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HERE WE GO - ROUND AGAIN!

Seven years and 83 issues have passed since we last assumed the job of putting out the Letter. There has been a marked increase in northwest chess activity in the interim, and the work of coordinating has grown with it. Our goal is to promote chess, our method is to publicize all chess activity. We have added one new column in this issue (College Chess), and have our eye on two or three more. The big event for this decade of northwest chess is the US OPEN, plan your vacation now, and don't miss it! Aug. 14 to Aug. 26.

26.P-K4,B-Q3 27.Q-K3,N-Q2 28.BxB QxB 29.R-Q4
P-K4 30.R-Q2,P-B4 31.PxQP,P-B5 32.Q-K4,N-B3
33.Q-B5,K-N1 34.P-B3,B-B1 35.Q-N1,P-N6
36.R-K1,P-R6 37.B-B1,R-R1 38.PxP,BxP 39.K-N1
BxB 40.KxB,P-K5 41.Q-Q1, *** 42.---,---
43.Resigns (The moves after adjournment are not yet available, only the information that Spassky resigned 2 moves after resuming.

1966 IDAHO OPEN

Boise, Idaho May 21 - 22, 1966

YMCA Building, 1104 Idaho St.

Registration 9:00 A.M.; play starts 10:00 AM (Tournament over by 5:30 Sunday to allow for travel. Any intermountain or northwest player should be able to leave home Friday noon and be back Sunday evening, for a minimum of time away from home and job.)

Five round swiss, three Saturday & two Sun.

Two separate playing classes - both USCF rated. Entrants must belong to, or join, the USCF. (\$5.00 per year.)

Class A - open to anyone. Class B - limited to players with USCF or northwest rating of under 1800. (USCF used if available) or unrated.

Prizes - 1st - trophy & 50% of cash prize fund, second - 25% of fund, 3rd - 15% of fund, high class B player -10%. Class B sec.- trophies for 1st, 2nd, 3rd and high class C. Upset prizes (recording booklets) every rd. in both sections.

Entry Fee - \$5.00/A \$3.50/B

Boise Chess Club will serve refreshments on both days. Special "Chess for fun" sections starting saturday morning at 10:00 AM will be held for unrated players not wishing to join main tournament. \$1.00 Entry, with USCF memberships as prizes.

Director: Dick Vandenburg, 2316 Regan Ave. Boise, Idaho 83702 - Phone 342-1081

WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP RESULT (through 7 games)

1. B. Spassky $\frac{1}{2}$ Petrosian $\frac{1}{2}$ Caro Kann
 2. T. Petrosian $\frac{1}{2}$ Spassky $\frac{1}{2}$ Q. G. D.
 3. B. Spassky $\frac{1}{2}$ Petrosian $\frac{1}{2}$ Caro Kann
 4. T. Petrosian $\frac{1}{2}$ Spassky $\frac{1}{2}$ Catalan
 5. B. Spassky $\frac{1}{2}$ Petrosian $\frac{1}{2}$ Caro Kann
 6. T. Petrosian $\frac{1}{2}$ Spassky $\frac{1}{2}$ Semi Tarrasch
 7. B. Spassky 0 Petrosian 1 Q.Pawn Opening
- 7th Game- 1.P-Q4,N-KB3 2.N-KB3,P-K3 3.B-N5,
P-Q4 4.QN-Q2,B-K2 5.P-K3,QN-Q2 6.B-Q3,P-QB4
7.P-B3,P-QN3 8.O-C,B-N2 9.N-K5,NxN,10.PxN,N-Q2
11.B-B4,Q-B2 12.N-KB3,P-KR3 13.P-QN4,P-KN4
14.B-N3,P-KR4, 15.P-KR4,PxRP 16.B-B4,O-O-O
17.P-QR4,P-B5 18.B-K2,P-R3 19.K-R1,R/Q-N1
20.R-KN1,R-N5 21.Q-Q2,R/1-N1,22.P-R5,P-N4
23.R/R-Q1,B-B1 24.N-R2,NxP 25.NxR,PxN ←

1966 B. C. OPEN CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP

Type: 6 round

Time Control: 50 moves in 2 hrs.

Where: Nanaimo B.C. (Vancouver Island) at
the Credit Union Hall, 250 Albert St.

When: May 21st and 22nd 1966.

Registration: 8:30 to 9:45 A.M. Saturday
Or advance registration should be directed
to Mr. Fred Schultz 2201 Fern Rd.
Nanaimo, B.C.

Entry Fee: \$6.50 per player (Juniors 3.25)

Prizes:	1st	\$100 & trophy
	2nd	cash and trophy
	3rd	cash and trophy
	1st Class B	cash and trophy
	2nd Class B	cash and trophy
	1st Class C	cash and trophy
	2nd Class C	cash and trophy
	1st Class D	cash and trophy
	2nd Class D	cash and trophy
	1st unrated	trophy
	1st junior	trophy

For methods of travel and where to stay
see the April 1966 issue of the North West
Chess Letter. (page 15)

FOURTH ANNUAL - 1966 - EVERGREEN EMPIRE OPEN CHESS TOURNAMENT

Held at - NORMANNA HALL 1502 South "K" St.,
Tacoma, Washington

Date: June 25-26, 1966

Registration: 8:30 AM to 9:30 AM Sat 25th.

Type: Six Round Swiss System Tournament

Sections: A USCF Open to all \$5.50 plus
USCF and WCF memberships.
B Reserve. Under 1800 - \$3.00
plus WCF membership.

Prizes: USCF 1st \$50 2nd \$30 3rd \$20
Reserve section 1st trophy 2nd trophy.
See the April issue of the NWCL.

ROSE CITY OPEN CHESS TOURNAMENT

Dates: June 11th and 12th, 1966

Place: either the Oregonian's Hostess House
or Portland State College in Port-
land.

Type: 1. A USCF section, in which players
rated above 1600 points may partic-
ipate.
2. A Reserve section, Open to anyone
below 1600 points.

Prizes: \$600 cash plus one trophy for the
USCF section, the Reserve section
will be awarded merchandise, cash
(if surplus), and trophies. Our goal
is to offer \$1,000 in prize money if
possible.

Entry Fee: \$10 for players above 1600, \$5
for those rated below 1600.

Chairman: Greg Kern
USCF Section: Moore & Harmon
Reserve Section: Richardson, Kern and Mitchell

ASHLAND 30 / 30 August 7th

One day, five round Open 30/30 on August 7th
for warm-up customers in transit - excellent
Shakespeare comedy the night before.
More about this in the June NWCL.

1966 UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON OPEN CHESS TOURNAMENT

Place: University of Washington Student
Union Building

Rounds: Five (3 Saturday and 2 Sunday)

Time Control: 45 moves in 2 hours

Director: Eugene Fomin

Registration: 8:30 to 9:45 AM Saturday
Rd1 10:00 AM Saturday
Rd4 9:00 AM Sunday

Entry Fee: \$5.00 for Nonstudents
\$3.00 for Students
\$1.00 discounted if mailed in before
April 25, 1966.

See the April issue of the NWCL for more!

McCORMICK WINS 13TH INLAND EMPIRE OPEN

JAMES McCORMICK, of Seattle, won the 1966 INLAND EMPIRE OPEN with a $5\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2}$ score. He won his first five games and drew in the last round with VIK PUPOLS. This was McCormick's silver tournament as it brought his number of tournament wins to 25! (V. Pupols has won 21, and I. Dalbergs 19.)

The final round draw was enough to secure a clear second for Viktors Pupols, of Seattle, with a 5 - 1 finish. Pupols won four games and yielded a third round draw to Colin Aykroyd.

Aykroyd finished an uncontested third at $4\frac{1}{2} - 1\frac{1}{2}$. Besides his draw with Pupols, he had only a fourth round loss to the tournament winner to mar his record. Colin had to play McCormick and Pupols in successive rounds, and played the black pieces in both games. (Aykroyd has maintained for years that there is something seriously wrong in the system your writer uses to assign colors.)

Besides the top three cash awards, a set of three class trophies were presented at the event. winner of the class "A" award was GORDON CORNELIUS (4 - 2). The "B" trophy was won by H. K. ZORNES, of Richland. The class "C" and Unrated award was won by Mike Murray, of Missoula Montana. Larry Allyn, of Wenatchee, finished with the same 3 - 3 score, but was edged out on tie-breaking. They shared the \$5.00 class money.

