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ANNOUNCING 31st TENNESSEE OPEN

The 31st Tennessee Open will have a guaranteed prize fund of \$1500. This year there will be two new features. One will be the awarding of a \$10 Brilliancy Prize in both the Open and Amateur Divisions, and a \$10 Best Game Prize in the Novice Div. In addition there will be a Team Cup for the highest scoring 4 players from the same city with a population under 50,000. Another important change this year, due to the deflation of ratings, will be that the Amateur Division will be for Class C players and lower, and Class B players move to the Open. The Novice Division will start with a rating under 1300, rather than under 1400.

The tournament this year will again be held at the Mercury Motel, 411 Murfreesboro Road, Nashville, Tenn. over Labor Day weekend, Aug. 30 - Sep. 1. The time limit will be 60 moves in 2½ hours. Six round Swiss. Rounds will be 2-8, 9-3, and 8-2, with 9 PM Sunday for adjourned games if necessary. Entry fees and prizes will be as follows:

OPEN DIVISION (Open to all) Entry fee \$25. Prizes \$400, \$200, \$100, Top B \$75, Top C \$60. Trophies to Open, State, State Jr., Top Class B and Top Class C.

AMATEUR DIVISION (Under 1600) Entry fee \$20. Prizes \$200, \$100, \$50, Top D \$40, Top E \$30. Trophies to Champion, Class D, and Class E.

NOVICE DIVISION (Under 1300) Entry fee \$15. Prizes \$100, \$50, \$25, Top Unrated \$25, Top Woman \$25. Trophies to Champion, Top Unrated and Top Woman.

Team Awards: The coveted "Bob Scrivener" Team Plaque (top 4 from same city) will again be awarded and the newly established Team CUP.

USCF & TCA Membership: USCF membership is required and TCA membership for Tenn. residents. Motel rates: at the Mercury - Single \$14.50, Double \$18.50 (one bed), Double \$24.50 (two beds). Each additional person is \$2.00. Several rooms have been reserved on first come, first serve basis. So please make reservations early, two weeks recommended.

Registration will be Aug. 30 (Saturday) from 10 AM to 1 PM. Send pre-registrations to: Music City Chess Association, 303 Belinda Dr., Hermitage, TN 37076.

IMPORTANT TCA BUSINESS MEETINGS

There will be two TCA Business meetings this year. The first at 1:00 PM Saturday (Aug. 30) is to consider, discuss and ratify a new Constitution. This Constitution was written by James and Carol Little and updates the one ratified in 1965, and is included in this issue of TCN for your study. Also at this meeting TCA President John Hurt will select a Nominating Committee to nominate the new officers for TCA. If the new Constitution is adopted the following terms will expire this year: President, Secretary-Treasurer, and the Newsletter Director. In addition the Postal Chess Director post will be vacant, as the current Postal Director John Logue will be leaving the state. If you are interested in running for one of these offices please write TCA President John Hurt, at 1063 South Perkins, Memphis, TN 38117.

The regular TCA meeting scheduled for 1:00 PM Sunday (Aug 31) will include a report on the USCF meetings, tournaments planned for the rest of 1975 and all of 1976, tournament conflicts, and the reports by the officers of TCA. It will conclude with the election of the new officers for TCA. The presence of all TCA members participating at this year's Tennessee Open is urgently requested.

APPLEBERRY WINS LUCKY OPEN

By Glenn Cornwell

Marty Appleberry(2239) of Huntsville came from behind in the Lucky Open held June 7-8 at the Hilton Inn in Nashville to take first place all alone with $4\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$. Going into the last round, Marty had $3\frac{1}{2}$ points. He met Steve Spencer(2242) from Missouri, who was leading with 4 points. In a hard fought endgame, Marty came away with the full point to win \$400. Two other players besides Spencer had 4 points, Gary Bawgus(1727) of Johnson City and Henry Robinson(1722) of Clarksville. These two also shared in the Class B prize in addition to the second place tie. Dennis Gogel(1948) won the Class A prize with $3\frac{1}{2}$ points. 27 players competed.

Donald Garratt of Atlanta, Steve Ellis and Kent Meadows of Nashville finished with $4\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$ points each in the Amateur to split \$250. Other winners were Lewis Inman (Class C), Stan Bimson (Class D), Ronald Edge (Class E), and Randy Campbell (Unrated). There were 53 players in this section to give a combined total of 80 players.

The event was directed by Glenn Cornwell assisted by Marcus Stinson and Wally Jordan. It was sponsored by the Lucky Chess Association headed by Jack Swift.

RAGAN WINS THIRD ANNUAL KING COTTON

By James Little

The third Annual King Cotton Open, held at Holiday Inn-Central in Memphis, May 3-4, attracted 59 players from 8 states. John Ragan of St. Louis took first place on tie breaks over Steve Spencer of Willow Springs, Mo. with equal scores of $4\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$. Ruth Haring Orton took third place in tie-breaks over M. Smith, Wright, Robinson, Hurt, Thayer and Ivey with scores of 4-1. Other prize winners included John Hurt (Top A), Mahlon Smith (Top B), Harold Moody (Top C), John Ivey (Top D) and Greg Hood (Top Unrated). Gary Pylant and C. C. Little directed.

MIKE TOMMY WINS 2nd VOLUNTEER CLASSIC

By Dr. Alan Lipkin

Mike Tommy (2050) from California captured first place with 4-1 in the top division of this event held in Knoxville, June 16-17. Mack Garner (1934) of Maryville, Gary Klinglesmith (2028) from Kentucky and Greg Taylor shared second place with $3\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$. Class A prize was divided between Emanuel Tsitsekliis (1975) of Knoxville and Dennis Gogel (1948) from Indiana with 3 points. Ken Murr (1750) of Rockford was Class B prize winner.

In the lower division Joe Rickman of Maryville made it a clean sweep with a 5-0 score. Three players tied for second with 4-1 in this order: Charles Laws, Mike Thomas, and George Mouldry. Tony Estrada and Marion Teffeteller shared the D/E Class prize with a 3-2 score.

The event attracted 42 players. Dr. Alan Lipkin directed for the Southern Chess Administration. David Ellis made the arrangements for the tournament. The next Volunteer Classic is planned for Nov. 15-16 in Chattanooga.

NEWS IN BRIEF

The U. S. Open this year will be held in Lincoln, Nebraska, August 10-22. Representing the state of Tennessee as a delegate will be James Little of Memphis in the USCF business meetings. He is also a Candidate for Regional USCF Director (Region IV Southern). We wish him the best of luck.

The Cumberland County Open was recently held in Crossville. Ron Wiley (1521) and Tom Collard (1474) tied for first with $3\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$. Thirteen players participated. Harry Sabine directed the event.

Recently a chess club was formed in Columbia. They have begun using a club ladder like the Nashville club. William Shaw was instrumental in the organization.

The first Music C. C. sponsored event in a neighboring county took place in Smyrna May 9-10. Gordon Smead (1519) of McMinnville won the 20 player tourney. The event was directed by Joe Roberdeau assisted by Marcus Stinson.

John Hurt, as winner of the Memphis Championship gave a simultaneous on May 13. He played 25 games, winning 20, losing 4, and drawing one.

The Memphis Spring Rating Tournament drew 20 players, among them one from Joiner, Ark. and three from Oxford, Ms. who commuted each Friday night for four weeks in April for this event. Mike Bock of Memphis finished first with a score of 4-0; John Ivey of Oxford finished second with $3\frac{1}{2}$ and John Gray of Oxford won third place on tie breaks over Lawrence and Lowe of Memphis with equal scores of 3-1. C. C. Little directed.

