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# SUPER BUKOVAC!

Bob Bukovac won the Charleston Chess Club Championship Quad, a super feat indeed. Bob accomplished this with a tremendous comeback in the last two rounds. (At one point he was in last place!) We expect great things from Bob now. For years the winning of the Charleston title has been a signal of the coming of age of young Charleston players. (Just look where young Bob Bonwell is today after winning last year's tournament!)

Dennis Funkhouser and Brent Haynes finished in second with 1½-1½ records. (Bob was 2-1) Some fish finished last with a 1-2 record. We will have a report and some games next issue. (About August 15, for those of you who are timing me and laughing at how wrong my projections are)

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We hear through the grapevine (John Dudley in this case) that the USCF intends to change the name of the different rating classes. According to John 2000-2199 will be candidate master, 1800-1999 will be expert, and so on. Hmmm.

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On June 16, 1979 the Charleston Chess Club journeyed to Moundsville to play the prison chess club. They won 14½-3½. Representing Charleston was Dennis Funkhouser, Charles Szasz, Rick Baruffi, John Szasz, Carl Kiser,

Ted Quast, Andy Glancy, John Rosuh, and Jerry Engle.

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Several years ago a team tournament was held between six of the state's chess clubs. Wouldn't it be good to have it again?

Last year the K & Q club had a team tournament which was nice, but not quite the same.

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A reminder: The state championship is only two months away. (Sept. 1-3)

It's high time plans were being made to be in Charleston for the event. After all it's the high light of West Virginia chess.

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Speaking of tournaments the Kanawha Valley Open is coming up in less than a month, too. It's being held on Aug. 4-5 in Charleston. (See page 8 for details.)

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# FUNK. WINS M.O.

Dennis Funkhouser won the Mountaineer Open with a perfect 4-0 score. Ho-hum. Nothing unusual about that occurring in WV. Well,.....

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 Actually, there were a couple of real surprizes in this tourney. The first surprize was that Dennis finished first despite the presence of William Martz (International Master) and Charlie Hertan (2150 or thereabouts) in the field. The second zinger was that Dennis managed this without playing anyone over 1700!!

In the words of Charlie Hertan, "By some incredible hole in the Swiss cheese, Funkhouser(1958), with 3-0, was paired against a 1350 (Ray Spring) in the last round! Admittedly, Mr. Spring is clearly under rated by a few hundred points; still, it must be considered incredibly lucky when a 1950 goes 4-0 and wins \$200 without having to play any of the top 7 players, facing nobody rated over 1700!!

But Matz took it perfectly in stride, despite the fact that he is a chess professional who derives much of his income from prize funds. He told Dennis, "You played well.", without a hint of sarcasm and congratulated him on his victory. When TD Dudley "awarded" us with our \$12.50 (each) = second place prizes, Martz nonchalantly remarked, with a slight gleam in his eye, "Good prize!" Throughout the weekend everyone was captivated by Martz's friendly, unaf-

fect manner and delightful sense of humor."

To his credit, Hertan also avoided bitterness despite the fact that not too many years ago the pairings would have probably been Martz-Funkhouser and Hertan-Spring. He went on to write, "As for me, drawing an IM was one of the highlights of my life, and I was more than satisfied with my play in the tournament. But I still can't help marvelling at the kind of strange justice in the world that rewards Dennis with \$200 for beating a 1350 while I get \$12.50 for drawing an IM (with the black pieces even!)" (It appears that the avoidance of bitterness wasn't total! However, in the words of a prominent Charleston area player, "Them's the breaks!"---Editor)

Anyway, here are a few games from this tournament.

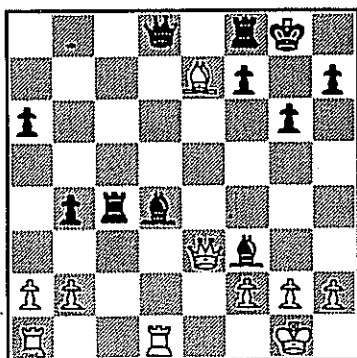
Rd. 1 - Najdorf Sicilian  
 D. Griffith - J. Engle

1.P-K4 P-QB4 2.N-KB3 P-Q3 3.P-Q4  
 PXP 4.NXP N-KB3 5.N-QB3 P-QR3  
 6.B-KN5 P-K3 7.P-B4 B-K2 8.Q-B3  
 QN-Q2 9.B-B4 P-QN4 10.BXP PXB  
 11.NXP Q-N3 12.P-K5 B-N2 13.Q-K2  
 PXP 14.NXP+ K-B2 15.N-B5 Q-K3  
 16.NXB QXN 17.O-O-O KR-K1 18.KR-B1  
 QR-Q1 19.PXP QXP 20.QXQ RXQ  
 21.BXN 1-0

Rd. 2 - Modern Defense  
 B.Funkhouser - C.Hertan

1.Nf3 g6 2.e4 Bg7 3.d4 c6 4.c4!?  
 (4.Nc3 d5 5.h3)

4...d5 5.ed5  
 (5.cd5 cd5 6.e5!? Nh6 =)  
 5...cd5 6.cd5!?  
 (6.Nc3)  
 6...Nf6 7.Qa4+?  
 (Better 7.Nc3)  
 7...Nbd7 8.Nc3 0-0 9.Bc4 a6  
 (or Nb6 10.Qb3 Bf5  $\Delta$ Rc8  $\text{\textcircled{F}}$ )  
 10.Qa3  
 (10.Ne5?? b5 11.Nb5 Nb6-+)  
 10...Nb6 11.Qb3 Nc4  
 (11...Bf5 12.0-0 Rc8 13.Ne5  $\text{\textcircled{F}}$ )  
 12.Qc4 b5 13.Qb3  
 (13.Qc6!?  $\text{\textcircled{F}}$ )  
 13...Bb7 $\text{\textcircled{F}}$  14.0-0 Nd5 15.Rd1  
 (Passive defense with 15.Be3  
 is another try; white prefers to  
 try active play against the  
 e-pawn. In any case black's  
 superiority is obvious.)  
 15...Nc3  
 (15...Rc8? 16.Ne4  $\blacktriangle$  17.Nc5)  
 16.Qc3 Rc8 17.Qa3!? Rc4 18.Bg5  
 Bf3?!  
 (18...Re8 leaves black with a  
 big edge, whereas now white has  
 a neat equalizing resource, which  
 both players overlooked)  
 19.Be7! b4! 20.Qe3!  
 (20.Qb3 Qd7 loses a piece for  
 white, as do all other moves.)  
 20...Bd4!  
 (The point of White's play is  
 that 20...Qc7 21.Bf8 Bd1 22.Bg7  
 leaves White better, but now  
 after 21.Qe1?? Qc7 22.Bf8 Bd1,  
 White loses a piece.)



21.Rd4?  
 (This move restores the material  
 balance but leaves White with a  
 lost ending. Correct is 21.Bd8  
 Be3 (Bd1?? Qd3) 22.gf3. Here I  
 had calculated 22...Bd4, attacking  
 the Bd8 and Pb2, but White has  
 a brilliant rejoinder, as pointed  
 out by Martz: 23.b3!=. 22...Bc5  
 is slightly better, but after  
 23.Rd2 blacks minute positional  
 advantage is not enough to win.)  
 21...Qd4 22.Qd4 Rd4 23.Bf8 Bg2  
 (...Rg4 allows White's B the  
 g3 square after which White has  
 drawing chances with 24.Bd6! Bg2  
 25.Bg3. Simplest is 23...Kf8  
 24.gf3 Rd2, after which black must  
 win.)  
 24.Bh6 Rg4! 25.Rc1 f6!  
 (Better than f5)  
 26.Rc7?  
 (The only try is 26.f4! Bh3+  
 (Bd4+ is also good) 27.Kf2 (27Kh1?  
 Rg2 28.Rc7 Rf2!+-) Rg2+ 28.Kf3  
 Rb2 29.Rc7 (Best) Rh2! 30.Rg7+  
 Kh8 31.Kg3! (31.Kf7?Bg4+ -+) Rh1,  
 when R moves are met by Be6, e.g.  
 32.Ra7 Be6 33.Bf8 (33.Bf6 Bc4-+)  
 Ra1 34.Ra6 b3! ect.) Now Black  
 wins easily.)  
 26...Bh3+ 27.Kh1 Rd4 28.Rg7+  
 (A blunder but after 28.Re1 g5!)  
 28...Kh8 0-1 - C. Martz

