schill II	vs	Blese
9 Hayami	vs	Jamieson
10 Miller, JD	vs	Glidden
11 Karch	vs	Hamill, Bill
12 Lundberg	vs	Pruitt

There are no limit to the number of beards that can be played in this match, so if you are interested in playing send in your name and whether you want to play a high or low player.

NOTE: There will be a new postal chess director next issue. In the meantime, continue to send your reports of results and annotated games to Dick Parsons, address above.

Harold Meye vs Ren Norman 72M6E
Notes by Meye

1. P-Q4
In 6 game matches you can become bored with the same opening move so, even though I don't like this inferior move, I played it to vary the openings as much as possible.
1. ... N-KB3
What else?
2. N-KB3
Preparing to play the Colle system.
2. ... P-KN3
The best method of playing against the Colle.
3. P-K3 B-N2 4. B-Q3 0-0
5. QN-Q2 P-Q3
A good move making White extend himself to engage the enemy.
6. P-B5
Giving the BP support for the coming P-K4.
6. ... P-N3
Preparing to put a little pressure on White's K4.
7. Q-B2 B-N2 8. 0-0 N-B3
Perhaps N-Q2 was better.
9. R-K1 R-K1
Both are preparing P-K4.
10. N-N5
White's Q and B are biting into 3 feet of concrete. I was trying to proveke P-KR3 and reduce it to 2 feet.
10. ... Q-Q2
Black could and probably should play P-K4 now.
11. P-KB4
A strange looking move, but useful. White is going all out for a k-side attack.
11. ... P-K3
Loses a tempo. Perhaps Black was waiting to see what White is going to do.
12. N/2-B3
Begging for P-KR3.
12. ... P-KR3
Black obliges.
13. N-R3 P-K4
Finally.
14. P-K4
Setting a very crafty trap.
14. ... PxBP 15. BxP P-KM4
Black falls for it.
16. P-K5 N-KR4
After 16...PxN 17.PxN Black's position is shattered, but possibly managable. Now Black has real problems.
17. B-B5 Q-Q1
18. P-K6
Tally Ho!
18. ... NxB 19. NxN N-K2
19...PxN allows 20.PxPch KxP 21.B-N6ch 20.PxPch KxP 21.N-K6!!
If 21...Q-N1 22.N/3xPch and mate in a few moves.
21. ... BxPch 22.N/3xB Resigns
For after 22...Q-N1 23.B-N6ch NxB 24. Q-B5ch K-K2 25.NxN Pch N-K4 26.RxNch PxR 27.Q-K6ch and mate next move.
I have another interesting Meye game to publish, as well as a counter annotation by Norman of the game published last month. If you have some game you think is of interest to the readers, or just one that you enjoyed playing, send it along with any notes and comments that you think would help show your thoughts as you played.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

WCF Ratings

Bob, Got my issue of NWC this month. I think its great and you are doing a great job. Your reorganization of the magazine is all to the good. I'd like to see more humour and the conclusion of Jon Berry's comic strip. It holds my interest. I agree with Suttles that there is human interest in "personality cult" articles.

Robert, you are doing a very fine job.

Sam Bam

Dear NORTHWEST CHESS members,

We have an Institution chess group of 52 members and only ten chess sets. We would appreciate a donation of old, broken or misplaced chess sets, old chess literature, magazines or books - Thanks to all of you from all of us.

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10 April 1973

Dear Robert:

Concerning the letters from Ms. D. N. Williams, EK Duncan Suttles etc; the basic nature of Chess, is, of course, elitist in character. However, it is irrational for the stronger players to expect that less proficient players will indeed support them. After all, there is nothing to be gained by such activities except the aggrandizement of mssrs. Suttles, McCormick, et al. Obviously, chess can only develop in an atmosphere in which players of all strengths can find enjoyment and compensation.

The inflated class prizes may seem exorbitant now. But remember, if you will, it was not so long ago that these strong players fought it out for considerably less than what they get now. It is not that prizes are not higher now than before that irks them; it is that the prizes are not correspondingly larger than before. Their reasoning is faulty here, however; if, indeed, larger prizes will command larger participation, all the prizes will get bigger. A person who pays in excess of ten dollars for five games (not to mention incidental expenses) should be able to expect a prize that will at least provide just recompense. (Indeed, in cases of ties, there often isn't enough money to cover those expenses!)

The way to bigger prizes, Mr Suttles, is through the increased participation of larger groups of mediocre players; this means that entry fees will provide larger prize funds. The presence of strong masters is also a factor in that participation, and if they want to withhold that participation for no other reason than damaged pride, then it again proves that the masters are less interested in the growth of chess than in personal monetary gain. Don't expect the rest of us to follow suit.

I myself am not a "professional" player. I play for fun and prizes mean nothing to me. But anything that will cause the growth of chess, which is my personal concern, is beneficial to all serious players. Pedogogic prima donnas are not in that interest; I hope my point has been well made.

Sincerely, SJC Duncan
Secretary, WCF

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April 8, 1973

Dear Robert:

I would like to express my view, as a 1700 rated player, on the prize situation. The masters who have written are wrong! Us lower rated players will not attend the major tourneys where our chance of winning is nil without class prizes. The class prize gives us something to shoot at while we try to improve to master as this is a long difficult process that most of us will never complete. Believe me with the competition for the class prizes, it is a real incentive to improve and in fact the masters realistically must beat out only a few other masters and top experts while a "D" class player might have to beat out 40 or more players to get in the money. In bowling and golf they give handicaps. The effect of reduced class prizes will be reduced participation and therefore reduced top prizes. Anyway, the 1973 Northwest Open offers a first prize 50% higher than any Seattle tourney in 1971 not to mention the Chess Congress and the Comparable tourney of 1971 (Sunfair Open) offered 39% of the prizes to the top three while the 1971 Open offers 55%. Maybe we should do the complaining!

Alan Torkelson

People who scan the rating lists will have noticed, particularly in the USCF list, an increase in the number of players rated below 1000, and ratings sinking to record lows. I try to picture Mary Jo Iorlano of New Jersey, rated 486. Is she just out of the cradle or does her withered hand keep dropping the pieces onto the wrong square?

Are these people really such duffers? When a 900 rated player goes into the end game against Mike Murray with good winning chances, I begin to wonder. Then you remember that 200 rating points difference represents a score of 3-1 and you figure that the 900 rated player is expected to lose 1-3 to a 1100 player who loses 1-3 to a 1300 player who loses 1-3 to a 1500 player who loses 1-3 to a 1700 player who loses 1-3 to a 1900 player who loses 1-3 to a 2100 player. At this rate a player who knows little more than the moves of the pieces must rate about 1000. Ah well! The kid (and many others like him) will have fun going up through the ranks - does it matter?

OF COURSE, IT DOES MATTER! These heavily under-rated players will be playing several hundred points below their true strength for years and the established players who are unfortunate enough to meet them will have their ratings brought down time and again. A player above 2000 is not immune even if he never plays one of these budding geni. He will be playing players who have had their ratings undermined by the rising tide.

Mark my word, if the system is not changed, the only players who will be above 2000 in a few years time will be a few of our better masters, the "players" who hardly ever play and a few of the aforesaid budding geni.

IMMEDIATE ACTION is required. Stop-gap measures are sometimes arbitrary, but they can be fair and much better than no action at all.

I suggest:

- 1) All players below 1400 have their rating increased by half the amount that they are below 1400. To be applied once only. That is:

600 become 1000
800 become 1100
1000 become 1200
1300 become 1350, etc.
1400 and above unchanged
- 2) No player be brought into the system at less than 1000 points.

S.O.R. - SAVE OUR RATINGS!

Angus R. Pitt
Ratings Director
Boeing Chess Club

P.S. I notice a sentence in Bruce Bailey's prologue to the March ratings. It says, "The rating rules will jump you up to 1200 the instant you start playing at that level..." Is this something new? Can Mary Jo jump from 486 to 1200 by winning a few games? Or is this a WCF only deal?

Dear Mr. Karch

I am writing in relation to the Chess Academy this summer. How much is it going to cost? I have room and board in the Seattle area. Also, you mentioned the possibility of an advanced course the following week. Is there going to be one? If so, how much will it cost? And do you have an idea or know where it is going to be? Thank you!

Robert A. Clark
Eagle Point, OR

REPLY: The Basic Chess Course will be held at the ACS Seattle Facility 1135 North 96th for five days, from Monday through Friday, 18-22 June. Instruction will closely follow the curriculum given on page 28, November 1972 issue of NWC. The enrolment cost is \$20 for adults, \$15 for Juniors (under age 18). All materials will be provided, including some text books. - Your having room and board will help a lot, as I cannot (this year) arrange any package deal to include room and meals. I have, however, noticed a half dozen or more inexpensive motels within 6-10 blocks of the facility. - The Intermediate Level Chess Course (rating from 1600 to 1999) is tentatively planned for the month of August, at the same location and the same cost.

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14. Ricky Pierce	UNR	L16	BYE	L-6	W19	
15. Kevin Lathrop	912	BYE	L-2	L-7	L-5	1 - 3
16. Greg McCormick	UNR	W14	L-9	L12	L11	
17. Jim Ross	UNR	L-2	L-6	L13	BYE	
18. Victor Wright	UNR	L-9	W19	L10	L13	
19. Tony Tipton	UNR	L-3	L18	BYE	L14	