John F. Hurt, current Memphis City Champion, won the Littles' 1st Anniversary Tornado held May 17-18 at the Northeast YMCA, Memphis. Hurt scored $3\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$; Robert Holyfield won second place on tie breaks over Mike Bock with equal scores of 3-1. Other prizes included Fred Lowe (Top D), Greg Hood (Top E) and Robert Neyman (Top Unrated). The tourney was named for Jim and Carol Little's first wedding anniversary which was May 17. Jim is President of the Memphis C. C. and Carol is Secretary-Treasurer and also directed the event.

TOURNAMENT CALENDAR

- Jul 19 ETSU SUNSHINE OPEN 3-SS, 40/90, ETSU Univ. Center, Johnson City. EF \$5; ETSU CC mems \$3.75. TCA (\$3) req. for res. \$\$ (based on 25 entries) 40-30-20-10. Reg. 9:30-10 AM, rds. 10:15 - 2:30 - 5:30 (earlier if agreed) ENT: Phillip Lowrey, 112 Ell St., Greeneville, TN 37743
- Jul 19-20 MUSIC CITY SUMMER OPEN 5-SS, 50/2, Mercury Motel, 411 Marfreesboro Rd., Nashville. EF: \$12 HS \$10, all \$2 less if staying at Mercury. TCA mem. req.(3). \$\$ 100-50-25, B, C, D, E/Unr. each \$25; trophy to 1st. Reg. 8-9 AM, rds 9:30-2-7, 9-2. HR: 17-22. ENT: Music City Chess Assn., 303 Belinda Dr., Hermitage, TN 37076
- Jul 19-20 DYERSBURG SUMMER OPEN 5-SS, 50/2, Holiday Inn, Hwy 51 Bypass, Dyersburg. EF: \$15. USCF+EF: \$27. TCA mem. req. for Ten. res. \$\$ (based on 25 entr.) 100 to 1st; trophies to top 2, Top B, C, D, E/Unr.; more per entries. Reg. 8-9 AM, rds. 9:30-2:30-7:30, 9-2. ENT: Harold Moody, Rt. 3, Box 274, Newbern, TN 38059
- Aug 2 ETSU WHITE KNIGHT OPEN 3-SS in 8-man sections, 40/90, ETSU Univ. Center, Johnson City. EF: \$5, \$4 to ETSU CC mems. TCA mem. req. (\$3) of Ten. res. \$\$ 20 to 1st in each section; medals to top C, D/E, Unr. each sections; 3-0 score wins free entry next tourney. Reg. 9:30-10 AM, rds. 10:15-2:30-5:30 (earlier if agreed). ENT: John Nichols, 825 W. Maple St., Johnson City, TN 37601.
- Aug 9-10 BLUFF CITY OPEN, 5-SS, 50/2, Holiday Inn Central, 1837 Union Ave. Memphis. EF: Open \$15, Amateur (under 1600) \$12, TCA mems for Tenn. res. req.(\$3). \$\$ 1st 30%, 2nd 20%, 3rd 10% (each section). Trophies to Open 1st, Top B, C & below, Top unrated. Amateur 1st, 2nd, Top D-E, Top unrated. HR S-\$13, D-\$18. Reg. 8-8:45 AM, Aug. 9; Rds. 9-2-7, 9-2. ENT: Memphis Chess Club, 1223 Ambra Rd., Memphis, TN 38111(901/743-3381)
- Aug30-Sept TENNESSEE OPEN. See details on the front page.

2nd ETSU MAY CLASSIC

By Gary Bawgus

Lloyd Collier and Meeks Vaughan scored 3 wins and no losses to capture 1st place in a shortened ETSU May Classic. Due to an extremely poor turnout (only 14 players), the tournament was reduced from a 5-SS, two day tournament, to a 3-SS, one day Tournament. The entry fee and the prize fund were also reduced by 40%. All these actions were taken after discussion and vote of the players. I would like to thank the players for their cooperation under difficult circumstances and apologize for any inconvenience the players might have encountered. I do not understand the lack of support by local players of ETSU tournaments. If players from other areas did not come to ETSU tournaments the ETSU Chess Club would be forced to cut down or simply cancel tournament activity. I sincerely hope that this does not happen. The prize winners follow:

Lloyd Collier, 1st place trophy +\$45, Meeks Vaughan Class B trophy +\$45, James Willis Class C trophy, Paul Carriger D/E trophy, and Paul Rasmussen Unr. trophy.

	USCF	Rd1	Rd2	Rd3	Score		Rd1	Rd2	Rd3	Score
1. Lloyd Collier(VA)	1604	W9	W10	W6	3-0	8. Gary Bawgus(1720)	W5	L3	L4	1-2
2. Meeks Vaughan	1757	W13	W11	W3	3-0	9. William Pafford	L1	L6	W13	1-2
3. Jeff Smeltzer(SC)	1969	W7	W8	L2	2-1	10. Guy Kool(1679)	W12	L1	LF	1-1
4. Paul Rasmussen	UNR	D6	D7	W8	2-1	11. David Ellis(1861)	W14	L2	LF	1-1
5. Paul Carriger(NC)	1255	L8	W13	W12	2-1	12. Peter Brown(Unr)	L10	W14	L5	1-2
6. James Willis (NC)	1523	D4	W9	L1	1-1	13. Gerald Maze(1316)	L2	L5	L9	0-3
7. John Nichols	1508	L3	D4	W14	1-1	14. James Hardy(NC)	L11	L12	L7	0-3

OTHER NEWS FROM JOHNSON CITY: Rick Thompson and Gary Bawgus gave a simultaneous exhibition at Daniel Boone High School Monday, May 19. Thompson scored 7-0 playing part of the members of the D-B Chess Club while Bawgus scored 8-0 playing the remaining members. Members of the ETSU Chess Club would be glad to give simultaneous exhibition to any area schools or clubs to promote chess activity in East Tennessee. For further information write to: Gary Bawgus, 1605 Lynnwood Dr., Johnson City, TN 37601. Editor's note: In talking to Bawgus at the Lucky Open he mentioned that Grandmaster Kavalek gave a simultaneous exhibition in Johnson City. He faced 28 opponents. Have no further information as to the results.

GRANDMASTER KERES DIES

Grandmaster Paul Keres, one of the most popular chess players in the world, passed away on June 5 at the age of 59. He became a world title contender when he tied for first with Reuben Fine of the USA in the strong AVRO tournament in 1938. He was USSR Champion three times, in 1947, 1950 and 1951. Just this year he won two tournaments, first at Talinn ahead of Spassky and just two weeks before his passing at Vancouver, Canada ahead of Walter Browne. But for Americans he will perhaps best be remembered for his contributions to Chess Life and Review.

POSTAL CHESS By John Logue

- (1) Your Postal Director is moving to San Juan, Puerto Rico on a two year business trip. We are looking for a volunteer to assume his duties. How about you?
If you are interested please contact:
Peter Lahde, 2609 Sailboat Court, Nashville, TN, 37217; or
John Logue, 5260 Edmondson Pike, Nashville, TN, 37211
- (2) 1975 Tournaments
TC-5-75 has started play with Maurice Ellis, Richard Matson, James K. Cobb, and John Logue competing.
- (3) Game results received before June 28, 1975:
TC-1-74 Bennett 1 Walker 0
TC-7-74 Searles 2(F) Smith 0(F)
TC-8-74 Bennett 2 Nuckols 0
Bebout withdraws
TC-2-75 Wall $\frac{1}{2}$ Searles $\frac{1}{2}$

We should be able to start TC-F-74 before the next issue of TCN.

