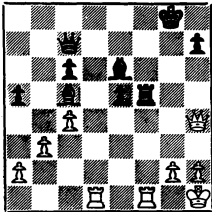


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TAKEN BY DUNCAN SUTTLES

SANTA MONICA: WEINBERGER WINS PACIFIC SOUTHWEST OPEN

In July two important area championships were played, with results as above. But later in July and continuing through August 15th the ten grandmasters of the Piatigorsky cup tournament took over all chess interest in California. Boris Spassky won a well-earned first place, Robert Fischer won a scintillating second place, and Bent Larsen took third-place honors. The tournament was a great success. The crowds were too much for the three rooms reserved for the tournament, parking places were at a premium and Mr. and Mrs. Piatigorsky and their numerous assistants were swamped.

GRANDMASTERS IN ACTION AT SANTA MONICA IN PIATIGORSKY CUP

Boris Spassky of the USSR, defeated challenger in the recent match for the world's championship, went undefeated in the second Piatigorsky Cup tournament, played July 17 - August 15, 1966, at the Miramar Hotel in Santa Monica. Spassky a handsome 29-year-old, played the most solid chess of all the competitors. He also turned out to be quite a comedian, as he imitated the great chessplayers of the world to the laughter of the audience at the awards banquet held following the tournament.

Robert Fischer of the U.S. played one of the most spectacular second halves in the history of grandmaster chess, tied Spassky with only two rounds to go, and then drew twice with the two Russian players while Spassky scored a win and a draw.

Bent Larsen of Denmark was one of the early leaders, having been tied with Spassky for some time, came upon a losing streak, and then regained his winning ways so that he finished a clear third.

The two Russians, Spassky and world champion Tigran Petrosian, had been grounded temporarily while the notorious decision of the Soviet track and field team to cancel its U.S. trip was being taken. The two chessplayers refused to go along with that decision, and held out stoutly for the concept that international chess was different. They had their way, last-minute visas were arranged and they arrived at Santa Monica at the last minute, but in good time. Their courageous action made possible a truly great international tournament.

The success of the tournament was due primarily to Mr. and Mrs. Piatigorsky, of course. They were assisted greatly by grandmaster Isaac Kashdan, the tournament director. Kashdan was assisted by Harry Borochoy, George Goehler and Jack Moskowitz. In the analysis rooms were Irving Rivise, Jerry Hanken, Bill Maillard and Carl Pilnick. On the entrance desk were Lena Grumette, Selma Steiner and many others. The communications committee had a dozen or two juniors, led by Ed Kennedy. One of the features of the playing stage was a set of projectors which showed the current positions of all the games (this system was developed by Jacqueline Piatigorsky).

	<u>Score</u>	<u>Prize</u>		<u>Score</u>	<u>Prize</u>
1. Spassky	11½-6½	\$5,000	6. Petrosian	9 - 9	\$1,400
2. Fischer	11 - 7	3,000	7. Reshevsky	9 - 9	1,400
3. Larsen	10 - 8	2,250	8. Najdorf	8 -10	1,150
4. Portisch	9½ -8½	1,875	9. Ivkov	6½-11½	1,050
5. Unzicker	9½ -8½	1,875	10. Donner	6 -12	1,000

DUNCAN SUTTLES WINS THIRD ANNUAL ARTHUR B. STAMER MEMORIAL

Duncan Suttles of Reno (and Canada) won the Stamer Memorial, held on July 2,3,4 at the Mechanics' Institute, by the perfect score of 6-0. Earl Pruner of San Francisco and Dr. Anthony Saidy of Berkley (formerly of New York) tied for second, $5\frac{1}{2}-\frac{1}{2}$.

The prize fund was \$895; 1.Suttles \$300; 2-3. Pruner and Saidy \$125 each; Expert, John Blackstone \$80; "A" B. Foreman, R. Henry, V. Radaikin and J. Salna \$22.50 each; "B" P. Grey \$50; "C",R. Hough \$40. The best-played game prize of \$10 was awarded to Duncan Suttles.

The tournament was directed by international master George Koltanowski and staged by senior master William G. Addison. There were 104 contestants. The cross table:

THIRD ANNUAL ARTHUR B. STAMER MEMORIAL TOURNAMENT, JULY 2,3,4, 1966.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	Score
1. D. Suttles	W65	W20	W4	W6	W10	W5	6 - 0
2. A. Saidy	W64	W25	W32	D19	W18	W11	$5\frac{1}{2}-\frac{1}{2}$
3. E. Pruner	W45	W76	W39	D18	W19	W12	$5\frac{1}{2}-\frac{1}{2}$
4. J. Blackstone	W84	W75	L1	W67	W44	W23	5 - 1
5. R. Wilcox	W69	W44	D12	W21	W22	L1	$4\frac{1}{2}-1\frac{1}{2}$
6. C. Stamer	W83	W34	W24	L1	W20	D14	$4\frac{1}{2}-1\frac{1}{2}$
7. R. Kirby	W40	D26	W70	W8	D14	D13	$4\frac{1}{2}-1\frac{1}{2}$
8. J. Schmitt	W16	D41	W26	L7	W34	W29	$4\frac{1}{2}-1\frac{1}{2}$
9. D. Blohm	W56	W47	W13	D10	L12	W33	$4\frac{1}{2}-1\frac{1}{2}$
10. Z. Baroudi	W93	W48	W22	D9	L1	W30	$4\frac{1}{2}-1\frac{1}{2}$
11. C. Capps	D66	W50	W30	W29	W33	L2	$4\frac{1}{2}-1\frac{1}{2}$
12. P. D. Smith	W92	W51	D5	W78	W9	L3	$4\frac{1}{2}-1\frac{1}{2}$
13. N. Falconer	W90	W46	L9	W27	W43	D7	$4\frac{1}{2}-1\frac{1}{2}$
14. G. Wilson	D50	W66	W63	W75	D7	D6	$4\frac{1}{2}-1\frac{1}{2}$
15. A. Wang	W49	W54	D29	L46	W40	W38	$4\frac{1}{2}-1\frac{1}{2}$
16. P. Grey	L8	W73	W54	W76	D39	W46	$4\frac{1}{2}-1\frac{1}{2}$
17. B. Menas	W88	L24	D68	W90	W35	W31	$4\frac{1}{2}-1\frac{1}{2}$
18. K. Tullus	W58	W36	W43	D3	L2	D26	4 - 2
19. D. Sutherland	W79	W77	W23	D2	L3	D25	4 - 2
20. R. L. Henry	W61	L1	W57	W91	L6	W45	4 - 2
21. H. Gross	W86	W28	W41	L5	L30	W55	4 - 2
22. A. Kanamori	W100	W59	L10	W24	L5	W56	4 - 2
23. I. Pohl	W67	W68	L19	W48	W46	L4	4 - 2
24. J. Salna	W98	W17	L6	L22	W49	W43	4 - 2
25. M. Wilkerson	W97	L2	W52	D37	W68	D19	4 - 2
26. V. Radaikin	W101	D7	L8	W57	W63	D18	4 - 2
27. R. Hough	L47	W45	W55*	L13	W54	W44	4 - 2
28. B. Foreman	W58	L21	L31	W85	W75	W53	4 - 2
29. T. Jaffray	W55	W52	L15	L11	W57	L8	$5\frac{1}{2}-2\frac{1}{2}$