1. PETER BIYASAS	Vancouver, BC	2418	W11	W28	W10	W2	D3	4½	\$180
2. John D. Walker	Seattle	2255	W16	W7	W4	L1	W11	4	\$60
3. Dennis L. Waterman	Kyrtle Point, OR	2288	W12	W6	D17	W15	D1	4	\$60
4. Michael Spiegel	Seattle	1946	W9	W5	L2	W23	D6	3½	\$15
5. Randy Dean	Olympia	2151	W18	L4	W14	W13	D7	3½	
6. Pat Herbers	Portland	2007	W31	L3	W15	W9	D4	3½	
7. D. Leo Stefurak	Seattle	1925	W35	L2	W21	W10	D5	3½	\$15
8. Gale Filer	Edmonds	1396	D15	L31	W19	W34	W16	3½	\$30
9. David A. Calkins	Lynnwood	1724	L4	W12	W18	L6	W22	3	\$15
10. Tommy L. Bailey	Bellevue	None	W19	W35	L1	L7	W21	3	\$30
11. Oliver W. LaFreniere	Seattle	1872	L1	W24	W22	W14	L2	3	\$15
12. John R. Scannell	Seattle	1850	L3	L9	W29	W25	W15	3	\$15
13. Tim A. Litten	Seattle	1772	L17	W25	W32	L5	W23	3	\$15
14. Donald R. Christensen	Seattle	1704	W27	D17	L5	L11	W29	2½	
15. David P. Karch	Seattle	1576	D8	W20	W31	L3	L12	2½	\$15
16. Rodney E. Espey	Portland	1805	L2	W22	W24	D17	L8	2½	
17. Tim Kauppila	Seattle	2037	W13	D14	D3	D16	W/D	2½	
18. Stephen J. Christopher	Seattle	1783	L5	W23	L9	W32	D20	2½	
19. Robert H. McCurdy	Seattle	1513	L10	D26	L8	W33	W30	2½	\$15
20. Steve Kreiter	Ferndale	1420	L21	L15	Bye	W30	D18	2½	\$30
21. John W. Konecny	Seattle	1653	W20	L27	L7	W24	L10	2	\$15
22. William F. Gronau	Edmonds	1366	W/F	L16	L11	W26	L9	2	
23. Randall K. Greenup	Oak Harbor	1524	W33	L18	W30	L4	L13	2	
24. Carl L. Bess III	Edmonds	1416	W26	L11	L16	L21	W34	2	
25. Loren J. Doolittle	Seattle	1479	W29	L13	L27	L12	Bye	2	
26. Brian Nelson	Auburn	1643	L24	D19	D34	L22	W32	2	
27. Steven J. Thomas	Kent	1898	L14	W21	W25	W/D	--	2	
28. Dave Rupel	Seattle	2020	W30	L1	W/D	--	--	1	
29. Jack Higgins	Bellevue	None	L25	D34	L12	Bye	L14	1½	
30. Nick Vander Vis	Mt Vernon	1771	L28	W32	L23	L20	L19	1	
31. John McCall	Renton	1765	L6	W8	L15	W/D	--	1	
32. Larry Swan	Everett	1353	W34	L30	L13	L18	L26	1	
33. Malcolm L. DeWeese Jr	Seattle	1345	L23	Bye	L6	L19	W/D	1	
34. Michael A. Mulford	Seattle	1542	L32	D10	D26	L8	L24	1	
35. Robert P. Elkins	Everett	1748	L7	L10	W/D	--	--	0	
36. Gilbert J. Saulter	Bellevue	1560	LF	--	--	--	--	0	

A four-member gang—Dan Ryan, Bill Schill, David Archer and Mark Wallace—came in from Juanita High School intent on winning and by the end of the second round, had the only perfect scores on the crosstable. Rounds three and four saw them fighting amongst themselves for the top spot, with Dan Ryan posting a 4-0 and claiming the 1st Place trophy. Well done, Dan!

The shortest game of the tourney was a seven-move Mate. Seems one player forgot to ponder what the opponent's Pawn was doing on K4! so soon. Very speculative play on the part of the winner; but he was seen walking around sporting a big smile.

Prize winners: Dan Ryan, Bill Schill, Bob McCurdy, Sean Cain, David Archer, Earl Mintz, Jill Chase, Mike Markert and Mark Wallace. USCF and WCF memberships were awarded, along with books. Surprisingly, some of the winners opted to take books in place of a membership prize. This TD felt that the winners should be given some choice as to the kind of prize they want.

NORTHWEST WOMEN'S CHAMPIONSHIP 14-15 April Everett, Wash

1. SUNNY LOU ESPEY	Portland	1556	D6	W8	W5	W4	W2	4½	\$50
2. Jill Chase	Auburn	1320	W12	W4	W6	W3	L1	4	\$7.50
3. Cynthia B. McBride	Portland	1430	W7	W5	W11	L2	W6	4	\$7.50
4. Natalie P. Holden	Seattle	1526	W9	L2	W13	L1	W7	3	
5. Aileen de Moulain	Seattle	1240	Bye	L3	L1	W2	W8	3	
6. Shirley R. Higgins	Bellevue	None	D1	Bye	L2	W7	L3	2½	
7. Marjorie J. Feser	Seattle	None	L3	W10	W8	L6	L4	2	
8. Robynn Armstrong	Auburn	1346	W10	L1	L7	W13	L5	2	
9. Pamela Gibb	Seattle	None	L4	L11	L12	W10	Bye	2	
10. Marjorie A. Karch	Seattle	None	L8	L7	Bye	L9	W12	2	
11. A. G. Oosterveld	Vancouver, BC	None	W13	W9	L3	W/D	--	2	
12. Kathleen E. Karch	Seattle	None	L2	L13	W9	L5	L10	1	
13. Maureen McMahan	Monroe	None	L11	W12	L4	LF	--	1	

BREMERTON OPEN One-Day 40/1 4-SS 21 April 1973

1. ROBERT A. KARCH	Seattle	2018	W6	W7	W9	W3	4-0	
2. CHRIS GENTALA	Bremerton	1747	W14	W5	W13	WF	4-0	USCF
3. Ronald Gist	Bremerton	1800	W19	W15	W4	L1	3-1	USCF
4. Walter J. Gentala	Bremerton	2025	W17	W13	L3	W9	3-1	USCF
5. Jose M. Dizon Jr	Bremerton	None	W18	L2	W6	W8	3-1	USCF
6. Alan Freyd	Port Orchard	None	L1	W11	L5	W16	2-2	
7. Alan E. Torkelson	Bremerton	1710	W10	L1	W15	W/D	2-2	
8. Rick Kennedy	Keyport	None	L13	W17	W16	L5	2-2	
9. Phil Baumgartner	Bremerton	None	W16	D10	L1	L4	1½-2½	
10. Don Kennedy	Keyport	None	L7	D9	W14	LF	1½-2½	
11. Tom Slinger	Bremerton	None	--	L6	D12	W14	1½-2½	
12. Jeffrey Lentz	Port Orchard	None	L15	L16	D11	W15	1½-2½	
13. Jack Finnegan	Tacoma	1685	W8	L4	L2	W/D	1-3	
14. Joe Helander	Bremerton	None	L2	W18	L10	L11	1-3	
15. Rod Clapper	Silverdale	None	W12	L3	L7	W/D	1-3	
16. Tom S. Kent	Bremerton	None	L9	W12	L8	L6	1-3	
17. Jack Crouce	Bremerton	None	L4	L8	W18	W/D	1-3	
18. Mike Weems	Bremerton	None	L5	L14	L17	L12	0-4	
19. Robert Hanson	Port Orchard	None	L3	W/D	--	--	0-4	

New USCF memberships or equivalent extensions of current memberships were awarded to all those with plus score. TD was Bob Karch, who used continuous pairings to get in four rounds (rather than "perfect pairings," but only three rounds). I feel that it is important in these small, informal, get-acquainted events that the players get an opportunity for as much competitive chess as possible. We also twisted the pairings a bit to avoid an early father-son meeting, but perhaps overdid it. I originally did not intend to play, but was asked to to "even it up." But then, there were latecomers, and irregular withdrawals, so that we never quite knew where we stood. Unfortunate was Chris Gental's last round; his opponent simply disappeared without notice.

SKITTLES GAME, Apr. 14/73

Kevitz-Trakovich defence

J. Lactin	D. Lactin
White	Black
1. P-Q4	N-KB3
2. P-QB4	N-B3
3. P-Q5	N-K4
4. P-K3 (a)	P-Q3
5. N-KB3	N/3-Q2
6. B-K2	P-KN3
7. 00	B-N2
8. N-B3	00
9. P-K4	P-QB3
10. N-KN5	P-KR3
11. P-B4! (b)	PxP
12. BxN	PxN
13. PxBP	Q-N3ch (c)
14. K-R1	QxP
15. Q-K2	PxP (d)
16. RxP	B-K4
17. R-R4	N-B3
18. B-R6	B-K3! (e)
19. BxB	PxB
20. R-KB1!	R-Q1! (f)
21. R-B1	K-B2! (g)
22. N-Q5	QxRch
23. BxQ	PxN
24. PxP	NxP
25. R-R7ch	K-N1
26. R-R6	K-R2
27. Q-Q3!	N-B5?
28. BxN	BxB
29. Q-B4ch? (h)	K-N2!
30. R-R4 (i)	QR-R1
31. Q-Q4ch	P-K4!
32. Resigns (j)	

(a) P-K4 is safe, as ...NxP loses to 5. Q-Q4.

(b) Well done. Pries open the rook file.

(c) As it turns this move saves the game!

(d) Risky!

(e) Planning on returning material to gain time.

(f) This rook would be better on Qb1. See move 22.


(g) Hoping for a superior minor-pieces vs. Queen position.


(h) Missing mate in 2!! It is: 29. QxPch, K-B1; 30. R-R8 mate.

(i) The point of the defence: if 30. QxB??, then ...R-KB1 wins.

(j) An unjust conclusion. Caissa is a harsh mistress.

Annotations by D. Lactin

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
MAY 1973						
Telephone: (206) 523-1550						
6 \$2 1-day 3 Rd Swiss tmt 45/2 book prizes NW rated. Social play 50¢ Closes at 1 AM.	7 \$3 class RR tmt, lasting 7 weeks, NW rated. Chess clinic by appointment. Social play 50¢ Closes at 1 AM.	8 \$3 class RR tmts, same as mon format. LADIES ONLY CRS 9:30 - 11:30 AM. Social play 50¢ Closes at 1 AM.	9 \$5 Wed nite 4 rd Swiss, \$25 + % prizes. Chess clinic by apmt. Social play 50¢ Closes at 2 AM.	10 \$3 class RR tmts, same as Mon-Tue; except play is on Thur for these sections. Closes at 1 AM.	11 7 PM; 50¢ weekly 5-min speed 8-player RR sections. Social play 50¢ Closes at 2 AM.	12 \$2 1-day 30-30 6 Rd Swiss; Book prizes. Social play 50¢ Closes at 2 AM.
13 \$2 1-day 30-30 5 Rd Swiss; Book prizes. Social play 50¢ Closes at 1 AM. MOTHER'S DAY	14 Same as 7 Tournament games start at 7:30 PM.	15 Same as 8 LADIES COURSE \$3 lesson or \$15 6-weeks	16 Same as 9 Second round of Wed nite swiss. Games start at 7:30 PM.	17 Same as 10	18 Same as 11	19 Seattle Open (see NWC tmt announcement) \$100 1st + % Prizes. Closes at 2 AM
20 Continuation of Seattle Open. Round 4 starts at 10 AM.	21 Same as 7	22 Same as 8	23 Same as 9 Third round of Wed nite swiss	24 Same as 10	25 Same as 11	26 Same as 5
27 Same as 6	28 Same as 7 MEMORIAL DAY	29 Same as 8	30 Same as 9 Fourth (final) round of Wed nite swiss	31 Same as 10	HOME OF SEATTLE CITY CHAMPION!	

