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## KORCHNOI: AN APPEAL TO THE CHESS WORLD

(Editor's note: The following is an unedited letter received on March 2. The introduction was handwritten while the main letter was a photocopy of a handwritten letter from Victor Korchnoi. Due to the structure of the "Gambit," it was impossible to reproduce the letter as requested.)

135 Elmira Loop, Apt. 9H  
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My name is Natasha Peysikova. I'm the fiance of Victor Korchnoi's son, Igor.

I'm enclosing Victor's letter for your magazine and I ask you to publish this letter for behalf of his family. If it is possible, please publish this letter in his own handwriting.

Thank you.

Natasha Peysikova (signed)

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February 4, 1982

Dear Chess Friends:

Since 5 and a half years ago I have left the USSR, I am fighting for a reunion with my family, for liberation of my wife and my son from the Soviet country. I have applied to various political figures of the world to a number of organizations--"Amnesty International" and others, several times I have tried to draw an attention of FIDE to my family's case. When before the match in Merano, 1981, with Karpov, Mr. Olafsson officially applied to Soviet authorities with a request to release my family, it seemed Soviets faltered. Their officials assured Mr. Olafsson that the family soon would be freed, first reports on my family situation appeared in the Soviet media. But the match has been over already, whereas my family is still in the USSR . . . Soviets now promise to let my family go, as soon as my son finishes to serve his sentence in a Siberian camp, accused for allegedly an evasion of a draft into the Soviet army. His term--2½ years--will come to an end on the 13th of May. The best possibility to compel Soviets to keep their promise is to remind on it to them by thousands, dozens thousands letters!

I appeal to U.S. chessplayers with a request to help me--for sake of humanity and justice, for sake of maintenance of human rights in the world--to reunite at last with my family. Your letters to senators, to F. Olafsson, or, directly, Moscow, Kremlin--to Breshnev or Andropov, will be a considerable support to me in my struggle for life and liberty of my wife and son.

#### PRESIDENT'S COLUMN

By Bob Spurrier

Hello, insomniacs, and welcome once again to the column with the solution to your problem.

The first item on this month's agenda concerns the opening of bids for the 1982 N.C. Open Championship. Organizers wishing to sponsor this event should submit bids to me no later than May 21st to insure a Tournament Life ad in Chess Life. Bids should include proposed site, prize fund, entry fee, director(s), time limit, and sections involved. The NCCA constitution specifies that the tournament be a 6-round SS, time limit not less than 50 in 2, and that it be held on the Labor Day weekend (Sept. 4, 5, & 6 this year). Bidders should include a home phone number in case questions arise concerning their bids.

A women's state championship and open, now in the planning stages, will this year once again be sponsored by the Asheville Chess Club. While date and location are not yet decided, a prize fund of \$250.00 is guaranteed.

Tournament organizers throughout the state are urged to use the tournament clearinghouse when planning a tournament. Simply write or call Al Lipkin (919-924-2688) and tell him the date on which you wish to hold your tournament. If no other tournaments are planned for that date, it will be reserved for you. This simple procedure will avoid conflicts in scheduling which hurt attendance.

I would like to emphasize to TDs the importance of completely filling out NCCA membership cards and forwarding the names of new and renewal members to the Secretary-Treasurer. At the risk of being boringly redundant, I repeat my request of last month's column: If your card lacks an expiration date, I ask that you send it to the Secretary-Treasurer, who will date it and return it to you. Similarly, tournament directors encountering such cards are asked to have bearers surrender them for forwarding to the Secretary-Treasurer, who will date them and return them to the members.

Finally, I once again urge any interested parties to contact me concerning entering a team in the North Carolina Chess League. The response to this idea has been less than enthusiastic. Anyone wishing to field a team should contact me no later than the end of March. Lacking sufficient interest, the idea will at that time be shelved.

Thanks for reading . . .

### FROM THE EYES OF A FISH

By Robert Singletary

Over the last six month period, I have had many people tell me that the rating list is quite ineffective when it is outdated by nearly three months. Thus, I have tried for the last two issues to put in the latest rating list, but I did not receive the March 1982 Supplement until March 1 (which is late for a supplement), delaying this issue (as you remember the last issue was also considerably delayed). I have thought of alternatives to this problem, and the best alternative is to do what Tom Galoway did when the "Gambit" broke off from the "Chessman" two years ago--produce issues immediately after rating lists come out. In order to do this, this issue had to be called the February-March issue, rather than the January-February issue. This will not affect any present members--you will still receive your six issues. I just thought I should mention this change in order to avoid dozens of letters.

Another important change: the last day of classes for me at UNC is May 3rd, so please send all submissions after this date to my permanent address in Raleigh--3712 Dade St., Raleigh 27612.

I'm afraid I have caught Bob Spurrier's disease--conciseness--as I have nothing to say. As usual, please send games to Charlie Alden and tournament announcements, reports, and other materials to me. Deadline for next issue is April 20. Many thanks for your continued cooperation and support . . .



## THE TENTH ANNUAL NC SCHOLASTICS

By Robert Singletary

The tenth annual North Carolina Scholastics will be held April 2-4, and as usual the tournament should be excellent. This year's edition again will be played at W.G. Enloe High School in Raleigh and will be directed by Robert Singletary.

There is a little added incentive for participants this year in the form of a \$300 grant from the American Chess Foundation. Considering the tournament is already run on a non-profit basis, the prize fund this year will be excellent. One of the more exciting prizes is free entry fees for the top team to the 14th Annual National Scholastics to be held in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Larry Matthews, host of the tournament, says that about 1,000 flyers have been mailed out across the state concerning the Scholastics. Last year, North Moore High School and Randleman Middle School were new entries, and this year there should be many more. Larry thinks that approximately 100 players will participate, surpassing the record 88 players that participated last year.

At this point, there are several players that have a chance to win the individual title. Favorites include Robin Cunningham (1912), a junior at the Math and Science High School who finished third last year; Jerry Alvis (1881), a senior at Broughton who finished second last year; and Arnold Tharrington (1810), a senior at Durham Hillside who tied for first in 1979 and 1980. Of course, one must expect the unexpected: Brian Gurley won the tournament in 1980 with a 1371 rating and Matthew Noble won last year with a 1588 rating.

The team competition, however, should be quite interesting. Broughton has won the title four years in a row, but Enloe, in my opinion, should be considered the prohibitive favorite. Of course, still expect the unexpected: Charlotte Olympic finished a very respectable third last year,  $\frac{1}{2}$ -point behind second-place Enloe. The junior high/middle school competition, as usual, will be up in the air. The favorites are East Union and Kerr Lake.

The Scholastics should be very exciting. There should be an excellent turnout, and the competition will be quite keen . . .

## UPCOMING TOURNAMENTS

All North Carolina tournaments requiring NCCA membership and tournaments in the reciprocal states receive a free tournament announcement in the "Gambit." All organizers are asked to clear prospective tournament dates with Al Lipkin, the clearinghouse manager, to avoid conflicts at (919) 924-2688.