	1	2	3	4	5	6	Score
30. E. McNally	D33	W80	L11	W65	W21	L10	3½-2½
31. D. Fritzinger	W72	W43	W28	D34	W36	L17	3½-2½
32. J. Iwashita	W60	W37	L2	L44	D69	W65	3½-2½
33. N. Wood	D30	W87	W51	W66	L11	L9	3½-2½
34. R. McCullough	W94	L6	W49	D31	L8	W63	3½-2½
35. J. Hurt	L52	W86	D65	W60	L17	W69	3½-2½
36. H. Edelstein	W42	L18	D91	W71	L31	W64	3½-2½
37. C. Huneke	W96	L32	W80	D25	L29	W71	3½-2½
38. N. Babbitt	L28	D93	W81	W70	W82	L15	3½-2½
39. F. Thornally	W74	W82	L3	W77	D16		3½-2½
40. R. Ng	L7	W100	D67	W97	L15	W74	3½-2½
41. K. Zangerle	W102	D8	L21	L63	W92	W67	3½-2½
42. H. Loewy	L36	L49	D92	W98	W66	W48	3½-2½
43. M. Galindez	W53	W31	L18	W47	L13	L24	3 - 3
44. R. Trenberth	W62	L5	W85	W32	L4	L27	3 - 3
45. R. Santiago	L3	L27	W98	W59	W47	L20	3 - 3
46. B. Gross	W78	L13	W97	W15	L23	L16	3 - 3
47. E. Phillips	W27	L9	W56	L43	L45	W84	3 - 3
48. D. Clark	W73	L10	W84	L23	W58	L42	3 - 3
49. J. Prebus	L15	W42	L34	W87	L24	W81	3 - 3
50. P. Schure	D14	L11	D64	L53	W80	W68	3 - 3
51. D. Forthoffer	W57	L12	L33	W83	L53	W75	3 - 3
52. A. Eydal	W35	L29	L25	L64	D60	W85	3 - 3
53. R. Menaster	L43	L97	W61	W50	W51	L28	3 - 3
54. M. Gazse	W99	L15	L16	W100	L27	W89	3 - 3
55. G. Pickler	L59	W61	L27*	W99	W76	L21	3 - 3
56. D. Wilson	L9	W98	L47	W81	W77	L22	3 - 3
57. R. Hammie	L51	W79	L20	L26	W93	W82	3 - 3
58. S. Bettencourt	L18	W62	L75	W80	L48	W78*	3 - 3
59. W. Loney	W55	L22	L76	L45	W86	W83	3 - 3
60. R. Winkelman	L32	D71	W103*	L35	D52	W87	3 - 3
61. W. Bettencourt	L20	L55	L53	W104	W79	W77	3 - 3
62. R. Chako	L44	L58	W79	L72	W88	W90	3 - 3
63. D. Keeler	D70	W81	L14	W41	L26	L34	2½-3½
64. P. Vayssie	L2	D89	D50	W52	W72	L36	2½-3½
65. J. Mecorney	L1	W101	D35	L30	W91	L32	2½-3½
66. I. Berry	D11	L14	W95	L33	L42	W92	2½-3½
67. P. Lemasney	L23	W104	D40	L4	W70	L41	2½-3½
68. R. Wheeler	W104	L23	D17	W74	L25	L50	2½-3½
69. N. Walters	L5	W99	L77	W86	D32	L35	2½-3½
70. E. Lien	D63	W92	L7	L38	L67	W91	2½-3½
71. J. Veguilla	L81	D60	W93	L36	W90	L37	2½-3½
72. S. Markham	L31	D90	L83	W62	L64	W94	2½-3½

	1	2	3	4	5	6	Score
73. W. Friedman	L48	L16	D94	L79	W95	W93	2½-3½
74. G. Garcia	L39	D95	W102	L68	W78	L40	2½-3½
75. M. Mattingly	W103	L4	W58	L14	L28	L51	2 - 4
76. S. Rubin	W89	L3	W59	L16	L55		2 - 4
77. H. Rosenbaum	W91	L19	W69	L39	L56	L61	2 - 4
78. C. Lewis	L46	W88	W82	L12	L74	L58*	2 - 4
79. D. Olmsted	L19	L57	L62	W73	L61	W101	2 - 4
80. N. Duncan	W87	L30	L37	L58	L50	W97	2 - 4
81. J. W. Wise	W71	L63	L38	L56	W96	L49	2 - 4
82. R. Cuneo	W95	L39	L78	W84	L38	L57	2 - 4
83. R. Oyler	L6	D103	W72	L51	D89	L59	2 - 4
84. A. Gullmes	L4	W96	L48	L82	W99	L47	2 - 4
85. V. Bedjanian	L29	W102	L44	L28	W97	L52	2 - 4
86. E. Ipsen	L21	L35	W104	L69	L59	W99	2 - 4
87. L. A. Post	L80	L33	W101	L49	W100	L60	2 - 4
88. L. O'Doan	L17	L78	L99	W101	L62	W98	2 - 4
89. E. Leong	L76	D64	L90	W94	D83	L54	2 - 4
90. T. Terman	L13	D72	W89	L17	L71	L62	1½-4½
91. R. Fifer	L77	W94	D36	L20	L65	L70	1½-4½
92. J. Cornwell	L12	L70	D42	W95	L41	L66	1½-4½
93. J. Jennings	L10	D38	L71	W103*	L57	L73	1½-4½
94. R. Forsyth	L34	L91	D73	L89	W102	L72	1½-4½
95. R. Murian	L82	D74	L66	L92	L73	W102	1½-4½
96. D. Meixsell	L37	L84	L100	D102	L81	W104	1½-4½
97. J. Hauser	L25	W53	L46	L40	L85	L80	1 - 5
98. H. Gladding	L24	L56	L45	L42	BYE	L88	1 - 5
99. P. Tarr	L54	L69	W88	L55	L84	L86	1 - 5
100. D. Bennett	L22	L40	W96	L54	L87		1 - 5
101. N. Smith	L26	L65	L87	L88	W104	L79	1 - 5
102. W. Clipson	L41	L85	L74	D96	L94	L95	½-5½
103. E. Kunstart	L75	D83	L60*	L93*			½-5½
104. G. Surian	L68	L67	L86	L61	L101	L96	0 - 6

WEINBERGER WINS PACIFIC SOUTHWEST OPEN AT SANTA MONICA

Tibor Weinberger won the fifth annual Pacific Southwest Open held at Joslyn Hall in Santa Monica in July, by the fine score of 6½-½. He led all the way with five straight wins, then a draw with Irving Rivise in the sixth round, and a win in the last round vs Jerry Hanken.

Weinberger was followed by Irving Rivise and Michael Leidner, who tied for second with 6-1 scores, and five players with 5½-1½. There was a total of 90 contestants.

The tournament was directed by grandmaster Isaac Kashdan. The announced prizes were: 1st, \$300 and trophy; 2nd, \$150; 3rd, \$75, and class prizes to make a total of \$705 minimum. (The best-played game prize to be awarded by The California Chess Reporter was not given, because there were no games submitted.)

