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TOURNAMENT CALENDAR

- Nov. 16 23rd ETSU Open, 3-SS, 40/90, ETSU Univ. Center, Johnson City, TN. EF \$5, TCA memb. of Tenn. residents req. \$\$ (based on 25 entries) 40-30-20-10. Reg. ends 10 AM. ENT: John Nichols, Box 2427, ETSU Station, Johnson City, TN 37601.
- Nov 29 - 15th ANNUAL MID-SOUTH OPEN, 6-SS, 40/2, Southern Peabody Hotel, 149
Dec 1 Union Ave., Memphis. In 2 sections. OPEN EF \$20 if by 11/15, \$25 at door, \$\$ 400-200-100, A 50, B 40, C/and below 30, Unrated 20. Trophies to top three, top A, B, C/below, Unrated. AMATEUR (Open to under 1600) EF \$15 if by 11/15, \$20 at door. \$\$ 200-100-50, D 25, E 20, Unrated 15. Trophies to top 3, top D, E, Unr. ALL; TCA membership req. for Tenn. residents (\$3). Reg. ends 12 noon 11/29. Rds 2-7, 9-2, 9-2. ENT: Frank Hemphill, 230 Melita Rd., Memphis, TN 38117.
- Dec. 28 JACKSON HOLIDAY TORNADO, 4-SS, 40/1, Ramada Inn, Hwy 45 By-Pass, Jackson, TN. EF \$5. (TCA req. for res.) \$\$ 40 1st, others per entries. Trophy to 1st. Reg. ends 9:45 AM, 1st rd. 10 AM. ENT: David Baker, 517 Greenwood St., Jackson, TN 38301.
- Jan 18-19 1st VOLUNTEER CLASSIC, 5-SS, 40/100, Quality Inn Mercury Motel, 411 Murfreesboro Rd, Nashville, TN 37210. EF \$20 if received by 1/14, \$25 at door. TCA dues (\$3) req. for Tenn. residents. \$\$ 1500 in cash prizes guaranteed. In two sections: Upper Section: (1600-2200): \$\$ 1st 150 plus class prize, 2nd: \$100 plus Class prize. Expert: 125-75. Class A 125-75. Class B 125-75. Lower Section (below 1600 and unrated): \$\$ 1st 100 plus class prize, 2nd: 50 plus class prize, Class C: 125-75, Class D/E 125-75, Unrated: 75-25. Reg. 8:00 - 9:30 AM 1/18. Rds.(Upper Section) 10-2:30-7, 10-3. Rds.(Lower Section) 10:30-3-7:30, 10-3. Hotel reservations: Quality Inn Mercury, 411 Murfreesboro Rd., Nashville, TN 37210 (Motel pre-registration strongly recommended.) ENT: Southern Chess Association, Box 11614, Winston-Salem, NC 27106.
- Jan. 25-26 TENNESSEE HIGH SCHOOL CHAMPIONSHIP, 5-SS, 50/2, Quality Inn Mercury Motel, 411 Murfreesboro Rd., Nashville, TN 37210. EF \$6, Special rate to 1st Volunteer Classic participants: \$3 for pre-regitrants and no charge paying at door of Volunteer Classic. TCA dues (\$3) req.. \$\$ (based on 40 entries) 50-25-15. \$100 toward expenses for top team playing in Southern H.S. Champ. Reg. 8-8:45 AM 1/25. Rds. 9-2-7, 9-2. ENT: Music City Chess Assoc., Glenn Cornwell, 303 Belinda Dr., Hermitage, TN 37076

NASHVILLE WINS BIG OVER MEMPHIS

Nashville enjoyed their best result so far in their annual match with Memphis by trouncing the adversary soundly with 21-11. This was primarily due to a strong effort on the five lower boards where Nashville won by the surprising big margin of 9-1. (For games and the individual results see other pages in this issue.)

The match was held Sept. 29 at the Ramada Inn in Jackson, Tenn.

Memphis now leads in the series with 8 wins, 3 losses, and 2 ties. But since 1970 Nashville has not lost and scored 2 wins and 2 ties.

MEMPHIS HAS CHESS WEEK WITH BISGUIER

By Carol Little

Arthur Bisguier, US Grandmaster, was invited to Memphis primarily to promote chess activity in high schools from Oct. 21-25. He gave lectures and exhibition at these high schools: St. Mary's, Bishop Byrne, Treadwell and others. The highlight of his stay was a simultaneous exhibition at Raleigh Springs Mall on Friday, Oct. 25, against the best Memphis had to offer. Mr. Bisguier took on 56 players. Four Memphis players won, they were: Mike Bock, Scott Smith, Joseph O'Meara, and Ron Minor. Ed Middleton, current Memphis city champion, and Dwight Weaver achieved draws. Mr. Bisguier won the other 50 games including over John Hurt given in this issue.

WRIGHT AND GARNER TOP MCCA FALL

Scoring $4\frac{1}{2}-\frac{1}{2}$ in the Music City Fall Open tourney, M. C. Wright and Mack Garner tied for first by winning four and drawing their individual game. Both won \$75. M. C. had the better tie-break to win the championship trophy. Three players tied with 4-1 for third in this order after tie-breaks: 3rd Jeffrey Smeltzer, 4th Brooks Egerton, and 5th Jonathan Thatcher.

Other prize winners were: Class B: Brooks Egerton, Class C: Jonathan Thatcher, Class D: Steve Shumate, Class E/Unr.: Sid Knight. All class winners pocketed \$25.

The event attracted 44 players. Peter Lahde directed for the Music City Chess Assn. It was held at the Mercury Motel in Nashville on Oct. 26-27.

FOUR WAY TIE IN 21st ETSU OPEN

By Gary Bawgus

The 21st ETSU Open took place Oct. 19 at ETSU in Johnson City. The three round event ended in a four way tie with Mack Garner, Joel Harrison (Va.), Gary Bawgus, and William Webb all scoring $2\frac{1}{2}-\frac{1}{2}$. The event attracted 18 players.

CLUB ACTIVITIES

The Chattanooga Chess Club elected new officers. They are: David Harris, Pres., Phillip Gardner, V-P, Jerry Willman, Treas., and Robert Gann, TD. The new meeting place is a room off Baylor School Gym. They meet on Thursdays from 7:30 - 11:00 PM. Average attendance is about 15. Robert Gann is promoting H.S. chess activity. They have about 80 youth active in this program. The Chattanooga Champ. Finals were won by Albert Sweets with 6-0, 2nd Jerry Willman 4-2, 3rd-4th Juan Aristorenas 0-2 (4 forfeits) and David Parker 0-4 (2 forfeits). (Reported by Jerry Willman)

The Nashville Champ. Prelims. has two sections with 12 players each. After 6 rounds John Logue leads with 6-0 followed by Steve Ellis with $4\frac{1}{2}-\frac{1}{2}$ (1 postp.) In Section 2 Roberdeau leads with $5\frac{1}{2}-\frac{1}{2}$, followed by Gibson, Jordan, & Moore all with 4-1. The Nashville Chess Club meets Monday nights at 7:30 PM at Home Federal on Lebanon Road in Donelson. About 20 are usually in attendance.