Rd. 2 - Reti  
 A.Glancy - D.Griffith

1.Nf3 Nf6 2.c4 g6 3.b3 Bg7 4.Bb2  
 0-0 5.g3 c5 6.Bg2 Nc6 7.0-0 d6  
 8.d3 a6 9.Nc3 e5 10.Ng5? Nh5  
 11.Nf3 f5 12.Na4?? Bd7 13.Qc2  
 Nb4 14.Qd2 Ba4 15.Ea4 Qd7 16.a3  
 Nc6 17.e3 Rac8 18.Rab1 h6 19.Ba1  
 Rf7 20.Nh4 Kh7 21.Bd5 Re7 22.Rb6  
 g5 23.Nf5 Qd8 24.Ne7 QXR 25.Be4+  
 Kh8 26.Nd5 Qd8 27.Bg6 Nf6 28.Be1  
 Qe8 29.Nf6 Bf6 30.f4 Qg6 31.fg3  
 32.Qf2 Kg7 33.Rb1 Nd8 34.Rb6 Be7  
 35.Bc3 Qg4 36.Rb1 h5 37.Ba5 Nc6

38.Rb7 Qd1+ 39.Qf1 Qa4 40.Bd8  
Nd8 41.Re7+ Kg8 42.Qf3 Qc7  
43.Re8+ Kg7 44.Qf8+ Kg6 45.Qd6+  
Kg7 46.Rd7+ Nf7 47.Qe5+ Kg8  
48.Re8+ Kh7 49.Qh5+ Kg7 50.Qg4  
Kh7 51.Qg8+ Kh6 52.Rc6 Kh5  
53.Qg6++ 1-0

Caro-Kann Def.  
C.Nolasco - D.Hunt

1.e4 c6 2.d4 d5 3.Nc3 de4 4.Ne4  
Nf6 5.Nf6 ef6 6.Nf3 Bd6 7.Bd3  
Nd7 8.0-0 0-0 9.c4 c5 10.Qc2  
g6 11.Bh6 Re8 12.Rae1 b6?  
(12...cd4! 13.Re8 (13.Nd4 Nc5!))  
Qe8 14.Re1 Be5 15.Nd4 Nc5 ∞ )  
13.Re8 Qe8 14.Re1 Qd8 15.Be4  
Rb8 16.Qa4 Qc7 17.Bd5 cd4 18.Nd4  
Bh2+ 19.Kh1 Bd6 20.Nb5 Qc5  
21.Nd6 Qd6 22.Re8+ Nf8 23.Rf8+  
(23.Qa3! looks better, but  
all roads lead to victory.)  
23...Qf8 24.Bf8 Kf8 25.Qa7 1-0

Bishop's Opening  
A.Morgan - D.Angelo

1.P-K4 P-K4 2.B-B4 N-KB3 3.P-Q4  
NXP 4.PXP NXBP 5.BXP+ K-K2  
6.Q-Q5 NXR 7.B-N5++! 1-0

French Def.- Classical  
D.Funkhouser - V.Hart

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.Nc3  
(3.e5!)  
3...Nf6 4.e5 Nfd7 5.f4 c5  
6.Nf3 Nc6 7.Be3 a6 8.Be2 Be7  
9.0-0 0-0 10.Kh1 cd 11.Nd4 Nb6  
12.Rf3 f6 13.Rg3 f5 14.Qf1 Nd4  
15.Bd4 Bd7 16.Rad1 Be8 17.Qf3  
Na4 18.Na4 Ba4 19.Qh5 Be8?  
20.Qh6 Bg6 21.Rg6 hg6 22.Qg6  
Qd7 23.Bh5 Bb4 24.c3 Ba5 25.Qg3  
Rfc8 26.Bg6 Kf8 27.Qh4 b5?  
(27...Qe8 28.Qh3 Bb6)  
28.Bf2 Re8 29.Qh8+ 1-0

Rd. 3

Philidor Reversed (?!?!)  
R.Spring - D.Griffith

1.P-K4 P-K4 2.P-QB3 N-KB3 3.P-KB4  
PXP 4.P-Q3 P-Q4 5.P-K5 N-N5 6.N-KB3  
N-K6 7.BXN PXB 8.P-Q4 B-KN5 9.B-K2  
B-K2 10.0-0 N-N3 11.Q-Q3 Q-Q2  
12.QXKP 0-0-0 13.P-N4 BXN 14.RXB  
KR-KB1 15.N-Q2 Q-K3 16.BXN QXB  
17.R-K1 Q-K3 18.Q-B2 QR-K1 19.R/3-K3  
B-N4 20.R/3-K2 BXN 21.RXB P-KB3  
22.R/2-K2 PXP 23.RXP RXQ 24.RXQ  
RXR 25.KXR 1/2-1/2

King's Indian Def. - Samisch Var.  
C.Hertan - C.Nolasco

1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 g6 3.Nc3 Bg7 4.e4 d6  
5.f3 0-0 6.Be3 c5!?  
(A popular gambit)  
7.d5 e5?! 8.Qd2 a5?  
(Antipositional and too slow.  
Better are a6 or Ne8)  
9.Nge2 Ne8 10.h4 f5 11.Bg5  
(11.Bh6? f4 12.Bg7 Ng7 Δ Nh5 ♯,  
or 11.h5? f4 12.Bf2 g5=)  
11...Bf6 12.g3!

(An original solution. White  
must not allow the K-side to be  
closed, when his whole attacking  
set-up would look silly.)

?2...Ng7  
(Black begins to defend resourcefully,  
holding off the K-side storm.

Understandably the line 12...Bg5?!  
13.hg5 f4 14.gf4 ef4 15.Nf4 Qg5  
16.Nce2, opening lines against  
his own K, did not appeal to him.)  
13.Bh3 Na6 14.0-0-0 Nc7 15.ef5!

(A surprize! White voluntarily  
releases his central stronghold.  
But he has a diabolical plan in  
mind - to plant a N on e4 whereby  
his K-side attack suddenly becomes  
irresistable.)

15...gf5

(Equally bad were ...Nf5 16.Ne4

16...Be7 17.Be7 Qe7 18.h5+ or  
...Bf5? 16.g4+.)  
16.g4!

(Of course! Now the decisive penetration, Ne4, cannot be prevented.)

16...Be7 17.Rdg1 f4 18.Ne4 Nce8

(Still trying to rally his defensive forces. b5 was a better practical try, though after 19.Be7 Qe7 20.h5 White's attack soon reaches decisive proportions.)

19.N2c3! Rb8 20.Nb5 Bd7

(The only move to meet the threat of 21.Be7 Qe7 22.h5 h6 23.g5! hg 24.h6 ect.)

21.Nbd6! Nd6 22.Nd6 Bg5 23.hg5 Bg4 24.Rg4 Qd6 25.Rh4 h5

(Desperation. On Rf7, the most elegant win is 26.Rh7! Kh7 27.Be6+ Kg6 28.Rh6+ Kg5 29.Qh2 and Black must sac a queen to prevent mate in one)

26.gh6 e.p. Nf5

(It's a pity that Black did not allow the picturesque finish

...Ne8 27.Be6+ Kh8 28.Qg2 Qe7 29.Qg7+ Ng7 [though Qg7 is better] 30.hg7+ Kg7 31.Rg1+ Kf6 32.Rh6++ 27.Bf5 Rf5 28.Qg2+ Kf7 29.Qg7+ 1-0 (Ke8 30.h7 is convincing.)

C.Hertan

Rd. 4 - Ruy Lopez

D.Funkhouser - R.Spring

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bb5 Bc5 4.c3 Qf6 5.0-0 Nge7 6.d4 ed 7.Bc6 dc3 8.Bd7+ Bd7 9.Nc3 a6 10.Bg5 Qe6 11.Nd5 0-0-0 12.Re1 Bd6 13.Be7 Be7 14.Nc7 Bc6 15.Ne6 Rd1 16.Rfd1 fe6 17.Nd4 Bg5 18.Nc6 Bc1 19.Ne7+ Kc7 20.Rc1+ Kd7 21.f4 Re8 22.Nc8 Rc8 23.Rc8 Kc8 24.Kf2 Kd7 25.Kc3 Kc6 26.Kd4 Kd6 27.g4 g6 28.h4 b6 29.f5 gf 30.ef5 ef5 1-0

Modern Def.

