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Aug 30 - Sep 1

25th TENNESSEE OPEN LABOR DAY WEEKEND

The Silver Anniversary for the TENNESSEE OPEN (as best as can be ascertained) will be celebrated this year at the Andrew Jackson Hotel, 314 6th Ave, North, in Nashville, Tenn. 37219. Judging from the big turnout in Knoxville for the Southern (Fifty players from Tennessee alone), this could easily be the biggest state event ever. Also the article below on the growth of USCF membership in Tennessee, may be good reason to expect a large attendance this year.

As in the past there will be the OPEN and AMATEUR Divisions contested. The prize fund will be as follows:

OPEN		AMATEUR	
1st Prize	\$100	1st Prize	\$50
2nd Prize	\$ 75	2nd Prize	\$30
3rd Prize	\$ 50	3rd Prize	\$20

Trophies will be awarded to the Open, State, Junior, and Class A & B winners in the OPEN Division. In the AMATEUR the trophies will go to the amateur, Class B, C, D, and Unrated Champion. No player will receive more than one trophy.

In addition, this year a new team plaque will be awarded which will be known as the "Uncle Bob Scrivener Team Plaque" in memory of a great player who has done much for chess in Tennessee.

Entry fees in the Open will be \$10, and \$7 in the Amateur. USCF and TCA membership is required and can be obtained at registration. Registration will be from 10 AM to 12 Noon Saturday, August 30.

We are very fortunate to have Mr. Tom Finucane of Kingsport, a player and director of many past Tennessee Opens as our Tournament Director this year. The Official Chess Handbook will be used.

The time limit will again be 60 moves in 2½ hours. An additional 20 moves per hour must be made before adjudication will take place. An exception will be round five were only up to 60 moves must be made. Due to the tight schedule adjudication will be limited to 30 minutes per game.

For further inquiries write: David Rushing, 1706 Cedar Lane, Nashville 37212. However announcements of this tourney will be sent to all known Tennessee tourney players the first week in August. PLEASE BRING CHESS SETS AND CLOCKS.

See you all then Labor Day weekend in Nashville.

TENNESSEE CHESS ON THE MOVE

The increase in membership in Tennessee to USCF for the first seven months of this year has really been phenomenal. In February USCF reported a membership of 103 for Tennessee, an increase of 32 compared to the same time last year. In May 1969 the membership had increased by 10 to 113. Then with the Southern Open and other newcomers the number now stands at 135 USCF members in Tennessee. Only ten years ago Tennessee had 26 USCF members.

Since Tennessee now has over 100 USCF members we are entitled to three state directors. In order to better represent the state the directors were chosen from the three areas of our state. They are as follows:

- WEST - James Wright, 8010 Quito Rd., Millington, Tenn. 38053
- MIDDLE - Tom Farr, Madison Square Apt., Madison, Tenn. 37115
- EAST - David Burris, 1316 Forest Ave., Knoxville, Tenn. 37914

The USCF membership by cities in Tennessee is as follows:

Nashville	33	Chattanooga	7
Memphis	25	Johnson City	5
Knoxville	22	Murfreesboro	3
Maryville	11	Tullahoma	2
Oak Ridge	9		

KEN SMITH WINS SOUTHERN ON TIE-BREAK

Ken Smith of Dallas, Texas won the Southern by the closest of margins, by  $\frac{1}{2}$  tie-breaking point. His score was  $5\frac{1}{2}$ - $1\frac{1}{2}$ . After five consecutive wins he was upset by runner-up Milan Monic of Muscle Shoals, Ala. (See also game on Page 26). Ken also gave up a draw to Diosen in the last round. Monic also had a score of  $5\frac{1}{2}$ - $1\frac{1}{2}$ , losing to third place finisher Edward Colorio and drawing Charles Morgan. Edward Colorio of Miami placed third with  $5\frac{1}{2}$ - $1\frac{1}{2}$  after tie-breaking. Three players scored 5-2. They placed after tie-breaking: 4th Charles Morgan (Roanoke, Va.), 5th Carl Diosen (Potomac, Md.) and 6th Leo Hyder (Aiken, S.C.).

It was also a close race in the Amateur with three players scoring  $5\frac{1}{2}$  points. Andy Shor of Oak Ridge won with the best tie-break score followed by Paul Kopley of Nashville, Tenn. and Harvey Studstill of W. Columbia, S.C.

The Reserve was won by Doug Laverne of Oak Ridge with six points. Five players tied for second place with a score of 5-2.

Attendance was probably the second highest in Southern history. Ninety-five players competed in the three divisions. Eleven new players were gained to USCF. The breakdown of players by states is as follows:

Tennessee	50	South Carolina	8	Alabama	3	Illinois	1
Georgia	10	Florida	6	Virginia	2	Texas	1
North Carolina	9	Kentucky	3	Maryland	2		

Thanks to the time and effort by Organizer Bill Irwin of Knoxville the Southern was a great success this year. Martin Southern of Knoxville did an excellent job in directing the event. David Burris and Dwayne Jollay also should be singled out for their part in making the Southern a success. Bill Irwin conveys his thanks to all Tennessee players who helped make this tournament a success.