(4) RATINGS

Bebout	500	Hall	576	Lundin	498	Rutter	400
Bennett	609	Hargrove	540	Lyles	503	Searles	935
Binson	400	Horton	456	MacIin	655	Smith	567
Buchalter	480	Irwin	660	Matson	550	Stephenson	504
Carter	498	Ishoe	485	McGinnis	427	Thompson	528
Cobb	500	Johnson	533	Meadows	424	Tucker	342
Dyer	716	Jordan	461	Mikulecky	617	Vaughan	582
Ellis, D.	679	Knight	472	Nuckols	580	Walker	534
Ellis, M.	569	Kruglewicz	441	Ousley	700	Wall	798
Fawbush	964	LaVerne	769	Reh	805	White	876
Greeniger	486	Logue	901	Ritenour	496	Whitehead	550
Fielden	490			Roman	596		

(5) POSTAL GAMES, FROM TC-8-74

SICILIAN DEFENCE(Levenfish)				White: Paul Dyer	Black: Dr. David Nuckols
1 P-K4	P-QB4	14 NxN	QxN(f)	27 P-K7ch!	RxP
2 N-KB3	N-QB3	15 QxQ	PxQ	28 RxR	KxR(k)
3 P-Q4	PxP	16 B-K3!	P-QR3	29 K-Q2	K-Q3
4 NxP	N-B3	17 O-O-O	R-Q1	30 K-Q3	K-B4
5 N-QB3	P-KN3(a)	18 B-B5!	B-N2(g)	31 P-QR3	P-N4(1)
6 P-B4(b)	P-Q3	19 R-Q3	P-KB4	32 P-QN4ch	K-Q4
7 NxN	PxN	20 KR-Q1	P-Q5	33 P-QB4ch	K-K4
8 P-K5	B-N5?(c)	21 BxQP	BxB(h)	34 P-N5	PxP
9 B-K2	BxB	22 BxB	RxR	35 PxP	K-Q4
10 QxB	PxP	23 R-Q7	O-O!!(i)	36 P-QR4	P-B4
11 PxP	N-Q4	24 RxKP	KR-K1(j)	37 P-KB4!	P-N5
12 P-K6!!(d)	P-B3(e)	25 RxRch	RxR	38 K-K3	Resigns(m)
13 Q-QB4!	Q-Q3	26 R-K1	K-B1		

Annotations by Paul Dyer

- (a) This game could be of interest to Dragon players who have studied only the "current" lines. It shows that the "old" lines also offer their share of problems. Also this is a position that could have occurred in the famous Wright - Monic game examined by Garner in Nov. 1974!
- (b) This forces Black to allow the Loewenfish Attack.
- (c) This is the losing move! It follows the rule of exchanging pieces when attacked, but it ignores the tactics of the position.
- (d) And this is the winning move.
- (e) P-KB4 is slightly better, but the damage has been done.
- (f) PxN is no better.
- (g) B-R3ch is of course meaningless.
- (h) At this point White was very disappointed as he was hoping he might be allowed to win in the following manner: 21....O-O 22 BxB RxR 23 BxR! RxRch 24 KxR KxB 25 P-QN4! K-N2 26 P-QR4! K-B3 27 P-N5 PxP 28 P-R5!! and queens.
- (i) 23...R-B1 was worth considering. After 24 R-R7 R-KB3 25 RxP P-B5 White has to play very carefully despite his three connected passed pawns.
- (j) White must not be allowed to double rooks on the 7th.
- (k) Now White has a pure pawn ending. The key to this ending is that White's King must attack Black's King-side pawns while Black's King helplessly watches the passed queen-side pawns.
- (l) Moving the King-side pawns only aids White, but the result is predestined already.
- (m) If 38...K-K4 then simply 39. P-N3.
I like this game because my opponent actually played very well. He made no overt errors except on his 8th move and there he is in the company of several masters and grandmasters.

TENNESSEE CHESS ASSOCIATION CONSTITUTION

Ratified 1975

ARTICLE I

The name of this organization shall be the Tennessee Chess Association (TCA).

ARTICLE II

Purposes and Powers

The general purposes for which this organization is formed and its powers are:

- (a) To initiate programs, conduct tournaments and matches and to employ methods that will tend to promote the literary and educational benefits to be derived from the game of chess.
- (b) To obtain, receive, hold, administer and expend property and funds in accordance with the policies of the TCA. Such funds shall be obtained and secured in accordance with sound principles and policies pertaining to the raising of funds for charitable, literary and educational purposes, and shall be deposited to the credit of the TCA.
- (c) To enter into, make, perform and carry out contracts of every kind for any lawful purpose (without limit as to amount) with any person, firm, association or corporation, municipality, county, parish, state, territory, government or other municipal or governmental subdivision.
- (d) The TCA is organized for and will be operated for charitable, literary and educational purposes, is not for profit and will not be operated for profit and no part of its net earnings will inure to the benefit of any member, shareholder, or individual.
- (e) No property of the TCA will be used or operated by the TCA or any other person so as to benefit any officer, trustee, director, shareholder, member, employee, contributor, or bondholder, of the TCA or of the operator, or any other person, through the distribution of profits, payment of excessive charges of compensations or the more advantageous pursuit of their businesses or professions.
- (f) No property of the TCA will be used by the TCA or by its members for fraternal or lodge purposes, or for social club purposes except where such use is clearly incidental to a primary literary and educational purpose.
- (g) All the property of the TCA is irrevocably dedicated to charitable, literary and educational purposes and upon the liquidation, dissolution or abandonment of this organization none of the property of this organization will or shall inure to the benefit of any private person but shall be transferred or conveyed to one or more domestic or foreign societies or organizations which are not for profit and which are engaged in affairs substantially similar to those of the TCA.

ARTICLE III

Affiliation

The TCA shall be affiliated with the United States Chess Federation (USCF).

ARTICLE IV

Membership

Section 1. Individual Membership. Any person, regardless of residence, citizenship, race, creed, or color may become a member of the TCA by representing dues for one year with his name and address to any officer of the TCA or certified USCF Tournament Director residing in the state of Tennessee. These dues shall include a subscription to the Tennessee Chess News (TCN). Each additional person in a family may join for one-half (1/2) of the individual membership, but this shall not include a subscription to TCN. No one family shall be required to pay for more than four (4) memberships.

Section 2. Membership privileges. Anyone whose dues are current for the calendar year will have the privileges of:

- (a) entering TCA sanctioned tournaments (all tournaments other than local shall require TCA membership; out-of-state membership for non-residents will be honored except for the Tennessee Championship, which requires state residency).
- (b) of receiving all TCA publications.
- (c) participating and voting in meetings of the organization.

Section 3. Membership restriction. Only resident of Tennessee may vote on TCA business or be eligible for the Chess Championships of Tennessee.

ARTICLE V

Officers

Section 1. Number. The officers of the TCA shall be the President, Vice President, Secretary-Treasurer, and three directors as follows: Postal Chess Director, Newsletter Director, Tournament Coordination Director and all USCF Delegates from Tennessee. No person may hold more than one TCA office at one time.

Section 2. Geographical limitation. No more than one less than a clear majority of the TCA officers may reside in one grand division of the state.

Section 3. Election of Officers. Election of officers shall be held annually at the TCA business meeting. Nominations for the offices to be elected shall be made by:

- (a) open nominations from the floor at the business meeting.
- (b) nominating petitions submitted by mail with three (3) or more names of responsible TCA members endorsing each nominee. All nomination petitions must be postmarked to the Secretary-Treasurer no later than thirty (30) days prior to the annual business meeting; and
- (c) nominations submitted by a nominating committee, such committee consisting of the members of the Executive Committee.

Election shall be by a majority vote of those present at the TCA business meeting.

Section 4. Term of office. The officers shall be elected for two (2) year terms. Beginning in 1975, the President, Secretary-Treasurer, and Newsletter Director shall be elected in odd numbered years; the Vice President, Postal Chess Director and Tournament Coordination Director shall be elected in even numbered years. USCF Delegates shall be elected by the membership annually and an equal number of Delegates will be elected from each grand region of the state where possible.