Paid Advertisement

1st VOLUNTEER CLASSIC

Jan. 18-19

Held at Quality Inn Mercury Motel, 411 Murfreesboro Rd., Nashville, TN 37210
Five round Swiss. 40 moves in 100 minutes.

ROUNDS

UPPER SECTION				LOWER SECTION	
Jan .18		Jan. 19		Jan. 18	Jan. 19
Rd. 1	10:00 AM	Rd. 4	10 AM	Rd. 1	10:30 AM
Rd.2	2:30 PM	Rd. 5	3 PM	Rd.2	3:00 PM
Rd.3	7:00 PM			Rd.3	7:30 PM
					Rd.4 10 AM
					Rd.5 3 PM

\$ 1500 PRIZES

UPPER SECTION		LOWER SECTION	
1st	\$150 plus Class Prize	1st	\$100 plus Class Prize
2nd	\$100 plus Class Prize	2nd	\$ 50 plus Class Prize
1st Expert	\$125	1st Class C	\$125
2nd Expert	\$ 75	2nd Class C	\$ 75
1st Class A	\$125	1st Class D/E	\$125
2nd Class A	\$ 75	2nd Class D/E	\$ 75
1st Class B	\$125	1st Unrated	\$ 75
2nd Class B	\$ 75	2nd Unrated	\$ 25

For further details see Tournament Calendar

BOOK REVIEWS
By Peter Lahde

AMERICAN CHESS MASTERS - From Morphy to Fischer, by Arthur Bisguier and Andrew Soltis. By Macmillan Publishing Co., Inc. List Price \$9.95. USCF Price \$9.00. A book that is long overdue. It gives an excellent coverage on many of the top U.S. Chess Masters from Morphy to Fischer - their individual traits, contributions, career highlights, and lives. Also you will find play by play of over 100 great games by American players, and an indispensable record of all major tournaments and matches from 1857 to 1973. It also approaches the question: "Is there a uniquely American style of chess?" It also looks at future talent on the American chess scene coming up now and their chances in world competition. I highly recommend it.

THE IMMORTAL GAMES OF CAPABLANCA by Fred Reinfeld and an introduction by Robert Byrne. By Collier Books, Div. of Macmillan. List Price \$4.95 (paperback) This is a reprint of the 1942 book by Fred Reinfeld containing 113 of the best games of the former Cuban World Champion (1921-27) including a new introduction by Robert Byrne. It is a book that I can recommend as a means of improving ones own games. Fischer has studied his games, and even been "accused" of playing in Capa's style, not without justification. The book is available at a very reasonable price. But unfortunately is in paperback.

TENNESSEE CHESS ORGANIZATIONS AFFILIATED WITH USCF.
By Ricky A. Thompson

Affiliations are listed alphabetically by city with the date in parenthesis when last listed in Chess Life & Review.

TENNESSEE CHESS ASSOCIATION (Aug 74)
c/o Peter P. Lahde
2609 Sailboat Ct.
Nashville, TN 37217

SE Tennessee Chess Assn. (Jan 74)
c/o Keith McAlister
Rt. 1 Box 168
Charleston, TN 37916

Kingsport Chess Club (May 74)
c/o Stanley McMurray
116 Lebanon Dr., No.4
Kingsport, TN 37663

Chattanooga Chess Club (Aug 74)
c/o Jerry Willman
1026 John Mark Rd.
Hixson, TN 37343

University of Tennessee CC (Jan 74)
c/o Undergraduate Library
Volunteer Blvd.
Knoxville, TN 37916

Girls' Preparatory School CC (Jan 74)
P.O. Box 4045
Chattanooga, TN 37405

Univ. of Tennessee at Martin CC (Sep 73)
Dept. of Music
Attn. Dr. E. Harris
Martin, TN 38237

Provident Chess Club (Apr 73)
c/o Provident Ins. Co.
Foundation Sq.
Attn.: W. Gross
Chattanooga, TN 37402

Memphis Chess Club (Oct 74)
c/o James Little
1223 Aubra Rd.
Memphis, TN 38111

Cumberland County Chess Club (Oct 74)
c/o Harry Sabine
P.O. Box 381
Crossville, TN 38555

Memphis State Univ. Chess Club (Jun 73)
c/o Dr. M. Rajasopaiian
Prof. of Mathematics
Memphis, TN 38111

Dyer County Chess Club (Jan 74)
c/o Harold E. Moody
Box 180
Finley, TN 38030

MTSU Chess Club (Dec 73)
Box 130
Murfreesboro, TN 37130

Music City Chess Assoc. (Sep 74)
c/o Glenn Cornwell
303 Belinda Dr.
Hermitage, TN 37067

Belmont College Chess Club (Mar 73)
Belmont Blvd. & Belcourt
Nashville, TN 37203

ETSU Chess Club (Jul 73)
c/o John D. Nichols
Box 2427
Johnson City, TN 37601

Peabody Demonstration Sch. Library (Oct 73)
Nashville, TN 37203

Robertson County Chess Club (Jun 73)
c/o Walter Smith
Rt 2, Box 92
Springfield, TN 37127

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Three letters were received in regard to some of the statements that were made in the minutes of the TCA Business Meeting regarding the USCF Directors Meetings. We appreciate the letters which will help clarify some of the points which were either incorrect or could be misinterpreted. We are therefore publishing these letters herewith. In addition, Mr. Harold Winston, has sent us a summary of what took place at the USCF Directors Meetings. His summary is also given in this issue.

From: Mr. Martin Morrison, USCF Technical Director

You were kind enough to carry in your September issue a clarification of some points of the USCF Rating System. Perhaps you can find a little space to correct a misunderstanding which appeared in the minutes of the TCA Business Meeting regarding the discussions of the USCF Board of Delegates (August 1974).

It is reported in the minutes that there was some controversy over the method of appointment of the Bylaws Committee. There was never any question about that; the question was whether the Delegates should be elected by the members or by the State Affiliate. Mr. Edmondson was not a member of the Bylaws Committee. He did not resign from any position, but stated he felt it was not necessary for him to have a voting membership on the Policy Board, which his position as Executive Director gives him ex officio.

Second, Tennessee's Delegates are not appointed by the Policy Board of the USCF. Rather, they are appointed by the TCA, as the State Affiliate. As you know, you yourself submitted the list for the 1973-74 term, as published in the June issue of CHESS LIFE & REVIEW.