JUNE 1973					
Telephone: (206) 523-1550					
3 \$2 1-day 3 Rd Swiss tmt 45/2 book prizes, NW rated. Social play 50¢ Closes at 1 AM.	4 \$3 class RR tmts, lasting 7 weeks, NW rated. Chess clinic by appointment. Social play 50¢ Closes at 1 AM.	5 9:30-11:30 AM LADIES ONLY CRSE Fifth lesson. 7:30 PM Tues nite class tmts \$3. Social play 50¢ Closes at 1 AM.	6 Rd 1 of June Wed nite swiss. \$5 EF, \$25 + % prizes. Chess clinic by apmt. Social play 50¢ Closes at 2 AM.	7 \$3 class RR tmts, lasting 7 weeks, NW rated. Chess clinic by appointment. Social play 50¢ Closes at 1 AM.	8 Same as 1
10 Continuation of King County Open; Rd 4 starts at 10 AM.	11 Same as 4	12 Same as 5; but Sixth & Final lesson for LADIES ONLY CRG. Social play 50¢ Closes at 1 AM.	13 Rd 2 of June Wed nite swiss. Chess clinic by apmt. Social play 50¢ Closes at 2 AM.	14 Same as 7	15 Same as 1
17 \$2 1-day 30-30 5 Rd Swiss; book prizes. Social play 50¢. Closes at 1 AM.	18 SPECIAL FIVE-DAY BASIC CHESS COURSE \$20 ADULTS; \$15 JUNIORS (Under 18) classes resume at 1 PM; to 5 PM All evening tournaments held as usually scheduled.	19 Same as 5; but Sixth & Final lesson for LADIES ONLY CRG. Social play 50¢ Closes at 1 AM.	20 Rd 4 of Wed nite swiss	21 Same as 7	22 Same as 1 Fri nite speed tmts same as 1
24 Same as 3	25 Same as 4	26 Same as 5, except no Ladies Course	27 Rd 4 of Wed nite swiss	28 Same as 7	29 Same as 1
					30 INDEPENDENCE WEEK CHESS CONGRESS

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Date	Lecturer	Subject	Fee	Length
July 2	Phil Irwin	Kings Indian (Reversed)	\$1	2 hours
July 5	Tom Kuge	Smith-Morra	\$1	2 hours
July 9	Arthur Dake	Pirc Defense	\$3	2 hours
July 12	Byron Perala	Marshall Gambit	\$1	2 hours
July 16	Clark Harmon	Najdorf Variation of Sicilian	\$4 at door \$3 advance	2 hours
July 19	Mike Schemm	Middle Game	\$2	2 hours
July 23	Dave White	Benoni	\$1	2 hours
July 26	Arthur Dake	Ruy Lopez	\$3	2 hours
July 30	Clark Harmon	Rook & Pawn Endgames	\$4 at door \$3 advance	2 hours

NOTE: Lecture room is air conditioned. Send advance fees to: House of Chess 2118 S.E. 11th Ave., Portland, Oregon 97214. The site of the lectures is same address as above, please call 234-5814 if you have any questions concerning the House of Chess Lecture Schedule.

Spokane Losers' Quadrangular, April 1, 1973

1. Jim Hanlen	Spokane	1850	W23	W15	W8	3
2. Eric Trail	Spokane	1479	W16	W9	W24	3
3. Tom Marsh	Spokane	1254	W26	W17	W10	3
4. Edward Rodriguez	Spokane	1739	W27	W18	W11	3
5. Larry Newman	Kellogg, Idaho	NONE	W21	W19	W20	3
6. Mike Halvorson	Mead, Wash.	620	W12	W22	W28	3
7. Allen Thompson	Spokane	1431	W25	W14	D13	2 1/2
8. David Winkel	Spokane	1617	W15	W23	L1	2
9. Thomas Samsel	Spokane	1709	W24	L2	W16	2
10. Ernie Morris	Spokane	1145	W17	W26	L3	2
11. Lewis Cole	Spokane	1007	W18	W27	L4	2
12. Mike Bermel	Pinehurst, Idaho	NONE	L6	W28	W22	2
13. Vern Johnson	Spokane	1264	D14	W25	D7	2
14. Dan Browne	Moscow, Idaho	1407	D13	L7	W25	1 1/2
15. Allen Sackett	Spokane	1816	L8	L1	W23	1
16. Tom Schultz	Kellogg, Idaho	1465	L2	W24	L9	1
17. Jerry Ringo	Colbert, Wash.	1146	L10	L3	W26	1
18. Robert Jacobson	Spokane	1435	L11	L4	W27	1
19. Albert G. Wolters	Kettle Falls, Wa	NONE	L20	L5	W21	1
20. Carl Norlin	Kettle Falls, Wa	NONE	W19	L21	L5	1
21. Cliff Castle	Cheney, Wash.	958	L5	W20	L19	1
22. Ken Watts	Spokane	NONE	W28	L6	L12	1
23. Bruce Warren	Spokane	1808	L1	L8	L15	0
24. Fred Floeger	Spokane	1465	L9	L16	L2	0
25. Mike Walther	Spokane	1264	L7	L13	L14	0
26. Doug Johnson	Spokane	1240	L3	L10	L17	0
27. John James	Spokane	1131	L4	L11	L18	0
28. Cliff Johnson	Spokane	NONE	L22	L12	L6	0

Two Spokane WCF members scored well in simultaneous play against students in March. Rich Hanlen, fresh from his victory in the Spokane Closed, won 15 of 17 against Shaw Junior High School students in Spokane. Tom Samsel, who tied for second in the Spokane Closed, won 13 of 17 against his fellow students at Gonzaga Prep in Spokane. Both had to play at speed-chess rate to finish the simultaneous exhibitions in allowed time.

Nine of the twenty-eight players came from outside Spokane; 3 Idaho and 5 Wash towns.

Each of top seven won prize of year's USCF membership in his 4-man section.

Five prize-winners had not won a quadrangular prize before.

Stephen J. Christopher directed the tournament.

SEMA OPEN

May 12, 1973

REGISTRATION: 8:30-9:30 AM; 1st rd. at 10 AM
TYPE: One Section, Four Round Swiss
MEMBERSHIP: WCF or OCF or BCCF
TIME CONTROL: 35/one hour
SITE: Rm. 353, Pigett Building, Seattle University
12th & E. Columbia, Seattle, WA.
ENTRY FEE: Adult (over 18) \$ 6.00; Under 18 - \$ 4.00
PRIZES: 1st Place \$ 40.00, 2nd Place \$ 25.00, 3rd-\$ 15
Trophies for 1st 'A', 'B', 'C', 'D & Under'.
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THE TRIAL OPEN

May 26 - 27

REGISTRATION: 8:30-9:30 AM; 1st rd. at 10 AM; May 26th
TYPE: One Section, Five Round Swiss
MEMBERSHIP: WCF or OCF or BCCF
TIME CONTROL: 50 moves/2 hours; secondary-30 moves/1 hr
SITE: Rm. 353, Pigott, Seattle University
12th & E. Columbia, Seattle, WA.

ENTRY FEE: Advance* At door
Adult (over 18) - \$ 8.00 \$ 10.00
Junior - 5.00 7.00
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Women and girls playing in a tournament for the first time will be given Free Entry, with purchase of a one year membership with magazine.

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*Advance entries must be received by May 21st.

1973 SEATTLE CITY CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP March - April

	Rd1	Rd2	Rd3	Rd4	Rd5	Rd6	
1. ROBERT A. KARCH	2018	W2	W7	W4	W6	W8	L3 5=1
2. Patric J. Hessen	1920	L1	W15	W9	W3	W5	W6 5=1
3. Warren Bakken	1537	L14	W16	W13	L2	W12	W1 4=2
4. Martin G. Van Parys	1689	W12	W9	L1	L7	W10	W8 4=2
5. William J. Sundstrom	1454	W10	W14	D6	L8	L2	W7 3 1/2-2 1/2
6. Hanniegn G. Pitre	1754	W13	W11	D5	L1	W7	L2 3 1/2-2 1/2
7. Mike Markert	1466	W15	L1	W11	W4	L6	L5 3=3
8. Bill Geary	None	L11	W12	W14	W5	L1	L4 3=3
9. Steve Bezuk	None	W16	L4	L2	L10	W13	Bye 3=3
10. Gary Dale Pinney	None	L5	L13	WF	W9	L4	LF 2=4
11. Alfred Carter	1405	W8	L6	L7	--	WF	WD 2=4
12. John Twitchell	None	L4	L8	WF	WF	L3	LF 2=4
13. Stewart S. Eldridge	None	L6	W10	L3	WF	L9	LF 2=4
14. James Russell	None	W3	L5	L8	LF	--	-- 1=5
15. Frank Hart	None	L7	L2	LF	--	--	-- 0=6
16. Paul La Berge	None	L9	LF	--	--	--	-- 0=6

(See page 97, Apr 73 NWC for background story.) Karch won the city title, but narrowly on tie-break over Pat Hessen. Each was awarded \$15 and trophy. If the pairings puzzle you, the first round was drawn by lot, due to the unusual circumstances of players continuing to register after everything was supposed "to begin!"

GORDON H. DICKSON won the Amateur Section 6-0, defeating Gary A. Uhl in the final round. Gordon got \$30; each got a trophy. 30 entries, including two ladies.

James Schroeder

Born April 15, 1910 in Warsaw, Poland. Tartakower was his teacher. Played on the Polish team in the International Team Tournaments in 1935, 1936, 1937 and 1939. When World War 2 came Najdorf was in Buenos Aires, where the Tournament was being held. He was one of many chess masters who stayed in South America. He changed his name from Mendel to Miguel and became a citizen of Argentina.

Some of the extremely petty chess players and officials in Argentina kept him from playing in their country's championship tournament for many years. They made a rule that any participant must be a citizen for three years. Then, when Najdorf was, they changed it to five years. Still, some people there liked him, because I have read several times that he is now very wealthy.

His style is super-attractive. Very aggressive and combinational. He has beaten all the best players in the world. In the area of the mating sacrifice he has no superior. His weakness is defensive play and the endgame.