The Southern Chess Association elected the following officers:

- President: Lee Hyder, 33 Longwood Dr., Aiken, S.C. 29801
- Vice-President: Peter Lahde, 2609 Sailboat Ct., Nashville, 37217
- Secretary: Philip Lamb, 2805 Pierce Dr., N., Macon, Ga. 31204
- Treasurer: Dwayne Jollay, Box 240, Talbott, Tenn. 37877

The Southern Chess Association should become a vital instrument in promoting chess activity in the South. A newsletter will be published probably bi-monthly by Philip Lamb. Co-operation of state directors will be needed to make this effort a success. Also a Southern Interscholastic Championship will be planned. A history of the Southern will be prepared as well as the Constitution brought up to date. If you plan to join the SCA send two dollars (or check) to Philip Lamb. If your city is interested in holding the Southern next year, send your bid to Proxy Leo Hyder.

The cross-tables of the Southern tournaments may be found on pages 24 & 25. Please note that in the Open the positions 24 through 30 are not in the order of tie-breaks. Games can be found on pages 25 and 26.

1969 TENNESSEE POSTAL TOURNEY UNDERWAY

The 1969 Tenn. Postal Tournament is now closed with 28 players participating. There are four 7-player sections in play. The prize fund now stands at exactly \$50. Results to date:

69-TP-1		69-TP-2	
Parsons - Miss Fausey	1-0	Hurt - Irwin	1-0

The 1970 tournament will begin December 1, 1969.

The financial report is as follows:

28 Players at \$2.00 per entry received		\$56.00
70% of total entry fees rounded to the next whole dollar		\$40.00
To begin the prize fund as stated in the original announcement		\$10.00
	Total Prize Fund	\$50.00
Expenses (postage, etc.)		\$ 6.00
	Total	\$56.00

(Submitted by Bill Irwin, Tennessee Postal Director)

## SOUTHERN OPEN 1969

		Rd1	Rd2	Rd3	Rd4	Rd5	Rd6	Rd7	Score	Mod.	T.	Solk.	USCF
1. KEN SMITH	Dallas, Tx.	W33	W12	W9	W4	W3	L2	D5	5 $\frac{1}{2}$ -1 $\frac{1}{2}$	23 $\frac{1}{2}$			2346
2. Milan Momic	H. Shoals, Ala.	W32	W10	W5	L3	W15	W1	D4	5 $\frac{1}{2}$ -1 $\frac{1}{2}$	23			2239
3. Edward Celorio	Miami, Fla.	W14	D16	W6	W2	L1	W9	W10	5 $\frac{1}{2}$ -1 $\frac{1}{2}$	22 $\frac{1}{2}$			2157
4. Chas. Morgan	Roanoke, Va.	W17	W28	W13	L1	D5	W15	D2	5 -2	20 $\frac{1}{2}$			2080
5. Carl Dioson	Potomac, Md.	W24	W26	L2	W30	D4	W7	D1	5 -2	20			1983
6. Loe Hyder	Aiken, S.C.	W25	D15	L3	W17	D16	W19	W9	5 -2	17 $\frac{1}{2}$			2033
7. Rich. Glikman	Miami, Fla.	D22	W20	L15	W25	W8	L5	W18	4 $\frac{1}{2}$ -2 $\frac{1}{2}$	17			2012
8. Goo. Leighton	Chicago, Ill.	L26	W23	D21	W18	L7	W20	W15	4 $\frac{1}{2}$ -2 $\frac{1}{2}$	15 $\frac{1}{2}$			1887
9. Rob. Eastwood	Homestead, Fla.	W11	W19	L1	W28	W10	L3	L6	4 -3	20 $\frac{1}{2}$			1984
10. Philip Lamb	Macon, Ga.	W21	L2	W19	W13	L9	W16	L3	4 -3	19			1969
11. Jerry Pago	Maryville, Tn.	L9	L13	W32	W12	D28	W17	D16	4 -3	16 $\frac{1}{2}$			1634
12. E. Tsitsoklis	Knoxville, Tn.	W23	L1	L28	L11	W27	W30	W19	4 -3	15			1975
13. Tom Finucano	Kingsport, Tn.	Bye	W11	L4	L10	L20	W25	W28	4 -3	13 $\frac{1}{2}$			UNR
14. Joe Jones	Nashville, Tn.	L3	L21	W33	D24	D26	W29	W20	4 -3	12 $\frac{1}{2}$			1845
15. B. McNooly	Knoxville, Tn.	W27	D6	W7	W31	L2	L5	L8	3 $\frac{1}{2}$ -3 $\frac{1}{2}$	21			1857
16. Chas. Vuille	St. Peto., Fla.	W30	D3	L31	W21	D6	L10	D11	3 $\frac{1}{2}$ -3 $\frac{1}{2}$	17 $\frac{1}{2}$			1904
17. John Thompson	Greenville, S.C.	L4	D29	W22	L6	W25	L11	W24	3 $\frac{1}{2}$ -3 $\frac{1}{2}$	17			1700
18. Dave Burris	Knoxville, Tn.	L19	D24	W27	L8	W21	W28	L7	3 $\frac{1}{2}$ -3 $\frac{1}{2}$	14 $\frac{1}{2}$			2147
19. Ed Hutchins	Covington, Ky.	W18	L9	L10	W23	W30	L6	L12	3 -4	18 $\frac{1}{2}$			1814
20. Jack Murphy	Maryville, Tn.	D31	L7	D24	W22	W13	L8	L14	3 -4	17			1651
21. Russ Brown	Charlotte, N.C.	L10	W14	D8	L16	L18	Bye	D22	3 -4	15			1565
22. Brian Worley	Knoxville, Tn.	D7	L31	L17	L20	W23	W32	D21	3 -4	14			1639
23. Larry Osloy	Rockford, Tn.	L12	L8	Bye	L19	L22	W27	W26	3 -4	13			1606
24. Chas. Ball	Alcoa, Tn.	L5	D18	D20	D14	D29	D26	L17	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -4 $\frac{1}{2}$	16 $\frac{1}{2}$			1623
25. Wond. Burnett	Knoxville, Tn.	L6	D32	W29	L7	L17	L13	Bye	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -4 $\frac{1}{2}$	13 $\frac{1}{2}$			1649
26. Ken Murr	Rockford, Tn.	W8	L5	L30	D27	D14	D24	L23	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -4 $\frac{1}{2}$	16 $\frac{1}{2}$			1540
27. C. Carrier	Elizab. Ton.	L15	Bye	L18	D26	L12	L23	W32	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -4 $\frac{1}{2}$	12			UNR
28. Jeff Smeltzor	Greenville, S.C.	W29	L4	W12	L9	D11	L18	L13	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -4 $\frac{1}{2}$	18 $\frac{1}{2}$			1879
29. Walt. Isbill	Louisv. Tn.	L28	D17	L25	W32	D24	L14	D30	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -4 $\frac{1}{2}$	12 $\frac{1}{2}$			1490
30. Mack Garner	Maryville, Tn.	L16	W33	W26	L5	L19	L12	D29	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -4 $\frac{1}{2}$	15 $\frac{1}{2}$			1565
31. R. Callaghan	Charlottesville, Va.	D20	W22	W16	L15	Withdrawn			2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -4 $\frac{1}{2}$				2061
32. Doug Ralston	Nashville, Tn.	L2	D25	L11	L29	Bye	L22	L27	1 $\frac{1}{2}$ -5 $\frac{1}{2}$				1302
33. Rob. Durett	Huntsville, Ala.	L1	L30	L14	Withdrawn				0 -7				1777

