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Truth is Subjectivity

It started as a twisted dream...

...but it was really a prelude to redness...

...and it ended in a shattering blitzkrieg against all the the respectable players in W.Va . (but especially against Don Griffith and Charlie Hertan!)

(No! Time-Life Books are not publishing a bound volume of the last year's Bulletin.)

Ah, well! All good things must come to an end. ("But what does that have to do with your editorship, John?" asks Andy Glancy.") As I was about to write, just as Hitler's folly collapsed into ruin and ash in the late spring of 1945, so must my editorship of the WVC Bulletin give way to the terrors of law school on August 24th. It's been fun, people,

but I wouldn't want to try it ^{7 - Stefan Kierchga} again for at least a millinim. If you feel any appreciation, show it and prevent one of the people I've smeared (!?) (Griffith, Hertan, Barker, Lewis, Glancy, ect.) from capturing the Bulletin and exacting just vengance! Just kidding!

Not much left to say. Perhaps I can explain some of my annotating codes in the space left.

! - Good move.

!!- I wish I had made that move.

3 or more !'s- A good move Joe

Barker played or one which his opponent didn't play.

?- Yuk!

??-Blaspheme to Caissa

3-6 ?'s - Terrible to the point of being comical.

7-9 ?'s - Typical of the play of Mike Cornell.

10 or more ?'s- On a plane only reached by John Roush when playing M.Hathaway or B.Haynes.

~~fish~~ -A move having the fragrance of week-old fresh fish.

LETTER TO EDITOR

Dear John,

Congratulations on another fine issue of the West Virginia Chess Bulletin. Not only have you kept up on the number, you have also made a very informative and entertaining Bulletin.

You are to be commended for your contribution to West Virginia Chess.

Sincerely,
Neil Gibbins

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20.Qf2 Nf4 21.Nf4 Rf4 22.b3 Qf6
 23.Rf1 Rf8 24.Rc3 Nd7 25.a4 a5
 26.Qg2 Qh4 27.Re3 Qh6 28.Re2
 Nf6 29.Ref2 Qh4 30.Re2 h6 31.Rfe1
 h5 22.Re3 Nh7 33.Bd1 Ng5 34.Rg3?
 Rf2 0-1

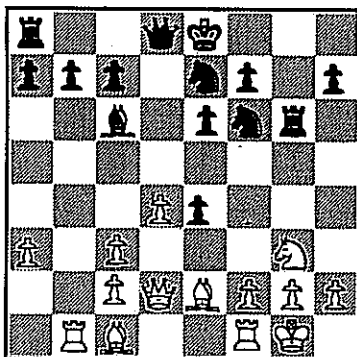
Rd. 2 - Who Knows?
 Bailey - Dzielski

1.P-QR4!?? P-K4 2.P-R5
 B-B4 3.P-R4 Q-KB3
 4.P-K3 P-Q4 5.N-QB3
 N-K2 6.P-K4 QXP++
 0-1



Rd. 3 French Def.
 Griffith - Dudley

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.Nc3 Bb4! 4.a3
 Bc3+ 5.bc3 de4 6.Qg4 Nf6 7.Qg7
 Rg8 8.Qh6 Rg6 9.Qd2 Nc6 10.Ne2
 (With this move Namor decides
 to put up with the BP on e4 for
 a while longer. "Book" (Ency-
 clopedia in this case) is Bb2
 intending f3, challenging the
 e4-pawn, which requires the WN
 to be able to recapture on f3)
 10...Ne7! 11.Ng3 Bd7 12.Be2 Bc6
 (...c5 looks interesting)
 13.0-0



13...h5
 (Also to be considered is
 13...Nf5. If (A)14.Nf5? Rg2+
 (15.Kg2? e3+) (B) 14.f3? Ng3
 15.hg3 Rg3 (C)14.K-R1 so that
 ...Rg2 is not with check looks
 best (but it's such a wimp
 move!) ...Qd7 15.Nf5 ef5 (...e3?
 16.Ne3! or ...Rg2? 16.Ne3!)
 16.Qd1 = (...e3 was still a
 nasty threat, if instead 16.Qe3
 0-0-0 despite White's 2 B's,
 forgive me Joe)