T.Lipinski - Brown

1.e4 g6 2.d4 Bg7 3.Bc4 d6 4.Nf3

4...Bg4 5.h3 Bf3 6.Qf3 Nf6 7.e5 de5 8.de5 Qd4 9.Qb7 Ne4 10.Be3 Qc4 11.Q88++ 1-0

King's Indian Def. - 4P

C.Hertan - W.Martz (IM)

1.c4 Nf6 2.Nc3 g6 3.e4 d6 4.d4 Bg7 5.Be2 0-0 6.f4 c5 7.Nf3

(Martz's pet line, on which he is one of the foremost experts of the world! The "normal" move is 7d5)

7...cd4 8.Nd4 Bg4

(8...Nc6 9.Be3 Ng4 is playable.)

9.Be3 Nc6

(R.H.M. Survey on the 4-Pawn Attack says 9...Qc8(!) is a promising continuation for Black based on a game Szabo-Tal. But Martz confided after the game that ...Qc8 is actually inferior for Black!)

10.Nc6

(Martz's favorite 10.Bg4 Ng4 11.Qg4 Nd4 12.Qd1 Ne6! is fine for Black.)

10...Be2 11.Nd8 Bd1 12.Rd1

(Best. 12.Nf7? Ng4 is strong for Black, e.g. 13.Ed2 Rf7 14.Rd1 Bd4! 15.Rb1 (15.Rc1 loses the exchange; 15.Rf1 Nh2 is also bad) Rc8! 16h3 Nf2 17.Rf1 Bc3 18.Rf2 Bd2+ 19.Kd2 Rc4 20.Kd3 Rfc8, and black has a tiny edge. Also bad is 12.Nb7? Bc2! ♯)

12...Rfd8 13.Ke2! Rac8! ♯

(Theory criticizes this move, recommending Rdc8 instead. After this game it may need to be re-appraised.)

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14.b3 a6 15.Ed4 Re8

(A crafty move with a hidden threat, Black would like to relieve his cramp with 15...Nd7, but then 16.Nd5 would be unpleasant, so he prepares it by first protecting his e-pawn.)

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## MOUNTAINEER OPEN

April 7-8, 1979

Morgantown, WV

1.	Dennis Funkhouser	1958	W19	W10	W7	W9	4-0
2.	William Martz	2413	W11	W5	W4	D3	3½-1½
3.	Charles Hertan	2140	W22	W6	W18	D2	3½-1½
4.	John Roush	1852	W13	W25	L2	W11	3-1
5.	Leopold Sukiennik	1661	W14	L2	W22	W12	3-1
6.	Byron Funkhouser	1651	W23	L3	W25	W17	3-1
7.	Andrew Glancy	1617	W16	W8	L1	W21	3-1
8.	Donald Griffith	1902	W12	L7	D9	W19	2½-1½
9.	Ray Spring	1377	W20	W21	D8	L1	2½-1½
10.	Vernon Hart	1644	W15	L1	L12	W20	2-2
11.	Steve Nichols	1380	L2	W14	W24	L4	2-2
12.	Jerry Engle	1265	L8	W23	W10	L5	2-2
13.	Ack Morgan	1166	L4	W16	L17	W24	2-2
14.	Ted Lipinski	1085	L5	L11	W26	W25	2-2
15.	Charles Mitchell	875	L10	L19	BYE	W22	2-2
16.	Doug Angelo	UNR	L7	L13	W23	W26	2-2
17.	David Hunt	1401	W24	L18	W13	L6	2-2
18.	Cornelio Nolasco	1896	W26	W17	L3	WD	2-1
19.	Jeff Lipinski	1332	L1	W15	D21	L8	1½-2½
20.	Fred Fediw	UNR	L9	D26	W27	L10	1½-2½
21.	Carl Kiser	1713	W27	L9	D19	L7	1½-2½
22.	Eric Funkhouser	1344	L3	W27	L5	L15	1-3
23.	Robert Taft	1029	L6	L12	L16	W27	1-3
24.	Jeff Jones	844	L17	BYE	L11	L13	1-3
25.	Lee Brown	1200	BYE	L4	L6	L14	1-3
26.	Wietold Sieradzan	1258	L18	D20	L14	L16	½-3½
27.	Joe Riggs	1166	L21	L22	L20	L23	0-4

TD John W. Dudley

Crosstable: Carl "Killer" Kiser

# SMITH WINS C.O.

Mark Smith topped the field at the annual Charleston Open. Mark, one of the leading attacking players in the state for years, scored an impressive  $4\frac{1}{2}$  points out of 5. Perennial power Dennis Funkhouser finished second with a 4-1 record.

This year's event was held at the Hotel Daniel Boone on May 5th and 6th. It drew a small (14) but powerful group of players. The average rating of the entire group was 1613. The average rating of the top 8 players was 1801!

Here are a few games from this event.

Rd. 3 - French Def.-Winawer  
J.Barker - J.Dudley

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.Nc3  
(Correct is 3.e5-Nimzowitsch)  
3...Bb4 4.e5 c5 5.a3 Bc3+ 6.bc3  
Ne7 7.Qg4! Qc7 8.Qg7 Rg8 9.Qh7  
Nc6 10.f4 cd4 11.Ne2 Bd7 12.Qd3  
dc3 13.Ng3 0-0-0 14.Be2 Nb8?

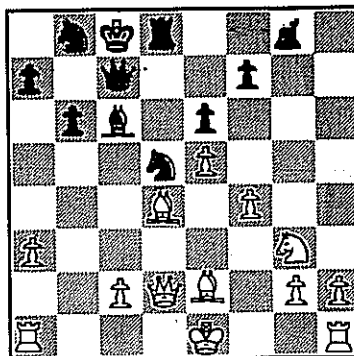
(The book move, 14...Nf5, is better. The idea of placing the N on c5 is too slow.)

15.Bf3

(Why not 15.Be3 taking advantage of the removal of the QN's influence on d4? If 15...d4 16.Bd4 Bc6 17.Qc3 Bg2 18.Rg1++ (18...Rd4? 19.Qd4 Rd8 20.Qc4). Black can of course improve on this line of play by substituting 17...Nd5 for 17...Bg2, but after 18.Qd2 b6 he is down 2 pawns though the position is somewhat unclear. See diagram at top of page.

If Black returns the N to c6 then White replies with 16.Bc5 with the idea of Rb1 and an

Position after 18...b6 (Analysis)



attack on the Black K. If 15...Qa5 16.Bd4+. Any comments Joe?)  
15...Bc6 16.0-0 (+) Qa5 17.Rb1  
Nd7 18.Be3 Nc5 19.Bc5 Qc5+ 20.Kh1?  
(20.Rf2)  
20...a6??  
(20...Rg3!!)  
21.Ne2 Bb5 22.Rb5 ab5 23.Nc3 Nf5  
24.Nb5?  
(Best is 24.Ne2 Ng3+! 25.Ng3  
Rg3 26.h3 ♠ If 24.g3 Ng3+ 25.hg3  
Rg3 wins easily)  
24...Rh8 24.Nd6+ 0-1 (in view of  
25...Rd6)

Rd. 4 - Ruy Lopez  
D.Funkhouser - C.Nolasco

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bb5 a6 4.Ba4  
Nf6 5.0-0 b5 6.Bb3 Be7 7.c3 0-0  
8.d4 d6 9.Re1 Bg4 10.Be3 Na5  
11.Bc2 Nc4 12.Bc1 Nd7 13.b3 N4b6  
14.Nbd2 ed 15.cd Bf6 16.Bb2 c5  
17.h3 Bh5 18.e5 de 19.de Bg5  
20.Ne4 Be7 21.Qd3 Bg6 22.Rad1  
Qc7 23.Qe3 Rfe8 24.Bb1 Bf8  
25.Qg5 Be7 26.Qg3 Nf8 27.Nd6  
Bd6 28.ed6 Qd7 29.Ne5 Qe6 30.Ng6  
Qe1+ 31.Re1 Re1+ 32.Kh2 hg6  
33.Qc3! Ne6 34.Qe1 Rd8 35.Bg6 1-0



Rd. 3 - Ruy Lopez  
M. Smith - D. Funkhouser

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bg5 a6 4.Ba4  
Nf6 5.0-0 Be7 6.Re1 b5 7.Bb3 0-0  
8.d4 d3 9.c3 Bg4 10.Be3 ed 11.  
d5 12.e5 Ne4 13.Nc3 Nc3 14.bc3  
Na5 15.Bc2 Nc4 16.Bc1 f5

(16...Qd7)

17.ef6 Bf6 18.h3 Bf3 19.Qf3 Bd4  
20.Qh5 g6?