5th ANNUAL PACIFIC SOUTHWEST OPEN, SANTA MONICA JULY 1-2-3, 1966

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Score
1. T. Weinberger	W48	W28	W42	W13	W9	D2	W6	6½-1½
2. I. Rivise	W35	W31	W17	W38	D6	D1	W11	6 - 1
3. M. Leidner	L64	W70	W49	W63	W37	W34	W9	6 - 1
4. C. Pilnick	W58	W19	L20	D30	W28	W18	W17	5½-1½
5. C. Henin	D34	W29	W41	W8	W7	L6	W20	5½-1½
6. J. Hanken	W62	W23	W15	W51	D2	W5	L1	5½-1½
7. E. Wicher	W69	W49	D51	W52	L5	W21	W29	5½-1½
8. K. Stani	W81	W89	D10	L5	W55	W39	W14	5½-1½
9. N. Lessing	W68	W45	W27	W37	L1	W13	L3	5 - 2
10. R. Martin	W59	W46	D8	W20	L13	D30	W28	5 - 2
11. E. Kennedy	W60	W21	L13	W29	W23	W25	L2	5 - 2
12. S. Rains	W74	W64	L38	D22	D36	W31	W30	5 - 2
13. J. Tarjan	W73	W54	W11	L1	W10	L9	W25	5 - 2
14. W. Cunningham	L49	W85	D21	W60	W44	W27	L8	4½-2½
15. A. Spiller	W36	W33	L6	D44	W32	L20	W43	4½-2½
16. W. Maillard	D61	L52	W69	L21	W50	W68	W32	4½-2½
17. K. Pfeiffer	W71	W87	L2	D55	W22	W36	L4	4½-2½
18. M. Kerlnevech	W66	L38	D36	W67	W51	L4	W54	4½-2½
19. G. Gean	W82	L4	L53	W66	W62	D51	W55	4½-2½
20. B. Keston	D56	W71	W4	L10	W63	W15	L5	4½-2½
21. Dr. T. Bullockus	W78	L11	D14	W16	W40	L7	W39*	4½-2½
22. H. Rogosin	L28	W81	W33	D12	L17	W41	W42	4½-2½
23. W. Stewart	W76	L2	W84	W42	L11	D24	W26	4½-2½
24. S. Almgren	L63	W65	L35	W74	W58	D23	D33	4 - 3
25. T. Fries	W65	W63	L37	W53	W38	L11	L13	4 - 3
26. D. Littrell	L53	W66	D60	D76	W35	W49	L23	4 - 3
27. R. Edberg	W83	W55	L9	W35	D52	L14	D37	4 - 3
28. P. Rhee	W22	L1	W62	W50	L4	W52	L10	4 - 3
29. G. Hunne*	W75	L5	W64	L11	W61	W38	L7	4 - 3
30. A. Wicher	L38	W83	W87	D4	W53	D10	L12	4 - 3
31. S. Salter	W80	L2	W89	L39	W76	L12	W61	4 - 3
32. F. Metz	L37	W82	W72	D40	L15	W73	L16	3½-3½
33. O. Stumbrs	W77	L15	L22	D56	W81	W40	D24	4 - 3
34. M. Klausner	D5	L50	D73	W81	L56	W67	W63	4 - 3
35. E. Hildreth	L2	W79	W24	L27	L26	W75	W62	4 - 3
36. R. Neustaedter	L15	W77	D18	W41	D12	L17	W44	4 - 3
37. J. Monarch	W32	W57	W25	L9	L3	D43	D27	4 - 3

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	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Score
38. R. Weinhold	W30	W18	W12	L2	L25	L29	W59	4 - 3
39. I. Barlai	D50	D56	W47	W31	D54	L8	L21*	3½-3½
40. V. Saporito	W85	L51	W48	D32	L21	L33	W69	3½-3½
41. F. McReynolds	D52	W67	L5	L36	W69	L22	W70	3½-3½
42. C. A. Batchelder	W70	W53	L1	L23	D48	W46	L22	3½-3½
43. L. Enequist	D67	D61	L63	W64	W59	D37	L15	3½-3½
44. A. Eglitis	L55	W86	S56	D15	L14	W48	L36	3½-3½
45. M. Burlingame	W79	L9	L55	D70	D67	W64	D51	3½-3½
46. H. Cillers	W72	L10	L54	W87	D73	L42	W71	3½-3½
47. L. Johnson	L54	W75	L39	L73	W60	W65	D52	3½-3½
48. B. Hernandez	L1	W90*	L40	W75	D42	L44	W73	3½-3½
49. R. Gish	W14	L7	L3	W79	W57	L26	D53	3½-3½
50. M. Kaner	D39	W34	L52	L28	L16	W83	W79	3½-3½
51. S. Cross	W84	W40	D7	L6	L18	D19	D45	3½-3½
52. M. Wilson	D41	W16	W50	L7	D27	L28	D47	3½-3½
53. R. Taylor	W26	L42	W19	L25	L30	W58	D49	3½-3½
54. J. Davidian	W47	L13	W46	W57	D39	L3	L18	3½-3½
55. A. Pollard	W44	L27	W45	D17	L8	W56	L19	3½-3½
56. C. Whitman	D20	D39	L44	D33	W34	L55	W68	3½-3½
57. F. Gamboa	W86	L37	W61	L54	L49	L63	W75	3 - 4
58. R. Klein	L4	W80	L67	W89	L24	L53	W81	3 - 4
59. A. Fernandez	L10	L72	W86	W88*	L43	W76	L38	3 - 4
60. R. Cortes	L11	W78	D26	L14	L47	D66	W82	3 - 4
61. G. Olsson	D16	D43	L57	W72	L29	W77	L31	3 - 4
62. R. G. Clark	L6	W88	L28	W84*	L19	W82	L35	3 - 4
63. H. D. Rader	W24	L25	W43	L3	L20	W57	L34	3 - 4
64. T. O'Connell	W3	L12	L29	L43	W80	L45	W78	3 - 4
65. C. Fotias	L25	L24	L81	W78	W79	L47	W77	3 - 4
66. D. Ackerman	L18	L26	W78	L19	D72	D60	W76	3 - 4
67. R. Engler	D43	L41	W58	L18	D45	L34	W83	3 - 4
68. K. Schaumburger	L9	D73	L76	W71	W70	L16	L56	2½-4½
69. J. Batchelder	L7	D76	L16	W83	L41	W72	L40	2½-4½
70. L. Mulinex	L42	L3	W80	D45	L68	W89	L41	2½-4½
71. G. Fennell	L17	L20	D83	L68	W86	W80	L46	2½-4½
72. G. Lundberg	L46	W59	L32	L61	D66	L69	W85	2½-4½
73. R. Walsh	L13	D68	D34	W47	D46	L32	L48	2½-4½
74. J. Nanassy	L12	L84	W82	L24	L75	L79	W89	2 - 5
75. J. Kent	L29	L47	W85	L48	W74	L35	L57	2 - 5
76. V. Chobotov	L23	D69	W68	D26	L31	L59	L66	2 - 5
77. S. Gusner	L33	L36	L79	W85	W87	L61	L65	2 - 5
78. Dr. J. Hoyos	L21	L60	L66	L65	BYE	W86	L64	2 - 5
79. P. Mitchell	L45	L35	W77	L49	L65	W74	L50	2 - 5
80. A. Patsch	L31	L58	L70	W86	L64	L71	W87	2 - 5
81. M. Tupas	L8	L22	W65	L34	L33	W87	L58	2 - 5

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Score
82. G. Wood	L19	L32	L74	BYE	W89	L62	L60	2 - 5
83. Ted Hennessy	L27	L30	D71	L69	W85	L50	L67	1½-5½
84. H. Mayer	L51	W74	L23	L62*	-	-	-	1 - 6
85. R. Goldie	L40	L14	L75	L77	L83	BYE	L72	1 - 6
86. B. McGrann	L57	L44	L59	L80	L71	L78	BYE	1 - 6
87. P. Rogosin	W88	L17	L30	L46	L77	L81	L80	1 - 6
88. G. Comini	L87	L62	BYE	L59*	-	-	-	1 - 6
89. W. Mohawk	W90*	L8	L31	L58	L82	L70	L74	1 - 6
90. H. Sanders	L89*	L48*	-	-	-	-	-	0 - 7

BENDER, VON OETTINGEN SACRAMENTO CLUB CO-CHAMPIONS by Jose L. Arguijo

The Capitol City Chess Club championship was held in six sections during March, April and May 1966. Co-winners in the first section were Joe Bender and Serge Von Oettingen. The scores:

SECTION I

	1	2	3	4	5	Score
1. O. Bender	X	1	0	1	1	3 - 1
2. S. Von Oettingen	0	X	1	1	1	3 - 1
3. M. El Sayed	1	0	X	0	1	2 - 2
4. S. Goldstein	0	0	1	X	1	2 - 2
5. S. Markman	0	0	0	0	X	0 - 4