## SOUTHERN RESERVE 1969

		Rd1	Rd2	Rd3	Rd4	Rd5	Rd6	Rd7	Score	Mod.	T.	Solk.	USCF
1. DOUG LAVERNE	Oak Ridge, Tn.	L7	W24	W21	W3	W6	W2	W5	6 -1				1497
2. Mike Stooly	Fairfield, Ala.	W23	W9	W3	W4	W7	L1	L6	5 -2				1360
3. Ralph Cook	Charlotte, N.C.	W17	W5	L2	L1	W22	W12	W7	5 -2				1264
4. Mark Dioson	Potomac, Md.	W12	W14	W10	L2	W11	L5	W9	5 -2				1427
5. Mark Brodie	Aiken, S.C.	W15	L3	W20	W14	W9	W4	L1	5 -2				1463
6. Joe Roberdeau	Nashville, Tn.	W22	D8	W15	D7	L1	W17	W2	5 -2				1246
7. James Kotnor	Waynesv. N.C.	W1	W26	W8	D6	L2	W11	L3	4 $\frac{1}{2}$ -2 $\frac{1}{2}$				UNR
8. Robt. Garner	Greensb. N.C.	W19	D6	L7	W16	W15	L9	W13	4 $\frac{1}{2}$ -2 $\frac{1}{2}$				1444
9. Mike Kurok	Nashville, Tn.	W25	L2	W12	W10	L5	W8	L4	4 -3				1148
10. Peter Johnson	Oak Ridge, Tn.	W18	W20	L4	L9	L17	W22	W16	4 -3				1337
11. David Dorsott	Greensb. N.C.	L14	W16	W23	W13	L4	L7	W17	4 -3				UNR
12. Ricky White	Maryville, Tn.	L4	W25	L9	W21	W14	L3	W19	4 -3				UNR
13. David Stern	Greensb. N.C.	D16	L23	W18	L11	W20	W14	L8	3 $\frac{1}{2}$ -3 $\frac{1}{2}$				1506
14. Alan Kuperstock	Oak Rid. Tn.	W11	L4	W26	L5	L12	L13	W22	3 -4				1182
15. W. Thompson	Greenville, S.C.	L5	W22	L6	W23	L8	D16	D18	3 -4				947
16. Ten Irwin	Knoxville, Tn.	D13	L11	W25	L8	W18	D15	L10	3 -4				UNR
17. Ken Frahl	Knoxville, Tn.	L3	L21	W19	A26	W10	L6	L11	3 -4				UNR
18. Ricky Word	Knoxville, Tn.	L10	W19	L13	W24	L16	D21	D15	3 -4				UNR
19. Craig Collins	Nashville, Tn.	L8	L18	L17	W25	W21	A23	L12	3 -4				UNR
20. Mike Clayton	Knoxville, Tn.	W21	L10	L5	L22	L13	W24	W23	3 -4				UNR
21. Harold Harris	Nashville, Tn.	L20	W17	L1	L12	L19	D18	Bye	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -4 $\frac{1}{2}$				1052
22. Keith Wade	Knoxville, Tn.	L6	L15	W24	W20	L3	L10	L14	2 -5				UNR
23. Jeff Dawson	Knoxville, Tn.	L2	W13	L11	L15	W25	L19	L20	2 -5				UNR
24. Jim Harbinson	Nashville, Tn.	L26	L1	L22	L18	Bye	L20	W25	2 -5				UNR
25. Mike Boornor	Norris, Ton.	L9	L12	L16	L19	L23	Bye	L24	1 -6				UNR
26. Karl Gaspor Mt.	Washingt. KY.	W24	L7	L14	F17	withdrawn			1 -6				UNR