(20...Bf2+ 21.Kh1 Qh4 22.Qd4+  
Kh8 23.Bg5 Qh5 24.Qd3 Bh4 ∞  
(if 25.g4? Ne5 26.Qe4 Ng4 27.Qg4  
Qg4 28.hg4 Bg5 wins))  
21.Bg6 hg6 22.Qg6+ Bg7 23.Bg5 Qd6

(Best try at this point is  
23...Rf6 though White still retains  
winning chances.)

24.Re6 Qc5 25.Re7 Qf2+ 26.Kh1 Bf7  
27.Rae1 Qf5 28.Re8+ Re8 29.Re8+  
Rf8 30.Qf5 Re8 31.Qd5+ Kh8 32.Bf4  
Re1+ 33.Kh2 Bc3 34.Qd8+ Kg7 35.Qc7+  
Kf6 36.Qc6+ Re6 37.Bg5+ Kf5  
38.g4+ Ke5 39.Qf3 Bd4 40.Bf4+  
1-0

(A note to future editor hopefuls:  
The games printed from this tourney  
represent one of the privileges  
of being editor. Note that none  
of my disasters appear.)

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# KANAWHA VALLEY OPEN

August 4-5, 1979 Registration: 9AM- 10AM

Entry Fee: \$7-Sr. , \$5-Jr.

Prizes based on entries.

Time Limit: 50 moves in 2 hours

Hotel Daniel Boone, Charleston, W.Va.

Rd.5 - Closed English  
J.Dudley - D.Funkhouser

47...Bd6 48.Nf2 Kf5 49.Nh1 b4  
50.Bd2 b3 0-1

1.c4 Nf6 2.Nc3 g6 3.Nf3 Bg7 4.g3  
d6 5.Bg2 e5 6.d3 0-0 7.0-0 Nc6  
8.Rb1 Nh5 9.Bd2 f5 10.e3 Bd7  
11.Nd5 Ne7 12.Ne7 Qe7 13.Ne1 Bc6  
14.Bc3 Bg2 15.Ng2 c6 16.d4 e4  
17.Qc2 Nf6 18.Rbd1 Nd7 19.b4 g5  
20.f4 ef3 21.Rf3 Qe4 22.Qe4 fe4  
23.Rf8+ Rf8 24.Bd2 d5 25.cd5  
cd5 26.Rc1 Nb6 27.Rc7 Nc4 28.Bc1  
Rf7 29.Rf7 Kf7 30.Ne1 Bf8 31.Nc2  
a6 32.a3 h5 33.Kf2 Ke6 34.Na1  
Kf5 35.Nb3 b6 36.Nd2 Bd6 37.Nb1  
Ke6 38.Nc3  
Be7 39.Ke2 g4 40.Kf2 Bg5 41.Ne2  
b5 42.Nc3 h4 43.a4 hg+ 44.hg  
Be7 45.ab Bb4 46.Nd1 ab 47.Ke2

Rd. 5 King's Indian  
M.Smith - C.Nolasco

1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 g6 3.Nc3 Bg7 4.e4  
d6 5.Be2 0-0 6.Nf3 c5 7.0-0 Nh5  
8.d5 Nd7 9.Ne1 Bc3 10.bc Ng7 11.Bh6  
Nf6 12.Qd3 Ng4 13.Bg4 Bg4 14.f4 f5  
15.e5 a6 16.Nf3??  
(16.h3 wins a pawn. After ...Bh5  
the threat of Nc2-e3 and g4 forces  
Black to play g5 which loses a  
pawn with no apparent compensation.)  
16...Bf3 17.Rf3 Rb8 18.a4 Qa5  
19.R3f1 Qc7 20.e6 Rfc8 21.Bg7 Kg7  
22.Rfb1 Qa5 23.Qc2 Rg8 24.Ra2 b6  
25.Rab2 Rb7 26.h3 Rgb8 27.Kf2 b5  
28.ab ab 29.cb Rb5 30.Rb5 Rb5 31.Rb5 Qb5 1-1/2

### Charleston Open

May 5-6, 1979

TD - C.Szasz

1.Dennis Funkhouser	1958	W8	W5	L4	W2	W6	-	4-1
2.Cornelio Nolasco	1896	W9	D8	W3	L1	D4	-	3-2
3.John Everett Roush	1852	W10	L6	L2	W14	D7	-	2 1/2-2 1/2
4.Mark Smith	1847	W11	W7	W1	W4	D2	-	4 1/2-1 1/2
5.Marvin Barker, Jr.	1833	W12	L1	L6	D8	W11	-	2 1/2-2 1/2
6.John W. Dudley	1779	W13	W3	W5	L4	L1	-	3-2
7.David F. Marples	1735	W14	L4	W12	W10	D3	-	3 1/2-1 1/2
8.Carl E.Kiser	1713	L1	D2	W9	D5	D10	-	2 1/2-2 1/2
9.Vernon Hart	1644	L2	L10	L8	W11	W12	-	2-3
10.Andrew J.Glancy	1617	L3	W9	W13	L7	D8	-	2 1/2-2 1/2
11.Ray F. Spring	1373	L4	L13	L14	L9	L5	-	0-5
12.Jerry L. Engle	1265	L5	W14	L7	W13	L9	-	2-3
13.Witold Sieradzian	1258	L6	W11	L10	L12	D14	-	1 1/2-3 1/2
14.Andrew Cooke Finley	816	L7	L12	W11	L3	D13	-	1 1/2-3 1/2

Joe Barker, "That's what the Ruy Lopez is all about: attacking  
on the K-side and the Q-side."  
John Roush, "...and sometimes in the center!"

# CHAS. C. C. C.

Bob Bukovac, Brent Haynes,\* Dennis Funkhouser, and John Roush emerged from the marathon 15 week Charleston Chess Club Championship as qualifiers to the Championship Quad. (See page 1 for the results)

Dennis Funkhouser (11-1) and Brent Haynes(10-2) qualified from section "A". John Roush (12-1) and Bob Bukovac(11½-1½) came from section "B".

Participating in such a tournament is quite an experience. Too long to be too exciting, it was yet too tense to become boring.(At least for potential Qualifiers!!) I would advise everyone who loves chess, hates the network's Tuesday night offerings, and has loads of stamina to try to play in this unique(for W.Va.) event.

Here are a few games from the event.