14.f3
 (14.Nh5? Nh5 15.Bh5 Rg2+ 16Kh1
 e3 17.Qe3 Rf2+ 18.Kg1 Rg2+ 19Kh1
 Re2+ wins)
 14...h4 15.Ne4 Ne4 16.fe4 Be4
 17.Bf3 Bf3 18.Rf3 Qd5 19.Qd3
 (19.Qf4 doesn't win a pawn
 (profitably, that is!) as ...Nf5
 20.Q-c7? h3!)
 19...0-0-0 20.Bf4 R8g8 21.g3 Nf5
 22.Kf2 hg3+ 23.Bg3 Rh8 24.Rg1
 R8g8 25.c4 Qd8!
 (...Qd4? 26.Qd4 Nd4 27.Rf7+)
 26.d5 Qe7 27.Re1 Qc5+ 28.Kf1
 Ng3+!
 (A g-pawn is less dangerous
 in the endgame than a h-pawn))
 29.hg3 Rh8 30.Ke2 ed5 31.cd5
 Rh2+ 32.Kd1 b5 33.Rf7 Rg3 34.Re8+
 (34.Qg3?? Qc2++)
 34...Kb7 35.Rc7+ Kc7! 1/2-1/2
 (If instead ...Qc7? 36.Qb5+
 Qb6 37.Re7+ Kb8 (...Kc8 39.Qd7+)
 39.Qe8+ but on 35...Kc7! 36.Qg3+
 Kd7! 37.Qh2 Ke1 38.Qe5+ with
 a drawn ending.)

Rd. 3 - Vienna Game
 Perkins - D.Wilson

1.P-K4 P-K4 2.N-QB3 N-QB3 3.B-QB4
 N-KB3 4.P-Q3 B-QB4 5.P-KB4 P-Q3
 6.P-B5 P-KR3 7.B-Q2 B-N3 8.P-KN4
 N-Q5 9.N-B3 NXNP 10.NXN Q-R5+
 11.K-K2 Q-B7++ 0-1

KANAWHA VALLEY OPEN

		I	II	III	IV	V	Total	Place
1. Paul Harless	1935	D20	W17	W38	W8	W5	4½	1-2
2. Donald Griffith	1902	W21	W11	D7	L6	W38	3½	6-8
3. Corneilo Nolasco	1891	W22	W12	L8	W7	W11	4	3-5
4. John Everett Roush	1852	W23	W13	W10	D5	W6	4½	1-2
5. Mark Smith	1847	W24	W14	W19	D4	L1	3½	6-8
6. Gary D. Cummings	1824	D25	W20	W9	W2	L4	3½	6-8
7. John W. Dudley	1779	W26	W16	D2	L3	WD	2½	17-21
8. David F. Marples	1735	W27	W18	W3	L1	W16	4	3-5
9. Carl E. Kiser	1713	W28	L19	L6	W32	D22	2½	17-21
10. Brett M. Thompson	1668	W29	W34	L4	W23	W19	4	3-5
11. Vernon Hart	1644	W30	L2	W21	W26	L3	3	9-16
12. Andrew J. Glancy	1617	W31	L3	L22	W24	W21	3	9-16
13. Phillip M. Lewis	1558	W32	L4	L23	W28	W26	3	9-16
14. Timothy K. Davis	1448	W33	L5	D24	D20	L34	2	22-29
15. Russel T. Crump	1404	L34	W29	L26	L33	WD	1	32-37
16. Jerry W. Skeen	1378	W35	L7	W36	W22	L8	3	9-16
17. Tracy Perkins	1279	B½	L1	L37	L25	W35	1½	30-31
18. Jerry L. Engle	1265	W36	L8	L34	W35	W33	3	9-16
19. Charles M. Jones	1234	W37	W9	L5	W34	L10	3	9-16
20. Ack Morgan	1166	D1!	L6	W25	D14	L37	2	22-29
21. Jimmy K. Sowder	1048	L2	W30	L11	W36	L12	2	22-29
22. Frank Dzielski	1012	L3	W31	W12	L16	D9	2½	17-21
23. David Goosman	998	L4	W32	W13	L10	WD	2	22-29
24. Charles Mitchell	951	L5	W33	D14	L12	L25	1½	30-31
25. Stephen Canterbury	892	D6	L38	L20	W17	W24	2½	17-21
26. Mark A. Byers	767	L7	W35	W15	L11	L13	2	22-29
27. Douglas G. Renshaw	729	L8	L36	L32	L30	L31	0	38
28. Randall Kocsis	709	L9	L37	W31	L13	L30	1	32-37
29. Dale Dzielski	698	L10	L15	L33	W31	W32	2	22-29
30. Barry J. Barnette	480	L11	L21	L35	W27	W28	2	22-29
31. Roger L. Bailey	379	L12	L22	L28	L29	W27	1	32-37
32. Derch Hammack	UNR	L13	L23	W27	L9	L29	1	32-37
33. Patrick Hammack	UNR	L14	L24	W29	W15	L18	2	22-29
34. Don C. Harrold	UNR	W15	L10	W18	L19	W14	3	9-16
35. Perry Hickman	UNR	L16	L26	W30	L18	L17	1	32-37
36. Alvin C. Proffit	UNR	L18	W27	L16	L21	WD	1	32-37
37. David R. Wilson	NEW	L19	W28	W17	L38	W20	3	9-16
38. Robert A. Bonwell	1923	B½	W25	L1	W37	L2	2½	17-21