SECTION II

	1	2	3	4	5	Score
1. J. Arguijo	X	1	1	½	1	3½ - ½
2. K. Norberg	0	X	1	0	1	2 - 2
3. D. Roby	0	0	X	1	1	2 - 2
4. A. Moxley	½	1	0	X	0	1½ - 2½
5. D. Litowsky	0	0	0	1	X	1 - 3

SECTION III

	1	2	3	4	5	6	Score
1. A. DiMilo	X	1	1	½	1	1	4½ - ½
2. J. Baugher	0	X	1	1	1	1	4 - 1
3. W. Curdy	0	0	X	1	1	1	3 - 2
4. G. Shaffer	½	0	0	X	1	0	1½ - 3½
5. R. Hansen	0	0	0	0	X	1	1 - 4
6. L. Jamieson	0	0	0	1	0	X	1 - 4

SECTION IV

	1	2	3	4	5	Score
1. M. Mattingly	X	0	1	1	1	3 - 1
2. G. Manhart	1	X	0	1	1	3 - 1
3. D. Olmsted	0	1	X	0	1	2 - 2
4. L. Miller	0	0	1	X	1	2 - 2
5. F. Adkins	0	0	0	0	X	0 - 4

SECTION V

	1	2	3	4	5	6	Score
1. R. Ingram	X	1	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	1	1	$4\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2}$
2. R. Santos	0	X	1	1	1	1	4 - 1
3. M. Rasmussen	$\frac{1}{2}$	0	X	1	1	1	$3\frac{1}{2} - 1\frac{1}{2}$
4. R. Koedel	0	0	0	X	1	1	2 - 3
5. A. Geiger	0	0	0	0	X	1	1 - 4
6. F. Volkert	0	0	0	0	0	X	0 - 5

SECTION VI

	1	2	3	4	5	Score
1. S. Martinez	X	1	0	1	1	3 - 1
2. H. Moore	0	X	1	1	1	3 - 1
3. James Saunders	1	0	X	1	0	2 - 2
4. A. Martinez	0	0	0	X	1	1 - 3
5. W. Austin	0	0	1	0	X	1 - 3

HAYES, WOLLSCHLAGER EXPERTS CANDIDATES CO-CHAMPIONS

Bill Hayes of Whittier and Jerry Wollschlager of City Terrace tied for first place in the Expert Candidates tournament, the finals of which were held at the Atlas Club in July. In this annual event the scores from the six preliminary sections were carried forward to the finals.

Hayes scored 5-0 in his section, then tallied 3-2 in the finals for a total score of 8-2. Wollschlager made 4-1 in the preliminary section and another 4-1 in the finals for an 8-2 score. The best score in the final tournament was made by Ben Hernandez of San Fernando, $4\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2}$. The final tournament had 42 contestants and was directed by Arthur Spiller.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EXPERTS CANDIDATES FINALS - Atlas Chess Club, July

	1	2	3	4	5	Prel. Score	Score
1. W. Hayes	D7	L3	W8	W9	D2	5 - 0	8 - 2
2. J. Wollschlager	W6	W12	D7	W13	D1	4 - 1	8 - 2
3. D. Cotten	W12	W1	L13	W7	D4	4 - 1	$7\frac{1}{2} - 2\frac{1}{2}$
4. H. Guadarrama	L13	W6	W21	W19	D3	4 - 1	$7\frac{1}{2} - 2\frac{1}{2}$

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EXPERTS CANDIDATES FINALS (continued)

	1	2	3	4	5	Prel. Score	Score
5. B. Hernandez	W28	W25	D14	W12	W13	3 - 2	7½-2½
6. T. Beckman	L2	L4	W23	W22	W11	4 - 1	7 - 3
7. T. Ellis	D1	D13	D2	L3	D8	5 - 0	7 - 3
8. P. Mitchell	W38	W9	L1	W14	D7	3½-1½	7 - 3
9. I. Besen	W17	L8	W16	L1	W25	3½-1½	6½-3½
10. H. Cillers	L21	W30	D20	W29	W18	3 - 2	6½-3½
11. R. Klein	L16	W38	W30	W20	L6	3½-1½	6½-3½
12. D. Littrell	L3	L2	W38	L5	W21	4½-½	6½-3½
13. Scheib	W4	D7	W3	L2	L5	4 - 1	6½-3½
14. D. Argald	BYE	W20	D5	L8	D16	4 - 1	6 - 4
15. S. Cross	L19	W18	L25	W31	W27	3 - 2	6 - 4
16. A. Gojich	W11	D19	L9	W38	D14	3 - 2	6 - 4
17. A. Pollard	L9	L21	L22	W28	W19	4 - 1	6 - 4
18. Fk. Frilling	D22	L15	W37	W24	L10	3 - 2	5½-4½
19. Pd. Frilling	W15	D16	W29	L4	L17	3 - 2	5½-4½
20. C. Larson	W23	L14	D10	L11	W34*	3 - 2	5½-4½
21. S. Morford	W10	W17	L4	D25	L12	3 - 2	5½-4½
22. F. Pye	D18	W41	W17	L6	D23	2½-2½	5½-4½
23. S. Salter	L20	W27	L6	W34*	D22	3 - 2	5½-4½
24. H. Shipin	L37	W39	W28	L18	W29	2½-2½	5½-4½
25. C. Whitman	W30	L5	W15	D21	L9	3 - 2	5½-4½
26. S. Glassberg	L41	W42	L34	W33	W31	2 - 3	5 - 5
27. T. Mishler	W40	L23	W41	W37*	L15	2 - 3	5 - 5
28. J. Pyle	L5	W33	L24	L17	W35	3 - 2	5 - 5
29. R. Kitz	W31	W37	L19	L10	W24	2½-2½	4½-5½
30. D. Rader	L25	L10	L11	D35	W38	3 - 2	4½-5½
31. Cantafio	L29	D34	W32	L15	L26	2½-2½	4 - 6
32. H. Gandara	W42	W40	L31	L39	W41	1 - 4	4 - 6
33. Dr. A. Hendy	W35	L28	D39	L26	BYE	1½-3½	4 - 6
34. Rosenberg	W39	D31	W26	L23*	L20*	1½-3½	4 - 6
35. L. Clark	L33	W36	W40	D30	L28	1 - 4	3½-6½
36. M. Gojich	-	L35	W42*	-	W39	1½-3½	3½-6½
37. S. Jurado	W24	L29	L18	L27*	-	2½-2½	3½-6½
38. B. Mueller	L8	L11	L12	L16	L30	3½-1½	3½-6½
39. O. Rudder	L34	L24	D33	W32	L36	2 - 3	3½-6½
40. A. Holmes	L27	L32	L35	W42*	-	2 - 3	3 - 7
41. R. Weber	W26	L22	L27	-	L32	2 - 3	3 - 7
42. R. Salinas	L32	L26	L36	L40	-	2 - 3	2 - 8

EXPERT CANDIDATES SECTION - WHITTIER

	1	2	3	4	5	Score
1. W. Hayes	W18	W19	W10	W2	W4	5 - 0
2. H. Guadarrama	W7	W12	W9	L1	W5	4 - 1
3. C. Henderson	L12	W8	D13	W14	W6	3½-1½
4. J. Zizda	W8	D13	W15	W9	L1	3½-1½
5. Fk. Frilling	W17	L10	W16	W7	L2	3 - 2
6. Fd. Frilling	W15	L9	W19	W10	L3	3 - 2
7. C. Larson	L2	W18	W17	L5	W11	3 - 2
8. R. O'Hara	L4	L3	W18	W17	W12	3 - 2
9. J. Pyle	W16	W6	L2	L4	W13	3 - 2
10. D. Rader	W11	W5	L1	L6	W16	3 - 2
11. F. Pye	L10	D17	W12	W13	L7	2½-2½
12. G. Chicoine	W3	L2	L11	W19	L8	2 - 3
13. L. Hoke	W14	D4	D3	L11	L9	2 - 3
14. T. Knapp	L13	L15	BYE	L3	W19	2 - 3
15. T. Mishler	L6	W14	L4	L16	W18	2 - 3
16. F. Munson	L9	BYE	L5	W15	L10	2 - 3
17. D. Gosiewski	L5	D11	L7	L8	BYE	1½-3½
18. H. Gandara	L1	L7	L8	BYE	L15	1 - 4
19. H. Wingfield	BYE	L1	L6	L12	L14	1 - 4