SOUTHERN AMATEUR 1969

	Rd1	Rd2	Rd3	Rd4	Rd5	Rd6	Rd7	Score	Mod.	T.	Solk.	USCF
1. ANDY SHOR	Oak Ridgo,Tn.	W36	W10	L4	W15	W5	W7	D3	5½-1½	22½		1782
2. Paul Kpploy	Nashville,Tn.	W34	L9	W22	W12	W10	D8	W7	5½-1½	19½		1767
3. Harvey Studstill	Columbia,SC	W32	L22	W19	W23	W4	W9	D1	5½-1½	18½		1690
4. Geo. Harwoll	Durham, S.C.	W28	W14	W1	D7	L3	D11	W10	5 -2	22		1649
5. Randy Dolinger	Greensb.,N.C.	W18	W24	W6	L9	L1	W14	W8	5 -2	21		1658
6. Bob Joiner	Atlanta, Ga.	W8	W20	L5	L10	W18	W15	W9	5 -2	20		1799
7. Peto Lahdo	Nashville,Tn.	W25	W17	W12	D4	W9	L1	L2	4½-2½	22½		1713
8. Dway Jollay	Talbot, Tn.	L6	W26	W11	W13	W27	D2	L5	4½-2½	20½		1501
9. Bob Kolvick	Warn.Robins,Ga	W23	W2	W13	W5	L7	L3	L6	4 -3	24		1614
10. Bill Wheatland	St.Poto.,Fla.	W33	L1	W24	W6	L2	W13	L4	4 -3	22½		1624
11. Steven Hunt	Athons, Ga.	W21	L12	L8	W28	W19	D4	D17	4 -3	19½	27	1710
12. Mark Swanson	Nashville,Tn.	W29	W11	L7	L2	W24	D16	D14	4 -3	19½	27	1504
13. Tom Jobo	Maryville,Tn.	W19	W15	L9	L8	W22	L10	W18	4 -3	19		1744
14. Bill Irwin	Knoxville,Tn.	D35	L4	W31	W32	W16	L5	D12	4 -3	17½		1591
15. Frank Simpson	Augusta, Ga.	W30	L13	W33	L1	W23	L6	W22	4 -3	17	24	1609
16. Jerry Willman	Hixson, Tn.	L22	D18	W35	W21	L14	D12	W24	4 -3	17	22½	1764
17. Al Cass	Atlanta, Ga.	W31	L7	L23	D26	W32	W20	D11	4 -3	15½		1552
18. Paul Dyor	Knoxville,Tn.	L5	D16	W25	W20	L6	W27	L13	3½-3½	19½		1429
19. Jms. Thompson	Charlotte,NC	L13	W30	L3	W33	L11	D28	W26	3½-3½	15		1451
20. Everett Horton	Johns.City,Tn	W26	L6	D32	L18	W35	L17	W29	3½-3½	14½		1628
21. David Whooler	Maryville,Tn.	L11	W29	D27	L16	L26	W35	W28	3½-3½	13		1441
22. Tom Davis	Columbia, S.C.	W16	W3	L2	L27	L13	W26	L15	3 -4	20		1483
23. Chas.Boerner	Norris, Tn.	L9	W34	W17	L3	L15	L24	W32	3 -4	17		UNR
24. Keith Coulbourn	Atlanta,Ga.	W27	L5	L10	W30	L12	W23	L16	3 -4	16½		1426
25. Nathan Dozier	Louisville,Tn.	L7	D31	L18	L35	W33	D29	W34	3 -4	12½		1441
26. William Wilson	Herristown,Tn.	L20	L8	W36	D17	W21	L22	L19	2½-4½	18½		1375
27. Bernard Goodman	Hiddlesb.,Ky.	L24	W28	D21	W22	L8	L18	F	2½-4½	15½		1649
28. John Nichols	Johns.City,Tn.	L4	L27	W29	L11	W30	D19	L21	2½-4½	15		1419
29. Gilbt.Parsons	Wint.Park,Fla.	L12	L21	L28	W36	W34	D25	L20	2½-4½	14½		UNR
30. Clift.Brewster	Columbia, S.C.	L15	L19	W34	L24	L28	Bye	D31	2½-4½	13½		1308
31. Tom Jenkins	Dickson,Tn.	L17	D25	L14	L34	A36	D32	D30	2½-4½	12½		UNR
32. Tod Jcwell	Johns.City,Tn.	L3	W35	D20	L14	L17	D31	L23	2 -5	17		1437
33. Reid Jones	Knoxville,Tn.	L10	W36	L15	L19	L25	L34	W35	2 -5	14		1329
34. Ray Poston	Smyrna, Ga.	L2	L23	L30	W31	L29	W33	L25	2 -5	13		1487
35. Gabriel George	Warn.Robins,Ga	D14	L32	L16	W25	L20	L21	L33	1½-5½			UNR
36. Geo.Stathan	Atlanta, Ga.	L1	L33	L26	L29	F31	Withdr.	0 -7				1493

SOUTHERN AMATEUR GAMES

FRENCH DEFENCE White: Wheatland Black: Koplouy  
 1 P-K4 P-K3 2 P-Q4 P-Q4 3 N-QB3 B-N5 4 B-Q3 PXP 5 BXP N-KB3 6 B-B3 P-QB4 7 P-QR3  
 BxNch 8 PxB 0-0 9 N-K2 Q-D2 10 B-D4 Q-R4 11 0-0 R-Q1 12 B-N5 QN-Q2 13 PXP N-K4  
 14 N-Q4 QXP(Q3) 15 BxN PxB 16 N-N5 Q-R4 17 Q-K2 NxDch 18 PxB P-QR3 19 N-Q6 QXP/4  
 20 N-R4 Q-R4 21 Q-K3 K-R1 22 Q-R6 R-N1ch 23 K-R1 Q-KB4 24 QXPch QxQ 25 NxQ R-N3  
 26 N-N4 P-QN4 27 N-K5 B-B3 28 R-KN1 B-N2 29 R-N3 R-D4 30 R-K1 R-QB1 31 K-N2 RxQB  
 32 R-Q1 B-Q4 33 N-N4 R-N4 34 P-KR4 R-N3 35 K-R3 R-QB6 36 P-R5 R-N1 37 N-K5 RxDch  
 38 KxR P-B3 39 N-Q3 RxD 40 P-R5 K-N1 41 K-R2 DXP 42 R-N1ch! K-B1 43 N-B4 P-K4 44  
 N-K6ch K-K2 45 N-B3 K-Q3 46 R-QB1 P-KB4 47 Rosigns