RUSSELL MILLER donated four books to be awarded as prizes in the event, and they were awarded to the highest finishing junior, and to the top three upsets of the event. MIKE MURRAY had the best and also the third best upset of the tournament, but elected to take the class "C" prize. PAT HERBERS was the top junior and had the 2nd best upset, and in taking the upset book left the junior award for DOUG ADAMS. The other two Upset awards were won by NORMAN ABRAHAMSON, of Seattle, and ROBERT HOLZINGER, also of Seattle. (Herbers beat Holzinger in round one; Abrahamson won from Adams in round six, and Holzinger dumped WILLIAM KIPLINGER in the final round.)

This was Kiplinger's first northwest chess appearance in a year, as for the past 12 month he has been serving with the U.S. Army in Korea. His last tournament was the 1965 State Championship, where he tied for third, and won his game from VIK PUPOLS, and drew with ANDY SCHOENE.

Russell Miller wanted to support this tournament, but found he had an Air Force Reserve meeting the same week-end there in Spokane. After the event had started Russ learned that he would be able to meet his commitment in the mornings and be able to play in the afternoon and evenings.

Jotting down some of the hi-lites of the event your writer noted the following:

ROUND - 1 Pupols appeared to have his hands full with ED REEVES, of Drummond, Mont. Reeves although down a pawn saddled Pupols with a lifeless position, then evolved a sharp combination winning back the pawn. Pupols then appeared to be gaining the control of the lines with possibilities of transposing to a favorable endgame, when Reeves blundered badly, permitting a back rank mate. Pat Herbers posted a sharp upset over Bob Holzinger. The game was well played, but Holzinger found himself in time-pressure with 15 moves to go. Herbers had hard to meet tactical threats, and Holzinger offered a draw which Herbers declined. Holzinger then quickly worked his way through the tactical threats, but appeared headed for a lost endgame, when Herbers made a suspicious looking move. Holzinger did not have time to check the threats, and simply reacted, whereupon Herbers played his one move mate. Colin Aykroyd consumed his usual 1 hour and 55 minutes for the first 25 moves in his game with Robert Kittredge, and found that with 23 moves yet to make he had a shade less than two minutes. The game itself was clearly won, but the question remained if making time control was a physical possibility. Kittredge resigned after move forty, and on timing the flag it was found that Colin still had at least 45 seconds. Jim McCormick won handily from Rod Espey. After the game Espey mentioned that he had

read McCormick's resolution in last month's "Letter"; and figured it wasn't any use. McCormick then informed him of Mike Schemm's resolution breaker two weeks earlier.

ROUND - 2 MIKE MURRAY posted his second upset of the event, by downing defending champion Doug Adams, of Spokane. Murray established his 1564 rating in the 1964 Montana Open, but since that time has improved considerably. The tournament contenders all won their second round games, and left six perfect scores at the end of round two. (J. McCormick, V. Pupols, W. Kiplinger, C. Aykroyd, G. Cornelius, and M. Murray.)

ROUND - 3 Murray continued his impressive demonstration, by holding northwest expert Kiplinger to a draw. The Pupols - Aykroyd game appeared headed for the usual time-pressure scramble, as Pupols had less than ten minutes for 25 moves, and Aykroyd was approaching twenty minutes. Aykroyd was

on the attack, but it was doubtful that under the pressure anything concrete could be evolved. Aykroyd missed his best chance, and the game was drawn. At the other end of the room, Gordon Cornelius and Jim McCormick were involved in an equally tight time scramble. McCormick established an outside passed pawn, then played a quick series of checks to make time-control. The pawn won easily in the second time period. Of the six perfect scores after round two only Cornelius was dropped from serious 1st place contention.

ROUND - 4 "The Latvian Gambit is dangerous, dammbit." sings Vik Pupols on frequent occasion. Getting into the same line as did Bob Lundin in the State Championship, (involving a double rook sacrifice) Mike Murray found that over-the-board analysis of the white side of the Latvian is next to impossible and that preparation (story continued on page 13.)

SUMMARY of the 1966 INLAND EMPIRE OPEN

Player	Home	-1-	-2-	-3-	-4-	-5-	-6-	Score	Med	Slk
1. James McCormick	Seattle	W14	W5	W4	W3	W7	D2	5½- ½		
2. Viktors Pupols	Seattle	W21	W12	D3	W11	W5	D1	5 - 1		
3. Colin Aykroyd	Vancouver	W9	W23	D2	L1	W12	W8	4½-1½		
4. Gordon Cornelius	Spokane	W16	W10	L1	W6	L8	W9	4 - 2	13½	
5. Norman Abrahamson	Seattle	W22	L1	W5	W20	L2	W13	4 - 2	13	
6. Robert Holzinger	Seattle	L10	W21	W17	L4	W20	W7	4 - 2	11	
7. William Kiplinger	Wishram	W18	W8	D11	W13	L1	L6	3½-2½	13½	
8. H. K. Zornes	Richland	W24	L7	D16	W10	W4	L3	3½-2½	13	
9. Robert Kittredge	Spokane	L3	W19	L5	W22	W11	L4	3 - 3	13½	19
10. Pat Herbers	Spokane	W6	L4	D12	L8	W23	D11	3 - 3	13½	18½
11. Mike Murray	Missoula	W17	W13	D7	L2	L9	D10	3 - 3	12½	20
12. Larry Allyn	Wenatchee	W20	E2	D10	W19	L3	D17	3 - 3	12½	19½
13. Doug Adams	Spokane	W19	L11	W14	L7	W16	L5	3 - 3	12	
14. Rodney Espey	Moscow	L1	W22	L13	L16	W24	W20	3 - 3	8½	
15. Russell Miller	Chelan	F	D16	W18	F	D17	W22	3 - 3	5½	
16. Stu Pearson	Spokane	L4	D15	D8	W14	L13	D18	2½-3½	13	
17. Mel Leonard	Spokane	L11	W24	L6	D23	D15	D12	2½-3½	11	
18. Aaron Hitchcock	Missoula	L7	L20	L15	Bye	W21	D16	2½-3½	10	
19. Ralph Hansen	Missoula	L13	L9	W21	L12	D22	W24	2½-3½	9	
20. Ray Trainor	Spokane	L12	W18	W23	L5	L6	L14	2 - 4	12	
21. Edgar Reeves	Drummond	L2	L6	L19	W24	L18	W23	2 - 4	9½	
22. Horton Thompson	Wenatchee	L5	L14	Bye	L9	D19	L15	1½-4½	12½	
23. Sunny Lou Espey	Moscow	Bye	L3	L20	D17	L10	L21	1½-4½	9½	
24. A. I. Myers	Spokane	L8	L17	F	L21	L14	L19	0 - 6		

CLARK HARMON

WINS 1966 INTERSTATE

CLARK HARMON won the 1966 Interstate Open with a $5\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$ record. Harmon drew his first round game with Dave Williams, of Seattle, and won his remaining five games.

RICK GANONG, of Portland, and JAMES McCORMICK, of Seattle, tied for second at 5 - 1. Ganong lost his final round encounter with McCormick, and McCormick was upset in round one by MIKE SCHEMM, of Corvallis. (It is interesting to note that last month we published McCormick's resolution not to lose to or draw with a fish in 1966 ((Anyone rated under 2200)) and in the next tournament game he played he lost.) Schemm deserves full credit for a fine win in the game, as he worked McCormick into serious time-pressure, then found a sharp combination involving a queen sacrifice and leading to mate.

Thirty-one player entered the open U. S.C.F. section. This was the first USCF rated event in Portland in several years. Fifteen players entered the reserve section bring the total to 46.

DONALD TURNER, of The Dalles, took a clear fourth place with his $4\frac{1}{2}$ - $1\frac{1}{2}$ finish.

Four players tied for 5th spot at 4-2. They were MIKE SCHEMM, of Corvallis, adding yet another class trophy to his collection; JERRY WOLFE, of Troutdale; TERRY NELSON, of Seattle, and LARRY ALLYN, of Wenatchee. Allyn has been absent from the northwest chess scene for some 15 years, he played in the 1948 WASHINGTON STATE CHAMPIONSHIP. He has not played in a northwest rated event since the rating system was established and was therefore unrated, thereby collecting the tournament unrated award.