Section 5. Vacancies. In case of a vacancy in the Presidency the Vice President shall succeed to the Presidency and the Vice Presidency shall become vacant. In case of any other vacancy the Executive Committee shall fill the vacancy by mail ballot election, run by the Vice-President, unless the office to be filled is the Vice-Presidency, in which case the Secretary-Treasurer shall run the election. Any vacancy filled in such a manner shall be filled only until the next business meeting at which time the membership shall elect a person to serve the remainder of the term.

Section 6. Duties of officers:

- (a) President
 - (1) shall preside at all annual business meetings
 - (2) be chairman of and preside at all meetings of the Executive Committee
 - (3) appoint any other administrative officer the Executive Committee deems necessary
 - (4) appoint all committees
 - (5) direct all TCA affairs between business meetings.
- (b) Vice President
 - (1) shall assist the President
 - (2) shall preside at all meetings in the absence of the President
- (c) Secretary-Treasurer
 - (1) shall keep minutes of annual business meeting and any other Executive Committee meetings
 - (2) carry on the correspondence of the TCA
 - (3) send notices of meetings to Directors and officers
 - (4) collect all TCA dues
 - (5) deposit all funds received in a bank designated by the Executive Committee
 - (6) make disbursements as authorized by the Executive Committee
 - (7) furnish a financial statement at executive committee meetings and an annual financial statement at the TCA business meetings.
- (d) Newsletter Director
 - (1) Editor-in-Chief of Tennessee Chess News (TCN)
 - (2) Make disbursements according to expenses of TCN and the budget supplied by TCA
 - (3) Direct publishing of TCN
 - (4) Appoint all subordinate editors including three (3) games editors, 1 from each grand region of the state
 - (5) be in charge of distribution of TCN, bi-monthly
 - (6) make annual report at TCA business meeting.

- (e) Postal Chess Director
 - (1) direct and coordinate postal chess activities for TCA
 - (2) make disbursements necessary for postal chess according to budget supplied by TCA
 - (3) periodically submit reports and games to TCN
 - (4) be responsible for enforcement of TCA membership, and collection of TCA dues when necessary, from all postal chess players.
 - (5) make an annual report at TCA business meeting.
- (f) Tournament Coordination Director
 - (1) shall be a certified USCF Tournament Director
 - (2) in charge of coordinating the Tennessee State Championships. The tournament Coordination Director may direct a section of the state championship. If he should direct a section and receive monetary compensation for it, he will be doing so in his individual capacity as a USCF Certified Tournament Director, and not in his capacity of Tournament Coordination Director.
 - (3) appoint three (3) directors for the state championships, one (1) from each grand region of the state.
 - (4) shall be in constant contact with all certified USCF Tournament Directors in the state
 - (5) in charge of coordination of all major tournament dates for the state so as to avoid conflicts of dates, according to USCF suggested guidelines.
 - (6) set up state annual tournament calendar with the participation and cooperation of the state USCF Delegates
 - (7) require all out-of-state organizers to get permission in writing before holding a tournament inside the state, permission to be granted by a majority vote of the USCF Delegates and the Tournament Coordination Director.
 - (8) make a report at the TCA annual business meeting.
- (g) USCF Delegates and Alternates.
 - (1) shall represent Tennessee at USCF Annual Business Meeting at the US Open.
 - (2) Delegates and Alternates will be elected annually at the TCA business meeting. The number of Delegates and Alternates will be divided equally and be elected from each of the three grand regions of the state.
 - (3) Number of Delegates and Alternates will be specified by the USCF as found in the Annual Official Notice to State Affiliates Certification of USCF State Delegates published by the USCF.
 - (4) If any delegate is unable to attend the USCF Business Meeting, his proxy vote will be given to an Alternate. If both a Delegate and his Alternate are unable to attend, his vote will be given to one of the other USCF Delegates. If none of the USCF Delegates and Alternates are able to attend, all proxies will be given to a responsible USCF Tennessee resident, so approved by the TCA Executive Committee, that is attending the annual USCF Business Meeting. If for some reason there is no one from Tennessee known to be attending the USCF Business Meeting, or no one is approved by the Executive Committee, all proxies will be sent to the USCF Regional Director.
 - (5) Shall assist Tournament Coordination Director
 - (6) TCA will submit a list of Delegates and Alternates immediately after the TCA business meeting to the USCF.
 - (7) Delegates and Alternates will serve for a one year term commencing January 1.
 - (8) Due to costs of attending the annual USCF Business Meeting, TCA will help defray the expenses of at least one (1) Delegate or Alternate to attend each year to give a voice in USCF affairs to the state.
 - (9) Make a report of the USCF Business Meeting to the TCA business meeting.

ARTICLE VI

The Executive Committee

Section 1. Membership. The TCA officers and any USCF Officers or Delegates residing in Tennessee shall constitute the TCA Executive Committee. USCF Officers and Delegates who are not otherwise members of the Executive Committee shall sit ex-officio without voting power.

Section 2. Duties. The Executive Committee shall conduct the business of the TCA between business meetings and subject to the instructions of the membership; serve as a nominating committee for election of TCA officers when called upon by the TCA President or by a vote of the TCA membership to do so; and approve responsible TCA members to represent Tennessee at the annual USCF Business Meeting if all elected Delegates and Alternates are not able to attend.

ARTICLE VII

Annual Meeting

Section 1. State Championships. Each year the Tennessee State Championships shall be held over Labor Day weekend and arranged by the Tournament Coordination Director, who shall also be in charge of the tournament and the actual directing shall be by three (3) tournament directors appointed by him.

Section 2. Annual Business Meeting. During the State Tournament, the annual TCA business meeting will be held for the purpose of conducting any business the officers or membership deem necessary and to review the annual reports presented by the Secretary-Treasurer, Newsletter Director, Postal Chess Director, Tournament Coordination Director and USCF Delegates.

ARTICLE VIII

Amendment

This Constitution may be amended by two-thirds (2/3) vote of the members in attendance at a regularly called business meeting provided that the proposed amendment(s) have been published in TCN at least thirty (30) days before the meeting, or, the proposed amendment(s) having failed to have been published, printed copies of the proposed amendment(s) having been sent to all members of the TCA at least forty-five (45) days prior to the meeting.

ARTICLE IX

Ratification

This Constitution may be ratified by two-thirds (2/3) majority of the members present at a TCA business meeting within three (3) years after its submission. It shall be ratified as an amendment to the present TCA Constitutions. The ratification of this Constitution shall make all prior Constitutions (ratified: 1949 and 1965) inoperative and make this Constitution operative immediately.

CERTIFIED TOURNAMENT DIRECTORS

Compiled by Peter Lahde

Tennessee has presently at least 30 certified tournament directors. This certainly speaks well for a good number of players who not only play in rated USCF events, but also are willing to promote the game by directing tournaments. A list of TD's for Tennessee including names and addresses follows:

INTERMEDIATE TOURNAMENT DIRECTORS (6)

Bawgus, Gary; 1605 Lynnwood Dr., Johnson City, TN, 37601
Cornwell, Glenn; 303 Belinda Dr., Hermitage, TN, 37076
Garner, Mack; Route 5, Maryville, TN, 37801
Hemphill, Frank; 235 Melita, Memphis, TN, 38117
Nichols, John; Box 2427, ETSU Sta., Johnson City, TN, 37601
Fylant, Gary; 3017 Spottswood, Memphis, TN, 38111

LOCAL TOURNAMENT DIRECTORS (18)