SICILIAN DEFENCE White: Peto Lahdo Black: Mark Swanson  
 1 P-K4 P-QB4 2 N-KB3 P-Q3 3 P-Q4 PXP 4 NXP N-KB3 5 N-QB3 P-KN3 6 B-QB4 B-N2 7 0-0  
 N-B3 8 NxD PxD 9 P-KR3 0-0 10 Q-K2 Q-N3 11 B-N3 P-K3 12 B-K3 13 P-D4 P-Q4 14 P-K5  
 N-Q2 15 P-R3 P-QB4 16 N-N5 Q-N3 17 R-B3 B-R3 18 P-QR4 R-B1 19 P-QB4 P-Q5 20 B-KB2  
 KR-Q1 21 B-R4 P-B3? 22 P-R5! Q-D3 23 NXP Q-N2 24 NxD QxN 25 PXP NXP 26 B-R4 B-N2  
 27 R-QN3 R-Q3 28 R-R3 Q-R1 29 R-N6 RxD 30 PxD Q-QB1 31 B-QN5 N-K5 32 B-R6 RxD,  
 33 QxN B-N2 34 Q-K2 Q-D3 35 B-Q8 K-R1 36 B-B7 K-N1 37 Q-D3 Rosigns

FRENCH DEFENCE White: G. Harwoll Black: Peto Lahdo  
 1 P-K4 P-K3 2 P-Q4 P-Q4 3 N-QB3 B-N5 4 P-K5 N-K2 5 P-QR3 BxNch 6 PxB P-QB4 7 B-N5ch  
 QN-B3 8 P-QB4? PxBP 9 BXP QXP 10 QxQ PxD? (NxD is correct) 11 P-B4 0-0 12 N-K2 R-Q1  
 13 B-N2 N-B4 14 K-B2 N-K6 15 B-N3! N-N5ch 16 K-B3 P-KR4 17 P-R3 N-R3 18 R-Q1 P-QN3  
 19 NXP NxD 20 BxN B-N2ch 21 K-B2 N-B4 22 B-N2 RxD 23 RxD BXP! 24 R-Q3 B-B3 25 P-QR4  
 R-QB1 26 B-R3 B-K5 27 R-Q2 K-R2 28 R-K2 B-N2 29 R-Q2 B-K5 30 R-K2 B-B3 31 R-Q2 K-R3  
 32 B-N4 P-KN4 33 PXP KXP 34 K-N1 K-R3 35 K-B2 R-KN1 36 R-Q3 R-N7ch 37 K-K1 R-N8ch  
 38 K-B2 R-N1 39 R-QB3 R-QB1 40 R-Q3 K-N3 41 Drawn

SOUTHERN OPEN GAMES 5... N-B3 G. P-K6 R-P 7, P-KR4 (Best E-Q3)

ALEKHINE'S DEFENCE # White: Ken Smith Black: Milan Momic  
 1 P-K4 N-KB3 2 P-K5 N-Q4 3 P-QB4 N-N3 4 P-Q3 5 N-KB3 BxP 6 P-KR4 P-K4 7 P-Q5  
 N-Q5 8 NxN Pxn 9 B-Q3 P-B3 10 B-R5ch K-Q2 11 Q-N4ch K-B2 12 QxQP P-K4 13 Pxp op,  
 Q-B3 14 QxQ Pxd 15 B-B4 BxP 16 QN-Q2 N-R5 17 O-O-O P-KR4 18 KR-K1 N-B4 19 B-B2  
 B-B2 20 N-K4 NxN 21 RxdN P-QB4 22 R/1-K1 R-Q1 23 B-R4 K-N3 24 B-K8 BxB 25 RxB B-R3  
 26 R/8-K4 P-B4 27 BxB PxB 28 B-N5 QR-K1 29 K-Q2 K-B3 30 K-K3 KR-B1 31 R-KN1 P-QN4  
 32 P-QN3 P-QR4 33 B-B4 Pxp 34 Pxp R-B4 35 P-N4 Pxp 36 Rxp P-Q4 37 B-N6ch K-N2  
 38 R-N7ch K-R1 39 Pxp Rxp 40 R-N5 Rxr 41 Bxr R-B2 42 B-R4 P-B5 43 Kxp P-B6 44 B-B1  
 Rxp 45 K-Q3 Rxp 46 Kxp R-R7 47 K-N3 K-N2 48 B-N5 K-R3 49 K-R4 R-N7 50 B-B6 N-N4ch  
 51 K-N3 K-N4 52 K-B3 R-B5 53 B-N5 R-Q6ch 54 K-Q5 P-N5 55 K-K5 R-B8 56 B-R6 P-R6  
 57 B-R5 P-R7 58 P-R5 K-B6 59 K-R5 Rxp 60 Resigns # Please note that the score is