EXPERT CANDIDATES - CITY TERRACE SECTION

	1	2	3	4	5	Score
1. D. Argall	D10	W14	W6	W2	D3	4 - 1
2. J. Wollschlager	W9	W5	W3	L1	W8*	4 - 1
3. I. Besen	W16	W15	L2	W9	D1	3½-1½
4. D. Young	D7	D9	W11	D8	W5	3½-1½
5. S. Cross	W11	L2	W15*	W7	L4	3 - 2
6. S. Morford	W13	L7	L1	W16	W12	3 - 2
7. S. Salter	D4	W6	D8	L5	W11	3 - 2
8. S. Jurado	D14	W10	D7	D4	L2*	2½-2½
9. R. Kotz	L2	D4	W16	L3	W14	2½-2½
10. S. Glassberg	D1	L8	D14	L11	W16	2 - 3
11. A. Holmes	L5	W12	L4	W10	L7	2 - 3
12. M. Krueger	BYE	L11	W13	W14	L6	2 - 3
13. O. Rudder	L6	L16	L12	W15*	BYE	2 - 3
14. L. Clark	D8	L1	D10	L12	L9	1 - 4
15. J. Cromshow	BYE	L3	L5*	L13*	-	1 - 4
16. D. Harding	L3	W13	L9	L6	L10	1 - 4

EXPERT CANDIDATES SECTION - EL SEGUNDO

	1	2	3	4	5	Score
1. D. Littrell	W12	W8	D6	W5	W2*	4½ - ½
2. T. Beckman	W13	W9	W4	W6	L1*	4 - 1
3. H. Walpuski	L9	W11	D8	W13	W7	3½ - 1½
4. H. Cillers	D5	W12	L2	W8	D6	3 - 2
5. A. Cojich	D4	D10	W14	L1	W9	3 - 2
6. C. Whitman	W7	W14	D1	L2	D4	3 - 2
7. H. Shipin	L6	D13	W10	W12	W3	2½ - 2½
8. Vorderstrasse	W11	L1	D3	L4	W13	2½ - 2½
9. J. Porter	W3	L2	L13*	W14	L5	2 - 3
10. M. Duckworth	L14	D5	L7	D11	D12	1½ - 3½
11. M. Gojick	L8	L3	L12	D10	W14	1½ - 3½
12. W. McGrann	L1	L4	W11	L7	D10	1½ - 3½
13. R. Rosenberg	L2	D7	W9*	L3	L8	1½ - 3½
14. J. Strauss	W10	L6	L5	L9	L11	1 - 4

EXPERT CANDIDATES - SAN BERNARDINO SECTION

	1	2	3	4	5	Score
1. D. Cotten	L6	W7	W9	W4	W3	4 - 1
2. Scheib	W8	W4	W10	L3	W6	4 - 1
3. B. Mueller	D5	W11	W6	W2	L1	3½ - 1½
4. Ogden	W7	L2	W11	L1	W8	3 - 2
5. Teal	D3	D9	W12	L6	W10	3 - 2
6. Cantafio	W1	D10	L3	W5	L2	2½ - 2½
7. Dr. M. Schlosser	W4	L1	L8	W11	W9	2 - 3
8. S. Skrypzak	L2	L12	W7	W10	L4	2 - 3
9. Dr. A. Hendy	D11	D5	L1	D12	L7	1½ - 3½
10. Projector	W12	D6	L2	L8	L5	1½ - 3½
11. D. Choate	D9	L3	L4	L7	W12	1½ - 3½
12. Pawley	L10	W8	L5	D9	L11	1½ - 3½

EXPERT CANDIDATES - SAN FERNANDO VALLEY SECTION

	1	2	3	4	5	Score
1. A. Pollard	W6	W5	L2	W7	W4	4 - 1
2. R. Klein	W10	D7	W1	L4	W6	3½ - 1½
3. P. Mitchell	L4	BYE	D10	W8	W7	3½ - 1½
4. M. Rubin	W3	D8	W5	W2	L1	3½ - 1½
5. B. Hernandez	BYE	L1	L4	W10	W9	3 - 2
6. R. Neustaedter	L1	W10	D8	W11	L2	2½ - 2½
7. L. Rubin	W11	D2	W9	L1	L3	2½ - 2½
8. J. Kent	W9	D4	D6	L3	-	2 - 2
9. R. Salinas	L8	W11	L7	BYE	L5	2 - 3
10. L. Nezhni	L2	L3	D3	L5	BYE	1½ - 3½
11. M. Rubin	L7	W5	BYE	W6	-	1 - 3

EXPERT CANDIDATES - DOWNEY SECTION

	1	2	3	4	5	Score
1. T. Ellis	W6	W9	W7	W2	W3	5 - 0
2. G. Miller	W3	W5	W9	L1	W4	4 - 1
3. R. Benz	L2	W8	W6	W7	L1	3 - 2
4. J. Postma	W10	L7	W5	W9	L2	3 - 2
5. Hoier	L9	L2	L4	W6	W8	2 - 3
6. R. Hull	W1	W10*	L3	L5	BYE	2 - 3
7. R. Pridonoff	W8	W4	L1	L3	L9	2 - 3
8. D. Roberts	L7	L3	W10*	BYE	L5	2 - 3
9. R. Weber	W5	L1	L2	L4	W7	2 - 3
10. Van Vleet	L4	L6*	L8*	-	-	0 - 5

MASTER POINT CHESS by Hyman Gordon

(The following are some interesting situations from the rough draft of a book Hyman Gordon of Los Angeles is writing. The author is very much interested in reader comments, which should be sent to 6238 Orange Street, Los Angeles 90048.)

Master Point Chess is a method of self-rating as a champion or master chess player. If you can solve the master point positions in Chapter Three, you credit yourself with one point for each position analyzed correctly. When you have succeeded in getting 100 master-points, you can hold your own in any master tournament in the world. It will take hard work, lots of enthusiasm, and plenty of inspiration to find the best move or best line of play. Most of the general qualities and some of the specific techniques of the chess master must be skillfully blended to solve these challenging situations.

Chapter One will stress the general qualities of the chess master. The outstanding quality of the chess master cannot be emphasized too often. It is to keep looking for the best move or best line of play in a dramatic situation. A number of actual tournament positions from the Piatigorsky Cup Tournament, 1963, will be analyzed to illustrate this important trait. Before finding the key move or best line of play, the champion chess player utilizes a fine blend of imagination, logic, courage and inspiration. He also possesses a keen sense of timing and a fine sense of board space. Finally, the master chess player plans ahead and rejects many lines of play that appear good.

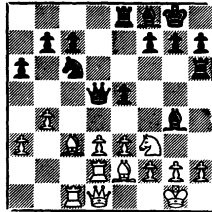
The master will reject lines of play for various reasons. In some cases he foresees that the future end-game is weak; in other instances, where two aggressive lines of play appear equally effective, he will choose the variation with the sounder pawn structure. The

master can also evaluate whether the bark of various attacking lines is stronger than the bite. Finally the master chess player may even reject an excellent combinational line of play mixed with positional strategy in favor of the smothering accumulative effect of small positional pressures.