Ellis, David; 3611 Essary Dr., Knoxville, TN, 37918
Freeman, John; 3810 Dartmouth Lane, Nashville, TN, 37215
Gann, Robert; 3818 Lake Vista Dr., Chattanooga, TN, 37416
Lahde, Peter; 2609 Sailboat Court, Nashville, TN, 37217
Little, Carolyn; 1223 Aubra, Memphis, TN, 38111
Little, James; 1223 Aubra, Memphis, TN, 38111
Moody, Bobby Dwayne;
Moody, Harold; Box 224, Newbern, TN, 38059
Neitzel, William; 5691 Walnut Grove Road, Memphis, TN 38117
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Sabine, Harry D.; P.O. Box 422, Crossville, TN, 38555
Searles, Richard; Route #2, Davis Road, Cleveland, TN, 37311
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Smith, Jack E., 2768 Metrie Dr., #7, Memphis, TN, 38114
Thatcher, Jonathan; 1012 Battery Lane, Nashville, TN, 37220
Thayer, Peter; 1986 Adney Gap Drive, Memphis, TN, 38134
Vix, Vernon; 2412 Pierce Ave., #703E, Nashville, TN, 37212
Willman, Jerry; 1026 John Mark Road, Hixson, TN, 37343

PROVISIONAL TOURNAMENT DIRECTORS (6)

Busby, Morris L. Jr.;
Lowrey, Phillip K; 112 Ell St., Greeneville, TN, 37743
Maclin, Phillip Sr.; 3405 Kings Arms St., Memphis, TN 38118
McGinnis, Charles M.; Rt. 2, Ravendale Farm, Madisonville, TN, 37354
Spoonner, George;
Stinson, Marcus; 513 E. Kings Rd., Smyrna, TN, 37167

NEW PROPOSED METHOD OF HANDLING TCA DUES

In order to more fairly collect dues for TCA the following plan is recommended for your consideration. The new TCA membership cards will expire August 31, 1976. Players applying for membership between September to December 1975 will pay the full amount of \$3.00. Players applying for membership between January to April 1976 will be paying only \$2.00. Players applying for membership between May to August 1976 will still be paying \$2, or they can obtain new memberships for 1976/7 for \$4, which would then expire Aug. 31, 1977. The practice of mailing TCN to players for September and November '75 that did not renew in 1975 will then be discontinued.

3rd ANNUAL KING COTTON OPEN

May 3-4, 1975

Memphis, Tennessee

	USCF	Rd1	Rd2	Rd3	Rd4	Rd5	SCORE
1. Ragan, John V. (MO)	2094	W13	W18	W30	W3	D2	4½-1½
2. Spencer, Steve (MO)	2194	W44	W33	W6	W7	D1	4½-1½
3. Orton, Ruth Haring (Ark)	1849	W9	W40	W17	L1	W16	4-1
4. Smith, Mahlon III	1794	W29	W22	W11	L12	W17	4-1
5. Wright, James A.	1729	W58	W20	D14	D16	W25	4-1
6. Robinson, Henry J.	1697	W32	W34	L2	W27	W21	4-1
7. Hurt, Joan F.	1859	W23	W45	W8	L2	W12	4-1
8. Thayer, Peter	1637	W52	W43	L7	W20	W15	4-1
9. Ivey, Joan (MS)	1357	L3	W55	W50	W18	W19	4-1
10. Vollmar, Raymond W. (MO)	1707	W26	D28	D15	W14	D11	3½-1½
11. Moody, Harold	1594	W34	W19	L4	W29	D10	3½-1½
12. Orton, William R. (Ark)	2008	W41	D31	W28	W4	L7	3½-1½
13. McHaney, Nelson (Ark)	1392	L1	W24	D48	W7	W38	3½-1½
14. Coulter, Wayman (Ark)	1439	W59	W38	D5	L10	W28	3½-1½
15. Hood, W. Gregory	UNR	W25	D16	D10	W45	L8	3-2
16. Middleton, Morris H. (Ark)	1616	W51	D15	W31	D5	L3	3-2
17. Garner, Robert E.	1613	W21	W50	L3	W35	L4	3-2
18. Meadows, R. Kent	1589	W24	L1	W26	L9	W37	3-2
19. Gray, Donny (Ark)	1698	W37	L11	W58	W22	L9	3-2
20. McKinney, Nathan	1488	W54	L5	W34	L8	W36	3-2
21. Green, John W. III (Okla)	1288	L17	W44	W40	W33	L6	3-2
22. Rackley, James R.	1562	W53	L4	W36	L19	W34	3-2
23. Chaplus, Bobby	1368	L7	L39	W53	W41	W45	3-2
24. Lowe, Fred R.	1219	L18	L13	W59	W46	W35	3-2
25. Waltman, Charles (Ill.)	1419	L15	W51	W54	W30	L5	3-2
26. Therrell, Ben E. (Ark)	1278	L10	W56	L18	W52	W33	3-2
27. Dietz, Arliss (Ala)	1418	L50	W52	W43	L6	W39	3-2
28. Bock, Michael S.	1498	W56	D10	L12	W48	L14	2½-2½
29. Smith, Howard W.	1340	L4	W53	W36	L11	D30	2½-2½
30. Smith, Jack E., Jr.	1603	W36	W48	L1	L25	D29	2½-2½
31. Varga, Tibor	1566	W57	D12	L16	D43	D32	2½-2½
32. Wilson, Charles K. (Tex)	1254	L6	W42	L11	W51	D31	2½-2½
33. Herbers, Charles R.	1575	W55	L2	W32	L21	L26	2-3
34. Neitzel, William C.	1222	L11	W41	L20	W58	L22	2-3
35. Marlowe, Jerry L. (Ark)	1477	W42	L6	W39	L17	L24	2-3
36. Milligan, Gaines I.	1225	L30	W47	L22	W54	L20	2-3
37. Blacksten, Paul (Ark)	1275	L19	D49	W44	D31	L18	2-3
38. Smith, Timothy W. (Ark)	1666	W46	L14	L29	W43	L13	2-3
39. Wright, Herbert	1196	L45	W23	L35	W50	L27	2-3
40. Moody, Ellis J.	1529	W49	L3	L21	L42	W48	2-3
41. Mitchell, James H.	1375	L12	L34	W49	L23	W56	2-3
42. Enk, John F.	UNR	L35	L32	W55	W40	L23	2-3
43. Garner, Richard E.	747	Bye	L8	L27	L38	W52	2-3
44. Weis, Louis	1412	L2	L21	L37	W53	W55	2-3
45. Sulcer, William Mike (Ark)	1567	W39	L7	W46	L15	LF	2-3
46. Choatle, Steven	1249	L38	W59	L45	L24	W54	2-3
47. Maclin, Philip Sr.	1412	L48	L35	LF	W57	W51	2-3
48. Nix, Dayne	UNR	W47	L30	D13	L28	L40	1½-3½
49. Fowler, Mabry Jr.	1045	L40	D37	L41	LF	W50	1½-3½
50. Mayes, Daniel G.	UNR	W27	L17	L9	L39	L49	1-4
51. Rhea, Dicki	1231	L16	L25	W57	L32	L47	1-4
52. Morris, Billy (Ark)	1239	L8	L27	W56	L26	L43	1-4
53. Therrell, Paul K. (Ark)	1072	L22	L29	L23	L44	W59	1-4
54. Cooper, Michael W. (Ark)	867	L20	Bye	L25	L35	L46	1-4
55. Haglin, Howard	1208	L33	L9	L42	W59	L44	1-4
56. Phelps, Kenneth J. Jr.	834	L28	L26	L52	Bye	L41	1-4
57. Morrison, Ronald E.	1108	L31	L58	L51	L47	Bye	1-4
58. Beal, Reginald M. (MS)	1296	L5	W15	L45	L51	LF	1-4
59. Hager, Arthur L.	UNR	L14	L46	L24	L55	L53	0-5

WALTER BROWNE NEW U.S. CHAMPION

Walter Browne is the new U.S. Champion. He won by a score of 8½-4½. Second place went surprisingly to Kenneth Rogoff with 8-5. These two qualify for the Interzonals along with Robert Byrne who has already qualified. Third place went to Milan Vukcevic with 7½-5½. Tying for fourth were the two veterans Robert Byrne and Samuel Reshevsky with 7-6. Four players tied for sixth as follows: William Lombardy, James Tarjan, Arthur Bisguier, and Kim Commons. All had an even 6½-6½. Four players scored 5½ points, Lubimor Kavalek, John Grefe, Edmar Mednis and John Peters. Pal Benko could only muster 4½ points to come in last.