The ever youthful Najdorf has a perfect understanding of the principles of good chess. That's why he keeps playing well in the latest Opening variations, better still - he invents the latest Opening variations. He was one of the first Masters to consistently play the Kings Indian Defense, and the Najdorf Variation of the Sicilian is correctly named.

In the 1970 match Free World vs USSR Najdorf made an equal score vs Mikhail Tal, 1 win, 1 loss, 2 draws.

He won many tournaments in the 1940's and was one of the few players deserving to be considered a possible world championship challenger.

His is an exuberant, extrovert personality. He loves to play rapid-transit chess (but I read that he is not such a good bridge player).

Taken from CHESS, a great magazine.

M. NAJDORF Queen Gambit Declined
L. PORTISCH Varna 1962- Chess Olympics

Annotations by Miguel Najdorf

1 P04 P04 2 PQB4 PK3 (Strange that Najdorf should prefer 1 P04 to 1 PK4) 3 NQB3 NKB3 4 NB3 PB4 5 BPxP NxB 6 PK3 PxB 7 PxB BN5! (A move which Portisch played at once, but it is entirely new to me. Why should it be bad? White's idea is to force Black to exchange Pawns in the center (...BPxQP) and thus open the diagonal for White's QBishop. Black has made this important exchange quite voluntarily; it's like giving alms to a beggar! But there must be something wrong if a master does this kind of thing. If someone gives you a thousand dollars, you can be pretty certain he wants something in return. I thought I saw Black's plan: if 8 BQ2 then 8...00 9 BQ3 NQB3 10 00 BK2 and Black's plan of...N/4-N5 is stronger now because of the passive position of White's B at Q2. If, after 8 BQ2 00 White develops his B at QB4, then Black replies...NN3 and White's QP is weak. So I played the natural move for White:) 8 Q2 NQB3 9 BQ3 NxB 10 PxB NxB! (A stunning surprise- I hadn't foreseen this move) 11 NxB QxN (Thoughts about intuition. When I'm playing a game against a master, I rarely make a prolonged study of the variation. I rely mostly on the intuitive correctness of chess ideas. One of the things I've learned through 25 years of tournament play is that a game is never lost without a definite mistake. Portisch played quickly and confidently; after 15 moves he had used only five minutes on his clock and was a Pawn ahead. When I lost the Pawn my first reaction was despair. Then I thought: Portisch has won this Pawn through playing a new move, introducing an entirely new concept in a variation which has been played hundreds of times. I say that if a new move is introduced there are two possibilities; either its a genius move, or its an idiot move. A genius is born every hundred years, an idiot every day. So its more likely that the new idea will be dubious than it should be good. After Black's 11th move I thought that he must be winning. Then my sense of position re-asserted itself and I began to realise that Black's development is dangerously backward and that White can obtain a strong attack for the Pawn) 12 BN5+! (Note that 12 QR4+ doesn't win. Now 12...BQ2? would lose a piece) 13...KK2 (Now if 13 PxB Black doesn't take the Rook but plays 13...QxNP+ and 14...QxKB) 13 00 QxP 14 QK2 (In order to develop the QBishop at N2) BQ3 15 BN2 QR4 16 KRQ1 (Threatens 17 RxB KxR 18 QK5+ KK2 19 QB5+ etc. I was certain that White has a winning position. He's only two Pawns behind and has a tremendous advantage in development) RQ1 17 QR5! (I didnt take the KNP because I saw a beautiful winning line. The self-pin of White's KBishop is also a masked battery. If 17...BQ2? 18 QN5+ and wins) PB3 18 QxP (If 18...QxB 19 QxP+ KK1 20 BxP threatens 21 RxB. 21...QQ2 loses to 22 QN8+ etc) KB2 19 BK2 QKN4 (Now 20 BR5+? KK2 would be bad for White) 20 BQB1 (White threatens the Queen as well as the King) BxP+ 21 KxB QK4+ 22 PB4 Black Resigns 1-0 If 21...QxB 22 RxB etc.

M. Najdorf Los Angeles 1963 - Piatigorsky Invitational
P. Keres QP- Keres Defense

1 P04 PK3 2 PQB4 BN5+ (This, followed by...PKB4, was invented and played by Paul Keres. See Euwe-Keres, Avro 1938) 3 NQB3 PKB4 4 PK3! NKB3 5 BQ3 00 6 KNK2 PQ3 7 00 (Had White played NKB3, then Black could obtain an excellent position with...PQN3. The key square is e4) 7...PBA? (This Pawn formation is bad) 8 PQN3 NB3 9 BN2 PK4? (Strategically, this is desirable; but tactically it is a blunder) 10 PxB PxB 11 NQ5! (Black's KBishop is left in the lurch while White whips up a K-side attack. Now 11...NxB 12 PxB NK2 13 PQ6 followed by 14 BB4+ and 15 PKB4 would please White) 11...BK3 12 NN3 PKN3 13 PB4 NxB 14 PxB BxP 15 PxB BK3 16 NK2 QK2 17 NB4 NQ1 18 QB3 RB1 19 QRQ1 PQR3 20 BBA BxB 21 PxB NB2 22 PxB NN4 23 Q05 QRB3 24 QK5 NxB 25 QR8+ KB2 26 QxP+ KK1 27 QxQ+ KxQ 28 NxB+ KK1 29 NxB NxB 30 RxB PN4 31 PxB PxB 32 PKR4 QR3 33 PR3 BxP 34 BxB RxB 35 RxB Black Resigns 1-0

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July 7-8, 1973

TYPE: 5-Rd. Swiss, Time Control for first 3 rds. 45/2, last 2 rds. 40/2

SITE: Park Haviland Hotel, S.W. Salmon & Park, Portland, Oregon 97202.

SPECIAL HOTEL RATES: \$7 Single, \$8 Double, \$9 Twin

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FINAL REGISTRATION: 9:00 AM - 9:30 AM July 7th

SCHEDULE: 1st Rd. - 10:00 AM Saturday 4th Rd. - 10:00 AM Sunday

2nd Rd. - 2:00 PM Saturday 5th Rd. - 3:00 PM Sunday

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(Phone: 234-5814)

NOTE: Please bring chess sets & chess clocks.

OREGON OPEN

September 1-2-3, 1973

TYPE: 6-Rd. Swiss, Time Control 40/2

SITE: Imperial Hotel, 400 S.W. Broadway at Stark, Portland, Oregon 97205.

HOTEL RATES: Rooms range from \$9.00 - \$18.00

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FINAL REGISTRATION: 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM September 1st

SCHEDULE: Rd. 1 - 11:00 AM Saturday Rd. 4 - 4:00 PM Sunday

OCF Annual Meeting - 5:00 PM Rd. 5 - 9:00 AM Monday

Rd. 2 - 7:00 PM Saturday Rd. 6 - 3:00 PM Monday

Rd. 3 - 10:00 AM Sunday

PRIZES: \$1000.00 Guaranteed!!

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\$60 - First Class 'A' plus Trophy

\$60 - First Class 'B' plus Trophy

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\$60 - First Unrated plus Trophy

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\$40 - Second Expert

\$40 - Second Class 'A'

\$40 - Second Class 'B'

\$40 - Second Class 'C'

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\$40 - Second Unrated

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MOBY DELP OPEN
MAY 5

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ENTRY FEE: \$4 Adults, \$3 Jrs.; SITE: Seattle Chess Club 607
S. Jackson St.; REG: 8:15-8:45am; PRIZES: 1st-30%, 2nd-20%,
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ASTORIA TORNADO
May 5

OPEN TO: Members of Oregon Chess Federation or equivalent
TYPE EVENT: 4 Rd Swiss 45/1½ ENTRY FEE: \$3.00 SITE:
Bank of Astoria Hospitality Room, 85 W. Marine Dr. Astoria
Ore. Registration: 8:00 to 9:00 a.m. PRIZES: Trophies
for 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 1st B, 1st C, 1st D, 1st Unrated, 1st
H.S. student, 1st Jr. H.S. student, 1st Grade School student,
1st Woman (Each player may claim only 1 trophy).
T.D.: Lewis L. Richardson Jr., 1136-14th St., Astoria,
Oregon 97103 ph. 325-7953

APPLE BLOSSOM OPEN
MAY 5 - 6

OPEN TO: Members of WCF or equivalent; TYPE: 2 section 5 rd
Swiss Open 40/1½, Reserve 30/1; ENTRY FEE: Open-\$7 Adults,
\$6 Jr/under 21 \$1 more at the door. Reserve- \$5 Adults under
21 \$4, \$1 more at the door, RESERVER SECTION LIMITED TO PLAY-
ERS rated under 1500. SITE: Wenatchee High School, Corner
Miller & Millerdale, Wenatchee WA.; REGISTRATION: 8:00-
9:00AM 1st Rd 9:30; PRIZES: BOTH SECTIONS: 1st-30%, 2nd-
20%, 3rd-10% plus 10% in various rating groups. DIRECTOR:
Murlin Varner; Sponsor: Central Washington Chess Assoc.
ADVANCED ENTRIES: Murlin Varner, 1800 N Carl, East Wenatchee,
WA 98801

CAISSA OPEN
May 12 - 13

OPEN TO: Members of WCF or equivalent; TYPE: 5 Rd Swiss
45/2; ENTRY FEE: \$3.50, \$1 discount to IECC Members; SITE:
IECC, W909 Sprague Ave., Spokane WA; REGISTRATION: 9:00-
9:30 AM Sat.; FIRST ROUND 10:00AM; PRIZES: Cash based on
entries; EQUIPMENT: Bring sets and clocks. SPONSOR:
Inland Empire Chess Club, W909 Sprague Ave., Spokane WA.

(Revised) EVERETT CITY OPEN (Lower Entry Fees)
May 12 - 13

OPEN TO: Members of WCF (or OCF or BCCF) TYPE: 5 Rd Swiss
45/2 ADVANCE EF OPTIONS: \$5, Women & girls \$3; In case of
families, oldest pays \$5, all others \$2 each. REGULAR EF
TO ALL AT SITE: \$6; SITE: Legion Hall at Legion Park,
125 Alverson Blvd, Everett Wash. REGISTRATION CLOSES:
9:30 AM, Rd 1 10AM. Late entries pot luck pairings for
Rd 1. MW ratings for pairings & prizes: 1st (overall)
\$75 (guaranteed), balance based on \$200 prize fund (after
expenses) (aprx 60 entries): 2nd - \$25 plus Rating Group
prizes: \$20 each: 1800-1999; 1600-1799; 1400-1599; 1200-
1399; Below 1200 and Unrated (total 5 RGP's). TD Stephen
L. Chase Jr. ADVANCE ENTRIES: American Chess Service, 1135
North 96th, Seattle WA 98103. Also optional 1-day 4-player
round robin sections. EF \$4 winner has choice of \$12 value
in chess books, sets and equipment in stock.