March 13

Fuquay-Varina

Tiger X--3-SS, TL 40/90, Fuquay-Varina Sr. High, 201 Broad, Fuquay-Varina 27526. EF: \$5.00 (state membership req.), \$(25 b/8): 20-5. Reg: 8:30-9:30; Rds: 10-2-6. Ent: Branson Sheets, Box 147, Willow Springs, NC 27592. LS.

March 20

Asheville

ACC I--3-RR, TL 40/90, N. Asheville Recreation Center, Larchmont off Merrimon Ave. EF: \$4.00 (state membership req.), \$(10 b/4) to first each quad. Reg: 8:00-9:00; Rds: 9:30-1:00-4:30. Ent: at site, no checks please. LS.

March 27

Chapel Hill

Ram V--3-SS, TL 40/90, Carolina Union, UNC-CH, Chapel Hill 27514. EF: \$5.00 if received by 3/23, \$6.00 at site (state membership req.). \$(25 b/8) to first each section. Reg: 8:45-9:45; Rds: 10-2-6. Ent: Robert N. Singletary, Box 6, Carolina Union, Chapel Hill 27514. LS.

April 2-4

Raleigh

10th NC Scholastic Championship--6-SS, TL 40/90, Enloe High School, 226 Clarendon Crescent, Raleigh 27610. Open to full-time NC students, grades K-12. EF: \$6.00, USEF: \$22.00, Jr. \$14.00, part. Jr. \$9.00, if received by 3/27; all \$1.50 more at site (state membership req.). Cash prizes for teams/individuals to be determined at site; trophies to top 3 teams; top 2 teams 9th grade/below; individual trophies to top 3, top 2 9th grade/below, top 6th grade/below, top girl, top Cat. II, III, IV, V, VI, UNR. Entry fee to National Scholastics to top HS team of 4, top 9th grade/below team of 4. Reg: 6:00-7:30; Rds: 8, 10-2-6, 9-1. Ent: Larry Matthews, c/o above address. NS.

April 3

Morehead City

5th Annual Morehead City Open--4-SS, TL 40/90, Webb Memorial Library and Civic Center, 107 South 9th St., Morehead City 28557. EF: \$9.00, if received by 3/31, \$10.00 at site (state membership req., other states OK). \$(144 b/16): 64-48-32. Reg: 8:30-9:00; Rds: 9:30-1:00-4:30-7:00. Ent: Donald V. Miller, 206 N. 6th St., Morehead City 28557. LS. C.

April 17-18

Greenville

First Annual East Carolina Open--5-SS, TL 40/90, Mendenhall Student Center, ECU, Greenville. EF: \$12.50 if received by 4/14, \$15.00 at site (state membership req.). \$(505 b/50): 100-50-25; A 50-25; B 50-25; C 40-20; D/E 40-20; UNR 40-20. Reg: ends at 10:15; Rds: 10:30-2:30-6:30, 10:30-2:30. Limited dorm space for free in advance. HR: 15-19-22-25 (Olde London Inn, 2710 S. Memorial Dr., Greenville 27834; 756-5555). Ent: ECU Chess Club, c/o Stephen S. Mitchell, Scott 305-C, College Hill Dr., Greenville, NC 27834.

April 17

Asheville

ACC II--3-SS, TL 40/90, N. Asheville Recreation Center, Larchmont off Merrimon Ave. EF: \$5.00 (state membership req.), \$(25 b/8) to first each section. Reg: 8:00-9:00; Rds: 9:30-1:00-4:30. Ent: at site, no checks please. LS.

April 24

Statesville

Billy Watt Memorial 3 SS, TL 40/90, Bristol Rd. Community Center, 1701 Bristol Rd., Statesville. 704-872-3742. EF: \$5.00 (state membership req.). In five sections: above 1999, A, B, C, D. \$\$G 1000: 100-60-40 per section; trophy to top 3 section E/UNR. Reg: 8:00-9:30; Rds: 10:00-2:30-7:00. Ent: Branson Sheets, Box 6610, Reynolda Station, Winston-Salem, NC 27109. LS.

May 1

Chapel Hill

Ram Exam Cram Insanity VI--3-SS, TL 38/84, 31/1, Carolina Union, UNC-CH, Chapel Hill 27514. EF: \$5.84, if received by 4/27; \$7.19 at site; \$5.36 to all college students at site (state membership req.). \$(b/8): 28.92, biggest upset 2.73. Reg: 9:01-9:47; Rds: 10:06-2:12-6:08. Ent: Robert N. Singletary, Box 6, Carolina Union, Chapel Hill 27514. LS.

May 15

Raleigh

Dragon XII--3-SS, TL 40/90, Salvation Army, 902 Wake Forest Rd., Raleigh 27604. EF: \$5.00 (state membership req.), \$(21 b/8) to first each section. Reg: 9:00-9:50; Rds: 10-2-6. Ent: Ken Johnson, 1508 Stovall Dr. #47, Raleigh, NC.

May 29

Fuquay-Varina

Tiger XI--See Tiger X for details.

### NORTH CAROLINA RATING LIST

This list was compiled by the Editor from the March 1982 Rating Supplement. Only those players listed from NC or who have written the Editor are included. The junior list consists of those players eligible for scholastic competition.

#### REGULAR:

|                |      |                 |      |                  |      |
|----------------|------|-----------------|------|------------------|------|
| 1. G Samsa     | 2318 | 15. W Rickham   | 2075 | 31. S Herman     | 1985 |
| 2. J Esing     | 2286 | 16. S Cabaniss  | 2074 | 32. K Hammon     | 1982 |
| 3. J Mottonen  | 2257 | 17. L Fuerstman | 2070 | 33. R Dunn       | 1978 |
| 4. M Ardaman   | 2254 | 18. P Eberlein  | 2064 | 34. A Cruz       | 1976 |
| 5. R Ignacio   | 2234 | 19. B Schmidt   | 2064 | 34. M Smith      | 1976 |
| 6. L Taylor    | 2186 | 20. C Alden     | 2063 | 36. M Becker     | 1967 |
| 7. D Steele    | 2176 | 21. B Wright    | 2050 | 37. D Pruitt     | 1965 |
| 8. J Watson    | 2170 | 22. R Demers    | 2038 | 38. R Smith      | 1946 |
| 9. D Liu       | 2131 | 23. J Smithwick | 2029 | 39. M Smith      | 1944 |
| 10. T Newman   | 2130 | 24. E Yancey    | 2007 | 40. A Chauvenet  | 1928 |
| 11. M Dana     | 2121 | 25. J Hardy     | 2002 | 41. J Sims       | 1925 |
| 12. K Collins  | 2111 | 26. N Harris    | 2000 | 42. C Phillips   | 1920 |
| 13. M Chappell | 2109 | 27. J Osborne   | 1998 | 43. G Evans      | 1916 |
| 14. A Cooley   | 2087 | 28. L Pagony    | 1996 | 44. R Cunningham | 1912 |
|                |      | 29. T Magee     | 1993 | 45. S Williams   | 1906 |
|                |      | 30. R Spurrier  | 1986 | 46. J Dupree     | 1904 |