Harry Demarest, of Portland (and Summit, N.J.) rated 1891 northwest and 1586 USCF won the class "C" award with his 3-3 finish. Demarest stated that this was his second class "C" trophy in two weeks as he had won a similar award in a New Jersey event the week before. When asked by your

to compare the playing strength of the two areas, Demarest said that New Jersey would seem to be the stronger of the two.

Prior to the fifth round of the event Russell Miller made a pitch for the USCF operation HI-GEAR, and passed the hat collecting in excess of \$15.00.

JAMES USELTON, of Portland, won the reserve section with a 5 - 1 record. Also finishing with 5 - 1 was BARRETT McMAUGH, of Portland, but finished second on tie-breaking. Uselton was undefeated in the event, drawing his fourth round game with Ken Dart, of Everett, and his fifth round game with Steve Loyland, of Portland. McMaugh won five, and lost his single game to the winner in the third round. STEPHEN STRAND, of Centralia, won the junior award for the section, finishing a clear third at $4\frac{1}{2}$ - $1\frac{1}{2}$.

The reserve section field of fifteen, included seven newcomers to tournaments. Among these were RON FEUERBERG, younger brother of Gary Feuerberg, and Edward and Sharon Addis, brother and sister. Sharon stated that she was 11. All three won two games in the tourney. In her third round win from Mike McGriff, Sharon played P-K4 and the game proceeded: 1. ..P-K3; 2. B-B4, P-Q3; 3. Q-B3, P-K4; 4. QxP mate.

The tournament was conducted on the week-end of April 2 - 3, at the Oregonian Hostess House, and was sponsored by the Portland Chess Club.

Eight Portland players participated in the open section, and ten others in the reserve. There were eight Washington players in the top section, and three more in the lower. The balance of the field was comprised of Oregon players.

Time control was 45 moves in two hours, with 25 moves per hour thereafter. Tournament director for the event was Buz Eddy. (Posted on the board as "The late Buz Eddy."

Summary of the 1966 INTERSTATE OPEN

Player	Home	-1-	-2-	-3-	-4-	-5-	-6-	Score	Med	Solks
1. Clark Harmon	Portland	D9	W20	W14	W17	W7	W6	5½- ½		
2. James McCormick	Seattle	L5	W19	W8	W13	9	W3	5 - 1	15	
3. Rick Ganong	Portland	W19	W5	W10	W6	W17	L2	5 - 1	14	
4. Donald Turner	The Dalles	W24	W13	D17	L9	W5	W11	4½-1½		
5. Mike Schemm	Corvallis	W2	L3	W26	W24	L4	W14	4 - 2	15½	
6. Jerry Wolfe	Troutdale	W16	W25	W7	L3	W18	L1	4 - 2	14½	
7. Terry Nelson	Seattle	W23	18	L6	W10	L1	W9	4 - 2	13½	
8. Larry Allyn	Wenatchee	L10	W21	12	W26	W15	W17	4 - 2	11	
9. Dave Williams	Seattle	D1	W12	W16	W4	L2	L7	3½-2½	17	
10. Pierre Wiesz	Portland	W8	W11	L3	L7	D12	W20	3½-2½	15	
11. Denny Jenquin	Portland	W21	L10	W15	D18	W20	L4	3½-2½	11	
12. Eric Swanson	Eugene	D20	L9	D22	W27	D10	W18	3½-2½	10½	
13. James Mitchell	Portland	W31	L4	W29	L2	D28	W19	3½-2½	10	
14. Dennis Waterman	Myrtle Point	D22	W27	L1	D15	W16	L5	3 - 3	12½	
15. Harry Demarest	Portland	D27	W22	L11	D14	L8	W28	3 - 3	11	17
16. John Cleveland	Corvallis	L6	W31	L9	W25	L14	W26	3 - 3	11	14½
17. Deane Moore	Portland	W30	W26	D4	L1	L3	L8	2½-3½	15½	
18. Jack Love	Seattle	Bye	L7	W25	D11	L6	L12	2½-3½	13½	
19. Gerald Stiles	Seattle	L3	L2	W21	D28	W22	L13	2½-3½	13	20
20. William Graeff	Oakridge	D12	L1	W23	W31	L11	L10	2½-3½	13	19
21. Russell Miller	Chelan	L11	L8	L19	Bye	D25	W27	2½-3½	10½	
22. Wesley McKaig	Klamath Falls	D14	L15	D12	D29	L19	W31	2½-3½	9½	
23. Theodore B. Day	Richland	L7	D24	L20	W30	L26	W29	2½-3½	8½	13½
24. Bruce Betzer	Portland	L4	D23	W30	L5	W29	F	2½-3½	8½	13
25. Jack Schrader	Salem	W29	L6	L18	L16	D21	W30	2½-3½	8	
26. Cal Bertram	Vancouver	W28	L17	L5	L8	W23	L16	2 - 4	11½	
27. Norman Stough	Chehalis	D15	L14	D28	L12	W31	L21	2 - 4	10	
28. Larry Bergquist	Salem	L26	D30	D27	D19	D21	L15	2 - 4	9½	
29. Bill Smith	Portland	L25	Bye	L13	D22	L24	L23	1½-4½	10½	
30. Lewis Richardson	Portland	L17	D28	L24	L23	Bye	L25	1½-4½	9½	
31. George Laugen	Roseburg	L13	L16	Bye	L20	L27	L22	1 - 5		

RESERVE SECTION

1. James Uselton	Portland	W10	W3	W2	D5	D4	W6	5 - 1	16
2. Barrett McMaugh	Portland	W13	W7	L1	W11	W5	W4	5 - 1	12
3. Stephen Strand	Centralia	W12	L1	W15	D6	W11	W9	4½-1½	
4. Steve Loyland	Portland	W15	D5	W6	W7	D1	L2	4 - 2	15
5. Ken Dart	Everett	W14	D4	W8	D1	D2	W7	4 - 2	14½
6. Mike Lilly	Beaverton	W9	W8	L4	D3	W12	L1	3½-2½	
7. Randall Puseman	Portland	Bye	L2	W13	L4	W8	L5	3 - 3	12½
8. Elberta Denison	Portland	W11	L6	L5	W10	L7	W14	3 - 3	10
9. Bernard Clark	Centralia	L6	W10	L11	W12	W14	L3	3 - 3	9½
10. Sol Lubliner	Portland	L1	L9	Bye	L8	W12	W13	3 - 3	9
11. Ron Feuerberg	Portland	L8	Bye	W9	L2	L3	W12	2 - 4	12½
12. Sharon Addis	Portland	L3	L15	W14	L9	L10	W11	2 - 4	9½
13. Edward Addis	Portland	L2	W14	L7	WF15	L6	L10	2 - 4	9
14. Mike McGriff	Portland	L5	L13	L12	Bye	L9	L8	1 - 5	9½
15. David Vitus	Eugene	L4	W12	L3	LF13	F	F	1 - 5	6

PORTLAND METROPOLITAN CHESS LEAGUE
by Lewis Richardson

The Portland Metropolitan Chess League has completed its first season of play. 29 chess players competed in the four team single round robin series of matches. The Black Knights, captained by CLARK HARMON, won the league with a perfect 3 - 0 match score. They also piled up an impressive 20½-9½ total games record. The name of the winning team, and the players playing on it, has been engraved on a four year plaque to be kept at the Portland Chess Club.

The PMCL was organized on an individual entry, rather than team entry, basis. Each player interested in playing in the league paid a small entry fee (50¢) to be listed on the players roster. After the registration period was over the PMCL coordinating committee met and decided that there were enough players to form four teams. They appointed four team captains; Greg Kern, Clark Harmon, Deane Moore, and Lewis Richardson. The captains then chose the rest of their teams by means of a rotating draft. The idea behind this method was to provide an opportunity for match play to all levels of players, and at the same time keep the strength of the teams approximately equal.