Lets look at the exciting position that confronted Keres in game No. 8 against world champion Petrosian. Black to move:

White: Petrosian

Black: Keres



What variations do you believe Keres rejected? A number of good attacking lines of play seem possible. Looking at the position in general, Black has some definite advantages. His queen and rooks are better placed. His pawn in the center is more dominating. White's pieces are cramped. This is the type of position that calls for a best line of play. It is also the type of position which furnishes the raw material for the master-point positions in Chapter Three. See if you can guess some of the five concepts Keres must have considered before making his 18th move. Do you agree with Keres' move as the best answer? The game ended in a draw in five more moves. Somehow the writer feels there must be a better move. If you can find the move, you will begin to appreciate the depth of analysis and pleasure derived by the writer in creating the master-point positions in Chapter Three.

<u>White</u>	<u>Black</u>	
<u>Variation I</u>		This line is more aggressive but still unsound.
18. ...	Kt-Q5	21. P-KKt3 Q-R4
19. PxKt	PxP	22. P-KR4 BxKKtP
20. KtxP	Q-Q3	23. PxB ...
This line of attack is weak.		If 23, BxB, QxRP; 24 Q-KB3, Q-R7ch;
21. P-KKt3		25 K-B1, Q-R8 ch; 26 QxQ, RxQ; 27
<u>Variation II</u>		K-Kt2 RxR; 28 B-Kt2 and White wins.
20. ...	B-Q3	23. ... R-K6

24. BxB RXPch
 25. R-Kt2 QxP
 26. B-B3 White wins.

Variation III

20. lll Q-R4

This line is imaginative but unsound.

21. P-KR3 RxB
 22. KtxR Q-Kt4
 23. PxB B-Q3
 24. Kt-Kt3 BxKt
 25. PxB Q-K6 ch
 26. R-B2 and White wins.

Variation IV

18. ... P-K5
 19. PxB Q-R4
 20. R-Q5 P-KB4
 21. PxB BxKt
 22. BxB QxPch
 23. K-B1 and Black's attack has fizzled.

Variation V

18. ... P-K5
 19. PxB QxP
 20. Kt-Kt5 and Blacks attack has lost its sharpness.

Keres answer to this challenging position was as follows:

Game 29

<u>White</u>	<u>Black</u>
18. ...	B-Q3
19. P-K4	Q-K3
20. Kt-K1	BxB
21. RxB	B-K2
22. R-Kt2	R-Q1
23. P-QR4	Q-Q2

Draw

We hope the reader can come up with a superior line of play. Somewhere there must be a line of play that will take advantage of the greater mobility and better control of the center by the Black Pieces. We shall deeply appreciate hearing from you as to better concepts of play.

CHAPTER TWO

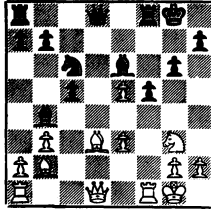
Chapter Two deals with specific techniques of the chess master in handling crucial situations. One tactic is to make a quiet positional move which is part of a larger concept to restrict the enemy movement. Another device is to offer exchange of pieces as if playing for the draw in order to gain a slight advantage in board space or timing. The sacrifice of a castle for a knight is often made where the enemy pawn position is disrupted or where the coordination of one's piece is strengthened. Various other winning methods of the Chess masters will be described in this chapter.

The following crucial position arose in a game between Najdorf and Keres in the Piatigorsky Cup tournament in Los Angeles in 1963.

Game No. 46

White: Najdorf

Black: Keres



It is White's move. Which of the above tactics did White employ to obtain a winning position? In fact White obtained a decisive edge in five moves. A quick survey of the Position shows a slight edge to White because of the advanced pawn at K5 and the weak position of Black's Bishop at QKt5. Can you find White's key move and winning plan? You will greatly benefit from a deep analysis of this position. Take 15 minutes to an hour to study so that you can appreciate the beauty of White's key move and grand plan. Are you ready for White's winning strategy?

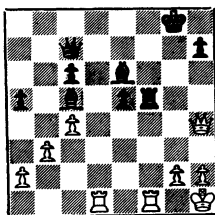
<u>White</u>	<u>Black</u>	16. ...	Q-K2
16. Kt-K2	...	Black might have put up stronger	would free his Bishop at QKt5, and
A quiet retreating move containing		defense by moving P-QB5, which	give him greater mobility of defense
an explosive threat. White seeks		17. Kt-B4	Kt-Q1
to coordinate his two active		18. Q-B3	
bishops and the advance of his		White is in full control of the	center.
passed pawn at King 5 by the move			
of Kt-KB4 to drive away the			
blockading Black Bishop.			

CHAPTER THREE

Chapter Three is devoted to master-point positions. To solve these dramatic situations calls for the finest blend of the general qualities stressed in Chapter One and specific tactics described in Chapter Two. In some cases, a grand sweep of the concepts over the length and breadth of the board space will be needed to find the winning strategy. In another case, an inspirational quality is required to find the key line of play. Sometimes the threat of a combination must be used to secure the positional coordination of the pieces necessary for the best line of play. In a few cases, a high degree of logic is key to victory. In most cases, however, these master-point positions can be

solved if the reader can skillfully weave into a beautiful pattern of coordination the concepts evaluated in Chapters One and Two. We now come to the first Master-point Position:

Game No. 51



As a warm-up, try to find the manner in which Benko won. See if you combine the imagination and logic needed to foresee Benko's combination. After that stimulating challenge try to solve the Master-point position. It will not be easy to find the best line of play. A nice blend of logic, imagination, courage and inspiration will be needed to find the best line. A special technique and a good grasp of chess-board space may be necessary to find the best variation. Take your time and if you solve the challenging situation, you not only richly deserve a master-point but the tactics learned will be greatly beneficial in future tournament play.

The Key move is:

<u>White</u>	<u>Black</u>	
25. RxR	BxR	27. ... B-B7
26. Q-B6	...	Looks like Black has escaped from the double threat.
White threatens R-Q8 and mate to follow.		28. QxKB ...
26. ...	Q-KB2	Looks like White is desperate.
Looks like Black has solved his major problems.		28. ... BxR
27. QxKP ...		29. Q-Kt4ch Q-Kt2 or Q-Kt3
White has a double threat Black's King Bishop is in danger and a pin is threatened on Black's Queen Bishop.		Q-Q8 ch and White wins the Black Bishop and the end game should be won after due care.

Well, how did you do? I believe you will agree that the novel way of pinning a piece combined with a double sacrifice is a technique characteristic of championship play.

GAME OF THE MONTH

The following game won the Reporter's best-played-game prize in the Stamer Memorial Tournament, San Francisco 1966. Winner Duncan Suttles took first prize with a 6-0 score. John Blackstone finished fourth.

Game No. 939 - Sicilian

White	Black
D. Suttles	J. Blackstone
1. P-K4	P-QB4
2. Kt-QB3	Kt-QB3
3. P-Q3	P-KKt3
4. P-KKt4	...

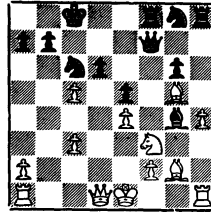
Suttles goes his own way in the openings.

4. ...	P-Q3
5. B-Kt2	P-K4
6. P-KR4?!	B-K2

Evidently played to fix the White pawns and then to open the Rook file with ...P-KR3, but B-Kt2, followed by B-K3 and Q-Q2, would accomplish the same purpose.