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| 46. B Roberts     | 1904 | 103. G Van Nynatt | 1730 | 159. L Cecil      | 1618 |
| 48. J Pietras     | 1903 | 104. K Johnson    | 1729 | 159. G Pennell    | 1618 |
| 49. R Noff        | 1896 | 104. M Seawell    | 1729 | 161. E Singer     | 1613 |
| 50. C Dulin       | 1895 | 106. E Presto     | 1727 | 162. D Moose      | 1611 |
| 51. G Brown       | 1892 | 107. D Griffin    | 1724 | 163. A Goodman    | 1610 |
| 52. R Simpson     | 1890 | 108. K Punwani    | 1720 | 163. J Wright     | 1610 |
| 53. R Sample      | 1885 | 109. A Riel       | 1718 | 165. G Brown      | 1605 |
| 54. J Alvis       | 1881 | 110. R Stancil    | 1716 | 165. J Jamieson   | 1605 |
| 55. D McKeithen   | 1877 | 111. D Rubenis    | 1715 | 167. I Greenlee   | 1598 |
| 56. D O'Bryant    | 1868 | 112. P Hull       | 1714 | 167. C Horton     | 1598 |
| 57. J Tobler      | 1866 | 113. R Steward    | 1713 | 169. H Conaugh    | 1597 |
| 58. J Bell        | 1863 | 114. W Strutton   | 1712 | 169. M Trawick    | 1597 |
| 59. R Grunwald    | 1862 | 115. D Antczak    | 1711 | 171. P Celmer     | 1595 |
| 59. J Thompson    | 1862 | 116. O Hilz       | 1708 | 172. C Frisk      | 1592 |
| 61. K Baxter      | 1859 | 117. J Dutton     | 1707 | 173. D Huchalla   | 1584 |
| 62. R Bailey      | 1858 | 117. A Patrick    | 1707 | 174. A Barakat    | 1583 |
| 63. J Tobin       | 1856 | 119. J Brooks     | 1704 | 174. R Craighead  | 1583 |
| 64. N Hornstein   | 1847 | 120. G Pierson    | 1703 | 176. B Wheeler    | 1582 |
| 65. G Klintworth  | 1844 | 121. A Lipkin     | 1702 | 177. C Reagan     | 1578 |
| 66. C Morgan      | 1843 | 121. P Spurrier   | 1702 | 177. L Williams   | 1578 |
| 66. F Necci       | 1843 | 123. M Schinabeck | 1701 | 179. R Modrow     | 1577 |
| 68. J Rayfield    | 1841 | 124. S White      | 1700 | 179. R Muhl       | 1577 |
| 69. B Goodyear    | 1833 | 125. J Lutz       | 1699 | 181. D Cheng      | 1577 |
| 70. W Henson      | 1830 | 126. G Bunich     | 1696 | 182. G McGraw     | 1571 |
| 71. U Hellsten    | 1828 | 127. R Bell       | 1685 | 183. D Heim       | 1568 |
| 72. S Morgan      | 1821 | 128. R Gray       | 1680 | 183. L Cobb       | 1568 |
| 73. P Hargett     | 1816 | 129. W Foster     | 1679 | 185. S Harris     | 1564 |
| 74. R Freeman     | 1814 | 129. L Thet       | 1679 | 186. J Krege      | 1562 |
| 75. M Ameer       | 1811 | 131. J Sheppard   | 1675 | 187. A Ahmadiieh  | 1555 |
| 76. A Harrington  | 1810 | 132. D Richards   | 1674 | 188. J Wright     | 1554 |
| 77. K Baxter      | 1809 | 133. J Blanning   | 1673 | 189. F Alpiser    | 1552 |
| 78. E Young       | 1799 | 133. T Allen      | 1673 | 190. H Himwich    | 1551 |
| 79. D Hart        | 1797 | 135. G Freeman    | 1662 | 191. B Sheets     | 1549 |
| 80. J Risk        | 1796 | 136. J Kishpaugh  | 1661 | 192. S Slechts    | 1547 |
| 81. J Melton      | 1788 | 136. O Nothnagle  | 1661 | 193. T Blood      | 1540 |
| 82. G Melton      | 1786 | 138. R Storz      | 1657 | 194. A Funderburk | 1538 |
| 83. K Hatcher     | 1785 | 139. G Harwell    | 1656 | 195. V Porter     | 1537 |
| 83. J Troy        | 1785 | 140. W Wadford    | 1654 | 196. C Wheeling   | 1533 |
| 83. B Wilson      | 1785 | 141. F Stone      | 1651 | 197. A Carlson    | 1532 |
| 86. C Kremer      | 1783 | 142. D Fox        | 1650 | 198. P Harris     | 1525 |
| 87. T Ross        | 1781 | 143. R Singletary | 1648 | 198. A Juarez     | 1525 |
| 88. M Williams    | 1777 | 144. B Hancoth    | 1646 | 200. R Maingi     | 1522 |
| 89. J Lee         | 1775 | 145. G Hall       | 1641 | 201. D Wilson     | 1520 |
| 90. A Davidson    | 1774 | 146. D Bush       | 1636 | 202. P Carriger   | 1519 |
| 91. W Adickes     | 1772 | 147. M Noble      | 1635 | 202. E Hyde       | 1519 |
| 92. P Wilson      | 1771 | 147. A Thompson   | 1635 | 202. G Shelton    | 1519 |
| 93. B Gurley      | 1770 | 149. G Schmidt    | 1631 | 202. M Moore      | 1519 |
| 94. R Peele       | 1760 | 150. J Pettaway   | 1627 | 206. J Mann       | 1518 |
| 95. P Brooks      | 1756 | 150. N Thabit     | 1627 | 207. A Clement    | 1517 |
| 96. S Cohen       | 1755 | 152. D Thompson   | 1626 | 208. R Wells      | 1515 |
| 97. J Kelley      | 1752 | 153. J Fowler     | 1625 | 209. J Farrell    | 1512 |
| 98. R Fenstermer  | 1751 | 154. I Edwards    | 1623 | 210. D Diehl      | 1511 |
| 99. G Carpenter   | 1750 | 155. R Huok       | 1620 | 210. O Lindsay    | 1511 |
| 100. C Watson     | 1747 | 155. H Schmid     | 1620 | 212. P Jackson    | 1510 |
| 101. R Grochowski | 1743 | 157. J Stoughton  | 1619 | 213. C Corbin     | 1509 |
| 102. J Ryan       | 1731 | 157. R Teague     | 1619 | 213. R Hite       | 1509 |

