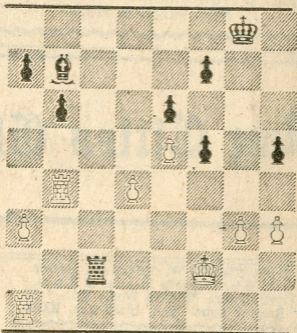


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Koltanowski (USA) vs. Keres (USSR)

EDITOR'S NOTE

The Koltanowski - Keres chess match, in which readers of this newspaper participated for 30 moves, reached a conclusion last week when Keres claimed a victory on the 41st move. Although Koltanowski felt his position was still playable, he conceded that black's position was better and agreed to accept Keres' decision. The diagram below shows the game at the end of 36 moves, the point at which readers were last brought up to date on the game. White is Koltanowski.



SUMMARY OF FIRST FORTY-ONE MOVES

1. P-Q4	N-KB3	22. R-QN2	P-N3
2. P-QB4	P-KN3	23. B-KB2	B-N6
3. P-KN3	B-N2	24. B-N2	QR-B1
4. B-N2	P-Q4	25. BxN	RxB
5. PxP	NxP	26. B-Q4	B-Q4
6. P-K4	N-N5	27. Q-Q1	Q-R3
7. P-Q5	P-QB3	28. R-Q2	Q-B1
8. N-K2	PxP	29. Q-KB1	R-B5
9. P-QR3	Q-R4	30. P-KR3	P-KR4
10. O-O	P-Q5	31. P-B5	QxP
11. NxP	N5-B3	32. QxQ	PxQ
12. NxN	NxN	33. K-B2	B-N2
13. B-Q2	Q-Q1	34. R-N2	P-K3
14. N-QB3	O-O	35. R-N4	R1xB
15. B-K3	B-K3	36. PxR	R-B7ch.
16. P-KB4	B-B5	37. K-K3	R-B6ch.
17. R-B2	BxN	38. K-B4	K-N2
18. PxB	Q-R4	39. K-N5	RxNPch.
19. P-K5	KR-Q1	40. KxRP	RxPch
20. Q-K1	B-Q4	41. K-N5	R-N6ch.
21. B-KB1	Q-R5	Adjudicated a win for Black.	