Many points at this year's meeting were hotly contested, and the discussions became very confusing at times. The official minutes of the meeting will be mailed to all Delegates in about two weeks. I urge you and your fellow Delegates to read them carefully and inform the members in your state of their contents.

From: Dr. Lee Hyder, Outgoing Regional V-P for Region IV (Southern)

I was glad to see the TCA taking such an interest in USCF affairs at their annual meeting. I think the policy set is a good one.

Kenny Thomas' report is in error with regard to the By-Laws Committee. Mr. Edmondson was not a member, but Martin Morrison was Chairman. I think the whole Committee is in limbo now, as it presented its report and has not to my knowledge been reconstituted. There was no vote on its composition.

There is a committee on State Affiliates that is being continued. I'm sure they would welcome any Tennessee inputs. We are used to democratic, open state organizations in this part of the country that it is hard to imagine situations like Illinois, New Jersey, or Connecticut (where there were two contending groups, and a court fight between them.)

I am planning to run for USCF office--I'm not sure yet what. I would greatly appreciate support from you and the Tennessee directors.

From: Harold Winston, USCF Director for Illinois

Some correspondents of mine have written that inadvertently the account of USCF meetings in the Tennessee Chess Newsletter contained some inaccuracies. This is very understandable as the meetings became quite complex at times. I enclose a copy of the report I sent my proxies which may interest you.

I was glad the South had some representatives present in Lee Hyder of South Carolina and Jared Radin of Georgia. I was very glad to meet Dr. Hyder who I think understands the issues facing USCF very well. I believe he would be an asset to USCF if he was elected to the Policy Board.

THE USCF MEETINGS AT NEW YORK CITY
A Report by Harold Winston

A series of meetings were held including a financial workshop, bylaws workshop, and a chess journalistic meeting in addition to the members meetings and two long Directors meetings. One meeting of the Board of Directors began at 11:30 AM and ended at 10:30 PM. At the first Directors meeting about 76 Directors were present in person, 121 were represented by floor proxies, and 87 by Policy Board proxies.

(A) ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. ELECTIONS: Newly elected Regional Vice Presidents are: Region I Stephan Gerzadowicz, II Larry King, III Bob Dudley, IV Bill Dodgan (Southern Region), V Robert Hale, VI Abe Thompson, VII Paul Tally, VIII Richard Fauber.
2. 1975 US Open, will probably be held in Lincoln, Nebraska.
3. MEMBERSHIP: On June 30 USCF had 59,777 members, 1552 affiliates, and a total mailing list of 66,465. This is a very tiny increase from the 59,250 members and total mailing list of 65,254 we had last year. Col. Edmondson attributed this to Fischer's inactivity, the resulting lack of chess publicity in the mass media, the recession and the energy crisis last winter. USCF is responding by a campaign to get more publicity for chess, by starting an advertising campaign to attract more members, by providing better services to members, and by encouraging development of young masters to build a "stable of stars".
4. COMPUTERIZATION: Former USCF Secretary Eric Bone will be working at the Newburgh office to handle the forthcoming computerization. A decision should be made by January 1 on whether to rent a computer or buy one outright.
5. CHESS LIFE & REVIEW: The total pages increased by about 10% to reach 440; Tournament Life takes about 20% of the space with 90 pages. Editor Burt Hochberg thought three major improvements "Readers Showcase", edited by Robert Sillars, "Back to Basics" by Walter Meiden, and the "Editor's Page", which allows news reports to be printed much more quickly. Suggestions from members included giving more attention to American chess and our younger masters, using greater variety of photographs, and reducing the space given to postal chess and to "Here and There". The average rating of USCF members is around 1360.
6. INTERNATIONAL EVENTS: The next World Junior Championship and Men's Olympiad will be Swiss system events. The USA took second place this year at the Student Team Championship. Fred Cramer reported on the FIDE Congress at Nice and stated that while FIDE had not agreed to Fischer's request for no limit on the number of games in the 1975 World Championship Match neither the USSR nor the potential host country, Mexico, had objected. Right now it seems doubtful that the match will be held. International opportunities are given to younger masters when they achieve a rating around 2350. USCF has begun holding inexpensive "futurity" events to obtain international ratings for more American players.
7. TOURNAMENT DIRECTION: As of June there were 14 NTD's, 217 IT's, and 1231 LTD's for a total of 1462 certified tournament directors. 91% passed the exams the first time, 8% the second time, and 1% the third time. The June and July rating supplements were current within 34 days. Martin Morrison announced that a new "Official Rules of Chess" would be printed (available by the end of the year) which would include new pairing rules.
8. REGIONAL REPORTS: Several new developments include a regional publication (Atlantic Chess News) for Region II, a regional news column in state chess magazines of Region V (written by Doris Thackrey), and the formation of the Atlantic Coast Alliance to promote cooperation between Region II and III.

(B) DISCUSSIONS AND MOTIONS

1. RATINGS: Both the members and directors endorsed Professor Elo's motion for testing a new "feedback" system designed to prevent deflation of established players ratings due to losses to improving players. This system would take into account the post tournament rating of improving players when calculating the change in the rating of established players. It will be tested by rating both the US Open and a tournament with a large number of provisionally rated juniors. It would replace the use of bonus points. The idea of rating 30-30 events was tabled for a year.
2. INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS: The members meeting passed a series of advisory resolutions commending the Elo rating system (as used by FIDE), urging that chess should be above politics, suggesting an increase in US representatives in the Interzonals and selection of all Interzonals players through tournament qualification, urging use of seconds be reduced or eliminated, and suggesting the Policy Board consider withdrawing from FIDE

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(Conclusion)

if the situation warrants. Any withdrawal from FIDE must be authorized by the Board of Directors since our Bylaws provide for FIDE affiliation.

3. US TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP: The Directors endorsed continuing this event though it may have a small deficit.

4. STATE CHESS ASSOCIATIONS AND REGIONS: The state associations committee (Robert Corwin, MA and Paul Shannon, MN) outlined the basic principles they are formulating including reciprocity in honoring state cards and trying to define state associations and suggest areas they might be active in. After giving their preliminary approval the Directors voted to enlarge the committee to also study the role regions and regional vice presidents might take.

5. TOURNAMENT CONFLICTS: A heated discussion arose after Peter Hopkins (VA) introduced a motion giving states authority over tournament scheduling. On motion of Col. Edmondson this subject will be referred to a special committee and meanwhile out of state organizers are urged by the Directors to get written permission from the appropriate local organizers before holding tournaments.