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| 215. D Cockman  | 1508 | 231. A Monq      | 1472 | 247. E Goodman     | 1442 |
| 215. W Spence   | 1508 | 232. S Hampton   | 1468 | 247. G Pendergrass | 1442 |
| 217. D Janowski | 1507 | 232. J Hall      | 1468 | 249. D Grigsby     | 1441 |
| 218. M Fields   | 1504 | 232. K Johnson   | 1468 | 249. F Church      | 1441 |
| 218. R Stewart  | 1504 | 235. B Cassidy   | 1463 | 249. C Morris      | 1441 |
| 220. J Pierce   | 1503 | 235. W Klotz     | 1463 |                    |      |
| 221. J Ross     | 1502 | 237. R Boyter    | 1460 |                    |      |
| 222. A Prasad   | 1500 | 238. B Gentry    | 1459 |                    |      |
| 223. T Mallow   | 1497 | 238. L Huang     | 1459 |                    |      |
| 224. J Welch    | 1495 | 240. E Fowler    | 1457 |                    |      |
| 225. D Mabe     | 1492 | 241. J Myrick    | 1455 |                    |      |
| 226. R Hight    | 1488 | 242. J Reynolds  | 1454 |                    |      |
| 227. G Spence   | 1485 | 243. A Ragouzeos | 1453 |                    |      |
| 228. C Bame     | 1483 | 244. R Davis     | 1451 |                    |      |
| 229. J Martin   | 1482 | 245. A Williams  | 1447 |                    |      |
| 230. T Prince   | 1480 | 246. M McNab     | 1445 |                    |      |

JUNIOR:

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|------------------|------|
| 1. R Cunningham  | 1912 |
| 2. J Alvis       | 1881 |
| 3. A Tharrington | 1810 |
| 4. M Seawell     | 1729 |
| 5. O Hilz        | 1708 |
| 6. J Kishpaugh   | 1661 |
| 7. M Noble       | 1635 |
| 8. E Singer      | 1613 |

TOURNAMENT REPORTS

## NORTH CAROLINA AT THE PAN-AM

December 26-30, 1981

The University of North Carolina (1970) started off ranked 32nd in the field of seventy-one teams but finished 24th, 4½-3½. UNC lost only to very high rated teams: Illinois (2170), Columbia University A (2190), and Georgia Tech (2180). North Carolina smashed Northwestern University (1741) 3½-½ and scored a key upset against St. Louis (2161) 2½-1½ as well as a 2-2 tie with Triton College (2133). North Carolina shared the prize money for second place in its rating class with Santo Domingo, Michigan and Rochester. Toronto B scored 5-3 to be the top team in the 1900s. Maurice Dana displayed exemplary sportsmanship and scored 3½-4½ on first board, Stephen Cabaniss was 5½-2½, Danny McKeithen 2½-5½, and Bennie Roberts 5-3. The Pan Am was co-sponsored by Baruch College and Columbia University; TDs were Harold Winston, Todd Barre, Roger Blaine, Mike Gosseling, Tom Galloway, and Terry Newton.

--Harold Winston

## TIGER IX

January 2, 1982

|                     |      |     |     |     |     |
|---------------------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 1. Greg Samsa       | 2317 | W 8 | D 2 | W 5 | 2.5 |
| 2. Rex Demers       | 1997 | W 4 | D 1 | W 3 | 2.5 |
| 3. Dan Liu          | 2188 | W 6 | D 5 | L 2 | 1.5 |
| 4. Robin Cunningham | 1912 | L 2 | W 8 | D 6 | 1.5 |
| 5. Esco Yancey      | 1955 | W 7 | D 3 | L 1 | 1.5 |
| 6. Tony Magee       | 1957 | L 3 | W 7 | D 4 | 1.5 |
| 7. Jim Watson       | 2178 | L 5 | L 6 | W 8 | 1.0 |
| 8. Dale Pruitt      | 1965 | L 1 | L 4 | L 7 | .0  |
| 9. Pickard Wilson   | 1749 | W11 | W13 | D12 | 2.5 |
| 10. Mark Seawell    | 1721 | W16 | L12 | W13 | 2.0 |
| 11. Roger Sample    | 1885 | L 9 | W14 | W15 | 2.0 |
| 12. James Hughey    | 1761 | D14 | W10 | D 9 | 2.0 |



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| 13. | Estus Young        | 1799 | W15 | L 9 | L10 | 1.0 |
| 14. | Stephen Mitchell   | 1689 | D12 | L11 | D16 | 1.0 |
| 15. | Greg Martin        | 1718 | L13 | W16 | L11 | 1.0 |
| 16. | Arnold Tharrington | 1810 | L10 | L15 | D14 | .5  |
| 17. | Ronald Gray        | 1645 | W23 | W19 | W20 | 3.0 |
| 18. | Marvin Weaver      | 1666 | L19 | W23 | W21 | 2.0 |
| 19. | Roger Steward      | 1601 | W18 | L20 | W22 | 2.0 |
| 20. | Robert Singletary  | 1648 | W24 | D21 | L17 | 1.5 |
| 21. | Alan Patrick       | 1616 | W22 | D20 | L18 | 1.5 |
| 22. | W. W. Foster       | 1678 | L21 | W24 | L19 | 1.0 |
| 23. | Louis Cobb         | 1543 | L17 | L18 | W24 | 1.0 |
| 24. | David Hurchalla    | 1504 | L20 | L22 | L23 | .0  |
| 25. | Rajesh Maingi      | 1436 | D25 | W32 | W27 | 2.5 |
| 26. | Stuart Long        | 1336 | W28 | L30 | W31 | 2.0 |
| 27. | Larry Phelps       | 1462 | W32 | W29 | L25 | 2.0 |
| 28. | Allen Chandler     | UNR  | L26 | W31 | D30 | 1.5 |
| 29. | Carroll Wehner     | 1493 | D25 | L27 | W32 | 1.5 |
| 30. | Michael Moore      | 1477 | L31 | W26 | D28 | 1.5 |
| 31. | Billy Gentry       | 1365 | W30 | L28 | L32 | 1.0 |
| 32. | Thomas Freeman     | 1338 | L27 | L25 | L29 | .0  |
| 33. | Manuel Versola     | UNR  | W41 | W42 | W38 | 3.0 |
| 34. | Brian Glenn        | UNR  | W40 | W43 | W37 | 3.0 |
| 35. | Jun Versola        | 1313 | D38 | W36 | W39 | 2.5 |
| 36. | Dan Fuller         | 893  | Bye | L35 | W41 | 2.0 |
| 37. | William Jones      | UNR  | W43 | W40 | L34 | 2.0 |
| 38. | Hal Farthing       | UNR  | D35 | W39 | L33 | 1.5 |
| 39. | Sid Evans          | UNR  | W42 | L38 | L35 | 1.0 |
| 40. | Jill Wright        | 1283 | L34 | L37 | W43 | 1.0 |
| 41. | Cliff Merrill      | UNR  | L33 | Bye | L36 | 1.0 |
| 42. | Bill Stanford      | UNR  | L37 | L43 | WD  | .0  |
| 43. | Harold Wiggins     | 1025 | L37 | L34 | L40 | .0  |