Round 1 (Jan. 30)

BLACK KNIGHTS 6 - 4 PAWNZERS

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|--------------------|-----|---|---|------------------|
| 1. Clark Harmon | — 2 | 0 | — | Leon Sage |
| 2. Denny Jenquin | — 2 | 0 | — | Darryl Potter |
| 3. Halvor Knudtson | — 2 | 0 | — | Ralph Stein |
| 4. Evan Whipple | — 0 | 2 | — | Lewis Richardson |
| 5. Sol Lubliner | — 0 | 2 | — | Barrett McMaugh |

CLOCKWATCHERS 5 - 5 GAMBITEERS

- | | | | | |
|--------------------|-----|----|---|----------------|
| 1. Pierre Weisz | — ½ | 1½ | — | Leif Karell |
| 2. Deane Moore | — 1 | 1 | — | Jack Schrader |
| 3. Dennis Metcalf | — 1 | 1 | — | Harry Demarest |
| 4. Dave White | — 1 | 1 | — | Cal Bertram |
| 5. Don Kirkpatrick | — 1 | 0 | — | Paul Schorzman |
| 5. Randy Prakken | — ½ | ½ | — | Paul Schorzman |

Round 2 (Feb. 20)

BLACK KNIGHTS 8½ - 1½ CLOCKWATCHERS

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|-------------------|------|---|---|-----------------|
| 1. Clark Harmon | — 2 | 0 | — | Pierre Weisz |
| 2. Fred Byron | — 2 | 0 | — | Deane Moore |
| 3. Denny Jenquin | — 1½ | ½ | — | Dave White |
| 4. Halvor Knudson | — 1 | 1 | — | Don Kirkpatrick |
| 5. Sol Lubliner | — 1 | 0 | — | Randy Prakken |
| 5. Bob Hubbard | — 1 | 0 | — | Steve Loy |

PAWNZERS 5½ - 2½ GAMBITEERS

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|---------------------|-----|----|---|----------------|
| 1. Reuben Saez | — ½ | 1½ | — | Leif Karell |
| 2. Darryl Potter | — 1 | 1 | — | Harry Demarest |
| 3. Lewis Richardson | — 1 | 0 | — | Larry Stone |
| 3. Barrett McMaugh | — 1 | 0 | — | Larry Stone |
| 4. Barrett McMaugh | — 1 | 0 | — | Mike Lilly |
| 4. Everett Dale | — 1 | 0 | — | Mike Lilly |
| 5. (forfeit) | — 0 | 0 | — | (forfeit) |

Round 3 (Feb. 27)

BLACK KNIGHTS 6 - 4 GAMBITEERS

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|-------------------|-----|---|---|----------------|
| 1. Clark Harmon | — 1 | 1 | — | Leif Karell |
| 2. Denny Jenquin | — 1 | 1 | — | Greg Kern |
| 3. Halvor Knudson | — 1 | 1 | — | Harry Demarest |
| 4. Bob Hubbard | — 2 | 0 | — | Jim McKnight |
| 5. Evan Whipple | — 1 | 1 | — | Larry Stone |

CLOCKWATCHERS 5½ - 4½ PAWNZERS

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|--------------------|-----|---|---|------------------|
| 1. Pierre Weisz | — 2 | 0 | — | Darryl Potter |
| 2. Deane Moore | — 1 | 1 | — | Ralph Stein |
| 3. Dennis Metcalf | — 0 | 2 | — | Lewis Richardson |
| 4. Dave White | — 1 | 1 | — | Barrett McMaugh |
| 5. Randy Prakken | — ½ | ½ | — | Everett Dale |
| 5. Don Kirkpatrick | — 1 | 0 | — | Everett Dale |

FINAL LEAGUE STANDINGS

Team	Won	Lost	Games won	Games lost
1. Black Knights	3	0	20½	9½
2. Clockwatchers	1½	1½	12	18
3. Pawnzers	1	2	14	16
4. Gambiteers	½	2½	14½	15½

ALL STAR TEAM

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|-----------|---|------------------|---|-----------|
| 1st Board | — | Clark Harmon | — | (5 - 1) |
| 2nd Board | — | Denny Jenquin | — | (3 - 1) |
| 3rd Board | — | Halvor Knudson | — | (3 - 1) |
| 4th Board | — | Bob Hubbard | — | (2 - 0) |
| 5th Board | — | Barrett McMaugh | — | (2 - 0) |
| Utility | — | Lewis Richardson | — | (5 - 0) |

The top players in terms of availability and percentage records were:

Lewis Richardson	100% (5-0)	Jenquin	75% (4½-1½)
Clark Harmon	83% (5-1)	Karell	67% (4-.2)
Barrett McMaugh	83% (5-1)	Knudtson	67% (4-.2)

The League will begin again about the middle of next October, to allow an easier playing schedule. If you are interested in playing in the league next season, contact either Clark Harmon or Deane Moore. Both can be reached through the Portland Chess Club - 411 Henry Bldg. Portland.

Russell's Chess Chats

BY RUSSELL MILLER

The Russian chess organization in the 2nd Piatigorsky Cup tournament. Spassky and Petrosian were invited to play but will not be available at the time set for the tourney, July 17 to August 11 at Santa Monica. Bobby Fischer, Samuel Reshevsky, Jan Donner, Borislav Ivkov, Bent Larsen and Miguel Najdorf have accepted invitations, two more players will be announced soon.

The next Interzonal tournament in the World Championship cycle will be held in 1967 with Fischer, Reshevsky and Robert Byrne playing for the USA. The site has not been selected yet.

Polugaievsky of USSR won the 28th Beverwijk Chess Congress in Holland $11\frac{1}{2}$ - $3\frac{1}{2}$ without losing a game. Next were Szabo 11, Bilek $10\frac{1}{2}$ and Ivkov 10. In the master group Ghitecu of Roumania was first $8\frac{1}{2}$ - $2\frac{1}{2}$. Nona Gaprindashvili Woman World Champion scored 6-5 to place 6th.

Ivkov won a small tourney at Fersel Holland 5-0.

Najdorf won another Argentina tourney $8\frac{1}{2}$ - $2\frac{1}{2}$.

East German Pietzch won a tourney at Leipzig $10\frac{1}{2}$ with Liberson (USSR) and Kavalek (Czech) 10 out of 15.

Portisch won Hungarian Championship. Fridrik Olafsson won a tourney in Reykjavik, Iceland 9-2. Vasiukov USSR grandmaster was next $8\frac{1}{2}$ then O'Kelly 8 and Palmason 7.

New Israeli Champion is Aloni who also won the title 21 years ago.

Parma of Yugoslav won the annual tourney at Reggio Emilia, Italy 9-2.

At Venice Ivkov, a very active grandmaster, won a small but strong tourney with 5 pts. Rest were Antoshin (USSR) $4\frac{1}{2}$; Lengyel (Hungary) & Tatai (Italy) 4; Golembek (Great Britian), Schmid (West Germany) and Hamann (Denmark) $3\frac{1}{2}$ plus Fletzer (Italy) 0.

Nineteen year old David Friedgood won the XX11th Charnwood Tournament in Cape Town, South Africa 8-1.

In a Malaga, Spain tournament 1-2 were O'Kelly and Jimenez 8; 3 Sabonido $7\frac{1}{2}$; 4 Tozan and Wade 7; 6-7 Medina and Ziner $5\frac{1}{2}$; 8 Ulvestad 5. Olaf Ulvestad is a former Seattle player and US master.

The following comments (thanks goes to Vic Pupols for supplying me with these) were made before the start of the World Championship match between Tigran Petrosian and Boris Spassky April 11. O'Kelly: "It is no accident that the World Championship is held in Moscow for the eighth time. Indeed to achieve such results the efforts and support of the entire state were necessary." Petrosian: "I am getting a headache from advice and prognosis. I believe the same for Spassky. My main desire is that the match be interesting, that the games be good even if all end up draws. If the whole match ends up drawn I will not object." He wins in that case.

The first game of the match was a Caro-Kann Defense with Spassky as white. The game was drawn in 37 moves. The second game a Queen's Gambit Declined also was drawn this time 50 moves. At adjournment Petrosian had an extra pawn but could not capitalize on it. Spassky is one of those players who after making a move will walk around but Petrosian remains in his seat most of the time studying the board. The site of the match Variety Theater in Moscow was filled with chess enthusiasts. Many has their own pocket size sets to follow the play on. Look else where in letter for up to minute results of match.