6. ENTRY FEE TO PRIZES RATIO: A motion to list this figure in Tournament Life announcements was defeated.

(C) PROXIES

1. PROCEDURES: Judge Lackland Bloom (MO) questioned the validity of proxies at Directors meetings and read passages from the Illinois Nonprofit Corporations law under which USCF is incorporated. Legal opinions will be sought and there may be a test case in court. Jerome Bibuld (NY) questioned the bottom line of the proxy form authorizing the proxy to revert to the presiding officer in the absence of the first and second choices listed. The Connecticut credentials dispute was solved by a compromise.

2. PROXY DISTRIBUTION: The number of Policy Board proxies decreased from 106 last year to 87 this year. The number of proxies held by the two largest proxyholders increased from 64 last year to 71 this year. Leading proxyholders at the start of the first Directors meeting were Verber 37, Dubeck 34, Koltowski 24, & Morrison 14.

3. MINNESOTA PLAN: Directors approved use of this system which permits the state affiliate to designate a list of ordered names to receive any unassigned proxies from the state. This designation must be done in a letter to the Secretary.

(D) BYLAWS CHANGES

1. DUES INCREASE: Col. Edmondson urged doubling the dues to avert a deficit in the next two years. The Directors passed a compromise proposal to take effect January 1, 1975. Regular dues will be \$15 and Junior dues \$8 with a flat rate commission of \$3 on regular dues for one year and \$2 on junior dues. The cutoff date for juniors will become 19 years old at date of expiration and no new life or sustaining memberships will be available. Current sustaining members may continue to renew at the old rate.

2. BYLAWS REVISION COMMITTEE REPORT: The report was defeated, 39-191 after a motion by Dr. Dubeck to vote on the report as a whole passed by 166-92. The vote is given in an appendix.* In my opinion, since the committee was established by the Directors to report on a revision and many Directors expected a full discussion of it the report should not have been voted on as a whole and there should have been a chance to discuss the many individual changes involved. I think a poor precedent was set.

3. POLICY BOARD CHANGES: Dr. Dubeck's proposal was passed with the following amendments: The Board will have 6 members including 2 Regional Representatives, one from Region I-IV, the other from V-VIII (on motion of Hopkins, VA). The President will have 1 vote plus a tiebreaking vote (on my motion) and vacancies in the Policy Board will be filled by elections (on my motion). No fulltime USCF employee may serve on the Policy Board after the 1975 elections (motion of Bob Dudley, PA). A motion by Bibuld, NY to enlarge the Board to include the 8 First Regional VP's was defeated 28-182 (floor vote 8-31). A motion by Louis Brockman, NY for staggered terms was defeated.

4. OTHER CHANGES: The term "Board of Directors" was changed to "Board of Delegates". A proposal for direct elections of Delegates by USCF members in their states was defeated.

* Because of space considerations the appendix has been omitted.

MUSIC CITY FALL TOURNAMENT 1974
Oct 26-27

		USCF	Rd1	Rd2	Rd3	Rd4	Rd5	Score	Tie-break
1. M. C. wright	Hermitage	1937	W23	W10	W26	D2	W3	4-1 1/2	16 1/2
2. Mack Garner	Maryville	1887	W27	W19	w21	D1	W7	4-1 1/2	15
3. Jeffrey Smeltzer	Greenville, SC	1929	W22	W24	W4	w12	L1	4-1	16 1/2
4. Brooks Egerton	Nashville	1733	W36	W16	L3	W6	W14	4-1	15
5. Jonathan Thatcher	Nashville	1430	W34	W14	L12	W17	W15	4-1	13 1/2
6. John Logue	Nashville	1852	W18	W15	D7	L4	W12	3 1/2-1 1/2	16 1/2
7. Curt Jones	Nashville	1601	W40	W13	D6	w8	L2	3 1/2-1 1/2	15 1/2/10
8. Roy T. Farr	Hermitage	1625	D9	W20	W11	L7	W21	3 1/2-1 1/2	15 1/2/9 1/2
9. Steve Shumate	Nashville	1268	D8	D28	W24	D19	W22	3 1/2-1 1/2	13/7 1/2
10. Jay Evert	Little Rock, AR	1532	W35	L1	W31	D22	W19	3 1/2-1 1/2	13/7
11. Glenn Cornwell	Hermitage	1501	W44	D26	L8	W20	W23	3 1/2-1 1/2	10 1/2
12. Charles Ball	Maryville	1786	W38	W29	W5	L3	L6	3-2	14 1/2/9 1/2
13. Sid Knight	Nashville	1172	W17	L7	W16	L15	W30	3-2	14 1/2/9
14. Karl Kneile	Tullahoma	1689	W32	L5	W27	W29	L4	3-2	14
15. Kent Meadows	Nashville	1521	W42	L6	W28	w13	L5	3-2	13 1/2
16. John MacKinder	Madisonville, KY	1490	W37	L4	L13	W39	W27	3-2	11 1/2
17. Bill Buchner	Chattanooga	1561	L13	W40	W38	L5	W26	3-2	11/6/5
18. Steve Ellis	Nashville	1358	L6	W34	L20	w35	w31	3-2	11/6/5
19. Phillip Sawyer	Nashville	1524	W41	L2	W32	D9	L10	2 1/2-2 1/2	14 1/2
20. Tibor Varga	Nashville	1619	D28	L8	W18	L11	W29	2 1/2-2 1/2	14/8 1/2
21. Johnny Moore	Nashville	1600	W30	W33	L2	D23	L8	2 1/2-2 1/2	14/8
22. Lewis Inman	Nashville	1386	L3	W39	W33	D10	L9	2 1/2-2 1/2	13 1/2
23. Mark Ishee	Brentwood	1388	L1	W35	W41	D21	L11	2 1/2-2 1/2	13
24. John Schweinsberg	Huntsville, AL	1531	W39	L3	L9	D26	W36	2 1/2-2 1/2	12
25. Kevin Creley	Gallatin	1396	L33	L30	D37	W32	W34	2 1/2-2 1/2	8 1/2
26. Geroge Wall	Shelbyville	1766	W31	D11	L1	D24	L17	2-3	15 1/2
27. Wally Jordan	Nashville	1385	L2	W37	L14	W28	L16	2-3	14
28. Jerry Wheeler	Nashville	1237	D20	D9	L15	L27	W40	2-3	11 1/2/7 1/2/4
29. D. Scott Smith	Nashville	1510	W43	L12	W30	L14	L20	2-3	11 1/2/7 1/2/3
30. Steven Choatie	Clarksville	1220	L21	W25	L29	w38	L13	2-3	11/7
31. David Harris	Chattanooga	1303	L26	W42	L10	W33	L18	2-3	11/6 1/2
32. Marvis Harris	Dickson	1287	L14	W44	L19	L25	W38	2-3	9
33. Gerald Wheeler	Huntsville, AL	UNR	W25	L21	L22	L31	D35	1 1/2-3 1/2	11/7/3 1/2
34. Trevor Cook	Murfreesboro	UNR	L5	L18	D36	W44	L25	1 1/2-3 1/2	11/7/.75
35. D. Thistlethwaite	Nashville	1130	L10	L23	W44	L18	D33	1 1/2-3 1/2	10 1/2/7
36. Wayne Bailey	Madison	1294	L4	L41	D34	W37	L24	1 1/2-3 1/2	10 1/2/5 1/2
37. Al Williams	Murfreesboro	997	L16	L27	D25	L36	W39	1 1/2-3 1/2	10
38. Steve Smith	Nashville	1319	L12	W43	L17	L30	L32	1-4	11
39. Gaines Milligan	Chattanooga	1061	L24	L22	W43	L16	L37	1-4	10 1/2/6 1/2
40. William P. Johnson	Nashville	1229	L7	L17	L42	W43	L28	1-4	10 1/2/6
41. Marcus Stinson	Smyrna	UNR	L19	W36	L23	withdrew		1-2	6 1/2
42. Don Jeffries	Smyrna	UNR	L15	L31	W40	withdrew		1-2	6
43. Kenny Gatlin	Antioch	UNR	L29	L38	L39	L40	W44	1-4	5
44. Mark Sager	Nashville	UNR	L11	L32	L35	L34	L43	0-5	-