TD - Phillip Michael Lewis

Rd. 2 Ruy Lopez
M.Hathaway - C.Kiser

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bb5 Bc5
4.O-O Nd4 5.Nd4 Bd4 6.c3 Bb6
7.d4 c6 8.Bc4 d6 9.Be3 Nf6
10.Nd2 O-O 11.h3 ed 12.Bd4 Bd4
13.cd Ne4
(13...Qb6? 14.e5 de 15.de5
Ne8 16.Bd3 ±)
14.Ne4 d5 15.Bd3 de 16.Be4 Be6
17.Qa4 Qb6 18.Rfd1 Rfd8 19.Rd2
Rd6 20.Rad1 Rad8 ½-½

Rd. 3 Sicilian Def.
D.Griffith - B.Haynes

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.d4 cd 4.Nd4
Nf6 5.Nc3 e5 6.Ndb5 d6 7.Nd5
Nd5 8.ed Nb8 9.Bd3 a6 10.Nc3
Be7 11.O-O O-O 12.Be3 f5
13.f3
(Truly a Griffith move)
13...Nd7 14.a4 b6 15.Qe2 Kh8
16.Na2 Rg8 17.Nb4 Nc5 18.Nc6
Qe8 19.a5 Nd3 20.Qd3 b5
21.Rae1 f4?
(Truly a Haynes move)
22.Bf4 g5??
(Truly a Roush move)
23.Be5+ 1-0

Rd. 3 Ruy Lopez-Open
B.Ellison - D.O'Hanlon

1.P-K4! P-K4 2.N-KB3 N-QB3 3.B-N5
P-QR3 4.B-R4 N-B3 5.O-O NXP
6.R-K1? P-Q4 7.P-Q4 P-QN4 8.B-N3
B-K3 9.PXP N-R4 10.N-Q4 NXB 11.Nx3 PB
12.Q-R5+? P-N3 13.Q-N4 NXR
14.QXKP+ B-K2 15.Q-B6+ K-B2
16.P-QN3 NXQBP 17.QXN B-B4
18.B-K3 P-Q5 19.QXN PxB 20.PXP
Q-K2 21.P-K6+ QXP 22.R-B1+ K-K2
23.Q-R4+ K-Q2 24.K-R1 QR-KB1
25.R-Q1+ K-B3 26.N-B3 QXKP
27.Q-K4+??? QXQ 28.NXQ R-B5
29.NXB? KXN 30.P-N3 R-B7 31.P-QR4
KR-KB1 32.K-N1! K-N5 33.PXP PXP
34.R-Q7 R-B2 35.RxP! RxR 36.KxR KxP

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"A SLIGHTLY USED WOMAN"

Here's the crosstable and a few games from this little tournament which was directed and sponsored by Carl Kiser and won by Mark Hathaway.