BELLEVUE SPRING OPEN
MAY 12-13

OPEN TO: Members of WCF or equivalent; TYPE: 5 Rd Swiss 40/2;
ENTRY FEE: \$10, \$3 more at door; SPECIAL FOR ADVANCED ENTRIES
ONLY: (a) \$20-3 or more in same family; (b) Women-\$8.50 (c) under
13-\$8; SITE: Puget Sound Power & Light Bldg, Cafeteria, Bell-
evue, Wash; REG: 8:30-9:30am ADVANCE ENTRY CLOSES 5/10; PRIZES:
(Based on 50 Entries) \$80 first in each of 5 rating groups,
1899 & up, 1699-1898, 1400-1698, 1200-1399 and 1199-Unrated;
ADVANCED ENTRIES: Bellevue Spring Open, 16712 NE 19th Place,
Bellevue, WA 98008 ph SH6-7413; DIRECTOR: DAVID OKRENT-"This
event WILL NOT be canceled"

SEATTLE CHESS CLUB TORNADO
MAY 12

OPEN TO: Members of WCF or equivalent; TYPE: 4 Rd Swiss
30/1; ENTRY FEE: \$6 (\$1 discount to Seattle CC Members)
SITE: Seattle Chess Club, 617 S. Jackson St.; REGISTRATION
8:30-9:30am; PRIZES: 1st 25% of prize fund; 2nd 15%; 3rd, 1st
"A", "B", "C", "D" and Unrated 10% each. Must be 2 in a class.
DIRECTOR: Marvin Hayami

SIMON FRASER OPEN
MAY 12-13

OPEN TO: ALL; TYPE: 6 Rd Swiss; Rds1-2 40/1½ then 15/30
Rds 3-6 45/2 then 25/30; ENTRY FEE: \$5.00 for Western British
Columbia Chess members, \$6.00 for non-members to include member-
ship. SITE: Simon Fraser University, East Concourse Cafeteria,
Burnaby Mountain; REG: 9-10am; PRIZES: 1st-20%, 2nd-10%, 1st Exp
10%, First in following Classes-10%, 2nd-5%, "A", "B", "C" & Lower
and unrated, Winners can claim only one prize. NOT NW RATED

10th CHESS CENTER OPEN
May 12 - 13

OPEN TO: Members of BCCF or equivalent; TYPE: 4 Rd Swiss
50/2; SITE: Rm 205 2940 Main St Vancouver B.C.; ENTRY FEE:
\$4; REGISTRATION: 9:30-10:15 AM Sat; PRIZES: 25% of the
entry fees goes to the winner; 50% goes to class prizes;
and 25% goes to the Chess Center; TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR:
William M. Van Camp; INQUIRIES: Phone 872-5812 any even-
ing or anytime on weekends.

19th HOUSE OF CHESS OPEN
May 12-13, 1973

4-SS, 40/2, House of Chess, 2118 SE 11th Ave.,
Portland, Oregon 97214. EF: \$5, club members \$3,
plus USCF & Oregon Chess Federation membership.
(SPECIAL 50% discount on USCF dues if joining for
first time.) 1st Place - \$10 Guaranteed! plus
Trophy, Trophies to 1st 'B', 1st 'C', 1st 'D', 1st UN.
Reg. 9-9:30 AM May 12th, rd. 10-3, 10-3. For more
information call 234-5814.

TACOMA SPRING TIME OPEN
MAY 12

OPEN TO: Members of WCF or equivalent, TYPE: 4 Rd Swiss 40/1
ENTRY FEE: \$5 at door \$4 if mailed by 5/8; SITE: Tacoma Chess
Club, 719 S. "I" St.; REG: 8-9am; PRIZES: 1st-40%, 2nd-35%, 3rd-
25%, 1st "B" trophy, 1st C, D, Unrated all trophies; ADVANCED
ENTRIES AND DIRECTOR: William Lowrie, 101 E. Rd, Tacoma, WA 98406
ph 206-SK9-2891

OREGON YOUTH INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNEY
MAY 12 & 13, 1973

TYPE: 6 Rd. SWISS TIME CONTROL 30/1
SITE: Eugene Hotel, 222 E. Broadway, Eugene, Oregon
REGISTRATION: In advance please but 8:30-9:30am May 20 at Trny.
ENTRY FEE: \$3.00 plus OCF membership (\$4.00 total or \$6 W/mag.)
PRIZES: U. S. National Bank of Oregon Scholarships 1st \$100 2nd
\$75 3rd \$50 (To be paid to the school of educational advancement
of winner's choice. For other than high school seniors money
will be deposited in savings till winner is ready. Entry into
military service makes funds immediately available.)
1st FIACE OVERALL: Ingraved Gold Medal.
TROPHIES: 1st three places in each division; high school, 10th,
11th & 12th; Jr. high 7th, 8th & 9th; grade school, 6th & under.
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highest scoring players. A team shall be a minimum of 4 or more
players from the same school.
FOR SCHOLARSHIPS: No tiebreakers - speed chess or mutual agree-
ment of winners if no more than two tie for any one award.
LODGING: EUGENE HOTEL special rates - \$3.50 each with h to room.
\$6 each for two to a room. Single room \$7.50. Make reservations
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ADVANCE REGISTRATION and specific info. Harry Glidden, 243 So.
Stage Rd., Medford, Or. 97501 Phone 535-2279.

EVERETT CITY JUNIOR

May 12 - 13

OPEN TO: WCF (or OCF or BCCF) members under age 18.
 TYPE: 7 Rd Swiss 30/1 ADVANCE EF OPTION: \$2 REGULAR EF
 AT SITE: \$3. SITE: Legion hall at Legion Park, 125 Alverson
 Blvd., Everett, WA Registration closes: 9:30 AM Rd 1 10AM
 Late entries take pot luck pairings for Rd 1. NW ratings
 for pairings and guaranteed prizes: 1st (overall) choice
 of 3 chess books; 2nd - 2 chess books; 3rd - 1 chess book
 PLUS Rating group prizes: 1 book each: FOR EVERY SINGLE
 ONE HUNDRED POINT RATING GROUP CATEGORY, Provided: (1) you
 play all games, with no forfeits and (2) You score a
 minimum of 2½ points. In case of ties, more books will be
 added to the prizes. ADVANCE ENTRIES: American Chess Service,
 1135 North 96th, Seattle WA 98103. TD: Stephen L Chase Jr.

FRIDAY NIGHT KING'S GAMBIT ACCEPTED
 FRIDAY NIGHT KING'S GAMBIT ACCEPTED

MAY 18 & 25

OPEN TO: ALL; TYPE: 4 rd Swiss 30/30 all games to start
 L e4 e5 2.f4 exf4; ENTRY FEE: \$2; PRIZES: 1st 30%, 2nd-20%
 3rd-10% plus 1st "B", "C" & "D" 10% each; SITE: SEATTLE
 Chess Club, 617 S. Jackson St., REGISTRATION: 7-8pm 5/18

TRI-CITIES MAY OPEN
 MAY 19

OPEN TO: Members of WCF or OCF; TYPE: 4 Rd Swiss 40/1
 ENTRY FEE: \$3, High School & under \$1; SITE: Pasco PUD
 Bldg, 411 W. Clark, Pasco, Wash. REGISTRATION: 11-12am
 PRIZES: (90% of entry fees collected goes toward prizes) 1st
 USCF membership if enough money, also free entry into next
 Tri-Cities Open, also cash prizes as entries warrant.

(Revised) SEATTLE OPEN (Lower Entry Fees)
 May 19 - 20

OPEN TO: Members of WCF(or OCF or BCCF) 5 Rd Swiss
 45/2. ADVANCE EF OPTIONS: \$6, women & girls \$4, in case
 of families, oldest pays \$6, all others \$3 each. REGULAR
 EF TO ALL AT SITE: \$7. SITE: ACS Seattle Facility, 1135
 North 96th, Seattle WA 98103(half block east of Aurora,
 old Hwy 99). Registration closes: 9:30 AM, Rd1 10:00AM.
 Late entries take pot luck pairings in rd 1. NW ratings for
 pairings & prizes: 1st (overall) \$100 (guaranteed), balance
 based on \$400 prize fund (after expenses) (aprx 85 entries)
 2nd - \$70, 3rd - \$30 plus Rating Group prizes: \$25 each:
 above 1999; 1850-1999; 1700-1849; 1550-1699; 1400-1599;
 1250-1399 Below 1250 and Unrated; Best/Girl (total 8 RGP's)
 RGP PRIZE-WINNERS must play all games and score ½ points
 minimum. Also TOP SIX qualify for J.K. Gill closed (free
 entry) at Northgate Mall, June 2-3. TD Robert A Karch.
 ADVANCE ENTRIES: American Chess Service, address above.
 PLUS optional 1-day 4-player round robin sections. \$4 EF,
 winner \$12 choice in chess books, Sets and equipment in
 stock.

20th HOUSE OF CHESS OPEN

May 19-20, 1973

4-SS, 40/2, House of Chess, 2118 SE 11th Ave.,
 Portland, Oregon 97214. EF: \$5, club members \$3,
 plus USCF & Oregon Chess Federation membership.
 (SPECIAL 50% discount on USCF dues if joining for
 first time.) 1st Place - \$10 Guaranteed! plus
 Trophy, Trophies to 1st 'B', 1st 'C', 1st 'D', 1st UN.
 Reg. 9-9:30 AM May 19, rd. 10-3, 10-3. For more
 information call 234- 5814.

11th CHESS CENTER OPEN
 May 26 - 27

OPEN TO: Members of BCCF or equivalent; TYPE: 4 Rd Swiss
 50/2; SITE: Rm 205 2940 Main St, Vancouver B.C. ENTRY FEE:
 \$4; REGISTRATION: 9:30-10:15 AM Sat; PRIZES: 25% of the
 entry fees goes to the winner; 50% ones to class prizes;
 and 25% goes to the Chess Center; TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR:
 William M. Van Camp; INQUIRIES: Phone 872-5812 any evening
 or anytime on weekends.