Rd. 1 - Colle System  
C."Killer"Kiser - C.Szasz

1.d4 d5 2.Nd2 c5 3.e3 Nc6 4.Ngf3 g6 5.c3 Nf6 6.Bd3 Bf5 7.Qc2 Bd3 8.Qd3 Qc7 9.0-0 Bg7 10.dc 0-0 11.e4 Rad8 12.Qe2 d4 13.e5 d3 14.Qe1 Ng4 15.e6 Nce5 16.h3 Nf3+ 17.Nf3 Ne5 18.Nd4 f5 19.Bg5 h6 20.Bd2 f4 21.Qe4 f3 22.gf Rd4 23.cd Nf3+ 0-1

Rd. 1 - French Def. -Advance V.  
J.Roush - T.Davis

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.e5 c5 4.c3 Nc6 5.Nf3 Qb6 6.Bd3 a6 (6...cd4 is best) 7.dc5! Bc5 8.0-0 f6? 9.b4 Be7

10.Bf4 fe5 11.Ne5 Ne5 12.Be5 Nf6 13.Nd2 0-0 14.Nf3 Bd7 15.Qc2 (Perhaps 15.Qe2 is better.) 15...g6? (15...h6 is better, but the weakness of the Black K-side still gives him trouble.) 16.Bg6 Ne5 (16...hg6 17.Qg6+ Kh8 18.Ng5 Rf7 (any other Qh7++) 19.Nf7++) 17.Be4 de4 18.Qe4 Be8 19.Bd4 Qc7 20.Qe6+ (20.Qg4+ Bg6 21.Qe6+ Rf7 22.Ne5 wins a bit more quickly.) 20...Bf7 21.Qg4+ Bg6 22.h4 Rf4 23.Qe6+ Bf7 24.Qh6 Rg4 25.Ng5 Rg5 26.hg5 Bf8 27.Qf6 Bg6 28.f4 Qd7 29.f5 Be8 30.Qh8+ 1-0

Rd. 3 - Ruy Lopez-Exchange V.  
B.Bukovac - M.McKee

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bb5 a6 4.Bc6 bc 5.d4 ed 6.Nd4 Bb7 7.0-0 g6 8.f4 c5 9.Nb3 Be4 10.Nc3 Bc6 11.Re1+ Ne7 12Nd5 a5?? ( ) 13.Nf6 1-0

Rd. 4 - French Def. \*\*Adv.  
J.Roush - B.Bukovac

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.e5 c5 4.Qg4!? Ne7 5.Nf3 Nbc6 6.c3 cd 7.Bd3 Qc7 8.0-0 Ng6 9.cd Nb4 10.Bg6 hg 11.Bd2 Bd7 12.Bb4 Bb4 13.a3 Be7 14.Nc3 Rc8 15.Rfc1 Qb6 16.Rc2 Qb3 17.Rac1 Ba4 18.Nd2 Qc2 19.Bc2 Bc2 20.Qe2 a6 21.Nf1 Bb3 22.Qe3 Kd7 23.Nd2 Bc2 24.Qf3 f5 25.g3 Rc7 26.Nd5?

Good Fish Keeping Seal →



\* On tiebreak over Ed Andrews.

26...ed 27.Qd5+ Kc8 28.Nc4 Be4  
 29.Qe6+ Kb8 30.f3 Bf3 31.Kf2 Be4  
 32.h4 Rd8 33.Ke3 Bd5 34.Qg6 Bc4  
 35.Qg7 Rg8 36.Qh6 Rg3+ 37.Kf4  
 Rg4+ 38.Kf5 Rh4 39.Qd2 Bd5  
 40.e6 Be4+ 41.Ke5  
 (Endgame experience.)  
 41...Rc4 42.b3 Rc2 43.Qe1 Rg2  
 44.d5 Bf3 45.Qh4 Bh4 46.d6 0-1

Rd.6 - Sicilian Najdorf  
 J.Roush - J.Engle

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 d6 3.d4 cd 4.Nd4  
 Nf6 5.Nc3 a6 6.Bc4 e6 7.Bb3 Be7  
 8.f4 Nbd7?  
 (8...b5)  
 9.Be3 b5 10.Be6!? Nc5??  
 (10...fe6 11.Ne6 Qa5 12.Ng7+  
 Kf7 13.Nf5 ∞)  
 11.Bd5 Nd5 12.ed 0-0 13.0-0 Re8  
 14.Nc6 Qc7 15.Bd4 Bb7 16.Qg4 g6  
 17.Ne7 Qe7 18.Rae1 Qf8 19.Qg5  
 f5 20.h4 Qf7 21.h5 Rad8 22.Bf6  
 Rd7 23.hg hg 24.Kf2?  
 (24.Qh4! Qh7 25.Re8+ Kf7  
 26.Qh7+ Ke8 27.Re1+ Kf8 28.Qh8+  
 Kf7 29.Qg7++)  
 24...Re1 25.Re1 Qh7 26.Bd4 b4  
 27.Qf6 Qg7 28.Re3 1-0

Rd. 7 Ruy Lopez  
 B.Haynes - C.Kiser

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bb5 Bc5 4.c3  
 Nf6 5.d4 Bb6 6.Ne5 Ne5 7.de Ne4  
 8.Qg4 Bf2+ 9.Kd1 Qh4 10.Qg7 Rf8  
 11.b4 Qh5+ 12.Kc2 Qg6 13.Qg6 fg  
 14.Bh6 Rf5 15.Bd3 Re5 16.Rf1 Bb6  
 17.Bg7 Rf5 18.Nd2 Rf1 19.Rf1 Nd2  
 20.Rf8+ Ke7 21.Kd2 Bg1 22.Rh8  
 Bh2 23.Bh6 d5 24.Rh7+ Ke6 25.Bg6  
 Kf6 26.Bh5 Be6 27.g4 Rg8 28.g5#  
 Kf5 29.Be5 30.Be3 1-0  
 (Time shortage. ...b6 gives  
 Black hopes of survival.)

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Rd. 7 Sicilian Najdorf  
 G.Cummings - A.Glancy

1.P-K4 P-QB4 2.N-KB3 P-Q3 3.P-Q4  
 PXP 4.NXP N-KB3 5.N-QB3 P-QR3  
 6.B-QB4 P-K3 7.B-N3 B-K2 8.E-K3  
 0-0 9.P-KN4 ?! P-K4 10.N-B5 BXN  
 11.NPXB

(Personally I would prefer KPXB  
 with the threats of P-N5 and P-B6  
 or P-N6.)

11...QN-Q2 12.Q-K2 QR-B1 13.0-0?  
 (13.R-KN1 K-R1)

13...N-B4! 14.P-B3 NXB! 15.RPXN  
 P-Q4! 16.Q-N2?

(Best is 16.PXP NXP 17.R-Q1  
 NXN! 18.PXN Q-B2 ♯)

16...K-R1 17.QR-Q1 P-Q5 18.N-N1  
 Q-B2 19.B-N5 QXP 20.R-B1 QXNP/3  
 21.B-R6???? PXB 22.Q-Q2 RXR  
 23.QXR Q-K6+24.QXQ PXQ 25.R-B1  
 R-Q1 26.K-B1 N-R4 27.K-K2 P-QN3  
 28.R-B7 B-B4 29.RXP N-B5+ 30.K-K1  
 B-N5+ 31.N-B3 BXN+ 0-1

Rd. 7 Ruy Lopez  
 D.Funkhouser - M.Cornell

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bb5 a6 4.Ba4  
 d6 5.Bc6+ bc6 6.d4 f6 7.0-0 g6  
 8.Nc3?!

(ECO I, pg. 238, note 11 gives  
 8.c3 Nh6 9.Qb3 Nf7=)

8...ed4?  
 (...Bg7 or ...Nh6)

9.Nd4?!  
 (9.Qd4)

9...Ne7 10.Be3 Bg7 11.Qd2?!  
 (Qd3 or Re1)

11...Kf7?? 12.Rae1??  
 (12.Nc6 Nc6 13.Qd5+ Be6 14.Qc6 +-)

12...Re8??  
 (...Bd7)

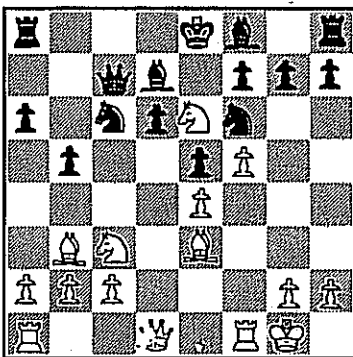
13.Bh6??  
 (Nc6 +-)

13...Bh8??  
 (...Bd7=)

14.Nc6 Qd7 15.Ne7 Qe7 16.Nd5?  
 (Be3 +-)  
 16...Qd8 17.Qa5?  
 (f4 +-)  
 17...g5 18.f4??  
 (18.Qc2+ Kg6 --+)  
 18...Kg6 19.fg5 fg5 20.Bg5  
 (20.Nc7 Kh6 --+)  
 20...Qg5 21.Qc7 Be6 22.Qd6?  
 (22.Nf4+ Kh6 23.Ne6 Re6  
 24.Rf7 Qg6 --+)  
 22...Be5 23.Nf4+?? Qf4 24.Rf4  
 Bd6 25.e5 Bc5+ 26.Kh1 Rf8 27.Rf1  
 Rf4 28.Rf4 Rf8 29.Rf8 Bf8 and  
 0-1 on move 42.  
 - D.Funkhouser

Rd. 10 - Sicilian Sozin  
 J.E.Roush - G.Cummings

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.d4 cd4 4.Nd4  
 Nf6 5.Nc3 d6! 6.Bc4 e6 7.Bb3 a6  
 8.Be3 Bd7  
 (8...Be2 or 8...Na5)  
 9.f4 b5 10.O-O Qc7 11.f5 e5?  
 (11...Nd4 is necessary.)  
 12.Ne6!



