

Los Angeles, 4½; Santa Barbara, 1½.

Los Angeles defeated Santa Barbara in a team match on six boards at the rooms of the Los Angeles Chess and Checker Club on February 25. During the afternoon, according to the Los Angeles Times, the players assembled were treated to a surprise visit and brief address by M. S. Kuhns of Chicago, president of the National Chess Federation, who has been sojourning for some time at Pasadena. A rapid transit tourney was held in the evening, resulting in a tie between Harry Borochow and Donald Mugridge. The play-off was won by Borochow.

Summary of the match:

Bds.	LOS ANGELES	SANTA BARBARA
1	S. Weinbaum.... 0	H. B. Gill..... 1
2	H. Borochow ... 1	L. A. Cooke 0
3	G. S. G. Patterson 1	L. Persinger 0
4	Dr. M. Scholtz... 1	W. H. English... 0
5	A. N. Pray..... ½	F. Figg-Hoblyn.. ½
6	—D. Graham 1	R. D. Smith..... 0
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	Total 4½	Total 1½

When the local chess club elected the chess editor as president for 1928 it must have started something—the idea that chess editors make good presidents. Joseph C. Cook, chess editor of the Providence News, has been named president of the Rhode Island Chess Association.—Clif Sherwood in the Los Angeles Times.