LUCKY OPEN #4, OPEN DIVISION
Nashville, June 7-8, 1975

	USCF	Rd1	Rd2	Rd3	Rd4	Rd5	SCORE
1. Marty Appleberry (AL)	2239	W3	W4	D5	W6	W2	4½-½
2. Steve Spencer (MO)	2242	W9	W12	W20	W11	L1	4-1
3. Gary Bawgus (Johnson City)	1727	L1	W18	W22	W15	W10	4-1
4. Henry J. Robinson (Clarkv)	1722	WF	L1	W12	W7	W9	4-1
5. Gary Klinglesmith (KY)	2028	W17	W15	D1	L10	WF	3½-1½
6. Dennis V. Gogel (IN)	1948	W26	D11	W10	L1	W13	3½-1½
7. David Ellis (Knoxville)	1866	D13	W14	D19	L4	W18	3-2
8. David R. Hunt (KY)	1739	L14	L13	W26	W23	W17	3-2
9. Bruce Stearns (Nashville)	1705	L2	W26	W23	W20	L4	3-2
10. Bob Baskin (AR)	1923	W23	W19	L6	W5	L3	3-2
11. Milan Momic (AL)	2300	W21	D6	W13	L2	LF	2½-2½
12. Frank L. Shipp (KY)	1629	W18	L2	L4	W22	D15	2½-2½
13. Ronnie C. Barnes (MO)	1678	D7	W8	L11	W14	L6	2½-2½
14. Robert E. Garner (Dyersb)	1635	W8	L7	D17	L13	W19	2½-2½
15. D. Scott Smith (Nashville)	1551	Bye	L5	W24	L3	D12	2½-2½
16. Brooks Egerton (Nashville)	1828	L19	L23	W21	L18	W22	2-3
17. Curt Jones (Nashville)	1723	L5	W21	D14	D19	L8	2-3
18. Richard Matson (McEwen)	1610	L12	L3	W25	W16	L7	2-3
19. David A. Rushing (Nashv.)	1634	W16	L10	D7	D17	L14	2-3
20. Peter Lahde (Nashville)	1624	W25	W24	L2	L9	WD	2-2
21. Rodney Wright (KY)	1745	L11	L17	L16	D25	Bye	1½-3½
22. Guy Kooi (Knoxville)	1665	L24	W25	L3	L12	L16	1-4
23. Robert Jurjevich (AL)	1767	L10	W16	L9	L8	WD	1-3
24. Vernon Vix, Jr. (Nashv.)	1896	W22	L20	L15	WD	WD	1-2
25. Joseph Jurjevich (AL)	1817	L20	L22	L18	D21	WD	½-3½
26. Karl Knielo (Tulahoma)	1665	L6	L9	L8	WD	WD	0-3
27. M. C. Wright (Nashville)	2027	LF	WD	WD	WD	WD	0-1

AMATEUR DIVISION

1. Kent Meadows (Nashville)	1554	W51	W17	W11	W4	D2	4½-½
2. Steve Ellis (Nashville)	1561	W19	W5	W15	W14	D1	4½-½
3. Donald A. Garratt (GA)	1462	W34	D30	W42	W7	W12	4½-½
4. Mark Ishee (Nashville)	1576	W50	W52	W21	L1	W16	4-1
5. Lewis Inman (Nashville)	1483	W43	L2	W20	W37	W14	4-1
6. Alan Todd (AL)	1579	W39	D12	W24	L9	W15	3½-1½
7. John L. Dockery (KY)	1563	D26	W10	W25	L3	W24	3½-1½
8. Jerry Wheeler	1546	W20	D24	W30	L12	W25	3½-1½
9. James Clark (KY)	1552	W27	L25	W45	W6	D13	3½-1½
10. Dewey Maynard	1638	D42	L7	W41	W29	W28	3½-1½
11. John Freeman	1527	W32	W28	L1	D25	W26	3½-1½
12. Arliss Dietz (AL)	1418	W45	D6	W26	W8	L3	3½-1½
13. Al Williams	1312	L47	W34	W49	W22	D9	3½-1½
14. Tibor Varga	1566	W31	W23	W16	L2	L5	3-2
15. Steve Shumate	1535	W48	W18	L2	W23	L6	3-2
16. Jon Thatcher	1475	W33	W36	L14	W19	L4	3-2
17. Robert Yokley	1451	W35	L1	D28	W52	D22	3-2
18. Marvis Harris	1299	W46	L15	L37	W36	W38	3-2
19. L. Thad Rogers (GA)	1242	L2	W43	W46	L16	W37	3-2
20. William P. Johnson	1226	L8	W44	L5	W49	W40	3-2
21. Paul Daich (FL)	1550	W29	W41	L4	W39	WD	3-1
22. Jack Swift	1547	L28	W32	W27	L13	D17	2½-2½
23. Bobby R. Chapius	1380	W44	L14	W36	L15	D27	2½-2½
24. George Overton (GA)	1302	W37	D8	L6	W40	L7	2½-2½
25. A. Sidney Knight	1288	W53	W9	L7	D11	L8	2½-2½
26. Kenny Gatlin	1201	D7	W47	L12	W42	L11	2½-2½
27. Garry Carter	1201	L9	W53	L22	WF	D23	2½-2½
28. Stan H. Binson	1313	W22	L11	D17	W30	L10	2½-2½
29. Ronald Edge	1169	L21	D40	W33	L10	W41	2½-2½
30. Randy Campbell	UNR	W40	D3	L8	L28	W42	2½-2½

2 points - 31. Sandra Garratt (GA), 32. Tim Bass, 33. Andrew Cagle
34. Larry Carter, 35. Joseph M. Brooks (KY), 36. Richard E. Garner, 37. Arthur L. Hager, 38. Walter Vernon (KS), and 39. Leonce Jurjevich (AL).

1½ points - 40. Paul East (KY), 41. Steve Choatle, 42. Marvin A. Holt, Jr.
43. Keith E. Davidson, 44. Jim Donahue, 45. Jeffry Daich (FL)

1 point - 46. R. W. Shannon, 47. Tommy Hoge, 48. Ronald E. Morrison,
49. Brian Fulkerson (KY), 50. Rodger Bivins (KY), 51. Louis M. Groeniger, and 52. Gary Gaddis.