12...fe6  
 (Can Black refuse the sac?  
 12...Qb8 13.Bg5 looks uninviting,  
 but it's undoubtedly superior to  
 the game.(13...fe6 14.fe6 Bc8 1  
 15.Rf6!) Best seems to be to ac-  
 cept the N and ...)  
 13.fe6 Bc8??  
 (... give it back on move 13  
 with ...Be6)

14.Rf6! g6 15.Qh5+ Kd8 16.Nd5  
 Bb7  
 (16...Qg7 17.Bb6+ Qc7 18.Bc7++)  
 17.Bb6 Qb6 18.Nb6 Ra7 19.Rd1 Nd4  
 20.Qf7 Be7 21.c3 Rhf8 22.Qh7  
 Nb3 23.Rd6+ 1-0

Rd. 11 Latvian Gambit  
 D.Funkhouser - C.Szasz

1.P-K4 P-K4 2.N-KB3 P-KB4 3.P-Q4  
 PXP 4.NXP N-KB3 5.B-QB4 P-Q4  
 6.B-N3 B-K3 7.N-QB3 B-K2 8.B-KN5  
 0-0 9.Q-Q2 P-B3 10.N-K2 P-QR4  
 11.P-QR3 QN-Q2 12.N-B4 B-KB4  
 13.P-B4 NXN 14.PXN N-N5 15.P-KR4  
 BXB 16.PXB P-Q5 17.P-B5+ K-R1  
 18.P-N6 P-R3 19.O-O-O NXKP 20.N-K6  
 P-K6 21.RXP+ PXR 22.P-N7+ K-R2  
 23.PXR=N+ K-R1 24.PXP Q-K2 25.QXP  
 Q-B3 26.R-B1 R-K1 27.P-N4 RXN/3  
 28.NXR N-Q6+ 29.K-Q2 QXQ 30.PXQ  
 BXB 31.BXB NXNP

("I would resign, but I'm playing  
 on for endgame experience."-A.Glancy  
 "Endgame experience is a valuable  
 thing to have."-J.Ashley)  
 32.B-N3 P-R5 33.B-R2 1-0

Rd. 12 Sicilian Def.  
 D.Funkhouser - B.Haynes

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.c3 Nf6  
 (3...d5!)  
 4.e5 Nd5 5.d4 cd 6.cd d6 7.Bc4  
 de 8.de Ndb4 9.Qb3 e6 10.Na3  
 Qc7 11.O-O Ne5 12.Bf4 Nbc6 13.Ne5 Ne5  
 14.Qb5+ (1-0)



Aug. 4-5  
 Chas, WV

CHARLESTON CHESS CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

	Section A													Total
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
1. Kiser	x	0	1	1	0	0	1/2	1/2	1	1/2	1	1	0	6 1/2
2. Cornell	1	x	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5 1/2
3. R. Curry	0	0	x	0	0	0	0	0	1/2	0	1	1	0	3 1/2
4. Dietz	0	0	0	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
5. Funkhouser	1	0	1	1	x	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	11
6. Haynes	1	1	1	1	0	x	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	10
7. Andrews	1/2	1	1	1	0	1	x	1	1	1	1	1	1/2	10
8. Baruffi	1/2	0	1	1	0	0	0	x	0	0	1	1	0	5 1/2
9. Skeen	0	0	1/2	1	0	0	0	1	x	1	1	0	0	6 1/2
10. J. Szasz	1/2	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	x	1	0	1/2	7
11. Finley	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	x	0	0	3
12. J. Lewis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x	0	0
13. C. Szasz	1	1	1	1	0	0	1/2	1	1	1/2	1	1	x	9

	Section B														Total
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	
1. McKee	x	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1/2	0	0	1	5 1/2
2. Roush	1	x	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
3. Bukovac	1	1	x	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	1/2	1	1	11 1/2
4. Stewart	1	0	0	x	0	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	7
5. Engle	1	0	0	1	x	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	1/2	0	8 1/2
6. Jones	1	0	1	0	1	x	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	6
7. Perkins	0	0	0	0	1	1	x	1	0	1	1	1	0	1	7
8. G. Curry	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
9. Cummings	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	x	1	1	0	0	1	6
10. Lee	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	x	1	0	1	0	4
11. Bailey	1/2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	x	0	0	0	1 1/2
12. Glancy	1	0	1/2	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	x	1	0	8 1/2
13. Davis	1	0	0	1	1/2	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	x	0	7 1/2
14. Quast	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	x	6

TD Phillip M. Lewis  
 Asst. TD Charles Szasz

# HERTAN REFUTES

C.Hertan, "I was rather disappointed upon reading the March bulletin. I feel that it did me two injustices, which I would now like to correct. The first injustice, though innocent enough, is very amusing: Since returning to W. Va., my record in WVCA tournaments was (at the time the bulletin was printed) 19 wins, 1 loss, and 3 draws. Imagine my surprize when I noticed my results in the published games of the March issue: 1 loss and 3 draws!! The editor is not to be faulted, though; apparently my wins were simply not submitted."

The second wrong doing Charlie mentioned was the interpretation of his game with Timberlake. He now presents a more lengthy analysis.

Hertan-Timberlake 1.c4 e6 2.Nc3 d5 3.d4 Nf6 4.Bg5 Bb4 5.cd5 ed5 6.Qb3 (An interesting move, with the idea of attacking the E before Black has time to play ...c6 and ...Qa5) c5! (a fine move; the only one to maintain the balance. On ...Nc6 7.e3 0-0 8.Bb5 Bd7 9.Nf3 ±) 7.e3 (7.dc5?! Nc6! (▲ ...d4) 8.C-0-0 Be6?) Nc6 8.Bb5 0-0 (8...Bc3?! 9.Qc3 cd4 10.Bc6+ bc6 11.Qd4 white is clearly better, e.g. A)11...Ba6 (...Qa5+ 12.b4) 12.Qe5+! Qe7 (Kf8!?) 13.Ne2 Rb8 14.b3 Δ f3, Kf2 ±) 13.Bf6 gf6 14.Qe7+ Ke7 15.Rc1, and white has all the chances. B)11...0-0?! 12.Ne2 Ba6 (White must not be allowed to play 13.0-0, when the nasty pin and black's weak pawns would mean a big edge to White) 13.Bf6 gf6 14.Ng3!, and black has no satisfactory defense to the strong threat 15.Nh5!, e.g. 14...Rb8 15.0-0-0! Qb6? 16.Qb6 Rb6 17.Nh5 c5 18.Rd5 ect. C)11...Rb8?! (▲ Qa5+) 12.Ne2 Qa5+ 13.Nc3 Rb2 14.0-0 ± and black has no good way to meet 15.Bf6 Δ 16.Nd5 Thus, Timberlake's move ...0-0 intending ...Qa5 must be considered best.) 9.dc5 Qa5 10.Bc6 (10.Bf6 Qb5! 11.0-0-0! (11.Bd4?? Nd4 12.ed4 Re8+ 13.Kd2 Bf5 with a winning attack--14.Nf3? Re2+ ect.) 11...Qa5! 12.Bd4 Be6 13.Nf3 Rac8 and Black has excellent chances (Not 14.Na4? b6! \*)) Ne4! (10...bc6 is OK, as pointed out by Hathaway, but the text is near decisive! White must find all the best moves from here on out or it is curtains!) 11.Be7 bc6 12.Bf8 Rb8! 13.Qc2! (White's resources are enough to hold. If 13.C-0-0? Nc3 14.bc3 Ba3+ wins.) Nc3 14.Bd6 (This resource, based on the fact that there are no good Black discoveries, had to be seen several moves ago.) Ne4+ 15.Kd1 (15.Ke2 Bf5! A)16.Qb3 Qb5+ 17.Kf3 Nd2+ -+ B)16.Qd1 Qb5+ 17.Kf3 Bg4+! 18.Kg4 Nf2+ 19.Kg3 Nd1 20.Bb8 Qf1! -+ C)16.Qc1 Bg4+! 17.f3 Qb5+ 18.Kd1 Qd3+ 19.Qd2 Qd2++ D)16.Bb8 Qb5+ 17.Kf3 Ng5+ 18.Kf4 Bc2 19.Kg5 Qb8 -+) Bf5 16.Bb8! Nc3+ 17.bc3! (QC3 Bc3 18.bc3 Qb5! 19.Nf3 Qb8 and Black has good winning chances.) Bc2+ 18.Kc2 Bc3 19.Nf3! (All R moves lose! A)19.Rb1 Qa2+ 20.Kc3 Qb1 21.Ba7 Qf1!-+ B)19.Rc1 Bd2!! 20.Ne2 (20.Rb1 Qc3+ 21.Kd1 Qd3! 22.Rb3 Bc3+ 23.Kc1 Qd2+ 24.Kb1 Qd1++ or 20.Rd1 Qc3+ 21.Kb1 Qd3+ 22.Kb2 Bc3+ 23.Kc1 Bb2+ 24.Kb2 Qd1 Δ Qf1 -+) Qa2+ 21.Kd1 Bc1 22.Nc1 Qa4+ 23.Ke2 Qb5+ C)19.Rf1 Qa2+! 20.Kc3 Qc4+ Δ Qf1 -+ and to make matters worse for White, the logical 19.Ne2 is also bad Ba1 20.Ra1 Qb5 and White has only slim holding chances, while 19.Nh3 is even worse--...Ba1 20.Ra1 Qa4+ 21.Kc1 Qc4+