(Revised) ROSE CITY OPEN (Lower Entry Fees)
 May 26-27-28

OPEN TO: Members of USCF and OCF(or WCF or BCCF). 6 Rd Swiss
 40/2. ADVANCE EF OPTIONS: \$6, women & girls \$4, in case of
 families, oldest pays \$6, all others \$3 each. REGULAR EF
 TO ALL AT SITE: \$8; SITE: Park Haviland Hotel, SW Salmon
 & Park, Portland, OR 97205. Phone:503-226-7831. Regis-
 tration closes: 10AM, Rd 1 11 AM. Late entries take pot
 luck pairings in Rd 1. NW ratings for pairings and prizes:
 1st (overall) \$100(guaranteed) balanced based on \$400 prize
 fund (after expenses) (aprx 90 entries) 2nd - \$70, 3rd - \$30
 plus Rating Group Prizes: \$25 each: Above 1999, 1850-1999;
 1700-1849; 1550-1699; 1400-1549; 1250-1399; Below 1250 and
 Unrated; Best Women/Girl (total 8 RGP's). Also TOP SIX
 qualify for J.K. Gill closed tmt (free entry) at Lloyd
 Center, 9-10 June. TD Russell W. Miller. ADVANCE ENTRIES TO:
 American Chess Service, 1135 North 96th, Seattle WA 98103.
 Also: 5-minute, 8-player round robin sections set up
 for playing during dead space between rounds. EF \$1, Enter'
 multiple sections. Each winner has choice \$6 value in chess
 books, sets & equipment in stock. PLUS: optional one-day
 4-player round robin sections. EF \$4 Winner choice \$12 value
 in chess books, sets & equipment in stock. ALL EVENTS (EXCEPT
 SPEED) NORTHWEST RATED*!

CUT OPEN
 MAY 26-27

OPEN TO: Members of WCF or equivalent; TYPE: 4 Rd Sw-
 iss 50/2; ENTRY FEE: \$6 (\$1 discount to Seattle CC Members)
 SITE: Seattle Chess Club, 617 S. Jackson St.; REGISTRATION
 8:30-9:30am; PRIZES: 1st 25% of prize fund; 2nd 15%; 3rd,
 "A", "B", "C", "D" and Unrated 10% each. Class prizes require
 at least 2 players in that class for it to be awarded otherwise
 the money will be distributed. DIRECTOR: Marvin Hayami

CENTRAL WASHINGTON OPEN
 MAY 26-27

OPEN TO: Members of WCF or equivalent; TYPE: 5 Rd Swiss Rds 1-2
 45/1½ Rds 3-5 45/2 Modified Pairings if over 32 players; ENTRY
 FEE: \$7, under 18-\$5, under 15-\$4, under 12-\$2, Women-\$4 or by
 age; SITE: Wenatchee High School Commons, Wenatchee, Wash.; REG:
 8-9am 1st Rd 9:30am; PRIZES: 1st-25% plus Rating Group Prize;
 2nd-17% plus RGP, 3rd-10% plus RGP, 8% to each rating group:
 2000 & over, 1800-1999, 1600-1799, 1400-1599, 1399 & under,
 unrated; CO-SPONSORS: Central Wash Chess Assoc. & Wenatchee High
 School Chess Club; DIRECTOR & ADVANCE ENTRIES: Larry Allyn, 500
 Ramona, Wenatchee, WA 98801 ph 509-662-2757; NOTE: This event
 is same time and site as Washington Junior Closed Championship

WASHINGTON JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP
 MAY 26-27

OPEN TO: Previous year's champion (Robert Strohm), who must sti-
 ll meet age and residency requirements, highest scoring resident
 in Wash. Jr. Open who will be under 21 on May 27, plus the high-
 est Northwest Rated Wash. residents present who be under 21 on
 May 27 for a total of six players. USCF & WCF required. TYPE:
 Round Robin 45/2; ENTRY FEE: \$10.00; SITE: Wenatchee High School
 Commons, Wenatchee, Wash. REG: 8-9am; PRIZES: \$105.00 GUARANTEED
 1st-\$50, 2nd-\$35, 3rd-\$20; HOUSING: Free sleeping accommodations
 in private homes to those who request in advance & furnish own
 sleeping bag.; DIRECTOR: Larry Allyn; CO-SPONSORS: WCF, CWCA,
 Wenatchee High School Chess Club; ADVANCE ENTRY: Larry Allyn,
 500 Ramona Ave., Wenatchee, WA 98801 ph 509-662-2757; NOTE:
 This tournament same time and site as Central Wash. Open. Play-
 ers who fail to qualify for Wash Jr. may play in that one.

TACOMA GAMBIT TOURNAMENT
 JUNE 2 3

OPEN TO: Members of WCF or equivalent, TYPE: 5 Rd Swiss 50/2
 All games will be started with 1.P-K4,P-K4;2.P-KB4; ENTRY FEE:
 \$6.00 at door, \$5 if mailed by 5/28; SITE: Tacoma Chess Club,
 719 S. "I" St. REG: 8:30-9:30am; PRIZES: 1st-30%, 2nd-20%,3rd-
 10%, 1st B,1st C,1st D, 1st Unr all 10%; ADVANCED ENTRIES AND
 DIRECTOR: William Lowrie, 101 East Rd., Tacoma, WA 98406
 h 206-SK9-2891

KING COUNTY OPEN (Seattle)
June 9 - 10

OPEN TO: Members of WCF (or OCF or BCCF) 5 rd Swiss, 45/2
ADVANCE EF OPTIONS: \$6 women & girls \$4, in case of families,
oldest pays \$6, all others \$3 each. REGULAR FEE TO ALL AT SITE:
\$7; SITE: ACS Seattle Facility, 1135 North 96th, Seattle, WA
98103; REGISTRATION CLOSES: 9:30am Rd 1 10am Lake entries take
pot luck pairings in rd 1. NW ratings for pairings & Prizes
PRIZES: 1st (overall) \$100 (guaranteed), balance based on \$400
prize fund (after expenses) (aprx 85 entries): 2nd-\$70, 3rd-
\$30 plus rating group prizes: \$25 each: above 1999, 1850-1999,
1700-1849, 1550-1699; 1400-1549, 1250-1399, below 1250 and Unr;
Best Woman/Girl (total 8 RGP's) RGP PRIZE WINNERS must play all
games and score 1 1/2 points minimum. ALSO TOP SIX qualify for
J.K. Gill Closed (free entry) Southcenter Mall, July 13-14.
DIRECTOR: Robert A. Karch; ADVANCED ENTRIES: American Chess
Service, 1135 North 96th, Seattle, WA 98103; PLUS Optional
one day 4 player round robin sections. EF \$4, winner \$12 choice
in chess books, sets and equipment in stock.

14th CHESS CENTER OPEN
June 16 - 17

OPEN TO: Members of BCCF or equivalent; TYPE: 4 Rd Swiss
50/2; ENTRY FEE: \$4; SITE: Rm 205 2940 Main St, Vancouver
B.C. Canada; REGISTRATION: 9:30-10:15 AM Sat.; PRIZES: 25%
of the entry fees goes to the winner; 50% goes to class
prizes; and 25% goes to the Chess Center; TOURNAMENT
DIRECTOR: William M. Van Camp; INQUIRIES: Phone Chess
Center 872-5812 any evening or anytime on weekends.

23rd HOUSE OF CHESS OPEN

June 15-17, 1973

4-Rd. Swiss, 40/2, House of Chess, 2118 S.E.
11th Ave., Portland, Oregon 97214. EF: \$5, club
members \$3 plus USCF & OCF. (Special 50% discount
on USCF dues if joining for first time.) \$10 for
1st plus trophy, trophies for 1st 'B', 1st 'C', 1st
'D' & 1st Unrated. Reg. 9-9:30 AM June 16th, rds.
10-3, 10-3. For more information call: House of
Chess, 234-9614.

YAKIMA SUMMER OPEN
JUNE 16-17

OPEN TO: Members of WCF (or OCF or BCCF); TYPE: 5 Rd Swiss 45/2
ADVANCE ENTRY FEE OPTIONS: \$5, Women & girls \$3; In case of
families, oldest pays \$5, all others \$2 each. REGULAR ENTRY FEE
TO ALL AT SITE: \$7; SITE: Cosmopolitan Chinook Hotel, 4th & Y-
akima, Yakima, Wash.; REGISTRATION 8:30-9:30am 1st Rd 10am;
PAIRINGS AND PRIZES: NW Ratings used; PRIZES: 1st (overall) \$75
(guaranteed), balance based on \$200 prize fund (after expenses)
(aprx 60 entries) 2nd-\$25 plus Rating Group Prizes: \$20 each:
1800-1999, 1600-1799, 1400-1599, 1200-1399; below 1200 and Unrated
(total 5 RGP's) DIRECTOR: Russell W. Miller; ADVANCED ENTRI-
ES: American Chess Service, 1135 North 96th, Seattle, WA 98103
ALSO OPTIONAL 1 day 4-player round robin sections. EF \$4, win-
ner has choice of \$12 value in chess books, sets and equipment
in stock.

YAKIMA SUMMER JUNIOR
JUNE 16-17

OPEN TO: members of WCF or equivalent under age 18. TYPE 7 Rd
Swiss 30/1; ADVANCED ENTRY FEE OPTION: \$2; REGULAR AT SITE:\$3
SITE: Cosmopolitan Chinook Hotel, 4th & Yakima, Yakima, Wash.
REGISTRATION: 8:30-9:30am Rd 1-10am; PRIZES: Guaranteed- 1st
(overall) choice of 3 chess books; 2nd-two chess books; 3rd-
one chess book PLUS Rating group prizes: 1 book each FOR EVERY
SINGLE ONE HUNDRED POINT RATING GROUP CATEGORY, Provided (1)
You play all games, with no forfeits and (2) You score a min
imum of 2 1/2 points. In case of ties, more books will be added.
ADVANCED ENTRIES: American Chess Service, 1135 North 96th,
Seattle, WA 98103; DIRECTOR: Russell W. Miller

SO. ORE. SHAKESPEARE OPEN
June 16 & 17

5-SS, 50/2, So. Ore. Lions Blind Center, 228 N. Holly Medford.
\$5 50,30,20,20,20,10,10, Increased if entries justify. First
place overall, 1st C,D,below 1200 receive trophies also.
EF: \$8, if received by 6/13 \$6. OCF or other state member-
ship plus USCF required. Special prices for 1st time USCF.
Registration 8:30 to 9:30am Saturday. Good hotel, motel
rates close to play site.
Shakespeare - As You Like It & Henry the 5th.
Ent: Ore. Youth Chess Assoc., 243 S. Stage Rd., Medford 97501
TD: Harry Glidden, phone 535-2279.