incorrect, we hope to get a correction later.  
 KING'S INDIAN DEFENCE White: Edvardo Celorio Black: Ken Smith  
 1 N-KB3 P-KN3 2 P-KN3 B-N2 3 B-N2 P-K4 4 P-Q3 P-Q3 5 P-QB4 P-KD4 6 N-QB3 N-KB3  
 7 P-K3 O-O 8 R-N1 P-QR4 9 O-O N-R4 10 P-Q4 P-K5 11 N-K1 P-QB3 12 P-K5 P-B4 13 N-N5  
 N-KB3 14 P-QR3 N-N5 15 P-QN4 RfxP 16 Pxp P-N3 17 B-N2 BxB 18 RxB N-K4 19 Q-N3 N-R3  
 20 Pxp Nxp 21 Q-B2 B-R3 22 P-B4 Pxp op 23 Nxp Nxdch 24 BxdN Q-K2 25 R-K1 BxdN 26 RxB  
 R-R3 27 Q-N1 N-Q2 28 B-N2 R/1-R1 29 P-K4 R-K1 30 R-KB1 Pxp 31 B-R3 N-D1 32 Rxp Rxr  
 33 Qxr P-K6 34 R-K1 Q-K4 35 Q-N1 Q-Q5 36 Q-B2 Q-Q7 37 R-K2 Qxd Rxd P-K7 39 B-K6ch  
 PxB 40 Resigns

SCOTCH GAMBIT White: Ken Smith Black: Robert Durett  
 1 P-K4 P-K4 2 P-Q4 Pxp 3 P-QD3 Pxp 4 Nxp B-QN5 5 B-QD4 N-KB3 6 P-K5 Q-K2 7 N-KB3  
 O-O 8 O-O BxN 9 PxB N-N5 10 B-KD4 N-QB3 11 Q-Q5 P-Q3 12 Pxp Pxp 13 Bxp B-K3 14  
 Q-KD5 Q-B3 15 Bxr RxB 16 BxB Pxd 17 QR-K1 K-R1 18 Rxp Q-D5 19 R-K4 R-B4 20 R-K8ch  
 R-B1 21 Rxrch Qxr 22 QxQ mate

RUY LOPEZ White: Loo Hyder Black: Wendell Burnetto  
 P-K4 P-K4 2 N-KB3 N-QB3 3 B-N5 B-D4 4 P-B3 N-B3 5 O-O O-O 6 P-Q4 B-N3 7 B-N5 P-KR3  
 8 B-R4 P-Q3 9 R-K1 B-N5 10 BxQN PxB 11 Pxp Pxp 12 Qxd QRxQ 13 Nxp P-N4 14 Nxd Nxp  
 15 N-R3 P-KD4 16 Nxpch K-R2 17 Nxp RxdN 18 RxdN PxB 19 R-K2 R-N1 20 N-B2 R/B-KN4  
 21 N-K1 B-D4 22 R-Q1 Rxpch # 23 Nxr P-R6 24 R-Q7ch K-R1 25 R-K5 Rxdch 26 K-D1 Ros.

SICILIAN DEFENCE White: Edward Hutchens Black: David Burris  
 1 P-K4 P-QD4 2 N-KB3 P-QR3 3 P-Q4 Pxp 4 Nxp N-KB3 5 N-QB3 P-K4 6 N-KB3 B-N5 7 B-KN5  
 P-KR3 8 B-Q2 N-QB3 9 B-Q3 P-Q4 10 NxdP NxN 11 PxdN QxQP 12 O-O B-K2 13 Q-K2 B-KN5  
 14 B-K4 BxN 15 QxB Q-Q2 16 B-D3 B-D3 17 QR-Q1 Q-E2 18 R-Q3 O-O 19 Q-D5 KR-Q1 20  
 P-KD4 Rxr 21 Bxr R-Q1 22 R-K1 K-B1 23 Pxp B-N4 24 P-K6 P-D3 25 B-N4ch NxB 26 P-K7#  
 K-K1 27 Q-N6ch K-Q2 28 R-QN2 Rxr 29 Qxrch K-Q3 30 Q-KD1ch K-D3 31 QxN P-QN4  
 32 Q-D3ch Resigns

RETI OPENING White: Jack Murphy Black: Tom Finucane  
 1 P-QD4 N-KB3 2 P-KN3 P-K3 3 B-N2 P-Q4 4 P-Q3 B-B4 5 N-KB3 O-O 6 B-N5 Pxp 7 P-Q4  
 B-K2 8 N-QB3 N-Q4 9 BxB QxB 10 P-K4 N-N5 11 O-O P-QR3 12 P-QR3 N-Q6 13 P-N3 P-QN4  
 14 Pxp Pxp 15 N-Q2 N-QB3 16 NxdP NxdP 17 QxdN R-Q1 18 QR-Q1 B-N2 19 Q-N1 R-QN1  
 20 RxdN Rxr 21 N-R5 Qxp 22 N-D6 R-N5 23 Nxr/4 B-B1 24 Q-Q3 QxdN 25 R-QN1 Qxrch  
 26 Nxd Qxrch 27 Qxr B-Q2 28 Q-N8ch B-K1 29 QxB mate