## RAM III

January 16, 1982

|     |                   |      |     |     |     |     |
|-----|-------------------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 1.  | Peter Gilruth     | 2230 | W17 | W12 | W 7 | 3.0 |
| 2.  | Harold Smith      | 1277 | W28 | W21 | W14 | 3.0 |
| 3.  | Cliff Merrill     | 1179 | W22 | W11 | W13 | 3.0 |
| 4.  | Rodney Hook       | 1620 | W10 | D 5 | W 9 | 2.5 |
| 5.  | Stephen Slechts   | 1547 | W26 | D 4 | W18 | 2.5 |
| 6.  | John Risk         | 1796 | L16 | W15 | W25 | 2.0 |
| 7.  | Marvin Weaver     | 1617 | W15 | W16 | L 1 | 2.0 |
| 8.  | Steven Squires    | 1578 | L11 | W23 | W21 | 2.0 |
| 9.  | Randy Modrow      | 1577 | W19 | W18 | L 4 | 2.0 |
| 10. | Charles Wheeling  | 1533 | L 4 | W26 | W19 | 2.0 |
| 11. | Jeff Ellinger     | UNR  | W 8 | L 3 | W24 | 2.0 |
| 12. | Dan Fox           | 1650 | W25 | L 1 | D17 | 1.5 |
| 13. | Robert St. Pierre | 1561 | D14 | W24 | L 3 | 1.5 |
| 14. | Bruce Holland     | 1218 | D13 | W27 | L 2 | 1.5 |
| 15. | Jim Troy          | 1785 | L 7 | L 6 | Bye | 1.0 |
| 16. | Allen Davidson    | 1774 | W 6 | L 7 | Unp | 1.0 |
| 17. | William Strutton  | 1712 | L 1 | D25 | D12 | 1.0 |
| 18. | Albert Carlson    | 1532 | W20 | L 9 | L 5 | 1.0 |

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|-----|------------------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 19. | Richard Hite     | 1509 | L 9 | W20 | L10 | 1.0 |
| 20. | John Ellington   | 1376 | L18 | L19 | W26 | 1.0 |
| 21. | Ben Kearns       | 1340 | U27 | L 2 | L 8 | 1.0 |
| 22. | William Pearlman | 1130 | L 3 | W28 | Unp | 1.0 |
| 23. | Julm Carlson     | 836  | L24 | L 8 | W28 | 1.0 |
| 24. | Joyce Preslar    | UNR  | W23 | L13 | L11 | 1.0 |
| 25. | James Hughey     | 1778 | L12 | D17 | L 6 | .5  |
| 26. | Robert Slack     | 1378 | L 5 | L10 | L20 | .0  |
| 27. | Millard Church   | 1139 | L21 | L14 | Unp | .0  |
| 28. | Jason Ellington  | UNR  | L 2 | L22 | L23 | .0  |

## DRAGON XI

February 6, 1982

|     |                   |      |     |     |     |     |
|-----|-------------------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 1.  | Greg Samsa        | 2318 | W 2 | D 5 | D 4 | 2.0 |
| 2.  | Ronald Simpson    | 1890 | L 1 | W 6 | W 8 | 2.0 |
| 3.  | Bernard Schmidt   | 2064 | D 7 | D 4 | W 5 | 2.0 |
| 4.  | Esco Yancey       | 2007 | D 8 | D 3 | D 1 | 1.5 |
| 5.  | Dan Liu           | 2131 | W 6 | D 1 | L 3 | 1.5 |
| 6.  | James Thompson    | 1793 | L 5 | L 2 | W14 | 1.0 |
| 7.  | James Hughey      | 1752 | D 3 | D 8 | Unp | 1.0 |
| 8.  | Alan Patrick      | 1731 | D 4 | D 7 | L 2 | 1.0 |
| 9.  | Mark Seawell      | 1729 | W16 | D11 | W10 | 2.5 |
| 10. | John Brooks       | 1704 | W15 | W14 | L 9 | 2.0 |
| 11. | Ron Dennis        | 1664 | W13 | D 9 | Unp | 1.5 |
| 12. | Ronald Gray       | 1680 | L14 | L15 | W13 | 1.0 |
| 13. | Roger Seward      | 1721 | L11 | W16 | L12 | 1.0 |
| 14. | Michael Niemann   | 1609 | W12 | L10 | L 6 | 1.0 |
| 15. | W. W. Foster      | 1660 | L10 | W12 | Unp | 1.0 |
| 16. | Jerry Sheppard    | 1675 | L 9 | L13 | Unp | .0  |
| 17. | David Heim        | 1600 | W21 | W23 | W20 | 3.0 |
| 18. | Rajesh Maingt     | 1522 | D22 | W21 | W23 | 2.5 |
| 19. | Richard Hite      | 1509 | L20 | W24 | W22 | 2.0 |
| 20. | Michael Mumma     | 1563 | W19 | D22 | L17 | 1.5 |
| 21. | Albert Carlson    | 1538 | L17 | L18 | W24 | 1.0 |
| 22. | Gregory George    | 1600 | D18 | D20 | L19 | 1.0 |
| 23. | C. R. Graham      | 1551 | W24 | L17 | L18 | 1.0 |
| 24. | William Klotz     | 1463 | L23 | L19 | L21 | .0  |
| 25. | Hal Farthing      | 1396 | W31 | W27 | W28 | 3.0 |
| 26. | Jun Versola       | 1378 | W30 | D28 | W29 | 2.5 |
| 27. | John Ellington    | 1376 | W29 | L25 | W30 | 2.0 |
| 28. | David McKay       | 1420 | W32 | D26 | L25 | 1.5 |
| 29. | Brian Cassedy     | 1463 | L27 | W31 | L26 | 1.0 |
| 30. | Edwin Chamberlain | 1326 | L26 | W32 | L27 | 1.0 |
| 31. | Gerald May        | 1336 | L25 | L29 | D32 | .5  |
| 32. | Robert Leblanc    | 1344 | L28 | L30 | D31 | .5  |
| 33. | Kin Martin        | 1238 | W37 | W39 | W35 | 3.0 |
| 34. | Ho Cho            | 1113 | D39 | W37 | W36 | 2.5 |
| 35. | James Attaya      | 1289 | W38 | D36 | L33 | 1.5 |
| 36. | Manuel Versola    | 1253 | W40 | D35 | L34 | 1.5 |
| 37. | Larry Matthews    | 1296 | L33 | L34 | W40 | 1.0 |
| 38. | Don Keyser        | 1125 | L35 | W40 | Unp | 1.0 |

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|-----|------------------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 39. | Stephane Simpson | 1253 | D34 | L33 | Unp | .5  |
| 40. | Brian Lee        | 1090 | L36 | L38 | L37 | .0  |
| 41. | Sid Evans        | UNR  | W42 | W45 | W43 | 3.0 |
| 42. | Brad Hurst       | UNR  | L41 | W47 | W46 | 2.0 |
| 43. | Eugene Watanabe  | UNR  | W44 | W46 | L41 | 2.0 |
| 44. | Brad Turbin      | UNR  | L43 | W48 | W45 | 2.0 |
| 45. | Jason Ellington  | UNR  | W47 | L41 | L44 | 1.0 |
| 46. | Volker Rieger    | UNR  | W48 | L43 | L42 | 1.0 |
| 47. | Jeff Combs       | UNR  | L45 | L42 | Unp | .0  |
| 48. | Bruce Holland    | UNR  | L46 | L44 | Unp | .0  |