	DG	JR	BB	MH	T
D.Griffith	x	1	½	½	2
J.Roush	0	x	1	0	1
B.Bukovac	½	0	x	0	½
M.Hathaway	½	1	1	x	2½

M.Hathaway - B.Bukovac

1.c4 f5 2.Nf3 Nf6 3.Nc3 g6! 4.d4
Bg7 5.e3 o-o 6.Be2 d6 7.O-O Nbd7?
8.d5 c6 9.dc?! bc 10.Nd4 Nb8 11Qc2
e5 12.Nb3 Be6 13.e4 f4 14.Rd1 f3
15.Bf3 Bc4 16.Na4 Bb5 17.Nac5 Qe7
18.a4 dc 19.ab cb 20.Qc5 Qc5
21.Nc5 Rc8 22.Ne6 Nc6 23.Ng7 Ke7
24.Be3 Rd8 25.Rd8 Rd8 26.Be2
Nd4 27.Ra7+ Kg8 28.Bd4 Rd4 29.f3
Rb4 30.Re7 Rb2 31.Kf2 b4 32.Re5
Kf8 33.g3 Nd7 34.Rb5 Ke7 35.Ke3
Kd6 36.Rd5 Ke6 37.f4 Rb1 38.Bg4+
1-0

J.Roush - B.Bukovac

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.Nc3 Bb4 4.e5 c5
5.a3 Bc3+ 6.bc3 Ne7 7.Qg4 Qc7
8.Qg7 Rg8 9.Qh7 cd 10.Ne2 Nbc6 11.f4
Bd7 12.Qd3 dc 13.Rb1 O-O-O 14.Nc3
Na5 15.Nb5 Bb5 16.Rb5 Nf5 17.g3
Kb8 18.Be2 Rc8 19g4 Qc2!?
(19...Nh5 20.Rg1 Nf5 21.Kf1 Ne7 ∞
Probably 19...Ne7 is soundest.)
20.Qc2 Rc2 21.Bd2 Nd4 22.Ra5 Rd2!
23.Kd2 Nb3+ 24.Ke3 Na5 25.h4 Nc4+?
(Best is ...Nc6 though 26.h5 Ne7
27.h6 Rh8 28.Bb5! a6 29.Ba4 b5(to
prevent h7 in conjunction with Be8)
30.Bc2 h7 and Rc1 wins.)
26.Bc4 dc 27.g5 Kc7 28.Kd4 Kd7
29.Kc4 Rc8+ 30.Kd3 Ke7 31.h5 Kf8
32.Rb1 b6 33.h6 Kg8 34.Rb4 Kh7
35.Rc4 Rc4 36.Kc4 a6 37.Kd4 Kg6
38.Ke4 Kh7 39.f5 Kg8 40.g6!

(Revenge is complete! Finally, I manage to beat Bob and also print two of his losses at the same time!)

Rd. 3 Leningrad Duthh
V.Hart - J.E.Roush

1.Nf3 f5 2.d4 g6 3.c4 Bg7 4.Bf4
d6 5.e3 Nf6 6.h3?! 0-0 7.Nc3
c6 8.Bd3 a5 9.a4? Na6 10.Na2??
Nh5 11.Bh2 f4! 12.0-0 e5 13.ef4
ed4 14.Re1 Nf4 15.Re4 Nd3 16.Qd3
Nc5 17.Qe2 d3 18.Qe3 Ne4 19.Qe4
Bf5 20.Qe1 Bb2 21.Rd1 Re8 22.Qd2
Re2 23.Qh6 Bg7 24.Qf4 Be5 25.Ne5
de5 26.Qh6 Qd4 27.Bg3 Ra2 28.Bh4
Qf4 29.Qf4 ef4 and Black wins
shortly.

Rd.3 Alekhine's Def.
J.Engle - D.Harrold

1.e4 Nf6 2.e5 Nd5 3.d4 e6
("Book" is ...d6 challenging
White's center right away.)
4.Nf3 c5 5.Bc4 Nb6 6.Nbd2 cd
7.Nd4 d5 8.Bb3 Nc6 9.Ndf3 Bb4
10.Bd2 Bd2 11.Qd2 Nd7 12.Nc6
bc 13.0-0-0 0-0 14.Rde1 Qc7
15.c3 Rb1 16.Qd3 a5 17.Ng5
g6 18.Qh3 h5 19.f4 f6 20.Ne6
Ne5 21.Nc7 Bh3 22.fe Bg2
23.Rhg1 Be4 24.Re4 Rf7 25.Nd5
cd 26.Bd5 Rf8 27.Bf7 Rf7
28.e6 1-0