KING'S FLANCHETTO White: Jack Murphy Black: Joe Jones  
 1 P-KN3 P-KN3 2 B-N2 B-N2 3 P-Q3 P-Q3 4 N-KB3 4-N-KB3 O-O 5 O-O P-QD4 6 P-QD4 N-QB3  
 7 N-QB3 R-QN1 8 R-N1 N-KR4 9 B-Q2 P-QR3 10 P-K4 P-QN4 11 P-QN3 P-Q3 12 P-QR4 PxdP  
 13 NfxP B-Q2 14 N-Q5 P-K3 15 N-D4 NxN 16 BxdN P-K4 17 B-Q2 N-N5 18 N-K1 Q-B2 19 B-D3  
 N-R7 20 B-R1 Q-R4 21 R-N2 Rxr 22 Bxr Qxp 23 QxQ Bxd 24 P-KB4 Pxp 25 BxB KxB 26 Pxp  
 N-N5 27 K-B2 R-K1 28 K-K3 B-B3 29 P-B5 P-QR4 30 K-Q2 P-R5 31 N-Q2 NxN 32 KxdN R-N1  
 33 Pxp RfxP 34 R-R1 K-D1 35 B-R3 K-K2 36 B-N4 K-D3 37 K-B3 K-K4 38 B-Q1 R-KR1  
 39 BxRP?? R-R1 40 K-N3 Bxch 41 RxB Rxr 42 Kxr K-Q5 43 K-N5 Kxp 44 P-K5 Pxp  
 44 P-K5 Pxp 45 Kxp P-K5 46 K-Q6 P-K6 47 P-B5 P-K7 48 P-D6 P-K8/Q 49 P-B7 Q-Q1  
 50 K-D6 Q-QD1 51 Resigns

(Most games were submitted by Bill Irwin; the last game came from the winner.)

THE "UNCLE BOB" SCRIVENER STORY  
HIS LAST TEN YEARS

Uncle Bob Scrivener won the Alabama Open in 1959. During the same year he became Co-Champion with James Wright for the Memphis City Championship. Both men won all their games and drew their individual encounter. Next year he achieved the highest score (5-2) in the Southern for a resident. The same year he also placed fourth in the first Mid-South at Memphis scoring  $4\frac{1}{2}$ - $1\frac{1}{2}$ .

In 1961 he won another state event with the Mississippi State tourney with a 4-1 score. During the same year he also achieved one of his best scores in the Tennessee Open placing 5th with a 4-2 score.

The year 1962 was the year that USCF finally granted Mr. Scrivener the long deserved honor of Master Emeritus status. Also the same year the Southern was played in Memphis and the tourney was dedicated to him for his contribution to Southern chess.

During the next three years he continued playing in a number of events. Perhaps he achieved his best score in a Tennessee Open in 1965 when he placed fourth with a 4-2 score. This year also at the Tenn. Open he was made honorary member of the Tennessee Chess Association, although no longer a resident of Tennessee. No other player has ever achieved this distinction. He continued playing in the 1966, 1967 and 1968 Tennessee tourneys. He also attended the 1967 Southern.

Here is an interesting account from this event as it was reported to the Memphis Press-Scimitar shortly after by Uncle Bob himself. (We are indebted to John Hart for the newspaper report). Uncle Bob had a most embarrassing experience in playing in the Southern Chess Championship in Birmingham. An opponent had beaten him in a very unsportsmanlike manner.

"I went to sleep during my match" Uncle Bob said, "My opponent let me sleep till my clock ran out and then he advised me that I had lost on time. It was the first time I ever went to sleep in a tournament. I guess I must have slept 10 or 15 minutes, and my clock was running all the time. Most players will waken an opponent who goes to sleep, but mine didn't awaken me. He just let the clock run out."

So, among the many championships and honors Uncle Bob had won in chess, he also held what might be a unique distinction. Maybe he was the only player who ever lost an important match because he went to sleep in the middle of the battle.

Well he was 85 at the time. And it was understandable that he might go to sleep while waiting for a slowpoke to make a move.

Uncle Bob, retired businessman, was the dean of Mid-South chess players and a champion of national prominence. He won the Memphis Chess Club title in 1905, and he had been winning various kinds of tournaments ever since, almost right up to the time of his death. He had been runner-up twice in national tournaments.

Uncle Bob taught many young people to play chess, and was always enthusiastic about helping them. He was friendly, young in spirit, and an altogether delightful personality. Chess tournaments in Memphis and the whole South just won't seem like official tournaments without Uncle Bob. He'll be greatly missed. Mr. Scrivener passed away on March 11, 1969 at the age of 87.

UNCLE BOB'S TOURNAMENT HIGHLIGHTS

1905	Memphis City	1st
1913	Western Chess Assn.	5-6th (out of 18 players)
1920	Western Chess Assn.	4-5th
1926	Florida State	1st (tie)
1935-40	St. Louis District	1st twice (in 5 events)
1955	Memphis Championship	1st
1957	Alabama Open	1st
1957	Southern Open	1st
1959	Alabama Open	1st
1959	Memphis City	1st (tie with Wright)
1960	Southern Open (Highest Residnt)	4th (5-2 score)
1960	Mid-South	4th ( $4\frac{1}{2}$ - $1\frac{1}{2}$ )
1961	Mississippi State	1st (4-1)
1961	Tennessee Open	5th (4-2)
1962	Southern in Memphis	Dedicated to Uncle Bob
1962	Tennessee Open	9th (4-2)
1965	Tennessee Open	4th (4-2)
1968	Arkansas Open	( $3\frac{1}{2}$ - $1\frac{1}{2}$ )

WITH THE CLUBS

The MEMPHIS CHESS CLUB is keeping quite active during the Summer months. The club ladder for the top four players reads as follows:

1. Hurt 1986
2. Gilloy 1983
3. Wright 1979
4. Churchill 1837

A USCF rated match stands at 4-1 between Hurt and Churchill. Hurt has the lead. Several players plan to play in the Arkansas Open, Aug. 2-3. The Mid-South tourney is to take place at the Downtowner in Memphis after Thanksgiving.