## RAM IV

February 20, 1982

|     |                  |      |     |     |     |     |
|-----|------------------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 1.  | William Strutton | 1712 | D 3 | W 6 | W 4 | 2.5 |
| 2.  | James Thompson   | 1793 | D 6 | D 3 | W 5 | 2.0 |
| 3.  | Pickard Wilson   | 1772 | D 1 | D 2 | W 7 | 2.0 |
| 4.  | Rex Demers       | 2035 | W 7 | D 5 | L 1 | 1.5 |
| 5.  | Alan Patrick     | 1700 | W 8 | D 4 | L 2 | 1.5 |
| 6.  | Ernesto Presto   | 1727 | D 2 | L 1 | D41 | 1.0 |
| 7.  | Roger Steward    | 1728 | L 4 | W40 | L 3 | 1.0 |
| 8.  | Jackie Ryan      | 1731 | L 5 | Unp | Unp | .0  |
| 9.  | Lyn Thet         | 1679 | W16 | W14 | W11 | 3.0 |
| 10. | Stephen Mitchell | 1657 | W15 | L11 | W14 | 2.0 |
| 11. | Allen Chandler   | 1618 | W13 | W10 | L 9 | 2.0 |
| 12. | Ronald Gray      | 1600 | L14 | D13 | W15 | 1.5 |
| 13. | John Brooks      | 1672 | L11 | D12 | W16 | 1.5 |
| 14. | W. W. Foster     | 1650 | W12 | L 9 | L10 | 1.0 |
| 15. | David Hurchalla  | 1584 | L10 | W16 | L12 | 1.0 |
| 16. | Rodney Hook      | 1620 | L 9 | L15 | L13 | .0  |
| 17. | Larry Phelps     | 1439 | W18 | W19 | W20 | 3.0 |
| 18. | Jun Versola      | 1378 | L17 | W24 | W22 | 2.0 |
| 19. | Richard Hite     | 1509 | W24 | L17 | W21 | 2.0 |
| 20. | William Hargrove | 1525 | D22 | W23 | L17 | 1.5 |
| 21. | David McKay      | 1420 | D23 | W22 | L19 | 1.5 |
| 22. | Sid Evans        | 1400 | D20 | L21 | L19 | .5  |
| 23. | Larry Williams   | 1578 | D21 | L20 | Unp | .5  |
| 24. | Theresa Williams | 1379 | L19 | L18 | Unp | .0  |
| 25. | Stuart Long      | 1336 | W32 | W31 | W29 | 3.0 |
| 26. | Kin Martin       | 1248 | L31 | W32 | W30 | 2.0 |
| 27. | Robert Leblanc   | 1344 | D30 | L29 | Bye | 1.5 |
| 28. | Gary Schultz     | 1370 | D29 | L30 | W31 | 1.5 |
| 29. | Manuel Versola   | 1253 | D28 | W27 | L25 | 1.5 |
| 30. | William Howard   | 1240 | D27 | W28 | L26 | 1.5 |
| 31. | Kenneth Smith    | 1369 | W26 | L25 | L28 | 1.0 |
| 32. | William Pearlman | 1130 | L25 | L26 | Unp | .0  |
| 33. | Wade Johnson     | UNR  | W36 | W38 | W35 | 3.0 |
| 34. | Bruce Holland    | UNR  | W39 | L35 | W37 | 2.0 |
| 35. | Jorge Siman      | 982  | Bye | W34 | L33 | 2.0 |
| 36. | John Goodman     | UNR  | L33 | W39 | W38 | 2.0 |
| 37. | Preston Graham   | UNR  | L38 | Bye | L34 | 1.0 |



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|-----------------------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 38. J. Timothy Cole   | UNR  | W37 | L33 | L36 | 1.0 |
| 39. Bradley Dunlap    | UNR  | L34 | L36 | Bye | 1.0 |
| 40. Robert Singletary | 1648 | Unp | L 7 | Unp | .0  |
| 41. Greg Samsa        | 2318 | Unp | Unp | D 6 | .5  |

## JABERWOCK IV

February 20, 1982

|                      |      |     |     |     |     |
|----------------------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 1. Jim Mottonen      | 2257 | W 4 | W 3 | D 2 | 2.5 |
| 2. Neal Harris       | 2032 | W 5 | W 6 | D 1 | 2.5 |
| 3. Tony Magee        | 1993 | W 8 | L 1 | W 2 | 2.0 |
| 4. Wadford A. Wilder | 1654 | L 1 | W 8 | D 7 | 1.5 |
| 5. Eric Singer       | 1613 | L 2 | D 7 | W 8 | 1.5 |
| 6. Allen M. Cooley   | 2085 | W 7 | L 2 | L 3 | 1.0 |
| 7. Dan O. Fox        | 1650 | L 6 | D 5 | D 4 | 1.0 |
| 8. Gary W. Brown     | 1605 | L 3 | L 4 | L 5 | .0  |

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|----------------------------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 1. Randy Modrow            | 1577 | D 5 | W 4 | W 2 | 2.5 |
| 2. Stephen Slechta         | 1547 | W 8 | W 3 | L 1 | 2.0 |
| 3. William E. Means        | 1433 | W 6 | L 2 | W 7 | 2.0 |
| 4. Louie E. Grubbs         | 1415 | W 7 | L 1 | D 5 | 1.5 |
| 5. William D. Covington    | 1412 | D 1 | D 8 | D 4 | 1.5 |
| 6. William C. Debardelaben | 1329 | L 3 | L 7 | W 8 | 1.0 |
| 7. Virgil A. Burnett       | 1269 | L 4 | W 6 | L 3 | 1.0 |
| 8. David Gibbon            | 1397 | L 2 | D 5 | L 6 | .5  |

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|-------------------------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 1. Marshall F. Robinson | UNR  | W 4 | W 2 | W 5 | 3.0 |
| 2. James A. Lewis       | 1264 | W 5 | L 1 | W 3 | 2.0 |
| 3. Doug L. Bartenfeld   | 1028 | Bye | W 4 | L 2 | 2.0 |
| 4. Brian Adolph         | 1241 | L 1 | L 3 | Bye | 1.0 |
| 5. David Sherrill       | 1142 | L 2 | Bye | L 1 | 1.0 |

## SOUTH FORK OPEN

February 27-28, 1982

Prize winners for the South Fork Open were as follows:

## Open section:

1st--Jim Mottonen (\$150.00)  
 2nd--Timothy Brookshear (\$125.00)  
 Cat I--Roger Sample (\$125.00)