Tournament Director: Peter P. Lahde (LTD)

MEMPHIS - NASHVILLE MATCH

MEMPHIS		NASHVILLE			
1. John Hurt (1952)	0	0	Milton wright (1937)	1	1
2. Phillip Morgan (1783)	1/2	1/2	Vernon Vix (1929)	1/2	1/2
3. James wright (1762)	1	0	Joe Jones (1908)	0	1
4. Victor Lendermon (1671)	1	1/2	John Logue (1855)	0	1/2
5. Gary Pylant (1610)	0	1/2	Steve Gibson (1770)	1	1/2
6. Robert Holyfield (1583)	0	1	Bruce Stearns (1753)	1	0
7. Morris Middleton (1582)	1/2	1/2	Peter Lahde (1679)	1/2	1/2
8. James Little (1558)	1	0	Tibor Varga (1631)	0	1
9. Peter Shirley (1484)	1	0	Tom Farr (1630)	0	1
10. Walter Tomes (1418)	0	0	Curt Jones (1592)	1	1
11. Louis Weis (1389)	1	1	woodrow whitlow (1572)	0	0
12. Stephen Thomas (1378)	0	0	Albert Bowen (1568)	1	1
13. James Mitchell (1342)	0	0	Phillip Sawyer (1472)	1	1
14. Edward Sarvis (1339)	0	0	Jonathan Thatcher (1426)	1	1
15. Dwight weaver (1297)	1	0	Stahl (1397)/ Ellis (1370)	0	1
16. B. T. Rice (1202)	0	0	Mark Ishee (1381)	1	1

ANNOTATED GAMES
By Games Editor Mack Garner

SICILIAN DEFENCE	White: M. C. Wright	Black: Milan Momic
1. P-K4	P-QB4 (a)	4. P-Q4 PxF
2. N-KB3	N-QB3	5. Draw agreed (c)
3. N-B3 (b)	P-KN3	

This was the decisive game in determining the winner of the Tennessee Open as well as the Tennessee State Champion.

- (a) An aggressive move. Black is playing for a win at all costs. The move also involves a subtle trap. White might be lured into playing the Morra Gambit.
- (b) No luck. White chooses a solid system and readies for a long drawn out struggle.
- (c) The only logical result of a game played perfectly by both players. There seem to be no errors at all in this game - it is worthy of a Keres or a Larsen. Considering the tremendous pressure on the players during such an important game, it is remarkable that they should produce such a miniature. This game should have been in the running for the brilliancy prize!

FRENCH DEFENCE	White: Willis	Black: Garner
1. P-K4	P-K3	9. B-KN5 P-B3
2. P-Q4	P-Q4	10. N-KR4 (b) B-K3
3. PxF	PxF	11. P-B4 (c) P-KB3
4. N-KB3	B-Q3	12. BxF (d) PxB
5. B-K2 (a)	B-KB4	13. P-B5 N-K5
6. O-O	N-KB3	14. NxN PxF
7. R-K1	O-O	15. PxB? (e) QxN
8. N-B3	QN-Q2	16. P-KN3 (f) BxF1
		17. PxB QxFch
		18. K-R1 K-R2! (g)
		19. B-N4 PxF
		20. RxF? (h) R-B7
		21. B-B5ch K-R1
		22. Resigns

- (a) Overly passive. Better is the normal B-Q3.
- (b) Pretty much book up to here, but this is an unjustified violation of principle. He should correct his 5th with 10 B-Q3 and then attempt to double on the King file and occupy K5 with a knight, which should give him equality.
- (c) Threatens P-B5 winning a piece.
- (d) On 12 BxN QxB 13 P-KN3 (13 P-B5 QxN 14 PxB BxFch as in the notes below) BxF1 winning a pawn.
- (e) This obvious looking move is the boner. On 15 P-KN3! the best Black seems to have is B-Q4 16 P-B4 K-R2 17 PxF R-KN1 (Threatens the knight) 18 N-N2 PxF with a protected passed pawn.
- (f) 16 PxF loses to BxFch 17 K-B1 (On 17 K-R1 B-N6ch 18 K-N1 Q-R7ch 19 K-B1 Q-R8mate.) P-K6 and Black mates on KB7.
- (g) Decisive. On 19 PxF R-KN1 threatens Q-R6 or Q-N7 mate. If now 19 B-B1 R-KN1 20 Q-Q2 stops these mates but allows 20...Q-N8.
- (h) Missing the threat, but the only move seems to be 20 R-KB1 which loses a piece to RxFch.

SICILIAN DEFENCE	White: Hurt	Black: Phil Maclin (Ralph King Memorial 10/23)
1 P-K4 P-QB4	2 P-KB4 P-KN3	3 N-KB3 B-N2
4 P-B3 N-QB3	5 B-N5 P-QR3	6 BxN QPxF
7 P-Q4 PxF	8 PxB B-N5	9 B-K3 P-K3
10 N-B3 N-K2	11 O-O O-O	12 Q-Q2 BxN
13 RxB P-R3	14 K-R1 K-R2	15 P-KN4 N-N1
16 R-KN1 Q-Q2	17 N-R4 QR-Q1	18 N-B5 Q-B1
19 P-K5 R-Q4	20 R-R3 P-QN3	21 N-K4 P-QB4
22 P-B5 P-KR4 (a)	23 PxFP RxF	24 BxR PxB
25 PxFP N-R3	26 PxFch PxF	27 N-B6ch RxF
28 PxF Q-B3ch	29 Q-N2 QxQch	30 KxQ BxF
31 R-Q1 K-N2	32 RxF KxR	33 RxF Resigns

Annotations by John Hurt

- (a) If 22...KPxBP 23 BxF BxB (or if NxB 24 N-B6ch!, or if PxF 24 B-N5ch!, or if PxF 24 N-N5ch and mate in two, or if RxF 24 N-N5ch and mate in two) 24. N-B6ch! If 22...NxFP 23 BxFch! If 22...RxF 23 BxR PxB 24 P-B6ch!.