0 point - 53. Calvin Overton

GAMES FROM KING COTTON TOURNEY

SICILIAN(SMITH-MORRA) White: K. Meadows (1589) Black: J. Ragan (2094)
 1 e4 c5 2 d4 cd4 3 c3 dc3 4 Nxc3 Nc6 5 Nf3 d6 6 Bc4 Nf6 7 e5 de5 8 Qxd8ch Kxd8(?)
 9 Ng5 Na5 10 Nxf7ch(?) Ke8 11 Nxe5 Nxc4 12 Nxc4 Bf5 13 0-0? Bd3 14 Ne5 Bxf1 15 Kxf1
 e6 16 Nb5 Nd5 17 Be3 a6 18 Nc3 Nxe3ch 19 fe3 Bd6 20 Nf3 Ke7 21 e4 Rac8 22 Rcl Rnf8
 23 Ke2 b5 24 a3 Rc4 25 Nd2 Rc7 26 Nf3 Rfc8 27 e5 Bxa3 28 ba3 Rxc3 29 Rxc3 Rxc3
 30 Kd2 Rxa3 31 Nd4 Ra2ch 32 Kc1 Rxc2 33 Nxe6 Kxe6 34 h4 Kxe5 35 h5 Kd4 36 h6 gh6
 37 Kb1 Kc3 38 Ka1 Kb3 (0-1)

KING'S INDIAN White: C. Waltman (1419) Black: J. Wright (1729)
 1 e4 Nf6 2 Nc3 g6 3 Nf3 Bg2 4 d4 d6 5 g3 0-0 6 Bg2 Nbd7 7 0-0 Rb8 8 Re1 b6 9 e4 e5
 10 Bg5 Bb7 11 Qc2 a6 12 Rad1 Qe7 13 Bh3 ed4 14 Rxd4 Ne5 15 Nxe5 Qxe5 16 Be3 c5 17 Rd3
 Nxe4 18 Bf4 Qh5 19 Nxe4 Qxh3 20 Bxd6 f5 21 g4 Qxg4ch 22 Rg3 Bxe4! 23 Rxc4 Bxc2 24 Rg3
 Rfe8 25 Re1 Rbd8 26 Rxc2 Rxd6 27 b3 Rde6 28 Kg2 Bd4 29 Rf3 Re2 30 Rxe2 Rxe2 31 a4 a5
 32 Kf1 Rxf2ch 33 Rxf2 Bxf2 34 Kxf2 Kf7 35 Kf3 Kf6 36 h4 h6 37 Kf4 g5ch (0-1)

SICILIAN DEEFNCE White: J. Rackley (1562) Black: M. Smith (1794)
 1 e4 c5 2 Nf3 d6 3 d4 cd4 4 Nxd4 Nf6 5 Nc3 a6 6 Be2 e5 7 Nf3 Qc7 8 0-0 b5 9 a3 Bb7
 10 Re1 Be7 11 Bg5 Nbd7 12 Nh4 h6 13 Bxf6 Nxf6 14 Nf5 g6 15 Ne3 Rc8 16 f3 Qb6 17 Kh1
 0-0 18 Qd2 Kg7 19 Rac1 Rfd8 20 Bd3 d5 21 ed5 Bxd5 22 Nxd5 Nxd5 23 Re5! Bg5 24 Nxd5
 Rxd5 25 Qe2 Rxd3 26 Rxc5 Re3 27 Re5 Rxe2 28 Rxe2 Rd8 29 Rce1 Qd4 30 c3 Qd3 31 Kg1
 Rd6 32 Re3 Qc2 33 R3e2 Rd2 34 Kf1 Qxb2 (0-1)

NIMZOVICH White: T. Smith (1666) Black: W. Coulter (1437)
 1 d4 Nf6 2 Nf3 d6 3 b3 g6 4 Bb2 Bg7 5 Nbd2 Nbd7 6 e3 0-0 7 Bd3 c5 8 0-0 Qc7 9 c4 b6
 10 Qc2 Bb7 11 d5 Ne5 12 Nxe5 de5 13 Rfe1 Ng4 14 Nf3 Rad8 15 Rad1 Be8 16 h3 Nh6 17 e4
 Bd7 18 Bc3 f6 19 Re2 Qc8 20 Re3 Nf7 21 Bf1 Bh6 22 Re2 Bf4 23 Bd2 g5 24 Bxf4 gh4
 25 Qc3 Kh8 26 Kh2 Rg8 27 Rd3 Rg6 28 g3 Rh6 29 h4 Rg8 30 Ng1 Bg4 31 Bh3 Bxh3 32 Nxb3
 Ng5 33 gf4 Nxb3 34 Rxb3 Qg4 35 Rg3 Rxb4ch 36 Kg2 Qxe2 (0-1)

FRENCH DEFENCE White: G. Hood (UNR) Black: M. Sulzer (1567)
 1 e4 e6 2d4 d5 3 Nd2 c5 4 Bb5ch Nc6 5 ed ed 6 Qe2+ 8 Nxf2 Bxf2 9 Nxf2 Bxf2 10 Qd2 Qe7
 7 dc Qxe2+ 8 Nxe2 Bxc5 9 Nb3 Bb6 10 Bd2 Bd7 11 Rd1 Nf6 12 Bc3 Ne4 13 Bd4 Bxd4 14 Nxb4
 0-0 15 0-0 a6 16 Ba4 Nc5 17 Bb3 Nxb3 18 Nxb3 Bg4 19 f3 Bf5 20 Rd2 Rfd8 21 Nf4 d4
 22 Rfd1 Nb4 23 Nxd4 Bxc2 24 Nxc2 Rxd2 25 Rxd2 (1-0) (From Mid-South Chess Advocate)

DANISH GAMBIT White: J. Hart (1859) Black: W. Orton (2008)
 1 P-K4 P-K4 2 P-Q4 PXP 3 P-QB3 PXP 4 B-QB4 PXP 5 BXP P-Q4! 6 BxQP N-KB3 7 BxPch KxB
 8 QxQ B-N5ch 9 Q-Q2 BxQch 10 NxB R-K1 11 KN-B3 P-B4 12 0-0-0 P-QN4 13 P-K5 N-N5 14 N-K4
 K-B1 15 P-KR3 (15 N-Q6 or 15 R-Q2 are better) B-N2 16 N-Q6 NxBP 17 NxB (17 QR-B1 wins
 quicker) NxBR 18 RxB R-Q2 19 N-Q6 P-QR3 20 R-B1 KN1 21 N-B5 R-K1 22 R-Q1 N-B3 23 P-N4
 QR-Q1 24 N-Q6 R-K2 25 P-R3 N-R4 26 R-Q5 27 N-B5 R/2-K1 28 RXP R-Q6 29 N-N5 P-R3 30 N-K7+
 K-R1 31 N-N6ch (White has perpetual if he wants) K-N1 32 N-K4 RXP 33 RxB PxB 34 N-Q6
 R-Q1 35 N-K7ch K-R236 NXP R-Q2 37 N-B5 R-QB2 38 N-Q6 R-KN6 39 K-Q2 RxBP 40 N-K3 R-KR5
 41 K-Q3 R-Q2 42 B-Q4 K-N1 43 B-B5 P-N4 44 N-B5 R-R6ch 45 K-K4 R-R8 46 P-K6 R-K8ch
 47 K-Q5 R-QB2 48 NxFch K-R2 49 N/R6-B7 RXP! 50 NxFch Resigns (John Hart)

FROM VARIOUS EVENTS

ENGLISH OPENING White: Meeks Vaughan(1757) Black: Jeff Smeltzer(1969)
 1 Nf3 Nf6 2 e4 g6 3 g3 Bg7 4 Bg2 d6 5 Nc3 0-0 6 0-0 Nc6 7 d3 e5 8 a3 Ne8 9 Rb1 f5
 10 Bg5 Qd7 11 Qd2 Nf6 12 Bh6 Re8 13 Bg7 Kg7 14 b4 h6 15 b5 Nd8 16 a4 Qf7 17 Ne1 Rb8
 18 Nc2 Bd7 19 Nb4 Ne6 20 N/c-d5 R/e-c8 21 a5 Ne8 22 a6 b6 23 Nc3 Nd8 24 Ral Kh7
 25 Ra2 Ne6 26 Bb7 Rd8 27 Nc6 Bc6 28 Bc6 Nf6 29 e3 Rf8 30 Nd5 g5 31 Nb4 Nd8 32 Bg2 Ne8
 33 Bd5 Qf6 34 f4 g4 35 e4 Ng7 36 ef5 h5 37 Be4 Nf5 38 Nd5 (1-0)(ETSU May Classic)