7. P-Kt5	B-K3
8. Kt-R3	P-KR3
9. Kt-Q5	PxP
10. KtxB	QxKt
11. KtxP	B-Q2
12. P-QB3	O-O-O
13. B-K3	P-B3
14. Kt-B3	R-B1
15. P-QK4	P-B4
16. B-Kt5	Q-B2
17. KtPxP	PxKP
18. PxKP	B-Kt5

White's position looks poor, but he knows that Black's last move doesn't hurt. The ensuing double pin is a rarity in chess, except for problems. It is hard to believe that White wins the game in ten more moves.



19. B-R3	Q-Q2
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Black is tempted by the target on the King-side, but he would have done better with 19...BxB; 20.RxB Q-QB5; 21. Kt-Q2, QxP, with play on the Queen-side.

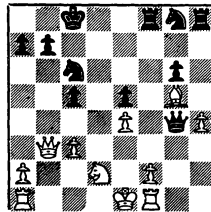
20. BxB	QxB
21. Kt-Q2	Q-Kt7
22. R-KB1	...

White's pieces are beautifully posted and the decisive moves come quickly and simply.

22. ...	PxP
23. Q-Kt3	...

Threatening the BP, which can only be defended by the Queen or by the KtP.

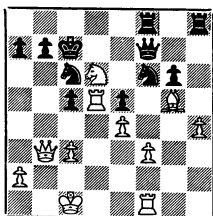
23. ...	Q-Kt5
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24. P-B3 Q-Q2
 25. 0-0-0 K-B2
 26. Kt-B4 Q-B2
 27. R-Q5! Kt-B3

Hoping for 28. RxP, KtxP, and probably overlooking the fact that White's last move threatened more than RxP.

28. Kt-Q6 Resigns



GAMES

The position of Games Editor of The California Chess Reporter is vacant at the moment and we apologize to Bill Addison for the fact that his name is still listed on the masthead. The fact is that the masthead is printed in advance, using hand-set type, and we are reluctant to print a new one until a new Games Editor is appointed.

Our readers will naturally want to know why Bill Addison resigned. He told us that the position was too much work and was too little rewarding. He was not speaking of money, but rather of reader interest. Being a perfectionist, Bill spent more time on analysis than most writers would. We shall miss him.

We hope to fill the position soon. In the meantime, readers will please not blame Bill for the mistakes.

NORTH Vs. SOUTH TEAM MATCH, 1966

Board No. 7

Game No. 940 - Dutch Defense

White	Black
N. Miller	K. Stani
1. P-Q4	P-KB4
2. P-QB4	Kt-KB3
3. Kt-QB3	P-KKt3
4. Kt-KB3	B-Kt2
5. P-KKt3	0-0
6. B-Kt2	P-Q3
7. 0-0	Kt-B3
8. Q-Q3	P-K4
9. P-K4	Kt-QKt5
10. Q-Q2	Kt-B3
11. P-Q5	PxP
12. Kt-KR4	Kt-Q5
13. KtxKP	KtxKt
14. BxKt	B-R6
15. R-K1	Q-Q2
16. Q-Q3	QR-K1
17. P-QKt4	Q-B2
18. P-B3	B-B4
19. R-B1	B-R6
20. R-B2	Kt-B4
21. Kt-Kt2	Kt-R3
22. B-K3	P-Kt3
23. P-Kt5	Kt-B4
24. B-Q2	Kt-Q5
25. P-R4	B-B4
26. Kt-K1	BxB
27. QxB	Kt-Kt6
28. R-R3	Kt-B4
29. Q-K2	Q-B4
30. B-K3	Q-Kt8
31. BxKt	KtPxKt
32. Q-K4	Q-B8
33. QR-R2	B-R3
34. K-Kt2	R-B4
35. Kt-Q3	Q-K6
36. QR-K2	Q-Q5

37. QxQ BPxQ
 38. R-K4 B-K6
 39. R-B1 B-Q7
 40. P-B4 QR-KB1
 41. R-Q1 B-B6
 42. P-Kt4 KR-B2
 43. PxP PxP
 44. RxP R-B6
 45. R-K7 QR-B2
 46. RxR RxR
 47. Kt-K5 R-K2
 48. Kt-B6 R-K7+
 49. K-Kt1 R-R7
 50. P-R5 R-R5
 51. P-R6 RxP
 52. KtxP P-Q6
 53. Kt-B6 P-Q7
 54. K-B1 RxP
 55. P-R7 R-QR5
 56. P-Kt6 PxP
 57. P-Q6 P-QKt4
 58. P-Q7 B-B3
 59. RxP K-Kt2
 60. P-Q8(Q) BxQ
 61. RxB Resigns

Board No. 8

Game No. 941 - King's Indian

White	Black
T. Fries	G. McClain
1. P-Q4	Kt-KB3
2. P-QB4	P-KKt3
3. Kt-QB3	B-Kt2
4. P-K4	P-Q3
5. P-B4	0-0
6. Kt-B3	P-B4
7. PxpP	PxpP
8. QxQ	RxQ
9. P-K5	Kt-K1
10. B-K2	P-Kt3
11. 0-0	B-Kt2
12. P-B5?!	PxpP
13. Kt-KR4	P-K3

14. B-Kt5	R-Q2
15. KtxP	PxKt
16. RxP	Kt-QB3
17. B-R5	KtxP
18. Kt-Q5	BxKt
19. PxB	Kt-Q3
20. KR-B1	R-KB1
21. KR-K1	P-B3
22. B-R4	KKt-B2
23. QR-B1	QR-Q1
24. B-B3	KtxBch
25. PxB	Kt-K4

and Black won after 41 moves.

Board No. 9

Game No. 942 - Sicilian

White	Black
R. Schutt	G. Barrett
1. P-K4	P-QB4
2. Kt-KB3	P-Q3
3. P-Q4	PxpP
4. KtxP	K-KB3
5. Kt-QB3	P-QR3
6. B-Kt5	P-K3
7. P-B4	B-K2
8. Q-B3	Q-Kt3
9. 0-0-0	P-K4
10. Kt-B5	BxKt
11. PxB	QKt-Q2
12. B-Q3	R-QB1
13. P-KKt4	Q-B3
14. Q-K2	0-0
15. BxKt	BxB
16. P-Kt5	B-Q1
17. P-B6	P-KKt3
18. P-KR4	Kt-B4
19. P-R5	KtxB+
20. QxKt	Q-B5
21. PxB	QxQ
22. RxQ	BPxpP
23. PxpP	PxpP
24. R-Q7	R-KB2
25. RxP	KxR

26. RxPch	K-K3	22. R-Q7ch	R-K2
27. R-R8!	K-Q2	23. QR-Q1	K-K3
28. K-Q1	B-B2	24. KR-Q6ch	K-B2
29. RxR	KxR	25. K-B1	R-K1
30. K-K2	K-Q2	26. K-K2	RxR
31. Kt-Q5	B-Q3	27. RxRch	R-K2
32. K-B3	K-K3	28. R-Q6	R-K4
33. K-K4	B-B4	29. R-Q7ch	R-K2
34. Kt-K7	K-B2	30. R-Q6	R-K4
35. KxP	B-K6	31. R-Q7ch	R-K2
36. Kt-B8	BxP	R-Q6	Drawn
37. Kt-Q6ch	K-B1		
38. KtxP	B-B8		
39. P-Kt3	B-Kt7ch		
40. K-K6	P-Kt4		
41. Kt-B5	B-R6		
42. Kt-Q7ch	K-Kt1		
43. P-B3	Resigns		

Board No. 10
Game No. 943 - Queen's Gambit D.