Here are two recent club ladder games:

SICILIAN DEFENCE White: John Hurt Black: Mark Gilloy (6/14/69)  
 1 P-K4 P-QB4 2 N-KB3 N-QB3 3 P-Q4 PxP 4 NXP N-KB3 5 N-QB3 Q-N3 6 B-K3 QxP 7 N/4-N5  
 Q-N4 8 N-B7ch K-Q1 9 NXR QxNch 10 B-Q2 Q-K4 11 P-B3 P-QN3 12 R-QM1 Q-N1 13 NXP Pxn  
 14 B-K3 Q-R1 15 RXP P-K3 16 B-QN5 Q-R4ch 17 K-B2 N-K4 18 R-N8 Q-B6 19 B-R6 Resigas

FRENCH DEFENCE White: John Hurt Black: James Wright (6/20/69)  
 1. P-K4 P-K3 2 P-Q4 P-Q4 3 N-QB3 N-KB3 4 P-K5 KN-Q2 5 P-B4 P-QB4 6 PxP BxP 7 N-B3  
 N-QB3 8 B-Q3 P-B4 9 P-QR3 P-QR3 10 P-QN4 B-R2 11 N-KN5 Q-K2 12 Q-R5ch P-KN3 13 Q-R3  
 B-Q5 14 B-N2 N/2xP 15 0-0-0 NxBch 16 Rxn 0-0 17 R-K1 Q-QB2 18 K-N1 BxN 19 BxB N-Q1  
 20 R-N3 P-N3 21 Q-R6 R-R2 22 NXP/7 Resigns

The NASHVILLE CHESS CLUB also keeps rolling during the Summer. The latest ratings for the top five are as follows:

1. Bowon 1893
2. Lahdo 1877
3. DuPlantier 1839
4. Hassoll 1790
5. Farr 1739

The Nashville club is presently busy making preparations for the Tennessee Open. Also Larry Evans will give a simul. on Oct. 17 in Nashville. A tourney at the same time is contemplated. Here are three recent club ladder games:

FALKBEER COUNTER GAMBIT White: Peter Lahdo Black: Don DuPlantier (11/19/68)  
 1 P-K4 P-K4 2 P-KB4 P-Q4 3 KPXP P-K5 4 N-QB3 N-KB3 5 B-N5ch QN-Q2 6 Q-K2 P-QR3  
 7 B-R4 P-QN4 8 B-N3 N-B4 9 P-Q4! NxB 10 RFPxN B-KD4 11 RXP! RxB 12 QxPch Q-Q2  
 13 QxR B-QN5? 14 Q-R8ch Q-B1 15 Q-R4ch Q-Q2 16 QxB NXP? 17 Q-N8ch Resigns

QUEEN'S PAWN GAME White: Albert Downon Black: Peter Lahdo (9/17/68)  
 1 P-Q4 P-Q4 2 P-K3 N-QB3 3 P-KB4 B-B4 4 N-Q2? N-N5! 5 P-K4 BxP 6 NxB Pxn 7 B-N5ch  
 P-B3 8 B-B4? QxP! 9 Q-K2 N-Q4 10 BxN PxB? 11 P-B3? (Both players overlooked Q-N5ch)  
 Q-N3 12 B-K3 Q-QB3 13 N-R3 N-B3 14 0-0 P-K3 15 QR-Q1 B-B4 16 N-B2 BxB 17 QxB Q-N3  
 18 Q-N3? P-K6! 19 QxNP Pxnch 20 RXP K-K2! 21 Resigns

SICILIAN DEFENCE White: Peter Lahdo Black: Tom Farr (6/3/69)  
 1 P-K4 P-QB4 2 N-KB3 P-Q3 3 P-Q4 PxP 4 NXP N-KB3 5 N-B3 P-QR3 6 P-KR3 P-K4 7 N-N3  
 B-K2 8 B-K3 P-QN4 9 N-Q5! Nxn? (After NXP? White wins with B-N6) 10 QxN Q-B2  
 11 QxR N-B3! 12 B-N6! Q-Q2 13 0-0-0 B-Q1 14 BxB KxB 15 N-B5! Q-K2 16 RXPch! (Or  
 QxN) K-B2 17 QxNch Resigns

In Dayton, Tenn. fifteen players competed for the Brian Collogo Championship. Not unexpectedly, Expert Tod Morcor emerged as the winner. (Reported by Paul Stone)

EDITORIAL COMMENT: During the Southern several players asked me if club activities would be published in TCN. The answer is - of course - , so please send your items to the editor. It would be great if we could make "With the Clubs" a regular feature in TCN (Editor P. P. Lahdo)

SIMULTANEOUS EXHIBITION

Played in Charleston, W. Virginia, Jan. 9, 1947

FRENCH DEFENCE White: I. A. Horowitz Black: J. F. Hurt  
 1 P-K4 P-K3 2 P-Q4 P-Q4 3 N-QB3 B-N5 4 N-K2 PxP 5 P-QR3 BxNch 6 NxB N-KB3 7 B-KN5  
 N-Q2 8 NXP P-KR3 9 B-R4 Q-K2 10 B-Q3 P-B3 11 0-0 P-QN3 12 B-N3 Nxn 13 BxN B-N2  
 14 Q-B3 R-QB1 15 KR-K1 N-B3 16 B-Q3 0-0 17 B-K5 KR-Q1 18 Q-N3 P-B4 19 PxP RXP  
 20 QR-Q1 R/4-Q4 21 QR-B1 N-R4 22 Q-K3 Q-N4 DRAW agreed