COLLEGE CHESS

BY RICHARD
HAYEK

The results are in from one more Northwest Intercollegiate League match since the publication of the April Chess Letter. This was the U. of W.-Oregon State U. match played on April 9 at Portland State College. OSU won the match with a decisive score of $6\frac{1}{2}$ - $1\frac{1}{2}$. The OSU second team also defeated the UW second team 7-1. This match eliminated the UW from contention for the 1966 NWICL Championship and made OSU the heavy favorite to win that title. The results of the match follow:

U. of W. $1\frac{1}{2}$		Oregon State $6\frac{1}{2}$	
1. D. Grannis	00	J. Wolfe	11
2. D. Williams	$1\frac{1}{2}$	C. Kelleher	$0\frac{1}{2}$
3. N. Virmani	00	M. Aliabadi	11
4. L. Smith	00	M. Schemm	11

Second team: (U. of W. 1, OSU 7)

5. R. Hayek	00	J. Cleveland	11
6. G. Terek	01	R. Gist	10
7. D. Murray	00	J. Sjogren	11
8. N. Stixrood	00	F. Wyse	1-
		L. Root	-1

On Sunday April 3 the U. of W. played an unofficial non-League five-board match with the University of British Columbia chess team. The match was played at the Leopold Hotel in Bellingham. Myron Miller arranged for the room. The score was 5-5. The big upset of the match was a second round draw between Duncan Suttles (UBC) and Dave Grannis (UW) on first board. The complete results were as follows:

U. of W. 5		U. of B.C. 5	
1. D. Grannis	$0\frac{1}{2}$	D. Suttles	$1\frac{1}{2}$
2. W. Brandal	11	Tim Lee	00
3. L. Brandt	00	B. Bolam	11
4. R. Sjodin	11	B. Bell	00
5. R. Hayek	$0\frac{1}{2}$	G. Woodsworth	$1\frac{1}{2}$

The current NWICL standings are as follows:

1. Oregon State University	5-0
2. Portland State College	5-1
3. Univ. of Washington	4-2
4. Western Wash. State Coll.	2-2
5. George Fox College	2-3
6. Concordia College	(W/D)
7. Seattle Pacific College	(W/D)

The WWSC-George Fox and OSU-WWSC matches were scheduled for April 9 and April 23 respectively. Results have not as yet been received from either match.

There will be a meeting of NWICL team captains sometime during May for the purpose of electing officers for the 1966-67 season and working out a tentative schedule and deciding League policy for the coming year. Another important item of business will be deciding whether or not the League will bid on the 1966 National Intercollegiate Tournament. Bids must be submitted by June 1. The Tournament is held each year between Christmas and New Year's.

Correspondence we have received indicates significantly increased interest in the NWICL among the colleges and universities in the Northwest over what the situation was a year ago. We are currently hoping to have two or more divisions in the League next year. One division would include just the schools west of the Cascades with strong teams, i.e. UBC, WWSC, U. of W., PSC, OSU, U. of O. and maybe Seattle U. and Reed. The only other western schools currently committed to League membership next year are Oregon College of Education (Monmouth) and Southern Oregon College (Ashland). There is a chance that Concordia College, Clatsop Community College and two or three additional schools in southern Oregon will also join. This would permit the formation of a five or six team "B" division in Oregon.

The only schools outside of Oregon, aside from those mentioned above, which have expressed interest in joining the NWICL for 1966-67 are Washington State University, Idaho State University and Ricks College (Rexburg, Idaho). We have also received correspondence from Yakima Valley College and Wenatchee Valley College. Since all of these schools are widely separated it will not be possible to construct more League

divisions unless several more schools in eastern Washington and Idaho join the League.

The semi-annual election of officers of the University of Washington Chess Club was held at the Friday April 15 club meeting. The officers elected were:

President: Bob Nowak
Vice President: Eugene Fomin
Secretary: Dave Williams
Treasurer: Jerry Shaff

Bob is a sophomore and the other three are freshman, so the UW Club should be assured of continuity for at least the next several years.

Upcoming events at the U. of W. include an appearance by George Koltanowski tentatively scheduled for Friday May 6. Mr. Koltanowski will give a lecture and a short demonstration. We are hoping to couple his appearance with a simultaneous exhibition by either Kent Pullen or Viktors Pupols, since Koltanowski himself will not give a simultaneous exhibition on this tour. Koltanowski's appearance at the U. of W. will be open to people outside the University.

On Sunday May 15 a ten (or more) board match between the Boeing Employees Chess Club and the U. of W. Chess Club will be held at the U. of W. HUB. The biggest upcoming event at the U. of W. is the UW Open Tmt. to be held on April 30-May 1. This is the first time this tournament has been held. If it is successful it may become an annual event. Included among early registrants are Kent Pullen, Willy Brandal, and Dave Grannis. Since the U. of W. HUB provides the finest playing site in the Pacific Northwest, this is one tournament everyone should plan to enter.

Dick Hayek, NWICL President

INLAND EMPIRE CHESS

by PAT HERBERS

RAY TRAINOR beat Herbers in another match by a score of $4\frac{1}{2}$ - $3\frac{1}{2}$. There was one draw. Herbers beat MEL LEONARD in a match by a score of $6\frac{1}{2}$ - $1\frac{1}{2}$. Only one draw.

We are going to start a project in Spokane to push our membership up from an average of 12, to at least 30. We'll keep you informed. (Note: Herbers has agreed to write a monthly Spokane column for the CL)

TOURNAMENT NORTHWEST

BY BUZ EDDY

This is the last of this series by your present editor, as tournament administration and tournament policy are now the responsibility of the new WCF Tournament Director, Eugene Fomin. We hope to have a similar article from him next month. In asking Mr. Fomin if he intended to use the "Buz Eddy" rule of mandatory recording, he replied that this will not be in force in events that he directs, and that recording will not be mandatory per se, but only to establish validity of claims.

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One last word about color assignment that your writer used during his tenure as T. D. Our system encompassed the idea that the top rated player in an event was the man to beat, and started each event by giving him black in the first round to increase his prospects of white in critical games. In subsequent rounds, where colors played were the same in previous rounds, we used the idea of the player furthest from the middle continued to alternate. (Higher rated player in the top score groups, lower rated player in the bottom groups.) In the center score group we gave white to the higher rated player to offset the fact that the first round policy made the event black top heavy. Until late 1965 we had last round opponents with the same color distribution draw for color, but we noticed that this was inconsistent with some of the above ideas, and ceased that practice late last year.

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Your writer has agreed to direct the B.C. tournament this year, and that shall be our last appearance in that capacity. (Assuming Fomin will direct the E.E.O.) We have thoroughly enjoyed serving as tournament director for the past two and a half years, and as we trade our pairing cards for a typewriter we have a feeling that we are going to really miss the tournament room.

Buz Eddy

The University of Washington - Oregon State University NWICL match was played at Portland State College on Saturday April 9, 1966. Eight boards were played. The first four boards counted as the official match and the bottom four boards constituted a second team match, which was strictly unofficial. I had even more trouble getting people to play for this match than for the UW-PSC match and the problem is reflected in the score, which follows:

University of Washington-Oregon St. Univ.			
1. Dave Grannis	00	Jerry Wolfe	11
2. Dave Williams	1½	Clay Kelleher	0½
3. Narender Virmani	00	Mohammed Aliabadill	
4. Larry Smith	00	Mike Schemm	11
	<u>1½</u>		<u>6½</u>
5. Dick Hayek	00	John Cleveland	11
6. George Terek	01	Ron Gist	10
7. Duncan Murray	00	Jon Sjogren	11
8. Norman Stixrood	00	Frank Wyse	1-
		Larry Root	-1
	<u>1</u>		<u>7</u>

Dick Hayek
UW Chess Club
NWICL President

This makes the league look good for the OSU team if they get by WWSC college on April 23. The final team standing and a final report will be in the next issue.

JUNIOR CHESS TOURNEY

Type: 5 Round Swiss
Solhoff-Median tie breakings
45 moves in one hour

When: May 28th 1966

Where: 1504 Hewitt Ave. Everett, Wash.