White	Black
D. Baker	K. Bopp
1. P-Q4	P-Q4
2. P-QB4	Kt-KB3
3. Kt-QB3	P-K3
4. B-Kt5	B-K2
5. Kt-B3	O-O
6. R-B1	P-B3
7. P-K3	Q-KtQ2
8. P-QR3	Kt-K5
9. BxB	QxB
10. Q-B2	KtxKt
11. QxKt	R-K1
12. Kt-K5	P-B3
13. KtxKt	BxKt
14. B-K2	P-K4
15. O-O	KPxP
16. QxP	B-K3
17. KR-Q	B-B2
18. PxP	BxP
19. B-B4	BxB
20. QxBch	Q-B2
21. QxQch	KxQ

Board No. 11
Game No. 944 - Philidor's Defence

White	Black
Dr. F. Ruys	J. Porth
1. P-K4	P-K4
2. Kt-KB3	P-Q3
3. P-Q4	Kt-QB3
4. B-QB4	PxP
5. KtxP	Kt-K4
6. B-Kt3	P-QB4
7. Kt-KB3	B-K2
8. KtxKt	PxKt
9. Q-R5	P-KKt3
10. QxKP	Kt-B3
11. B-R6	Q-Q5
12. QxQ	PxQ
13. P-KB3	B-Q2
14. Kt-Q2	B-K3
15. B-R4+	B-Q2
16. BxB+	KtxB
17. B-Kt7	R-KKt
18. BxP	O-O-O

and white wins after 82 moves.

Board No. 14
Game No. 945 - Slav

White	Black
N. Hultgren	W. Leeds
1. P-Q4	P-Q4
2. Kt-KB3	Kt-KB3
3. P-K3	P-B3
4. B-Q3	B-Kt5
5. P-B4	P-K3

6. O-O	QKt-Q4	6. P-K4	P-KKt3
7. .QKt-Q2	B-Q3	7. B-Q3	B-Kt2
8. P-K4	PxKP	8. KKt-K2	O-O
9. KtxP	KtxKt	9. O-O	Kt-R3
10. BxKt	O-O	10. B-KKt5	Kt-B2
11. Q-Kt3	BxKt	11. Q-Q2	P-Kt4
12. QxB	Q-B3	12. P-QKt3	B-Q2
13. Q-R3	P-KKt3	13. Kt-Kt3	R-K1
14. B-K3	QR-B1	14. QR-K1	P-Kt5
15. QR-Q	KR-Q1	15. Kt-Q1	Kt-Kt4
16. Q-Kt4	P-KR4	16. Q-B4	Q-K2
17. Q-K2	BxPch	17. Kt-K3	Q-K4
18. KxB	Q-R5ch	18. QxQ	PxQ
19. K-Kt1	QxB	19. P-B4	P-KR3
20. P-B3	Q-R5	20. BxKKt	BxB
21. Q-Q2	Q-K2	21. P-B5	B-R5
22. KR-K1	R-Kt3	22. PxP	PxP
23. R-K2	Kt-B1	23. Kt-B4	Kt-Q5
24. B-Kt5	P-B3	24. Kt-Q6	R-K2
25. B-R1	R-Q2	25. R-B1	B-KKt4
26. Q-K1	R-K1	26. RxP	KtxP
27. Q-Kt3	K-R2	27. R-B2	Kt-Q5
28. BxKt	QxB	28. R-Kt2	P-QR4
29. QR-K	Q-B2	29. B-B4	K-Kt2
30. Q-B2	P-K4	30. K-R1	R-QKt1
31. PxP	RxP	31. QR-KB2	B-B5
32. RxR	PxR	32. Kt-K2	KtxKt
33. Q-K2	P-R4	33. BxKt	K-Kt1
34. P-Kt3	Q-B4	34. P-Kt3	B-KKt4
35. QxP	QxQ	35. B-B4	B-R6
36. RxQ	K-Kt2	36. R-QKt1	R-QB2
37. R-K6	R-B2	37. B-Kt3	B-K6
38. K-B2	K-B2	38. R-B3	B-Q5
39. R-Q6	P-QKt4	39. Kt-Kt5	R(2)-QKt2
	DRAW	40. KtxB	PxKt

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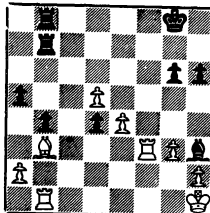
Game No. 946 - Benoni Defence

White

Black

K. Tullis Dr. A. Saily

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| 1. P-Q4 | Kt-KB3 |
| 2. P-QB4 | P-B4 |
| 3. P-Q5 | P-K3 |
| 4. Kt-QB3 | PxP |
| 5. PxP | P-Q3 |



At this point White allows the Black King to march to his K4. Recommended is 41.P-Q6ch,K-Kt2; 42.P-K5 etc.

- 41. P-Q3? K-Kt2
- 42. RxP K-B6
- 43. R-K1 K-K4
- 44. R-Q2 R-Kt3
- 45. R-KB2 R-QR1
- 46. B-R4 R-QB1
- 47. R-B7 R-B6
- 48. R-K7ch K-Q5
- 49. R-Q1ch? ...

White's last chance to win, 49.B-Q7 ends Black's hopes: ...R-B2;50.R-Q1ch K-K6; 51.BxB, RxR; 52. P-Q6 etc.

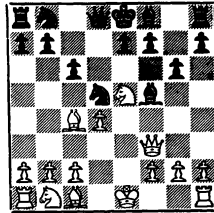
- 49. ... K-K6
 - 50. P-Q6 B-Kt5
 - 51. P-Q7 BxR
 - 52. BxB R-Q3
 - 53. B-Kt3 R-Q7
- Resigns

- 19. P-QR3 KtxQ
- 20. PxB KtxP
- 21. R PxKt R-B1
- 22. RxR RxR
- 23. Kt-Q4 Q-K2
- 24. Kt-B5 Q-B2
- 25. Q-Q4 P-KKt3
- 26. P-K6 PxKP
- 27. Kt-Q6 K-B1
- 28. Q-B6ch Resigns

Game No. 948 - Alekhine Defence

White Black
 J. Blackstone M. Mattingly

- 1. P-K4 Kt-KB3
- 2. P-K5 Kt-Q4
- 3. P-Q4 P-Q3
- 4. Kt-KB3 B-B4
- 5. B-QB4 PxP
- 6. KtxP P-KKt3
- 7. Q-B3 P-QB3



- 8. Kt-B3 B-K3
- 9. KtxKt PxKt

If 9...BxKt; 10QxPch!

- 10. B-Kt5ch Kt-B3
- 11. KtxKt PxKt

Better was 11...Q-Kt3.

- 12. BxPch Resigns

Game No. 947 - Reti

White Black
 E. Pruner S. Rubin

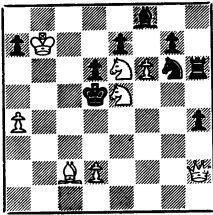
- 1. Kt-KB3 Kt-KB3
- 2. P-KKt3 P-QKt3
- 3. B-Kt2 B-Kt2
- 4. O-O P-QB4
- 5. P-B4 P-K3
- 6. Kt-B3 P-Q3
- 7. P-Kt3 Q-Q2
- 8. B-Kt2 Kt-B3
- 9. P-Kt3 P-Q4
- 10. PxP PxP
- 11. P-Q4 B-K2
- 12. QR-B1 PxP
- 13. PxP R-Q1
- 14. R-K1 O-O
- 15. Kt-K5 KtxKt
- 16. PxKt Kt-K5
- 17. Kt-K2 B-Kt5
- 18. R-B1 Kt-Q7

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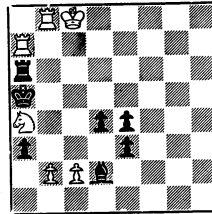
Mate in three

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Mate in three

These two three-movers - one in the "model mate" style and the second a matter of strategy - are well balanced from a player's viewpoint. Rather than "wear the opponent down" why not mate in three? Send solutions to the Reporter - all will be acknowledged.

Solutions: No. 247 (Wurzburg) 1.Kd5

No. 248 (Bettman) 1. Ph8B (not Ph8Q, Rf6).