(Continued on p.15)

# APOCALYPSE NOW

Here are a few games and the cross table from this interesting little tournament held at the home of Dr. Cornelio Nolasco on June 3, 1979.

	1	2	3	4	Total
1. Funkhouser (1958)	x	1	1	1	3-0
2. Kiser (1713)	0	x	1	0	1-2
3. Nolasco (1896)	0	0	x	0	0-3
4. Griffith (1923)	0	1	1	x	2-1

## English Opening

Kiser - Griffith

1.Nf3 Nf6 2.c4 g6 3.Nc3 Bg7 4.g3 0-0 5.Bg2 d6 6.0-0 e5 7.d4 Nbd7 8.e3 (8.e4)  
 8...Re3 9.Qc2 Nf8 10.de de 11.Rd1 Qe7 12.Nd5 Nd5 13.cd Bg4 14.h3 Bf3 15.Bf3 e4 16.Be2 Qd6 17.Qb3 Rab8 18.Bd2 Nd7 19.Bb4 Qb6 20.Rac1 a5 21.Qa4 Qb4 22.Qd7 Re7 23.Qb5 Qb5 24.Bb5 Bb2 25.Rc2 Be5 26.Rc4 Bd6 27.Ra4 b6 28.Rdd4 f5 29.Rac4 Bc5 30.Rd1 g5 31.Re1 Re5 32.Rc2 Kg7 33.Rd1 Rf8 34.Kg2 f4 35.gf gf 36.ef Rf4 37.Rdd2 Rg5+ 38.Kh2 Bd6 39.Kh1 Rf3 40.Bf1 e3 41.Re2 Bc5 42. 0-1

Kiser - Nolasco Sic.Najdorf

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 d6 3.d4 cd 4.Nd4 Nf6 5.Nc3 a6 6.Be2 Nc6 (6...e5)  
 7.Be3 Qc7 (7...e6)  
 8.g4 b5 (8...h6 as in Kere's Attack is plausible.)  
 9.g5 Nd7 10.Nd5 Qb7 11.f4 e6 12.Nc3 Nd4 13.Qd4 Nc5 14.a3 Bd7 (14...Qc7)  
 15.b4 Na4 16.Na4 ba 17.0-0 Bc6

18.e5 0-0-0

(Perhaps 18...d5 would have been wiser.)

19.Qb6 Bb5 20.c4 Bc6 21.b5 ab 22.cb Bd5 23.Rac1+ Kd7 24.Qd4 Bg2 25.b6 Bc6 26.Rc6 Kc6 27.Qa4+ 1-0

4 N's

Nolasco - Funkhouser

1.e4 Nf6 2.Nc3 e5 3.Nf3 Nc6 4.d3? (Too passive. d4 or Bx5 is called for.)

4...Bc5 5.Bg5 d6

(5...h6 looks better.)

6.Nd5 Be6 7.c3

(Why not 7.Nf6?)

7...Bd5 8.ed5 Ne7 9.b4 Bb6 10.c4 Nf5 11.Be2 h6 12.Qa4+ Qd7 13.Qd7+ Nd7 14.Bd2 a5 15.0-0 ab4 16.Bb4 0-0 17.Rfb1 Nd4 18.Nd4 Bd4 19.a3 Ba1 20.Ra1 Nc5 21.Rb1 Ra7 22.g3 b6 23.f3 f5 24.Kf2 f4 25.g4 Rf8 26.Ke1 Ra3 27.Ba3 Ra3 28.Kd2 Ra2+ 29.Kd1 Na4 30.Rb3 Nc5 31.Rb1 g5 32.Ke1 Kf7 33.Kd1 Ke7 34.Ke1 Kd7 35.Kd1 Kc8 36.Ke1 Kb7 37.Kd1 Ka6 38.Rb5 Ra1+ 39.Kd2 Rh1 40.Rb2 Rh2 41.Ra2+ Kb7 42.Kc3 Rh1 43.Kc2 Nd7 44.d4 Rh2 45.de5 Ne5 46.Kc3 Nf3 47.c5 dc5 48.d6 Kc8 49.Kc4 Kd7 50.Kd5 c6+ 51.Ke4 Nd4 52.Ra7+ Kd6 53.Bd3 Rh3 0-1

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(Hertan Refutes)(Continued from p.14)  
 22.Kd1? Qf1+ ect.) 19...Ba1 20.Ra1 Qa4+ 21.Kc1 Qc4+(White must not be given time for Rb1 when his material advantage comes into effect) 22.Kd1! (22...Qf1+ 23.Ne1 or 22...Qd3+ 23.Nd2, the checks are over, material loss averted, and White stands well. If 22...Qf1+ 23.Ne1 Qf2 24.Bf4(Ba7!?) d4!? 25.Rb1 h6 26.Ke2! de3 27.Be3 Qh2 28.Rb7 a5 29.Ra7, and White (Continued on p.16)



# MOTHERS • JR. HIGH

Here's another Kiser tournament held on May 12, 1979. (Where does he come up with the names? This particular tournament was held on Mother's day.)

	1	2	3	4	Total
1. Dudley (1789)	x	½	1	1	2½-½
2. Bukovac (1671)	½	x	½	1	2-1
3. Kiser (1713)	0	½	x	1	1½-1½
4. Skeen (1403)	0	0	0	x	0-3

Ruy Lopez  
Bukovac - Kiser

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bb5 Bc5 4.c3 Nf6 5.d4 ed 6.cd Bb4+ 7.Bd2 Ne4 8.Qe2 Qe7 9.Bc6 Nd2 10.Bd7+ Bd7 11.Nbd2 Bb5 12.Qe7+ Ke7 13.a3 Bd6 14.Rc1 Rhe8 15.Nc4 Bc4 16.Rc4 Kd7+ 17.Kd2 Re4 18.Re1 Re1 19.Ne1 Re8 20.Nf3 Re6 21.Kd3 Rg6 22.g3 Rf6 23.Ke3 Re6+ 24.Kd3 Rf6 25.Ke3 Re6+ 26.Kd3 ½-½

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(Hertan Refutes)  
(Continued from pg. 17)  
holds his own in this complex ending, eventually sacking a piece for 2 passed pawns if necessary. Timberlake, fearing that such an ending might be better for White (which may be true), decides to take a draw by repetition.) 22...Qa4+ 23.Kc1 ½-½. This miniature had much more depth than meets the eye.