Registration will start at 9AM with a cost of \$2.00 for college and \$1.50 for high school players, and \$1.00 for grade school players. Cash prizes will depend upon the turn out.

Richard "ROCK" Schultz our former editor has scored 4½-½ to split first prize with Phil Smith of Fresno in the Visalia Amateur.

SECOND ANNUAL ROGUE VALLEY CHAMPIONSHIP CHESS TOURNAMENT (CLOSED)

May 14 and 15

Sponsored by the Medford Chess Club

Players must be a resident of the Rogue Valley

CHAMPIONSHIP SECTION

6 round Swiss
Entry fee \$3.00
Jr. \$2.00

1st prize - Rogue Valley Championship and a trophy
2nd prize - Trophy
3rd prize - Trophy
High Jr. - Trophy

RESERVE SECTION

6 round Swiss
Limited to players under 1500 Rating or Unrated.
Entry Fee \$2.00
Jr. \$1.00

1st prize - Trophy
2nd prize - Trophy
High Jr. - Trophy

Place: Pacific Power and Light Building at Grape St. and Barnett Rd.

Register: 8:30 A.M. - First round 9:30 A.M.

Time Control: 45 moves in 2 hours.

ASHLAND CHESS CLUB JUNIOR OPEN

Eligible: The Ashland Chess Club will hold a Junior open tournament for High School and younger students. Entrants must have attended a school of 12th grade or lower during this past school year. Senior High students graduating June 1966 this will be your last chance to compete in the first of what we intend to be an annual affair.

Type: One day three round Swiss
Fee 50¢. Dates: May 22, 1966
Write for particulars to:

Harry Glidden
243 So. Stage Road
Medford, Oregon, 97501

NORTHWEST

RATINGS

BY
HOWARD

Events

Covered

Buz Eddy 5 Stephen Christopher 1
Pierce Co. Closed
Concordia 2 Ore. St. Univ. 6

Adkisson, W.L.	Wn.	1424#
Bigley, Jack	Wn.	1649
Bosse, Col. Edward	Wn.	1531
Brady, Jim	?	1254#
Brookens, Dennis	?	1502
Carlson, Carl E.	Wn.	1782
Christopher, Stephen	Wn.	1540
Cleveland, John	Ore.	1802
Davis, Jim	?	1691
Eddy, Buz	Wn.	1735
Gruenstein, Dave	Wn.	1625#
Haugen, Dave	Wn.	1838
Hughes, John	Wn.	1759#
Jarvinen, Dick	Ore.	1743
Johnston, Lyman	Wn.	1770
Knapp, Earl	Wn.	1641
Litke, Wendel	Wn.	1709
Metzger, Richard	Wn.	1692#
Page, John	Wn.	1558#
Pease, Mike	Wn.	1424
Pericich, John	Wn.	1675
Peters, John	Wn.	1424#
Prentice, Ernest	Wn.	1757
Rasmussen, Ernest	Wn.	1838
Saxton, Jay	Ore.	1576
Slifer, Wm.	Wn.	1826#
Somsen, Dick	Wn.	2026
Sopko, Marv	?	1753#
Thompson, Charles	Wn.	1715
Ward, Bill	Wn.	1433
Ward, John	Wn.	1648#
White, Barry	Ore.	1537#

= Provisional Rating less than 10 games.

Seattle Chess Club News by Howard

The annual Club Championship is now in progress after 3 rounds the leaders are.

John Walker	3	---0
R. Murata	2	1/2--1/2
Buz Eddy	2	---- 1
Glen Muller	2	---- 1
Gerrit Zweers	2	---- 1
Pat Hickey	2	---- 1

Buz Eddy is directing and playing in the 16 player event.

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1966 INLAND EMPIRE OPEN

must actually lead to mating the black king. The preparation Murray did have was essentially the same as that of Lundin, and that 9. ... P-B3 does not appear in English Language publications. Murray's clock showed less than two minutes to go after completing only 16 moves.

Colin Aykroyd played well in his game with McCormick, but in time pressure let McCormick establish a fairly clear win. Then on move 41 three things happened, Colin blew a rook, resigned the game, and lost on time.

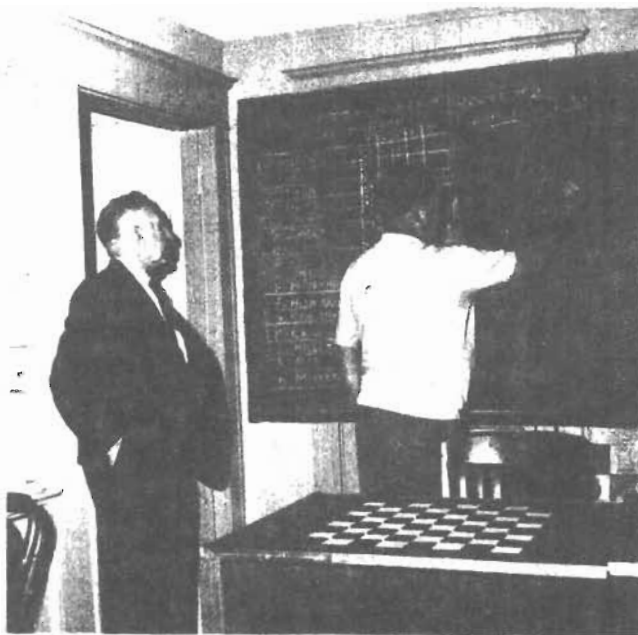
ROUND - 5 Gordon Cornelius playing black against H. K. Zornes found himself in an open tactical position. After several threats had been made and parried on both sides Zornes left his queen en prise to embark on a three move mating combination. Cornelius took the queen, and after Zornes made the first move of his combination. Gordon looked at the threatened mate and resigned. Trouble was, there was NO MATE. Mike Murray, after his exhausting loss to Pupols was dumped from prize money contention by losing to Bob Kittredge, of Spokane.

ROUND - 6 Bob Holzinger recovered from his first round upset at the hands of Pat Herbers to post one of his own over W. Kiplinger. Jim McCormick was a half point up on the field and content to draw his final round game. Pupols; having the black pieces, and not feeling up to trying to beat the state champion; was also content to draw. The game was a QGD in which they quickly exchanged most of the pieces, and established a rook and pawn ending draw. Norm Abrahamson posted an upset win over D. Adams, but exactly one year to late. The two met in the final round of the IEO last year and drew, but had either one won that game they would have won the event outright.

The tournament was played at the Coeur d'Alene Hotel in Spokane with a turnout of 24 players. Time control was 50 in two for the first two rounds, and 45 in two for the final four. Tournament Director was Buz Eddy.

PICTURES of the WASHINGTON
CHESS FEDERATION ANNUAL
MEETING

Right: W.C.F. ratings director, FRED M. HOWARD presents a full explanation of the mechanics of the northwest rating system to the meeting. Newly elected president Edward Bosse watches. The meeting, reported briefly last month, was held Mar. 27, at the Seattle Chess Club. (The current Seattle Club Championship cross-table can be seen on the blackboard beside Howard.



Left: Among those present at the meeting were; ROBERT HOLZINGER, of Seattle, LARRY ALLYN, of Wenatchee, and Chess Chat writer RUSSELL MILLER, of Chelan.



Right: Editor Buz Eddy (then tournament director) presents his report to the meeting. KENT PULLEN and Edward Bosse watch as Secretary Charles Joachim records the minutes. (Full story of the meeting on the following pages.



WCF MEETING

Meeting called to order at 1:30, Sunday March 27, 1966.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved as read.

Mr. Parsons, Editor, introduced new ideas and the president endorsed the improvements in the publication system planned for the coming year.

The rating director explained the working of the rating system used in Washington. (See the April 1966 NCL page 11 for a summary, Ed.)

The tournament director rendered his report, emphasizing the fact, that the quality of the Washington State Championship tournaments had improved tremendously during the last year. An appeal was made for more assistance for the tournament director during the US Open to be held in Seattle this year. Mr. Eddy announced that the Labor Day tournament will be held in Seattle and Portland under equal conditions, to avoid hurting either city. The profit of the last Wash. Open tournament will be held to safeguard next years prizes.