TENNESSEE OPEN 1974

KING'S INDIAN REVERSED White: Brooks Egerton Black: Gaines Milligan
 1 P-K4 P-K3 2 P-Q3 P-QB3 3 P-KN3 P-Q4 4 N-Q2 P-Q5 5 KN-B3 B-N5 6 B-N2 N-Q2 7 NxP
 P-K4 8 KN-B3 N-N3 9 0-0 B-Q3 10 P-QR4 B-K3 11 P-Q4 B-KN5 12 P-KR3 BxN 13 NxP P-KB3
 14 PxP PxP 15 NxP! BxN 16 Q-R5ch P-N3? 17 QxBch K-B2 18 QxR Q-B2 19 QxPch Resigns

VERESOV White: Richard Searles Black: Steve Gibson
 1 P-Q4 N-KB3 2 N-QB3 P-Q4 3 B-N5 B-B4 4 P-K3 P-K3 5 P-KN4 B-N3 6 KN-K2 B-K2 7 N-B4
 QN-Q2 8 P-KR4 P-K3 9 NxP BxN 10 B-B4 B-Q3 11 BxB PxP 12 B-Q3 0-0 13 BxNP P-K4
 14 P-N5 K-R1 15 Q-K2 PxP 16 PxP Q-N3 17 0-0-0 N-N1 18 NxQP Q-R5 19 N-B3 P-N4 20 QxP
 Black resigns

FRENCH DEFENCE White: Ed Middleton Black: M. C. Wright
 1 P-K4 P-K3 2 P-Q4 P-Q4 3 QN-Q2 N-KB3 4 P-K5 N/3-Q2 5 B-Q3 P-QB4 6 P-QB3 QN-B3
 7 N-K2 PxP 8 PxP Q-N3 9 N-KB3 B-K2 10 0-0 P-B3 11 PxP NxBP 12 R-K1 N-KR4 13 P-KN4
 N-B3 14 N-B4 B-N5 15 R-K2 0-0 16 NxKP BxN 17 RxR QR-K1 18 RxP RxR 19 B-K3 Q-B2
 20 R-B1 NxNP 21 BxPch K-B1 22 N-K5 N/5xN 23 PxN QxKP 24 Q-B3ch K-K2 25 B-KB4 N-Q5
 26 Q-K3 QxQ 27 R-B7ch K-Q1 28 PxQ N-K7ch! 29 K-B1 NxP 30 RxQNP RxKP 31 RxR R-B6ch
 32 K-N1 K-B2 33 R-R4 K-N3 34 B-B2 and Black won

SICILIAN DEFENCE White: Raymond Wenzel Black: Dennis Gogel
 1 P-K4 P-QB4 2 N-KB3 P-K3 3 P-Q4 PxP 4 NxP P-QR3 5 B-Q3 Q-B2 6 0-0 N-KB3 7 N-QB3
 B-K2 8 Q-K2 P-Q3 9 B-K3 QN-Q2 10 P-QR4 P-QN3 11 P-B4 B-N2 12 N-N3 N-B4 13 P-R5
 P-N4 14 NxN PxN 15 P-K5 N-Q4 16 NxN PxN 17 Q-N4 P-N3 18 P-B5! P-B5 19 PxP! RPxP
 20 BxP PxP 21 QxPch K-Q1 22 Q-N7 R-K1 23 R-B7 Q-Q2 24 B-N5 B-QB3 25 RxR! RxB
 26 Q-B8ch Resigns

ALEKHINE'S DEFENCE White: Joe Jones Black: James Wright
 1 e4 Nf6 2 e5 Nd5 3 d4 d6 4 c4 Nb6 5 f4 de 6 fe Nc6 7 Be3 Bf5 8 Nc3 e6 9 Nf3 Be7
 10 Be2 0-0 11 0-0 f6 12 ef Bf6 13 a3 Qe7 14 h3 Rad8 15 Qd2 Bb6 16 Rad1 e5 17 d4 e4
 18 Nd4 Nxd4 19 Bxd4 Bxd4 20 Qxd4 Nc8 21 c5 Rxf1 22 Rxf1 Rf8 23 Rxf8 Kxf8 24 Bg4
 Qd8 25 Ne4 Ne7 26 Be6 Nf5 27 Qe5 Ne3 28 Qf4ch Nf5 29 Bxf5 Bxf5 30 Qxf5 Kg8 31 b4
 Qh4 32 Qc8ch Kf7 33 Qc7ch Kg6 34 Qg3ch Resigns

BENONI White: Clive Morgan Black: Michael Corrigan
 1 P-Q4 N-KB3 2 P-QB4 P-QB4 3 P-Q5 P-K4 4 B-N5 P-Q3 5 N-QB3 B-K2 6 N-B3 0-0 7 P-K3
 N-K1 8 N-K4 P-KB4 9 BxB QxB 10 N-B3 N-Q2 11 P-KN3 P-B5 12 N-Q2 N-K5 13 P-KB3 N-KB3
 14 PxP PxP 15 N/2xP NxN 16 NxN N-B6ch 17 K-K2 QxN 18 Q-Q3 N-Q5ch 19 K-Q2 QxR 20 PxN
 QxPch 21 K-B3 B-B4 22 Q-K2 QxPch 23 K-Q2 QR-K1 24 Q-Q1 Q-Q6 mate

KING'S FLANCHETTO White: Brooks Egerton Black: Mack Garner
 1 P-KN3 P-KB4 2 B-N2 N-KB3 3 N-KB3 P-K3 4 0-0 B-K2 5 P-Q3 0-0 6 QN-Q2 P-Q3 7 P-B4
 P-K4 8 P-QN4 Q-K1 9 Q-B2 QN-Q2 10 N-N3 P-B3 11 B-N2 B-Q1 12 KN-Q2 Q-R4 13 P-QR4 N-N5
 14 P-R3 KN-B3 15 KR-B1 R-K1 16 P-N5 P-B4 17 P-R5 R-N1 18 N-B1 P-B5 19 QN-Q2 N-B1
 20 P-N4 Q-N3 21 N-K4 NxN 22 BxN Q-N4 23 N-R2 P-R4 24 N-B3 Q-R3 25 B-B5 PxP 26 BxB
 RxB 27 PxP Q-R6 28 B-B3 R-K3 29 P-N5 BxP 30 Resigns