BASIC CHESS COURSE
June 18 - 22 (five days)

OPEN TO: All chessplayer rated below 1600 or unrated.
A full course of instruction, including fundamental and
practical aspects of chess play, with emphasis on tourn-
ament copetition. Theory combined with practice. A dil-
igent student should develop to high class B strength.
Principal instructor is current Seattle City Champion.
Entry: \$15 Juniors (under age 18); \$ 20 adults. All
materials provided. You must find your own accomodations,
or you may commute. Course held at: American Chess Service
Seattle Facility, 1135 North 96th Seattle WA 98103.

VIKING OPEN

JUNE 23 - 24

OPEN TO: Members of United States Chess Federation and Oregon
Chess Federation or equivalent; TYPE: 5 Rd Swiss 45/2; ENTRY FEE
\$6.00 if mailed by 6/18, otherwise \$2 more (Juniors under 19
both \$2.00 less), SPECIAL: Those joining USCF for FIRST time,\$2
less (under 19 \$1 less); SITE: Labor Temple Banquet Room, 926
Duane, Astoria, Oregon; SCHEDULE: Reg-8:30-9:30am 1st Rd 10am
PRIZES: (to be increased if there are more than 45 players)
1st-\$60 + trophy, 2nd-\$40 + trophy, 3rd-\$20 + trophy, 1st "A"-
\$15 + trophy, 1st "B"-\$10 + trophy, 1st "C"-\$10 + trophy, 1st "D"-
\$10 + trophy, 1st Unrated-\$10 + trophy, 1st Jr under 19-trophy
SPONSOR & MAIL ENTRIES TO: Oregon Chess Club, c/o Lewis Richard-
son, 1136-14th St., Astoria, OR 97103

10th Annual EVERGREEN EMPIRE OPEN
JUNE 23-24

OPEN TO: OPEN SECTION: Members of USCF & WCF; RESERVE SECTION:
Members of WCF rated below 1800; TYPE: BOTH 5 Rd Swiss 50/2
ENTRY FEE: OPEN- \$10 at door, \$8 if mailed by 6/18, RESERVE
\$7 at door, \$5 if mailed by 6/18; SITE: Tacoma Chess Club, 719
S "I" St.; REG: 8:30-9:30am; PRIZES: OPEN 1st-30%, 2nd-25%,
3rd-20%, 4th-15%, 5th-10%; RESERVE: Trophies for 1st, 2nd,3rd,
1st "C", 1st "D" & 1st Unr. ADVANCED ENTRIES AND DIRECTOR:
William Lowrie, 101 East Rd, Tacoma, WA 98406 ph SK9-2891

15th CHESS CENTER OPEN
June 23 - 24

OPEN TO: Members of BCCF or equivalent; TYPE: 4 Rd Swiss
50/2; ENTRY FEE: \$4; SITE: Rm 205 2940 Main St, Vancouver
B.C.; REGISTRATION: 9:30-10:15 AM Sat.; PRIZES: 25% of the
entry fees goes to the winner; 50% goes to class prizes;
and 25% goes to the Chess Center; TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR:
William M. Van Camp; INQUIRIES: Phone Chess Center 872-5812
any evening or anytime on weekends.

24th HOUSE OF CHESS OPEN

June 30 - July 1, 1973

4-Rd. Swiss, 40/2, House of Chess, 2118 S.E.
11th Ave., Portland, Oregon 97214. EF: \$5, club
members \$3 plus USCF & OCF. (Special 50% discount
on USCF dues if joining for first time.) \$10 for
1st plus trophy, trophies for 1st 'B', 1st 'C', 1st
'D' & 1st Unrated. Reg. 9-9:30 AM June 30, rds.
10-3, 10-3. For more information call: House of
Chess, 234-9614.

EVERETT CHESS JAMBOREE
JUNE 2

OPEN TO: members of WCF or equivalent, TYPE: Swiss, in 4 sections Adult, 3 rds, High School 4 rds, Middle School 4 rds and Elementary 6 rds. TIME CONTROL Ad 40/1½, H.S. 30/1; M.S. 40/1, E1. one hour time limit on a game. ENTRY FEE: Ad-\$3.50, H.S \$3.00, M.S. \$2.50, E1 \$2 ALL Everett residents \$.50 OFF; SITE: Evergreen Middle School Cafeteria, 7621 Beverly Lane, Everett, Wash. PRIZES: Chess Clocks to overall winners in each section. Other prizes as entries warrant (USCF memberships, trophies etc., more information later) SPONSORED BY: Everett Chess Club, American Chess Service and Everett School District No. 2; DIRECTORS: Stephen L. Chase Jr., and Robert Strohm

SEATTLE "LIFE" OPEN
JUNE 2-3

OPEN TO: members of WCF or equivalent; TYPE: 5 Rd Swiss 50/2; ENTRY FEE: \$6 under 18 \$5 in Advance, all entries \$8 at the door; SITE: YMCA, 909 4th Ave., Downtown, Seattle. REGISTRATION: 8-9am players meeting 9:30am Rd 1 10am PRIZES: 1st (overall) "Life" membership in United States Chess Federation, 2nd \$25; Class Prizes (amount depends on entries) Chess Sets and Chess Books for 1st in "A", "B", "C", "D", "E" & Unrated; DIRECTOR: Tom Heathcote ph 522-2235 ADVANCED ENTRIES: Seattle "Life" Open, 7740 17th Ave N. E., Seattle, WA 98115 If there is a tie for 1st a game will be played to break it.

12th CHESS CENTER OPEN
June 2 - 3

OPEN TO: Members of BCCF or equivalent; TYPE: 4 Rd Swiss 50/2; ENTRY FEE: \$4; SITE: Rm 205 2940 Main St, Vancouver B.C.; REGISTRATION: 9:30-10:15 AM Sat; PRIZES: 25% of the entry fees goes to the winner; 50% goes to class prizes; and 25% goes to the Chess Center; TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR: William M. Van Camp; INQUIRIES: Phone Chess Center 872-5812 any evening or anytime on weekends.

21st HOUSE OF CHESS OPEN

June 2-3, 1973

4-SS, 40/2, House of Chess, 2118 SE 11th Ave., Portland, Oregon 97214. EF \$5, club members \$3, plus USCF & Oregon Chess Federation membership. (SPECIAL 50% discount on USCF dues if joining for first time.) 1st Place - \$10 Guaranteed! plus Trophy, Trophies for 1st 'B', 1st 'C', 1st 'D', 1st 'E'. Reg. 9-9:30 AM June 2, rds. 10-3, 10-3. For more information call 234-5814.

TRI-STATE OPEN
June 2 - 3

OPEN TO: Members USCF and WCF (or OCF or BCCF). 5 Rd Swiss. 45/2. ADVANCE ER OPTIONS: \$5, women & girls \$3, in case of families, oldest pays \$5, all others \$2.50 each. Those who join USCF for first time thru ACS: \$2.50 REGULAR EF TO ALL AT SITE: \$7 SITE: Inland Empire Chess Club, W909 Sprague, Spokane WA. Registration closes: 10 AM Rd 1, 11AM. Late entries take pot luck pairings for rd 1. NW ratings for pairings and prizes: 1st (overall) \$75 (guaranteed), balance based on \$200 prize fund (after expenses (aprx 65 entries) 2nd - \$25 plus Rating Group prizes: \$20 each: 1800-1999; 1600-1799; 1400-1599; 1200-1399; Below 1200 and Unrated (total 5 RGP's) TO Russell W. Miller. ADVANCE ENTRIES: American Chess Service, 1135 North 96th Seattle WA 98103. Also optional one-day 4-player round robin sections. EF \$3, winner has choice of \$10 value in chess books, sets & equipment in stock.

TRI-STATE Junior
June 2 - 3

OPEN TO: WCF (or OCF or BCCF) Members under age 18. TYPE: 7 Rd Swiss 30/1 ADVANCE EF OPTION: \$2 REGULAR EF AT SITE: \$3. SITE: Inland Empire Chess Club, W909 Sprague, Spokane, WA. Registration closes: 10AM. Rd 1 11AM. Late entries take pot luck pairings for rd 1. NW ratings for pairings & guaranteed prizes: 1st (overall) choice of 3 chess books; 2nd - two chess books; 3rd - one chess book Plus Rating group prizes: ONE BOOK EACH ONE HUNDRED POINT RATING GROUP CATEGORY PLUS UNRATED, provided (1) you play all games with no forfeits and (2) you score a minimum of 2½ points. In chase of ties, more books will be added to the prizes. ADVANCE ENTRIES: American Chess Service, 1135 North 96th, Seattle, WA 98103. TO: Russell W. Miller.

WEDNESDAY EVENINGS OPEN

June 6, 13, 20, 27, 1973

4-SS, 40/2, House of Chess, 2118 SE 11 Ave., Portland, Oregon 97214. EF: \$5, club members \$3, plus USCF & Oregon Chess Federation membership. (SPECIAL 50% discount on USCF dues if joining for first time.) 1st Place - \$10 Guaranteed! plus Trophy, Trophies for 2nd, 3rd. Reg. 5:30-6:30 PM June 6, rds. 7 PM each Wed. For more information call 234-5814.

COLUMBIA BASIN HERALD OPEN
JUNE 9-10

OPEN TO: Members of WCF or equivalent; TYPE: 5 Rd Swiss 45/2 ENTRY FEE: \$8 if mailed by June 1, otherwise \$10; SITE: McCosh Park Recreation Center, 4th & Dogwood, Moses Lake, Wash. SCHEDULE: Reg closes 9am, Players meeting 9:45am Rds (Sat) 10am, 2pm, 7pm (Sun) 10am 4pm; PRIZES: \$300 CASH GUARANTEED 1st-\$60 plus rating prize, 2nd \$40 plus RP; \$25 to top score in each rating group: above 1999, 1900-1999, 1800-1899, 1700-1799, 1600-1699, 1500-1599, 1400-1499, Below 1400 and Unrated; DIRECTOR: Curtis Kron; CO-SPONSORS: Moses Lake Chess Club and Columbia Basin Daily Herald ADVANCED ENTRIES: Curtis Kron, 302 Offutt, Moses Lake, WA 98837

22nd HOUSE OF CHESS OPEN

June 9-10, 1973

4-SS, 40/2, House of Chess, 2118 SE 11th Ave., Portland, Oregon 97214. EF: \$5, club members \$3, plus USCF & Oregon Chess Federation membership. (SPECIAL 50% discount on USCF dues if joining for first time.) 1st Place - \$10 Guaranteed! plus Trophy, Trophies for 1st 'D', 1st 'C', 1st 'B', 1st 'A'. Reg. 9-9:30 AM June 9, rds. 10-3, 10-3. For more information call 234-5814.