WIN, LOSE, OR DRAW

Haynes - J.Barker
1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 a6 3.d4 cd 4.Nd4 Nf6
5.Nc3 e5 6.Nf3 Bb4 7.Bd2 d6 8.Bd3
0-0 9.0-0 Qc7 10.a3 Bc5 11.h3 b5
12.Kh Bb7 13.Qe2 Re8 14.Rae QNd7
15.Nh4 g6 16.f4 Nh5 17.Qf3 Qd8
18.g4 Qh4?? 19.gh gh 20.f5 Nf6
21.Rg+ Bg 22.Rg+ Ng4 23.Kg2 Kh8
24.hg hg 25.Qg3 Qg3+ 26.Kg3 Rg8
27.Rh Rc8? 28.Bh6 f6 29.Rh2 Rd8
30.Rd2 d5 31.ed Bd5 32.Nd5 Rd5
33.Be4 Rd2 34.Bd2 h5 35.Bb7 h4+
36.Kh4 g3 37Bg2 e4 38Bf4 e3 39Be3
Re8 40Bd4 Re2 41.Bf6+ Kg8 42.Kg3 Rc2
43.Bc3 a5 44Bd5+ Kf8 45Ba5 Rb2
46.Bb4+ Ke8 1-0

Hathaway - Nolasco

1.e4 c5 2Nf3 d6 3d4 cd 4.Nd4 Nf6
5Nc3 a6 6Be2 e5 7Nb3 Be7 8a4 Be6
90-0 Qc7 10f4 Nbd7 11Kh1 Rc8 12f5
Bb3 13.cb Nc5 14Nd5 Qc6 15Nf6+ Bf6
16Bc4 0-0 17Bd5 Qb6 18Rf3 Qb4 19Bd2
Qd4 20Bc3 Qd1 21Rd1 b6 22g3 Rc7 23Kg2
Rfc8 24Rf2 Kf8 25Kf3 Ke7 26.h4 h5
27Rfd2 g5? 28hg Bg5 29R2h2 Rh8 30Rdh1
h4 31.gh Bf4 32.Rg2 Rh7 33.Rg8 Nd7
34.Ra8 a5 35.Bc4 Nf6 36.Be1 Bc1
37.Bf2 Bb2 38Bb6 Rb7 39Ba5 d5 40.Bd8+
Kd7 41Bf6 dc 42.Rhd1+ Kc7 43.Bd8+
1-0

WIN, LOSE, OR DRAW

1.D.E.Funkhouser	1958	W5	W6	W8	3-0
2.C.C.Nolasco	1896	L6	W5	D7	1½-1½
3.M.Khatena	1882	W7	L8	D6	1½-1½
4.M.R.Barker	1833	L8	W7	W5	2-0
5.C.W.Szasz	1827	L1	L2	L4	0-3
6.M.S.Hathaway	1807	W2	L1	D3	1½-1½
7.C.E.Kiser	1743	L3	L4	D2	½-2½
8.W.B.Haynes	1550	W4	W3	L1	2-1

TD Carl Kiser

57...Qc4 58.Qh6?? Qc7+ 59.g3
 Qc2+ 60.Kg1 Qd1+ 61.Kf2 Qd2+
 62.Qd2 Kd2 63.g4 d3 64.g5
 Kc2 65.h4 d2 66.h5 d1=Q 67.g6
 hg 68.hg Qg4 0-1

	DF	JR	BB	BH	T
D.Funkhouser	x	1	0	½	1½
J.Roush	0	x	1	0	1
B.Bukovac	1	0	x	1	2
B.Haynes	½	1	0	x	1½

SMITH!

Mark Smith has been one of the strongest attacking player in W. Va. for years. This past year has been a particularly successful one. Mark won the '79 Charleston Open, finished only ½ point off the winning score at last years state championship, and came very close to winning the KVO this year. Mark has kindly met my request for games with an interesting gem..

1978 KVØ

M.Smith - D.Funkhouser

1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 c5 3.Nf3 cd 4.Nd4
 e6 5.a3?! Nc6 6.Nc3 Be7

(Believe it or not, ECO B gives 6...d6=. I'm forced to agree with Barker that 6...d5 or 5...d5 is necessary.)