Mr. Weaver, the current postal director, gave his report. About membership in general, it was mentioned that there are 310 individuals and 27 clubs belonging to the Wash Chess Federation (NWCL), of which 15 of these clubs are from the State of Washington.

The treasurer's report was read and approved. Mr. Christopher reported that the cash balance is about equal in size to that at this same time last year, but assets have increased substantially. This was due in main to the purchase of a new reproducing machine for about \$100. Postal chess is selfsupporting still. It was pointed out that the funds of the US Open are held separate from those of the Wash. State Chess Federation so there would be no legal connection that could involve the Federation in case of a shortage during the US Open.

Roll Call:

Pres. Mr. Harmon, Vice Pres. Mr. Bosse, Treas. Mr. Christopher, Sec. Mr. Joachim, Circulation, Mr. Weaver, Ratings Mr. Howard, Editor Mr. Parsons, Tournament Director Mr. Eddy.

Clubs: Seattle CC Mr. Fomin, University of Wash Mr. Hayek, West Seattle Chess Club Mr. Olson, Eigerwand Mr. Pullen, Tacoma Mr. Bosse, Chelan Mr. R. Miller, Golden Horde Mr. Eddy, Portland Mr. Harmon, Wenatchee Mr. L. Allyn.

In addition to the above Mr. Holzinger was present but was not allowed a vote. There were possible others falling in this same category which is a matter under new business.

Old business: Motion was made to change the name of the Letter back to the Wash. Chess Letter by Mr. Eddy. A motion was then made to shelve this matter until later, this was seconded but defeated. The original motion was then voted on and defeated substantially. The name of the Letter will remain The Northwest Chess Letter.

Dick Hayek moved that the voting procedures of the Wash. State Chess Federation general assembly should be changed to election by ballot by all members., individually. The motion was seconded by Mr. Pullen, but was defeated in the vote.

A motion was made to recess, to give the nominating committee a chance to complete its nominations, as the president, secretary and editor expressed their wish to retire from office. The motion was carried.

Nominations and Elections

Office	Nominated	Elected
President	Bosse, Parsons	Bosse
V.Pres.	R. Miller, Parsons	Miller
Sec.	Parsons	Parsons
Treas.	Christopher	Christopher
Editor-Pub.	Eddy	Eddy
Circulation	Weaver	Weaver
Postal	J. Ward	J. Ward
Tournament Dir.	Fomin	Fomin
Publicity	P. Olson	P. Olson
Ratings Dir.	Howard	Howard
USCF Directors	Eddy	Eddy
	M. Miller	R. Miller
	R. Miller	Christopher
	Christopher	

*M. Miller will be a standby should the number be raised to four as expected.

New Business

Moved and seconded to renew affiliation with the USCF.

Moved and appointed volunteers for publicity. Carried with Hyek and Fulton accepting and Holzinger declining.

It was moved by Mr. Pullen that a committee should be established to study voting procedures. So carried. The committee will consist of the president, the secretary, and Mr. Pullen with possibly others helping, they will be appointed in the future.

It was moved and seconded that a \$40 a-page tournament bulletin-booklet should be issued. This was carried.

Moved and seconded that no award for special services should be issued for the past year; because there were too many deserving persons and no one in particular should be singled out at the expense of the others. So carried.

It was moved to mention for special merits during the past year: Harmon, Eddy, Christopher and Parsons. So carried.

Moved to honor our beloved board member, Mr. Merk, who passed away recently, in the April issue of the NWCL. So carried.

It was moved by R. Miller that \$175.00 should be set aside at the disposition of Mr. Eddy for expenses occurred. So carried.

Moved by Mr. Pullen that the tournament director should be granted 5% of the gross proceeds of the tournament he directs, if the net receipts so allow it. Carried. This is left to the discretion of the Director, but he is in his rights to request this, especially if the distance or other circumstances make his job more difficult than ordinary.

Moved by Mr. Joachim that the Seafair tournament should be not held this year due to the US Open, but that it should be continued again in 1967. So carried.

Adjourned at 5:10/P.M.

Respectfully submitted
Charles Joachim, Sec.

DUNCAN SUTTLES B.C. CHAMPION AGAIN!!!

The results of the B.C. Chess Championship held at the City Chess Club on April 8, 9, and 10. show Duncan Suttles of U.B.C. the winner for the second time with a score of five wins and two draws. He defeated Vitanyi, Veszely, and A. Panayotu among others and drew with R. Zuk and C. Aykroyd. Zuk, Macskasy, and Aykroyd finished in a triple tie for second with $5\frac{1}{2}-1\frac{1}{2}$. Young Zuk was the sensation of the tournament; a swift and sure positional player, he had both Suttles and Macskasy against the wall but was only to draw despite being a pawn up against both. Macskasy's chances were spoiled in the third round when F. Veszely defeated him decisively with the black side of a Dutch Defense. Aykroyd had a alightly easier schedule but lost to Veszely in the fourth round and pulled off an amusing swindle from a hopeless position to draw with Suttles in the last round.

A total of 47 players participated in the seven-round Swiss Tournament. A boost to spectator attendance was given by the Vancouver Sun which had a full page spread about chess in B.C., complete with photographs, in its April 7 Leisure Section.

T. Payne (1550) conceded a draw in the last round in a winning position when a win would have given him a share of the 2nd prize.

The City Chess Club Open Tournament was won by Dr. E. Macskasy with a perfect 6-0 score in a field of 26 players. He defeated D. Suttles' Rat Defense in the last round and Suttles finished tied for second with L. Vitanyi at 5-1. George Schneider directed the event.

The above was reported by Colin Aykroyd who promises us some games from the B.C. Championship as well as the results of the Vancouver Inter-Club Team matches as soon as he returns from his vacation.

The editor of the Canadian Chess Chat also dropped down for a visit recently and added a comment to the above.

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On Sunday April 3rd in Bellingham the U of W and U of B C tangled in a five board team match which ended in a deadlock after the smoke had cleared. Dick Hayek reports this to be a strictly informal match, but UBC is planning to join the NW Intercollegiate League in the 1966-67 Season.

U of B C		U of Washington
1 Duncan Suttles	1 $\frac{1}{2}$	Dave Grannis 0 $\frac{1}{2}$
2 Tim Lee	00	Willy Brandal 11
3 Barry Bolam	11	Larry Brandt 00
4 Brad Bell	00	Bob Sjodin 11
5 Glenn Woodsworth	1 $\frac{1}{2}$	Dick Hayek 0 $\frac{1}{2}$
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Dick Hayek reports the following upcoming U of W chess activities. A NWICL match with OSU at Portland on Saturday April 9, an exhibition by Koltanowski on Fri April 22 (hopefully), the UW Open on April 30 - May 1, a match with the Portland Metro champs on Sun. May 8, and a 10-15 board match with the Boeing C.C. on Sunday May 15. I've received some advanced entries for the UW Open. So it looks good.

It was brought up at the Annual WCF meeting that George Koltanowski is giving chess exhibitions in the N.W. at cost!! In case any clubs are interested I suggest they contact Buz Eddy and inquire about this. This is an excellent chance to get one of the world's best blindfold and simultaneous players to demonstrate his ability at your own club. He has been giving demonstrations the world over for years and is very good at it!