SICILIAN DEFENCE White: Joe Roberdeau Black: Dennis Gogel
 1 P-K4 P-QB4 2 N-KB3 P-K3 3 P-Q4 PxP 4 NxP P-QR3 5 P-QB4 N-KB3 6 B-Q3 Q-B2 7 N-QB3
 P-Q3 8 0-0 QN-Q2 9 R-K1 B-K2 10 P-B4 P-KR4 11 P-B5 N-K4 12 PxP PxP 13 Q-K2 B-Q2
 14 B-N5 N/4-N5 15 N-B3 P-Q4 16 R-KB1 PxKP 17 NxP 0-0-0 18 NxN PxN 19 B-R4 B-R3
 20 QxPch K-N1 21 B-N3 B-Q3 22 Q-B5 BxB 23 PxP QxP 24 B-K4 R-Q7 25 BxB QxP mate

NASHVILLE - MEMPHIS MATCH 1974

DANISH GAMBIT White: John Hurt Black: M. C. Wright (Board 1)
 1 P-K4 P-K4 2 P-Q4 PXP 3 P-QB3 N-KB3 4 P-K5 Q-K2 5 PXP P-Q3 6 P-KB4 PXP 7 BPXP N-B3
 8 N-QB3 B-B4 9 B-QN5 N-Q2 10 N-Q5 Q-R5ch! 11 K-B1 0-0-0 12 N-KB3 Q-R4 13 Q-R4 N-B4
 14 RxBN RxBN 15 BxBN PxB 16 B-K3 B-Q6ch 17 K-B2 RXP 18 P-KN4 RxB1! 19 PxB BXP 20 QxBP
 R-K7ch 21 K-N3 B-Q3ch 22 QxB (This appears forced?) PxB 23 KR-Q1 B-K5 24 N-N5 K-Q2
 25 R-Q4 P-B4 26 QR-Q1 R-N7ch 27 K-B4 R-N5ch 28 K-K3 RxBN 29 RXPch K-B1 30 R-Q7 R-K1
 31 K-B2 R-N7ch 32 K-B1 RXP 33 RXP R-R8ch 34 R-N1 RXP 35 R-B1ch K-N1 36 R-B3 R-QB1
 37 R-N3ch K-R1 38 R-KN7 R-R8ch 39 K-B2 R-B7ch 40 K-N3? R-N8ch 41 Resigns

CARO KANN DEFENCE White: James Wright Black: Joe Jones (Board 3)
 1 e4 c6 2 d4 d5 3 Nc3 de 4 Nxe4 Nd7 5 Nf3 Ngf6 6 Ng3 e6 7 Bc4 Qc7 8 0-0 Be7 9 Qe2
 0-0? 10 Bxe6! fe 11 Qxe6 Kh8 12 Qxe7 Re8 13 Qb4 a5 14 Qc3 Nd5 15 Qd3 Nb4 16 Qd2
 Nb6 17 c3 N4/d5 18 b3 Be6 19 c4 Nb4 20 Bb2 Rad8 21 a3 Na6 22 Qxa5 Resigns

PETROFF DEFENCE White: Steve Gibson Black: Gary Pylant (Board 5)
 1 P-K4 P-K4 2 N-KB3 N-KB3 3 N-B3 B-N5 4 NXP Q-K2 5 N-Q3 BxNch 6 QPxB NXP 7 Q-K2
 N-QB3 8 P-B3 N-B3 9 B-N5 QxQch 10 BxQ N-Q4 11 0-0-0 0-0 12 KR-K1 P-Q3 13 P-QB4
 N/4-N5 14 P-QR3 NxBN 15 BxBN B-K3 16 Drawn

FALKBEER COUNTER GAMBIT White: Tibor Varga Black: James Little (Board 8)
 1 P-K4 P-K4 2 P-KB4 P-Q4 3 N-QB3 P-Q5 4 N-K2 N-QB3 5 P-Q3 N-KB3 6 N-KB3 PXP 7 BXP
 B-N5 8 N-N3 B-N5ch 9 B-Q2 BxBch 10 QxB Q-K2 11 0-0-0 P-N3 12 P-KR3 B-K3 13 K-N1 0-0
 14 N-K2 Q-B4 15 P-QR3 KR-B1 16 Q-N3 QxQ 17 NxQ B-Q2 18 N-B3 B-K3 19 P-KN4 P-KR3
 20 B-N2 N-K1 21 QR-B1 N-N2 22 P-N4 P-R3 23 N-B4 P-B4 24 NXP P-B3 25 NXP B-B2
 26 N-K5 N-R4 27 NxBN PxBN 28 R-B2 N-N6 29 K-K1 K-N2 30 N-K5 R-K1 31 N-N4 RXP 32 RXR
 NXR 33 R-B1 N-K6 34 NxBN PxBN 35 RxB?? P-K7 36 R-B6? (White can still give resistance
 with R-B1) P-K8(Q)ch 37 K-N2 Q-N6 38 B-B3? Q-K4ch 39 Resigns

SICILIAN DEFENCE White: Walter Tomes Black: Curt Jones
 1 e4 c5 2 Nf3 d6 3 d4 cxd4 4 Nxd4 Nf6 5 Nc3 a6 6 Bg5 e6 7 f4 Qb6 8 Qd2 Qxb2
 9 Nb3 Qa3 10 Bxf6 gxf6 11 Be2 h5 12 Rb1 Nc6 13 0-0 Be7 14 Nd4? Qc5! 15 Tf-d1
 e5! 16 Na4 QxNch 17 QxQ NxQ 18 Resigns

FRENCH DEFENCE White: Phillip Sawyer Black: James Mitchell
 1 e4 e6 2 d4 d5 3 Nc3 Nf6 4 Bg5 Be7 5 e5 Nfd7 6 Bxe7 Qxe7 7 f4 c5? 8 Nb5 cxd
 9 Nc7ch Kd8 10 Nxa8 Qb4ch 11 Qd7 Qxb2 12 Rd1 Nc6 13 a4 Nc5 14 Bb5 Ne4 15 Qc1 Qb5ch
 16 Kf1 Bd7 17 Ne2 Qa4 18 Bxc6 Bxc6 19 Rxd4 Qc5 20 Qd1 Bxa4? (a) 21 Rxe4! Bxc2
 22 Qd4 Qxd4 23 Rxd4 Kd7 24 Rb4 Kc8 25 Nd4 Be4 26 Kf2 Kb8 27 Nb6 Resigns
 (a) Hoping for 21 Rxd5?? Qf7 mate, but ...