PIRC DEFENCE White: Phillip Gardner (1824) Black: Gary Bawgas (1722)
 1 e4 d6 2 Nc3 g6 3 Nf3 Bg7 4 d4 Nf6 5 Bg5 0-0 6 Q-d2 Bg4 7 0-0-0 N/8-d7 8 Be2 c5
 9 d5 Qb6 10 b3 Qb4 11 Qd3 R/a-c8 12 Qe3 Nh5 13 Nb1 c4 14 Bxe7 cb3 15 ab3 Rxc2ch
 16 Kxc2 Rc8ch 17 Bc4 Rxc4+ 18 b4 Qb2ch 19 K-d3 Nc5ch 20 Qxc5 Nf4ch 21 Ke3 Nxc2ch
 22 Kd3 Nf4ch 23 Ke3 Qe2ch 24 Kxf4 Qxf3ch (0-1) (From Provident Life Open)

SCOTCH GAMBIT White: Hurt Black: Book (Simultaneous)
 1 e4 e5 2 Nf3 Nc6 3 d4 ed 4 c3 d5 5 ed Qxd5 6 cd Bb4ch 7 Nc3 Bg4 8 Be2 Bxf3 9 Bxf3
 Qc4 10 Bxc6ch bc 11 Qe2ch Qxe2 12 Kxe2 0-0-0 13 Be3 Ne7 14 Qr-c1 Nf5 15 KR-d1 Nxe3
 16 fxe3 f5 17 Kf3 Bd6 18 Na4 Kb7 19 Nc5ch Bxc5 20 Rxc5 Rxf8 21 Rdel Rf6 22 Rcl-c3
 Rd5 23 Kf4 h6 24 Rxd5 ce 25 Rc5 c6 26 Ke5 Kc7 27 b4 Kd7 28 b5 cb 29 Rxb5 (1-0)

SICILIAN (CLOSED) White: G. Pylant(1579) Black: P. Maclin, Sr. (1442)
 1 e4 c5 2 Nc3 g6 3 f4 d6 4 Nf3 Bg7 5 g3 Nc6 6 Bg2 Qc7 7 0-0 f5 8 Nd5 Qd7 9 ef gf 10
 Ng5 h6 11 Qh5+ Kd8 12 Nf7+ Ke8 13 Nxd6+ Kd8 14 Nf7+ (1-0)(Little's Anniversary Torn.)

GAMES FROM LUCKY OPEN #4

IRREGULAR White: Marty Appleberry (2239) Black: Dennis Gogel (1948)
 1 d4 Nf6 2 Bg5 e6 3 Nf3 Be7 4 Nbd2 d5 5 e3 O-O 6 Bd3 Nbd7 7 c3 h6 8 Bh4 c5 9 Bb1
 Re8 10 Ne5 Nxe5 11 de Nd7 12 Be7 Qe7 13 f4 b6 14 O-O Bb7 15 Qh5 Rad8 16 Be2 Be6
 17 Rf3 f5 18 g4 d4 19 Rg3 de 20 Nc4 fg 21 Qg4 Kh8 22 Nd6 Rg8 23 Qg6 Nf8 24 Nf7ch
 Qf7 Rd2 26 Rcl e2 27 Kf2 Black Resigns (1-0)

MODERN DEFENCE White: Frank Shipp (1629) Black: Steve Spencer (2242)
 1 P-Q4 P-KN3 2 P-QB4 B-N2 3 N-KB3 P-Q3 4 N-QB3 B-N5 5 P-K4 N-QB3 6 B-K3 P-K4 7 P-Q5
 N-Q5 8 BxN PxB 9 N-QN5 BxN 10 QxB P-QB3 11 N-R3 Q-R4ch 12 K-Q1 N-B3 13 P-K5 PxF
 14 PxF P-K5 15 Q-KN3 O-O 16 PxF QR-N1 17 R-B1 P-Q6 18 BxF PxB 19 Resigns (0-1)

IRREGULAR White: Curt Jones (1723) Black: Rodney Wright (1745)
 1 Nf3 b5 2 d4 Bb7 3 e3 a6 4 c4 bc 5 Bc4 Nf6 6 Nc3 e6 7 O-O c5 8 d5 Qc7 9 e4 Bd6
 10 Re1 Ng4 11 h3 Ne5 Be5 13 Be3 O-O 14 Qd2 ed 15 Nd5 Bd5 16 Bd5 Ra7 17 QR-cl Nc6
 18 Bc5 Rb7 19 b3 Re8 20 Be3 Rc8 21 Red1 g6 22 Rc2 Qb8 23 Rdc1 Rbc7 24 Rd1 Nb4 25
 Rc7 Rc7 26 Bc4 Qf8 27 f4 Bg7 28 f5 Qe7 29 fg hg 30 Bf4 Rc6? 31 a3 Rc4 32 bc Nc6
 33 Qd7 Qe4 34 Bg3 Nd4 35 Qd8 Kh7 36 Qh4 Qh4 37 Bh4 Ne2 38 Kf1 Nd4 39 Bf2 Nc2 40
 a4 Be5 41 Rd5 Bc3 42 Rd7 Kg7 43 Ra7 a5 44 c5 Nb4 45 Ra5 Nd3 46 Rb5 Kf8 47 Rb3 Nf2
 48 Rc3 Ne4 49 c6 Nd6 50 c7 Nc8 51 Rd3 Black resigns (1-0)

FRENCH DEFENCE White: Jos. Jurjevich (1817) Black: Peter Lahde (1624)
 1 P-K4 P-K3 2 P-Q4 P-Q4 3 N-QB3 B-N5 4 P-K5 P-QB4 5 P-QR3 PxFP? 6 PxB PxB 7 Q-N4!
 K-B1 8 PxF Q-B2 9 Q-N3 N-K2 10 P-KB4 N-B4 11 Q-Q3 P-KR4 12 P-N5 N-Q2 13 B-R3ch K-N1
 14 P-B4? PxF 15 QxF QxQ 16 BxQ N-K6! 17 B-Q3 NxBPch 18 K-B2 NxF 19 N-B3 NxB 20 PxB
 P-QN3? (Returns the 2 pawns, best seems P-QR3) 21 P-Q4 B-N2 22 KR-QB1 BxN 23 KxB
 N-B1 24 B-Q6 P-N4! 25 R-B7? (Necessary is 25 BxN, as now the knight is stronger than
 the Bishop with the resulting ending probably draws; now Black wins) P-N5ch 26 K-N3
 N-N3 27 R/1xP RxR 28 RxR K-N2 29 R-N7 R-QB1 30 B-B7 R-QR1 31 RxNP(?) R-R6ch 32 K-B2
 P-R5 33 R-R6 P-N6ch 34 PxF PxBch 35 K-N1 R-N6 36 P-N6 N-B5 (With N-R5 Black has mate
 in three) 37 R-R1 R-N7 38 K-R1 R-R7ch 39 K-N1 N-R6ch 40 K-B1 P-N7ch 41 Resigns(0-1)
 (Peter Lahde)

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NIMZO-INDIAN DEFENCE White: John Freeman (1527) Black: Kent Meadows (1554)
 1 P-Q4 N-KB3 2 P-QB4 P-K3 3 N-QB3 B-N5 4 Q-B2 P-B4 5 P-K3 O-O 6 N-B3 P-Q4 7 B-Q3
 PxBP 8 BxF BxFP 9 NxF P-QR3 10 O-O Q-B2 11 Q-N3 BxN 12 PxB B-Q2 13 B-N2 N-B3
 14 KR-Q1? N-QR4! 15 Q-N4 NxB 16 QR-N1 NxB 17 RxN QR-N1 18 P-QR4? N-Q4 19 Q-N3 QxF
 20 QxQ NxQ 21 R-Q3 NxF 22 R-N4 KR-B1 23 N-K2 B-N4 24 Resigns (0-1)

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