## Amateur section:

1st/2nd--Anthony Riela (\$75.00)  
 1st/2nd--Tom Moore (\$75.00)  
 Cat III--Terry Mallow (\$85.00)  
 Cat IV--James S. Lamb (\$65.00)  
 Cat V--Mike Kahill (\$50.00)

|                     |      |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|---------------------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 1. Jim Mottonen     | 2257 | W12 | W 4 | W 8 | W 7 | D 2 | 4.5 |
| 2. Tim Brookshear   | 1986 | W 3 | D 8 | D 7 | W 5 | D 1 | 3.5 |
| 3. Peter Gilruth    | 2230 | L 2 | W12 | L 4 | W 8 | W 9 | 3.0 |
| 4. Roger Sample     | 1805 | W11 | L 1 | W 3 | W 9 | L 5 | 3.0 |
| 5. Brian Glenn      | UNR  | L 9 | W10 | W11 | L 2 | W 4 | 3.0 |
| 6. Clive Morgan     | 1843 | L 8 | L11 | D10 | W12 | Bye | 2.5 |
| 7. Leland Fuerstman | 2087 | W10 | D 9 | D 2 | L 1 | Unp | 2.0 |
| 8. James Hardy      | 2002 | W 6 | D 2 | L 1 | L 3 | D10 | 2.0 |
| 9. Neal Harris      | 2000 | W 5 | D 7 | D12 | L 4 | L 3 | 2.0 |
| 10. Mark Becker     | 1967 | L 7 | L 5 | D 6 | W11 | D 8 | 2.0 |
| 11. Allen Cooley    | 2087 | L 4 | W 6 | L 5 | L10 | Unp | 1.0 |
| 12. Tony Magee      | 1993 | L 1 | L 3 | U 9 | L 6 | Unp | .5  |

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|---------------------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 1. Anthony Riela    | 1718 | W23 | W19 | W 5 | D 3 | W 9 | 4.5 |
| 2. Tom Moore        | UNR  | W17 | D12 | W16 | W 6 | W 3 | 4.5 |
| 3. Kumar Penwani    | 1740 | W22 | W18 | W 4 | D 1 | L 2 | 3.5 |
| 4. Greg Hall        | 1641 | W20 | W10 | L 3 | W11 | D 5 | 3.5 |
| 5. David Moose      | 1611 | W21 | W 8 | L 1 | W 7 | D 4 | 3.5 |
| 6. Terry Mallow     | 1497 | W11 | W 7 | W12 | L 2 | D 8 | 3.5 |
| 7. John Brooks      | 1704 | W13 | L 6 | W19 | L 5 | W17 | 3.0 |
| 8. James Hyatt      | 1690 | D24 | L 5 | W14 | W10 | D 6 | 3.0 |
| 9. Dan Fox          | 1650 | L10 | W26 | W21 | W18 | L 1 | 3.0 |
| 10. James S. Lamb   | 1318 | W 9 | L 4 | W17 | L 8 | W15 | 3.0 |
| 11. Roger Steward   | 1713 | L 6 | W13 | W22 | L 4 | D12 | 2.5 |
| 12. Eric Singer     | 1613 | W25 | D 2 | L 6 | D16 | D11 | 2.5 |
| 13. William Means   | 1433 | L 7 | L11 | D24 | W26 | W23 | 2.5 |
| 14. John Ellington  | 1376 | D16 | L22 | L 8 | W20 | W19 | 2.5 |
| 15. Leo Richardson  | 1725 | L19 | W23 | L18 | W24 | L10 | 2.0 |
| 16. Ronald Dennis   | 1664 | D14 | W24 | L 2 | D12 | Unp | 2.0 |
| 17. Leroy Greenlee  | 1598 | L 2 | W20 | L10 | W23 | L 7 | 2.0 |
| 18. Anwar Ahmadi    | 1555 | W26 | L 3 | W15 | L 9 | Unp | 2.0 |
| 19. Amon Funderburk | 1538 | W15 | L 1 | L 7 | W21 | L14 | 2.0 |
| 20. Brian Adolph    | 1241 | L 4 | L17 | Bye | L14 | W24 | 2.0 |
| 21. Mike Kahill     | 1156 | L 5 | Bye | L 9 | L19 | W26 | 2.0 |
| 22. Stephen Slechta | 1547 | L 3 | W14 | L11 | Unp | Unp | 1.0 |
| 23. Alfredo Juarez  | 1525 | L 1 | L15 | W26 | L17 | L13 | 1.0 |
| 24. Gilbert Stone   | 1412 | D 8 | L16 | D13 | L15 | L20 | 1.0 |
| 25. Danny Overcash  | 1213 | L12 | Unp | Unp | Unp | Unp | .0  |
| 26. Steven Greenlee | UNR  | L18 | L 9 | L23 | L13 | L21 | .0  |

# GAMES

Compiled and Edited by Charles Alden

North Carolina chessplayers, particularly those in the Chapel Hill-Durham area, may wish to make the acquaintance of a new opponent. You have not seen the name of Bob Widener in the tournament rosters, but we are privileged to have in our area another willing and able player who likely can hold his own with many of our tournament regulars. A former resident of Virginia now living in Hillsborough, Bob has been playing chess off and on for about twenty years, and while not a "book" player, he certainly can create some tricks.

Bob was a painter by trade for nineteen years, but he ran into some hard luck about three years ago--he fell four stories

off a building, and since he has been in and out of hospitals and confined to a wheelchair. Despite this misfortune, Bob impresses one with his genial good nature. A modest, soft-spoken gentleman, Bob is your ideal chess companion for a rainy afternoon--win or lose. he relishes the companionship and the game for their own sake. He is also quite a good checkers player, and he has won the Mid-Atlantic Wheelchair championships in both chess and checkers. Bob has plenty of free time now, and he would like nothing better than to meet new players and friends. You can reach Bob most anytime by calling 732-4479. He will appreciate the chance to play some chess, and so will you!

Rank has its privileges; one such privilege for NCCA President Bob Spurrier is knowing that the games editor dares not risk losing his position by refusing to publish the potentate's pearls. Being editor has its own privilege--not having to bear the thought of seeing my own ignominious defeats in print. The first two games below should suffice to divert attention from the question of how Bob got elected to--how on earth did he pull these games out?

McKeithen

Spurrier

1. P-Q4 N-KB3 2. P-QB4 P-K3 3. N-QB3 P-Q4 4. B-N5 QN-Q2 5. P x P P x P 6. P-K3 B-K2 7. N-B3 O-O 8. B-Q3 P-QN3 9. O-O R-N2 10. QR-R1 N-K5 11. R x R Q x B 12. Q-B2 QR-B1 13. P-QR3 P-QB4 14. Q-N1 P-B5 15. B x N P x B 16. N-Q2 N-B3 17. Q-R2 B-R3 18. KR-K1 KR-K1 19. N-K2 P-QN4 20. P-QN3 P x P 21. N x P R x R 22. R x R Q-K3 23. N-B4 Q-Q3 24. N-QR5 R-QB1 25. R x R B x R 26. Q-N3 B-Q2 27. N-N7 Q-B2 28. N-B5 B-B3 29. P-KR3 N-Q2 30. Q-B3 Q-Q3 31. N x N Q x N 32. Q-B5 (CJA: Just one little question: what does black do after 32. P-Q5, B-I:2 33. Q-K5?) P-KR3 33. N-K2 Q-N2 34. N-B3 B-Q2 35. P-Q5? P-KB4 36. K-B1 P-QR4 37. K-K2? P-N5 38. P x P P x P 39. N-N1 Q-N4+ 40. Q x Q B x Q+ 41. K-Q2 B-B5 42. K-B2 K-B2 43. N-Q2 B x P 44. N-N3 K-B3 45. N-Q4 K-N4 46. K-Q2 P-B5 47. P x P+ K x P 48. N-K2+ K-K4 49. K-K3 B-B5 50. resigns