PHISTER'S FRIED FISH OPEN
JUNE 9

DETAILS SAME AS MOBY DELP OPEN MAY 5th

13th CHESS CENTER OPEN
June 9 - 10

OPEN TO: Members of BCCF or equivalent; TYPE: 4 Rd Swiss 50/2 ENTRY FEE: \$4; SITE: Rm 205 2940 Main St, Vancouver B.C.; REGISTRATION: 9:30-10:15 AM Sat; PRIZES: 25% of the entry fees goes to the winner; 50% goes to class prizes; and 25% goes to the Chess Center; TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR: William M. Van Camp; INQUIRIES: Phone Chess Center 872-5812 any evening or anytime on weekends.

60 NORTHWEST CHESS CLUBS

Washington

YAKIMA
YMCA 5 North Natches, Wednesdays 6 PM

BELLINGHAM
(1) YMCA, Sundays 2 PM
(2) WWS, Viking Union 304, Weekdays

UBURN
Olympia Jr High School; Mon & Thurs
7-10 PM

BREMERTON
YMCA near Ferry Docks, Thursdays 7:30 PM

CAMINO ISLAND?
Please confirm

COWLITZ
St. Stevens Episcopal Church, 23rd and
Louisiana, Longview, Tuesdays 7 PM

ELLENSBURG
Room 206, SUB, CWSC, Wednesdays 7-11 PM

EVERETT
Forest Park Field House, Tuesdays and
Thursdays 8-11 PM

GRAND COULEE
Moose Lodge, Thursdays 7 PM

OTHELLO
H. S. Wash., Tuesdays 7-10 PM

INLAND EMPIRE
Spokane Press Club, West 911 Sprague
(take elevator to 3rd floor), Tuesdays
and Fridays 7-12 evenings

ISSAQUAH
Library, Tuesdays 7:30 PM

MORPHY'S MADNESS
3824 Evanston N, Seattle Sun-Mon-
Wed: Noon to midnight

MOSES LAKE
McCosh Park Community Recreation Center,
Wednesdays and Fridays, 7:30 - 11 PM

OLYMPIA
Community Center, 1314 East 4th, Mondays
7-10 PM

PIONEER SQUARE
201 1st Ave So, J&M Cafe & Cardroom,
Seattle, Tuesdays 7 PM

PORT TOWNSEND
Youth Center, Wednesday evenings

PUGET SOUND ARMED FORCES
Fort Lewis Service Club, meeting days?

RENTON
Library, Fridays 7-11 PM

RUSE de GUERRE
St. Ann Church, 2350 "B" St, Washougal,
Tuesdays 7 PM on

SEATTLE
617 South Jackson, daily 7 PM to midnite
except Sundays (1-6 PM) and Mondays (closed)

SKAGIT VALLEY
Mount Vernon YMCA, Thursdays evenings

SULTAN
VFW Hall, Sundays 6-10 PM

TACOMA
719 South "I" St, Sundays 1 PM; Tuesdays,
Fridays, Saturdays 7 PM on

TRI-CITIES
Kennewick Methodist Church, 2 South Dayton
St, Tuesdays 6:30 PM and also Richland Com-
munity House, George Washington Way, Thurs-
days 7 PM

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON
HUB Bldg, 3rd floor, Friday afternoons

BAHCKA ("Vanska")CC & GO FOUNDATION
1117 Boyston Ave East, Seattle
Meeting times?

PUGET SOUND ARMED FORCES
PO Box 33261, Ft Lewis, 98433, Wednesdays St,
7 PM at Ft Lewis Recreation Center

WENATCHEE
1039 First St, Wednesdays 7 PM

WHIDBEY ISLAND
USO, 1182 West Pioneer Way, Mondays 7-10 PM
and Saturdays 2-10 PM



ACS SEATTLE
1135 North 96th Office 9-5; Playing
Rooms 7 PM - 1 AM weekdays; Sat-Sun
& Holidays 10 AM. Phone: 523-1550

SHORE-LINE CC
Foss Building Student Lounge, Tues & Fri
from 1:30 PM on

OREGON

ASTORIA
PP&L Bldg, 10th & Commercial Streets, Thursdays
7:30-10:30 PM

THE DALLES
Clifford Gingrich, 1516 East 10th, Weekly
Meeting times?

HOUSE OF CHESS
2118 SE 11th Ave, Portland, Evenings and Weekends.

MEDFORD
228 N. Holly, South Oregon Lions Blind Centers,
Thursdays 6 PM on

PORTLAND
210 Bullier Bldg, 420 SW Washington, Tuesday and
Thursdays 7 PM on and Saturdays 1 PM on

SALEM
Unitarian Church basement, 490 19th NE, Tuesdays
and Thursdays 7 PM

LA GRANDE
L.A.P. Center, Thursdays 7 PM

GRANTS PASS
South J.H.S., Tuesdays 7-10 PM 439-
6441.

BOEING
Plant 2 Cafeteria, Tuesdays 7:30 PM
to midnite

WALLA WALLA
First Federal Savings & Loan basement,
1st and Alder, Thursdays 7 PM

IF YOUR CLUB IS NOT LISTED HERE, IT IS SIMPLY BECAUSE
YOU HAVEN'T GIVEN US THE WORD YET? WHY NOT WRITE TODAY!?

If you were to phone or visit your local Chamber of
Commerce and ask where the chess club is, you might be
surprised at the answer. We have known cases where the
CofC address was over 20 years old! Let's get up to
date!

BRITISH COLUMBIA

BURNABY
Westburn Park Community Center, Patterson
and Moscrop, Thursdays 7-11 PM

CHESS CENTER (Vancouver)
205-2940 Main St, Daily 7:15 PM (Phone 872-5812)

CHILLIWACK
Red Cross Hall, 207 Margaret Ave, Thurs-
days 8 PM

KELOWNA
Recreation Center, Hwy 97 at Spall Road,
Sundays and Wednesdays 7-11 PM

KERRISDALE
Community Center, West Boulevard and 42nd
Ave, Vancouver, BC, Wednesdays 7-11 PM

KINGS KNIGHT
Royal Athletic Park Lounge, corner Cale-
donia and Vancouver Streets, Victoria,
Fridays 7-11 PM

KITIMAT
YMCA, Wednesdays (Meeting times?)

NANAIMO
Library Auditorium, 580 Fitzwilliam St,
Wednesdays 7:30 PM

NEW WESTMINSTER
Community Center, 65-6th Ave, Thursdays
7-11 PM

PORT COQUITLAM
Recreation Center, 2150 Wilson, Mondays
7-11 PM

PRINCE RUPERT
424-3rd Ave West (Meeting times?)

RICHMOND
Richmond Arts Center, Tuesdays 7-10 PM

SALMON ARM
Salmon Arm H.S., Mondays 7 PM

TERRACE
5036 McDeek (Meeting times?)

VANCOUVER
YMCA (Caribou Room 1st floor), 655 Burrard St,
Mondays and Fridays, 7 PM - midnite

PENDELTON
Hawthorne Court School, 7:30 PM Tuesdays

SPRINGFIELD
Brattain Elementary School, 10th & C,
Tuesdays 6:30 - 9:30 PM

YES! THERE WILL BE A 1972-74 PUGET SOUND LEAGUE!

Initial plans are for Championship and Reserve Divisions. There may
also be North and South Sections within each Division; perhaps using
Seattle north city limits as boundary. Reserve Division open to NF
rated 1600 or below or unrated. Established adult clubs only, with
Reserve Division open to school clubs with responsible adult coach.
Concept would be round robin within each Section, using match points
(1,2,0), then game points for tie-breaking. Top Section Teams meet
in play-off. I am open to your ideas and suggestions, and plan to
hold a meeting with club representatives this summer.

Robert A. Karch, WCF TD

FIRST ANNUAL INDEPENDENCE WEEK CHESS CONGRESS

Seattle, Washington
June 30 - July 8

PLAYING SITE: At 1135 North 96th, Seattle, Washington 98103 (half block east of Aurora)

OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP

Round 1 - 7 PM, Sunday, July 1
Round 2 - 7 PM, Monday, July 2
Round 3 - 7 PM, Tuesday, July 3
Round 4 - 7 PM, Wednesday, July 4
Round 5 - 7 PM, Thursday, July 5
Round 6 - 7 PM, Friday, July 6
Round 7 - 7 PM, Saturday, July 7
Round 8 - 5 PM, Sunday, July 8

\$1,500 GUARANTEED PRIZE FUND

\$200 - First
\$150 - Second
\$100 - Third
\$80 - Fourth
\$20 - Fifth

\$70 - \$25 First - Second
EACH RATING GROUP
Above 1999, 1900's, 1800's,
1700's, 1600's, 1500's,
1400's, 1300's, Below 1300,
and Unrated (ten groups!)

ADVANCE ENTRY FEES: \$16 (received in May); \$17 (received in June); \$18 (at playing site registration) + USCF & WCF
ADVANCE ENTRIES (Thank You!): Martin Gray, James K. Sharp, D. Leo Stefurak, Robert H. McCurdy, Michael A. Mulford

30-30 WARM-UP SWISS

Round 1 - 10 AM, Saturday, June 30
Round 2 - 1 PM, Saturday, June 30
Round 3 - 4 PM, Saturday, June 30
Round 4 - 8 PM, Saturday, June 30
Round 5 - 10 AM, Sunday, July 1
Round 6 - 1 PM, Sunday, July 1

\$250 GUARANTEED PRIZE FUND

\$100 - First
\$80 - Second
\$50 - Third
\$20 - Fourth

ENTRY FEE: \$5

No memberships
required; this
event is unrated

4th of July Speed Tournaments (5 minute games)

Play begins - 10 AM

8 Player Round Robin Sections

All entries returned as Prizes!

EF 50¢ per Section

CONGRESS DIRECTING TEAM:
Robert A. Karch
Stephen J. Christopher



Advance Entries to:

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1135 North 96th
Seattle, Wa 98103

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THE GUIDE

If you live anywhere near Seattle in the Puget Sound area, the new, the fresh, lively and **FREE** weekly **GUIDE** will become your regular source of information concerning chess events in the area! The April 18th issue of this brightly newspaper featured a three column spread, along with a picture of **RANDY DEAN**, "high ranking NW Chess ace."

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