7.e4 0-0 8.Nc2! a6 9.Be2 Qc7
 10.o-o Rd8 11.Ne3

(Black has mobilization problem- White has overprotected d5.)

11...b6 12.F4

("Better" might be 12.b4 first. I had expected 12...Bc5 to trade pieces after I played this.)

12...Bb7 13.b4 Rac8 14.Bb2 d6
 15.Rc1

(A similar position to this is given in either My System or Pawn

Power In Chess. Since that author thought White was somewhat better there...)

15...Qb8 16.Bf3

(A further clamp on d5. However, the Q-side White squares are now apparently shaky.)

16...Na7 17.Qe2 Ba8 18.f5!

(Black is using his one hope of counterplay, so White has to strike somewhere. The other try is 18.b5, which does leave the Black pieces somewhat cornered; Black then has time for def., however.)

18...b5

(Consistent. 18...e5 19.b5 leaves Black cramped.)

19.fe fe 20.Bg4

("The clouds begin to grow dark." Cute now is ...Ng4 21.Qg4 Bf8 (clearing the second rank for defense) 22.Nd5!! Bd5? 23.Rf8+! Kf8 24.Qg7+ Ke8 25.Rf1 winning; 21...e5 23.Nf6+ Kh8 24.Nh7!)

20...Kf7 21.Ned5!

(Anticipating 21...ed 22.ed with a tremendous attack; Black is naturally uncooperative.)

21...Rc4 22.Nf4

(Amazingly enough, more pressure.)

22...Qb6+ 23.Kh1 d5?? 24.Be6+?

(It says without going(!?) that 24.e5! is a death blow, if N moves 25.Nd5+)

24... Ke8 25.e5 Rf4 26.Rf4 Ne4

(...Qe6 27.fe Qe2 28.f7+?

Kf8, but 28.Ne2 Bg5! is a longterm win for White.)

27.Bf7+ Kd7 28.Ne4 de 29.Qd2+

(Hathaway's 29.Qg4 is certainly more efficient, but...)

1-0 (...anyway.)

Thank you Mark. It is a great loss that the other two beautiful games from you cannot be given for reasons of time and space. Maybe next issue.)

Notes by M.Smith

Szasz-Barker, 4th Match game

1.d4 Nf6 2.Nc3 d5 3.e4 de 4.f3

The infamous Blackmar-Diemer Gambit, which Charlie has been playing for years.

4...ef 5.Nf3 g6

The Bogolubov Defense, a line I did an article on several years ago on the W.V. C.A. Bulletin. It was concerned primarily with 6.Bc4 Bg7 7.O-O O-O 8.Qe1 which constitutes the the Studier attack. In this game Charlie elects another plan: developing his queenside, castling long, and then attacking Black's King.)

6.Bf4 Bg7 7.Qd2 O-O 8.O-O-O c5!

(This is the move that is supposed to make white's game awkward; i.e. 9.d5 a6 10.Ne5 (10.h3 b5 11.g4 Qa5 12.Qh2 Ne8! 13.Eb8 Rb8 14.Qb8 Nd6 15.Nd2 Bb7 16.Qa7 Bc3! -+ 17.bc Qa3+ 18.Kb Bd5 19.Nb3 Ne4 20.Rd3 c4 Diemer-Kloss, Correspondence 1954 or 10.a4 b5! 11.ab ab 12.Eb5 Ne4 French-Teljer, Correspondence 1967), QNd7 (b5!?) is worth examining) 11.Be2 Ne5 12.Be5 b5 13.Bf3 Bb7 14.h4 ♣ Wehrley-Winters, Milwaukee, 1965 although the position is very sharp, Black's chances appear better (analysis). If White decides to postpone castling in favor of 8.Bc4, then 8...c5! is just as effective; i.e. 9.d5 a6 10.a4 b6 11.O-O Ne8 Black's Queenside has possibilities of becoming very mobile while White's Q-pawn has been immobilized so White decides to play 12.d6?! Nd6 13.QRd Bd4+ 14.Nd4 Nc4 15.Qf2 Nb2 16.Ne6 Nd 17.Rd Qd+! 18.Nd Be6 -+ Grabel-Kampers, Correspondence 1965.) 9.Nb5!?