Spurrier

Ardaman

1. P-K4 P-Q3 2. P-Q4 N-KB3 3. N-QB3 P-KN3 4. P-KB4 P-QB4 5. P x P Q-R4 6. B-Q3 (CJA: 6. P x P, N x P 7. P x P looks very good for white.) Q x BP 7. O-K2 B-N2 8. N-B3 O-O 9. B-K3 Q-QR4 10. O-O N-B3 11. P-KR3 N-R4

12. Q-B2 B x N 13. P x B Q x P 14. P-N4 N-N2 15. Q-R4 P-B3 16. P-B5 N-K4 17. N x N Q x N 18. QR-Q1!? P-KN4 19. Q-K1 P-QN4 20. P-QB4 P-QR3 21. B-K2 B-N7 22. R-R3 P x BP 23. B-Q4 Q-N4 24. R-N1 Q-Q2 25. R x B Q x R 26. P-K5 Q-B1? 27. B x R Q x B 28. P x BP P x P 29. Q-K7 P-Q4 30. R x P R-R2 31. Q-K5 N-K1 32. B x P N-B2 33. B-K3? Q-K1 34. Q-R4 N-N4 35. B-Q4 N x B 36. Q x N R-Q2 37. Q-B3 Q-K2 38. P-R6 Q-R4+ 39. K-N2 P-Q5 40. Q-K1 Q-Q4+ 41. K-N1 K-R2 42. Q-R4 Q-K5 43. Q-R5+ Q-N3 44. Q-K5 P-Q6 45. R-K1 P-Q7 46. Q-KR4 K x P 47. R-K6+ K-N4 48. R x Q+ P x R 49. Q x R and won.

Spurrier

Cooley

1. P-K4 P-QB4 2. N-QB3 N-QB3 3. P-KN3 P-KN3 4. B-N2 B-N2 5. P-Q3 P-Q3 6. P-B4 P-K4 7. N-B3 KN-K2 8. O-O O-O 9. B-K3 P-B4 10. Q-Q2 R-N1 11. QR-K1 P-QN4 12. P x KP N x P 13. N x N B x N 14. B-N5 B-B3 15. P-K5! B x B 16. Q x B P x P 17. K x P Q-Q5+ 18. Q-K3 Q x Q+ 19. R x Q P-N5? 20. R x N P x N 21. P x P K-N7 22. B-Q5+ K-R1 23. B-N3 P-KN4 24. R/I-K1 B-R3 25. R x QRP B-N4 26. R/I-K7 resigns

In compliance with the equal-time rule, here are two wins by Leland Fuerstman, runner-up in the latest NCCA presidential election. Have you ever stopped to consider which side of the board you sit on when playing over a game? Do you peek at the result, then sit on the winning side, or take the side of your favorite opening, or sit with/opposite your hero/rival? Those of you who haven't been sending in games should pay out the next game opposite Leland, to learn what real suffering is all about.



Fuerstman (2109) Chauvenet (1902)

1. b4 Nf6 2. Bb2 g6 3. c4 Bg7  
 4. e4 d6 5. d3 O-O 6. Nf3 Bg4  
 7. Be2 Nfd7 8. h3 Bf3 9. Bf3  
 Rb8 10. d4 e6 11. Nd2 a6 12.  
 O-O b5 13. a3 c5 14. e5 de  
 15. de Ne8 16. Qe2 Nc7 17.  
 Rfd Qe7 18. Bc6 Nb6 19. Ne4!  
 Nc4(?) 20. Nf6+! Kh8 21. Rd7  
 Bf6 22. ef! Qe8 23. Rc7 Qd8  
 24. Be5 Ne5 25. Qe5 Qd4 26.  
 Qd4 cd 27. Ra7 Rb6 28. Bf3  
 Rd6 29. Rc1 d3 30. Rf7! Kg8  
 31. Rf8+ Kf8 32. Rc6 Rc6 33.  
 Bc6 Kf7 34. Kf1 Kf6 35. Rb7  
 Ke5 36. Ba6 Kd4 37. Bb5 Kc3  
 38. Bd3 resigns

Yancey (2015) Fuerstman (2109)

1. c4 Nf6 2. Nc3 e5 3. Nf3  
 Nc6 4. d3 Bc5 5. e3 d6 6.  
 Bc2 a6 7. O-O Bf5 8. d4 Ba7  
 9. de de 10. Qb3 Qc8 11. Nd5  
 Ne4 12. Qa3 Nd6 13. b4 Be4  
 14. Qc3 f6 15. Bb2 Bd5 16.  
 cd Ne7 17. Rfd Ng6 18. a4  
 Qd7 19. Rdc Rac 20. b5 ab  
 21. ab Bb6 22. Qb4 U-U 23.  
 Nd2 Kh 24. Bg4 f5 25. Be2  
 f4! 26. e4 Qe7 27. Nf3 Kce  
 28. Ra3 Nh4! 29. Kf1 Nf3 30.  
 Rf3 Qh4 31. h3 Nf7! 32. Qe1  
 Ng5 33. Ra3 Ne4 34. Rf3 Ng5  
 35. Ra3 Ne4 36. Rf3 Ndb 37.  
 Qb4 e4 38. Qc3 Re7 white re-  
 signs.

Everyone worries about tournament preparation. Should one study old games, new games, no games, play speed, not play speed, study openings, endgames . . . If you ask me, however, "you learn to do what you do and not something else." So my advice is to find a strong opponent and play training games under simulated tournament conditions. Try some new openings, too, as ideas from one opening can often be applied to similar positions arising from other openings. In this game, for example (a train-

ing game with Maurice Dana), an idea from the King's Indian was successfully used in a position arising from the Sicilian Dragon.

Dana

Samsa

1. e4 c5 2. Nf3 d6 3. d4  
 cd 4. Nd4 Nf6 5. Nc3 g6 6.  
 Be2 Bg7 7. O O Nc6 8. Nb3  
 Be6 9. Kh1 Qc8

Black postpones castling in order to accelerate his piece play. On 10. f4 black would transpose back into the main line with 10. ...O-O intending Rd8 and d5.

10. Bg5 h6  
 So that if 11. Bh4? g5 12.  
 Bh3 h5?

11. Be3 Ne5  
 Begins an adventure. However, on 11. ...O-O white can play 12. Qd2 followed by f4 and a king side attack.

12. Bb5 Bd7 13. Qe2 O-O  
 14. Bd7 Qd7 15. f4 Neg4 16.  
 Bg1 Nh5

On 16. ...h5 (to support the knight) white plays h3 and e5 with advantage. After the text, white's best may be 17. f5!? Nhf6 18. h3 Ne5 19. g4 h5 with unclear play.

17. Rad1 f5!  
 This positional move locks white's queen bishop out of his possible king's side attack and also reduces the force of a possible pawn storm. It had to be carefully calculated, however, as it seems to expose the king.

18. e5  
 This runs afoul of a hidden resource. Probably best was 18. ef gf although black will soon play e5 with active play (this is a King's Indian idea).

18. ...g5!  
 Wins a pawn at least.

19. Nc5?  
 19. ...Ng3! 20. hg Qe8  
 resigns.

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