

Chess Notes: Exhibition Set Jan. 18

By George Koltanowski

The Bay Area's first simultaneous chess exhibition of 1957 will be given by George Koltanowski at 8 p. m., January 18, at the Central YMCA, 2101 Telegraph avenue, Oakland. The first player who beats or draws Koltanowski will receive a special prize.

Board fee is \$1.50, and reservations for boards can be made with Roger Martin at GL 1-5711 or with Koltanowski, c/o The Chronicle. The exhibition is limited to 30 players, so early reservations are advisable.

And here is the official announcement of the Open Championship of Chess Friends of Northern California:

Place and Date: Central YMCA, 2101 Telegraph avenue, Oakland, February 9 and 10. First round starts on Saturday, February 9.

Who can play: Open to chess players who are or who become members of Chess Friends of Northern California.

Prizes: Trophies will be awarded to the first three in each division. There will also be a number of book prizes.

Type of tourney: At least five round Swiss with three divisions; Expert—A, B and C. Tournament director: George Koltanowski.

Rated: A good chance for each player to get a national rating.

Entry fee: \$2 to Chess Friends of Northern California members, nonmembers \$4, which includes a year's membership to CFNC and the benefits derived therefrom, plus one year's subscription to Chess in Action.

How to enter: Send entry fee to CFNC treasurer, William Pattullo, at 2286 46th avenue, San Francisco. Fees will also be accepted at start of tournament.

Lists of the participants will be published in The Chronicle.

LOOKING AROUND

The first "Open" tournament at San Quentin had 46 players participating . . . Plans are afoot for Koltanowski to play 100 inmates at one time in San Quentin the first week in February . . . The California Medical Facility at Vacaville has formed a team and is eager to play outside teams . . . Sequoia High School beat Capuchino 5-2 and then beat Fremont 7-0.

Industrial League result:

Crockett Club	UC Radiation Lab., Berkeley
L. F. Martin... 1	E. Hoffer 0
Wm. Smaker.. 0	E. Appleman .. 1
Forfeit 0	G. Farly 1
Forfeit 0	R. Good 1
P. Constable... ½	K. Stone ½
S. Brooks 0	J. Newton 1
1½	4½