(Not 'book'. It was suggested by A.Teljer as an improvement; i.e. 9...Ne4 (...Nd4 10.dc! a6

11.Nc7! or 9...e5 10.de) 10.Qe Bf5 11.dc Qc8 12.Nc7 e5 13.Ne5! Qc7 14.Ng6 Qc5 15.Nf8 Bf8 (kf8 16.Rd8+ Ke7 17.Bd6+ Qd6 18.Rd6 Kd6 19.Qb4+ +-) 16.Bd3 Qc6 17.Rf Bg6 18.h4 h6 19.h5 Bh7 20.Be5 Nd7 21.Be4 Qe4 22.Qg3+ +-.

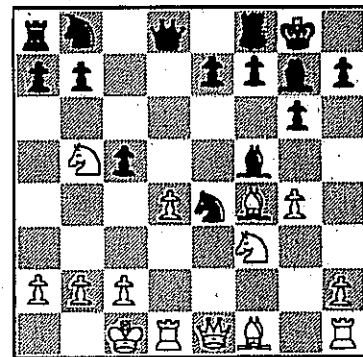
This appeared in an article in Chess, April 1964 from England. I knew Charlie had a copy of the article, but he didn't know I also had a copy, too. I also had several significant improvements for Black which I had discovered in private analysis.

9...Ne4

(Following Teljer for awhile.)

10.Qe Bf5

After making this move, I was thinking: "How easy! He will follow Teljer's analysis to move 15 where I will unleash my improvement and win! I started to get up from the table. It hit me!! 11.g4!!!! improves the line drastically for White.



I sat back down and did my very best to look calm and cool. Believe me, it wasn't easy. I realized that g4 would win as 11...a6 12.Nc7! (not gf? ab 13.Qe4 Ra2 with some cheapo potential against the White King.) (However, Charlie played) 11.dc? Qc8 12.Nc7?!

(Even here g4! is possible.)

12....e5! 13.Ne5 Qc7 14.Ng6

WVCA CONSTITUTION (REVISED)

Article I

The name of this organization shall be the West Virginia Chess Association.

Article II

Its purpose shall be to promote acquaintance, understanding, and fellowship among chess players of West Virginia. It will also conduct the annual State Championship over the Labor Day weekend and be responsible for any other events the membership or Board of Directors shall select. It shall put out a Bulletin at least twice a year.

Article III

Membership shall consist of all interested in the game of Chess. There shall be business meetings held, preferably during during the State Championship, for the purpose of electing officers and transacting association business. Members are entitled to vote in person or by written or mailed proxy. An option of voting through the W.V.C.A. Bulletin is available during the year when it is not practical to convene a business meeting. This can be done at the discretion of the Board of Directors, time permitting

There shall be the following classes of membership:

Honorary life members--No dues, full voting privileges

Members over 18 years of age--\$5.00 annually for dues

Members 18 years and under--\$3.00 annually for dues

Membership dues are payable in advance, with credit given for expired quarters. Fiscal year shall begin and end with Labor Day. Residence outside the state is not a bar to membership; however, it is a bar to holding the title of State Champion. Military personnel and college students who are home on annual leave or summer vacation are eligible for the title so long as prior to their enlistment or enrollment they were residents of the state.

Article IV

Officers of this Association shall be President, Vice-President, Secretary-Treasurer, and Bulletin Editor, duly elected at the annual business meeting. The president shall preside at all business meetings. He will appoint committees. He will act as Chairman during any meeting of the Board of Directors. The Vice-President shall preside in the absence of the President or act as his designate when requested of him. The Secretary-Treasurer shall collect all dues and monies owing the Association. He will keep on file minutes of the Association meetings. He will submit these to the Bulletin Editor for publication in the Bulletin. He will submit a financial report of the Association at the annual business meeting on Labor Day. He will pay all accounts of indebtedness that have been certified for payment by the other board members or himself. He will handle correspondence for the Association. The Bulletin Editor will be responsible for publishing the W. V.C.A. Bulletin at least twice a year. He will obtain games and news from around the state from associate editors in specified regions of the state. He will publish the bulletin through private