SICILIAN DEFENCE White: Steve Ellis Black: Dwight Weaver
 1 P-K4 P-QB4 2 N-KB3 P-Q3 3 P-Q4 PXP 4 NXP N-KB3 5 N-QB3 P-K3 6 B-QB4 B-K2 7 B-K3
 0-0 8 Q-K2 NXP 9 NxBN P-Q4 10 0-0-0 PxB 11 NXP! Q-R4 12 NXR BxBN 13 N-QB5 QXP
 14 Q-KB3 Q-R8ch 15 K-Q2 QxNP 16 K-K2 QXPch 17 R-Q2 Q-N3 18 P-KR3 B-KB4 19 QxNP
 N-R3 20 QxR NxBN 21 BxBN B-Q6ch 22 K-K1 Q-K3 23 B-K3 B-K5 24 QxRP P-B6 25 R-Q8 Q-N6
 26 RxBch! KxR 27 Q-B5ch K-K1 28 Q-K5ch K-Q2 29 QxB P-B7 30 K-Q2 Q-N7 31 Q-Q4ch
 Black resigns

FLASH - KARPOV LEADS KORCHNOI BY 3 GAMES. After 17 games Karpov has increased his lead to 3 games by winning games 2, 6, and finally 17. Will Karpov be the next World Champion?

MUSIC CITY FALL 1974

TWO KNIGHT'S DEFENCE White: M. C. Wright Black: Jeffrey Smeltzer
 1 P-K4 P-K4 2 N-KB3 N-QB3 3 B-B4 N-B3 4 N-N5 P-Q4 5 PXP N-Q5 6 P-QB3 P-QN4 7 B-B1
 NxQP 8 Pxn Qxn 9 BxPch K-Q1 10 Q-B3 B-N2 11 N-B3 PXP 12 N-K4 Q-K4 13 0-0 QR-N1
 14 P-Q3 N-B3 15 B-QB4 wxN 16 Pxn BxP 17 QxP B-Q3 18 P-B4 Q-B3 19 QxQ PxQ 20 P-QN3
 P-KB4 21 R-Q1 K-K2 22 B-N2 P-B4 23 R-K1 K-Q2 24 P-N3 KR-K1 25 K-B2 R-K2 26 R-K2
 QR-K1 27 QR-K1 B-B3 28 RxBch RxB 29 B-Q3 B-K5 30 R-Q1 R-N2 31 P-QN4 R-K2 32 PXP
 BxP 33 B-N5ch B-B3? 34 BxBch KxB 35 R-QB1 P-Q6ch? 36 RxB1! KxB 37 B-R3ch K-B5
 38 BxB K-B6 39 K-K1 P-Q7ch 40 K-Q1 K-Q6 41 P-N4! K-K5 42 PXP KXP(B5) 43 B-Q6 Resigns

LARSEN White: Brooks Egerton Black: John Logue
 1 P-QN3 N-KB3 2 B-N2 P-Q4 3 P-K3 P-B4 4 N-KB3 N-QB3 5 B-N5 B-Q2 6 0-0 P-K3 7 P-Q3
 B-Q3 8 BxQN BxB 9 N-K5 Q-B2 10 P-KB4 0-0-0 11 QN-Q2 P-KR4 12 Q-K2 N-K1 13 P-K4
 N-B3? 14 NxB Resigns (After 14...P or QxN follows 15 P-K5 winning a piece)

DUTCH DEFENCE White: Curt Jones Black: Mack Garner
 1 c4 e6 2 Nf3 f5 3 g3 Nf6 4 Bg2 Be7 5 0-0 0-0 6 Nc3 d6 7 d4 Qe8 8 Re1 Qg6 9 e4!
 f:e4 10 N:e4 N:e4 11 R:e4! Nc6 (a) 12 Re1 Nb4 13 Re2 e5 14 h3? B:h3! 15 N:e5 (b)
 Qf5 16 Be4 Qh5 17 Qe1? d:e5 18 B:b7? c6!! 19 R:e5 Qf3! (d) 20 Qe4 Q:f2ch 21 Kh2
 Rf2ch 22 Resigns
 (a) If Q:e4 12 Nh4 and the Queen is trapped in the middle of the board.
 (b) If 15 B:h3 then R:f3
 (c) Probably Nd3 is best
 (d) Now mate is unavoidable.

RUY LOPEZ White: Sid Knight Black: Kent Meadows
 1 e4 e5 2 Nf3 Nc6 3 Bb5 a6 4 Ba4 Nf6 5 0-0 b5 6 Bb3 Be7 7 Re1 0-0 8 c3 d5 9 ed
 N:d5 10 N:e5 11 R:d5 c6 12 d4 Bd6 13 Rh5 Re8! 14 Kh1? Bg5! 15 Q:g5? Rd1 mate.

SIMULTANEOUS IN MEMPHIS

FRENCH DEFENCE White: Arthur Bisguier Black: John Hurt (10/25/74)
 1 P-K4 P-K3 2 P-Q4 P-Q4 3 N-QB3 B-N5 4 P-K5 N-K2 5 N-B3 P-QB4 6 PXP QN-B3 7 B-Q3
 P-Q5 8 P-QR3 B-R4 9 P-QN4 Pxn (a) 10 PxB QxP 11 B-K3 B-Q2 12 R-QN1 0-0-0 13 0-0
 P-KR3 14 R-N5 Q-B2 15 B-K4 N-R4 16 R-N4 B-B3 17 Q-R1 BxB 18 RxB R-Q4 19 QxP N-B4
 20 N-Q4 RXP 21 Q-R1 Nxn 22 BxN RxBP 23 Q-N1 R-B5? (Better K-N1!) 24 BxP RxB 25 QxR
 R-Q1 26 B-K3 R-Q4 27 P-B4 P-N3? (Better N-B3!) 28 Q-N4! N-B3 29 Q-B8ch R-Q1 30 QxP
 Q-R4 31 Q-N7 QxRP 32 B-N6 Q-B1 33 Q-B6 R-Q4 34 R-R1 K-Q2 35 R-N1 Q-K2 36 Q-R8 Q-K1
 37 Q-R3 Q-QR1 38 Q-QN3 Q-R3 39 Q-N2 Q-Q6 (Better Q-B5!) 40 Q-KB2 N-N5? 41 Q-R4
 K-B3? (Better N-B3!) 42 Q-K7 QxP 43 Q-B7ch K-N4 44 QxP Resigns (Notes by John Hurt)
 (a) Keres gives 9...NxP 10 Pxn BxP 11 B-N5ch B-Q2 12 QxP BxNch 13 QxB BxB =.

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