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Craig Rabatin won the 1979 W. Va. Jr. High School Championship with a perfect 6-0 record. This is Craig's second Jr. High title in a row.

Williamstown won the team title with an 18-6 record. Fairmont West finished second with 17½ points.

Individually, David Moneypenny finished second on tie break over David Rickman. The All-Tournament Team included Rickman, Greg Cunningham, Perry Hickman, Mike Roush, Mark Harless, Reggie Osenton, Daniel Morgan, James Hamwoly, Dale Dzielski. (4½-1½\*)

Other schools participating included Marmet (16), Man (15½), Point Pleasant and Richwood (14), Midland Trail and Mannington (13½), Andrew Jackson (10½), and Sissonville (3½), Nitro Jr., and Faith Christian Academy.

Sixty-two players were there. Here are a couple of games. The Rabatin-Moneypenny game decided the title.

Rd. 1 Italian Opening  
Hanway - Gray

1.P-K4 P-K4 2.N-KB3 N-QB3 3.B-B4 P-Q3 4.P-Q3 B-N5 5.P-KR3 N-B3 6.PXB NXP 7.N-N5 N-R3 8.Q-B3 P-B3 9.RXN PXR 10.Q-R5+ K-Q2 11.B-K6+ K-K2 12.Q-B7++

Rd. 6 Italian Opening  
Rabatin - Moneypenny

1.P-K4 P-K4 2.B-B4 N-QB3 3.N-KB3 N-KB3 4.P-Q3 B-B4 5.N-N5 (5.0-0)

(Continued on pg.17)

5...P-Q4 6.PXP N-QR4 7.P-KR3 NXB  
 8.PXN P-B3  
 (8...P-KR3! 9.N-B3 P-K5  
 A)10.N-K5 Q-K2!  
 B)10.N-K2 P-K6!  
 C)10.N-Q4 P-QB3!  
 D)10.Q-K2 O-O!  
 E)10.N-R4 P-KN4!  
 F)10.N-KN1 is relatively  
 best.)  
 9.Q-K2 P-KR3 10.QXP+? Q-K2??  
 (10...K-Q2! wins for Black!  
 if 11.NXF R-K1 12.NXQ RXQ+  
 or 11.N-K4 NXN 12.QXN R-K1)  
 11.QXQ+ BXQ 12.N-KB3 PXP 13.PXP  
 NXP 14.O-O B-KB4 15.N-Q4 B-N3  
 16.P-B4 N-N5 17.B-Q2 BXN 18.RXB  
 O-O 19.P-R3 N-Q6 20.P-QN4 QR-Q1  
 21.B-K3 B-B3 22.N-B3 N-K4  
 23.NXN BXN 24.BXP KR-K1 25.B-K3  
 P-Q6 *and White won on Nov-8*  
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# SR. HIGH

Bob Bukovac was the W.Va. High School Champion at the 1979 tournament with a record of 5½-½. Runner up Brent Haynes also had 5½ points but was edged out on tie breaks.

George Washington won the team title with a record of 19½-4½. Magnolia finished second with 18½ points.

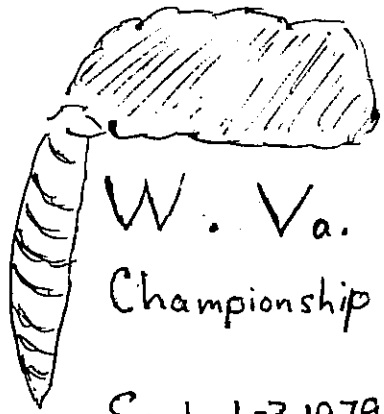
Other schools participating included Fairmont Sr. (16), Dunbar (15½), Northfork(15), Greenbriar East(14½), Midland Trail(14), Pineville (14), Iager(13), Lewis Co.(12½), Williamstown(11½), Mannington(10), Parkersburg South (9½), Woodrew Wilson(7½), East Bank (6½), Nicholas Co.(5), Sissonville(4), Dupont(4), Huntington (3).

The all tournament team included: Dave Friedline, Mike McKee, Dave Wallace, Brian Chapman, Kevin Kegan(5-1 each) and Bill Coleman, Charles Jones, Mike Kegan, Lee Brown, Tracy Perkins, Charles Mitchell, Mark Angelli, Mike Melkus.

Charles Szasz was the TD, assisted by John Szasz. John Homer helped with the registration

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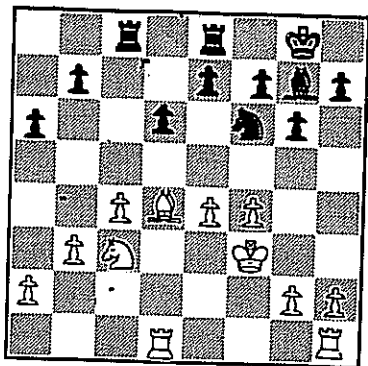
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Bring a friend!

## FUNKHOUSER WINS ...

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16.Kf3



(In hindsight 16.Rd3 looks better, but after ...Nd7 intending Nc5 the R is misplaced or 16.Rc1=) 16...b5!

(With this shot Black frees his game and obtains full dynamic equality, though he must thread his way through some intriguing complications. The simplest point is that after 17.cb? e5! wins the N with check and decides.)

17.e5! de5 18.fe5 Nd7 19.e6!

(The best move!! 19.cb Be5 allows black easy equality; the attempt to hold the pawn on b5 by 20.Ke4? f5+ 21.Kd3 (Kd5??? e6+!) Bd4 22.Kd4 e5+ is very dangerous for White. 19...Ne5+! 20.Kf4 g5+! 21.Kg5

(A critical line was Ke4, now or on the previous move. Black would have two methods of equalizing. ...f5+!? 22.Kf5 Rf8+ 23.Kg5 (or 23.Ke4 Rf4+ 24.Kd5

We analysed this incredible position after the game, with Martz suggesting Rf5 as a sure equalizer and me advocating Nc4!?, with no definite conclusion. Later, at home, I discovered a fantastic resource

for Black: 24.Kd5 Nc6!! 25.Bg7 Nb4+! 26.Ke5 Rc5+! 27.Nd5 Nc6+!) 23...h6+ 24.Kh4 Rf4+ 25.Kg3 Rdf8 26.h3 bc4, with good compensation for a pawn. A safer equalizing method is (21.Ke4) Ng4 22.ef7+ Kf7 23.Rhf1+ Nf6+ =) (Back to the game) 21...bc4 22.b4!

(The only way to retain any winning chances. If 22.ef7+? Nf7+ 23.Kf4 Bd4 24.Rd4 cb3 ♣) 22...fe6 23.Rhf1 (Rhe1? Nd3!)

23...Red8! 24.Kh5

(The only good way to defend against ...Nf7+) 24...Nc6!

(Black intends to forcefully break the blockade on c3, thus 24...Rd4?! 25.Rd4 Ng6 26.Rfd1 Bd4 27.Rd4 was slightly inferior to the text.)

25.Bg7 Kg7 26.a3 Rd3! 27.Rd3 cd3 28.Ne4

(From now on White must play accurately to hold.)

28... Rd8 29.Rd1

(29.Nc5? Rd5+ 30.Kg4 d2 31.Ne6+ Kh6 32.Rd1 Ne5+ ♠ Nc4-e2) 29...Rd5+ 30.Kg4 a5?

(Winning both Q-side pawns, but this leads only to a draw. I should have played the obvious ...Ne5+ 31.Kf4 Nc4 with good winning chances regardless of how White responds.)

31.ba5 Ra5! 32.Ra1 Ra4 33.Kf4 e5+ 34.Ke3 Nb4! 35.Nc5! Ra3 36.Ra3 Nc2+ 37.Ke4 Na3 38.Nd3 Nc4 39.Ne5 Nd6+

(...Ne5 also holds)

40.Kf4 Kf6 41.g4 h6 42.h4 Ne3 43.Nc4 Nd6 44.Ne3 e6 ½-½

(After the game, as always, Martz acted like a true gentleman, a model for all chess players .

\*\*\*\*\*--C.Hertan\*\*\*\*\*