1966 WASH. H.S. CHAMP

Name	School	W13	W8	W6	L2	W3	410	12	6th
1. Corwin, Chris	Kenmore HS	W13	W8	W6	L2	W3	410	12	6th
2. Dean, Randy	Olympia HS	W14	W9	W7	W4	W5	500		1st
3. Heathcote, John	Roosevelt	W15	W22	W23	W5	L1	410	14½	3rd
4. Hueston, Steve	Mt. Rainier	W16	L23	L1	L20	W15	230	13-8	18th
5. Guimont, Lauren	Sealth	W17	W12	W20	L3	L2	320	14½	9th
6. Gouge, Doug	Edmonds	W18	W25	L1	L7	W20	320	15-8	8th
7. Christopher, Gary	Queen Anne	W19	W27	L2	W6	W18	410	16	2nd
8. Chin, Howie	Everett	W20	L1	L27	W9	L12	230	13-7	19th
9. Walgren, Blaine	Queen Anne	W21	L2	L14	L8	W17	230	10½	21st
10. Lunquist, Mark	Edmonds	L22	L15	L26	W17	Bye	230	7-4½	22nd
11. Enhardt, Richard	Blanchet	L23	W16	W4	W12	W14	410	13	5th.
12. Miller, Joe	Blanchet	W24	L5	W17	L11	W8	320	11½	11th
13. Chapman, Paul	Blanchet	L1	L20	L16	L24	L26	050	12	27th
14. Murray, John	Blanchet	L2	W21	W9	W15	L11	320	13	10th
15. Rigley, Ted	Blanchet	L3	W10	W22	L14	L4	230	14½	16th
16. McGuinness, Mike	Blanchet	L4	L11	W13	L19	L28	140		25th
17. McQuilkin, Mike	Blanchet	L5	D24	L12	L10	L17	041		26th
18. Stang, Paul	Blanchet	L6	W26	W28	W25	L7	320	15-9	7th
20. Dudley, Ken	Edmonds	L8	W13	L5	W4	L7	230	12	20th
19. Simons, Norm	Edmonds	L7	L28	W21	W16	W27	320	10	12th
21. Moser, Jim	Everett	L9	L14	L19	F	F	050	8	28th
22. Chase, Stephen	Everett	W10	L3	L15	L28	D24	131		24th
23. Hendrickson, Chris	Queen Anne	W11	W4	L3	W27	W25	410	14	4th
24. Schroeder, Rod	Queen Anne	L12	D17	L25	W13	D22	230	7-4	23rd
25. Roley, Steve	Lake Wash.	W26	L6	W24	L18	L23	230	15	15th
26. Canter, Scott	Lk Wash.	L25	L18	W10	Bye	W13	320	8	14th
27. Greger, Doug	Canyon Park	Bye	L7	W8	L25	L19	230	13-9	17th
28. Morgan, Greg	Lk Wash.	F	W19	L18	W22	W16	320	8½	13th

All schools are of Seattle unless obviously designated contrary.

On March 19, 1966 the Wash. High School Championship was played off. Pete Hashisaki EHS CC, sponsor of the tournament, by not returning to defend his title. Randy Dean 2nd in the State Championship of 1965 did return to claim 1st. Chris Corwin, Northwest Junior Open player came as a high school frosh to also take Pete's title.

With a five round Swiss with Solkoff-Median-sinning Solkoff tie breaking and 45 moves/hour, the favorites scored all first round victories. From the first to third rounds Dean, Corwin, and Heathcote had all wins. In the fourth round Heathcote won another victory while Dean and Corwin adjourned their game. But in the 5th round Heathcote, 1st board player of Roosevelt's 4th ranking Metro-League Championship team, complained to his opponent that he was tired. His opponent was Randy Dean who took advantage of his weakness and spearheaded a deciding victory. With Heathcote's loss Dean and Corwin both had four wins and returned to their adjourned game. The title of 1st in that hung in the balance in this game as Dean got a hold of a few extra points. The war's tide turned against Corwin who slowly but surely gave ground to an attacking pawn and rook, while Corwin's knight did its best. But Corwin's men were doomed, along with the title, Randy Dean then annihilated Corwin. Randy Dean, 2nd in the 1965 state championship and placer in other NW tourneys conquered the state and was crowned "Emperor", by EHS CC president Howie Chin.

Gary Christopher, Queen Anne's star of the 3rd ranking Metro League team, played an excellent but not as exciting tournament and got 2nd. John Heathcote received 3rd. These boys are eligible to return to the championship in 1967, and capable of defeating Napoleon, Randy Dean, and take his crown.

NWCL High School Championship Reporter
Howie Chin

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SPOKANE CITY CHAMPLON

The eight player round robin championship tournament was held from January 14th to February 4th on Friday evenings and Sunday afternoons. Only one game was played per session with a time control of 40 moves in 2 hours. Even with this leisurely pace there were many adjourned games and some time pressure difficulties. In particular, Doug Adams got into time pressure in his games with Dr. Groenig

and Robert Kittredge. He lost both of these games after some close hard fought play. These are the first two games he has lost in Spokane tournament play in the past three years. Last round adjourned games stretched into the second week of February. Sunday, January 23rd, was a bad day for the Sicilian when all three games in play were lost with that defense. It seemed odd to all present that three different lines of that defense should lose at one playing session. Young Kelly O'Keefe had to drop out because of a trip out of town after losing his first two games. His other five games were forfeits. It is interesting to note that 22 of the possible 28 game points were shared by the top four players.

Player	X	1/2	1	1	1	1	1	1	LF	Score
1. Dr. David Groenig	X	1/2	1	1	1	1	1	1	LF	6 1/2 - 1/2
2. Gordon Cornelius	1/2	X	0	1	1	1	1	1		5 1/2 - 1 1/2
3. Doug Adams	0	1	X	0	1	1	1	1	LF	5 - 2
4. Robert Kittredge	0	0	1	X	1	1	1	1		5 - 2
5. Stuart Pearson	0	0	0	0	X	1	1	1/2	LF	2 1/2 - 4 1/2
6. Ray Trainor	0	0	0	0	0	X	1	1	LF	2 - 5
7. Mel Leonard	0	0	0	0	1/2	0	X	1	LF	1 1/2 - 5 1/2
8. Kelly O'Keefe	LFO	LFO	LFL	LFL	LFX					0 - 7

POTTER OVER HERBERS

Awoodpushers tournament for not included in the City Closed was held simultaneously on Friday evenings. This tournament was played at the rate of 30 moves in 1 hr. The top two finishers tied with 4 1/2 - 1/2 scores each. They played a two game playoff match for the trophy on Sunday the 30th of January which Jack Potter won two straight. Playing time was adequate

but the tournament was marred by fully one third of the games being forfeited. George Priebe was the tournament director for both tourneys. His appreciation to the two players who did notify him of thier withdrawal from the woodpushers tourney. Also a vote of thanks to the cooperation of the three players who loaded their homes on successive Sundays for the 2nd, 4th and 6th rounds of the closed tournament.

Player	1	2	3	4	5	Score	Solk.
1. Jack Potter	W8	W5	D2	W3	W6	4 1/2 - 1/2	13.5
2. Pat Herbers	W10	W3	D1	W7	W4	4 1/2 - 1/2	15.0
3. Harry Boomer	W6	L2	W7	L1	W9	3 - 2	14.0
4. Lyman Johnson, Cheney Wn.	W11	L7	W5	W6	L1	3 - 2	13.5
5. Norman, Stone, Cheney Wn.	W9	L1	L4	Bye	W8	3 - 2	9.5
6. Don Byrne	L3	W9	W10	L4	L1	2 - 3	13.0
7. Ernest Boswell	W12	W4	L3	L2	F	2 - 3	12.5
8. Chuck Hutchinson	L1	L10	WF12	W9	L5	2 - 3	11.5
9. Rosemary Growney	L5	L6	WF11	L8	L3	1 - 4	11.5
10. Francis Auer, Newman Lake Wn.	L2	W8	L6	F	F	1 - 4	8.0
11. Paul Franklin	L4	Bye	LF9	F	F	1 - 4	3.5
12. Chris Johnson	L7	F	LF8	F	F	0 - 5	

top two had a two game playoff match.

Players 4, 6, 8, 9, 10 & 12 are new which indicates an expansion of interest.

MEDFORD-ASHLAND CHESS TEAM MATCH

<u>MEDFORD</u>		<u>ASHLAND</u>	
1 Richard Cavin	00	Dana Sudborough	11
2 Fred Crofut	1½	Martin Zwitzer	0½
3 Bruce Hill.	00	Tracy Bearden	11
4 Dave Huffman	11	Frank Freeberger	00
5 Barry Grant.	10	Randy Stothers	01
	<u>4½</u>		<u>5½</u>

FOR A SOUTHERN OREGON CHESS

LEAGUE

The Medford and Ashland Chess Clubs met for a team match on the 27th of March at the Grotto Restraunt on Front Street in Medford the home of the Medford Chess Club which meets there Wednesday evenings at 7 PM.

With Dinner at stake there was added pressure on the contestants. At the end of the first round the score stood at Medford 1½ Ashland 3½ and the Ashland Team was already scanning the dinner menu. The Medford Team taking notice of the hunger in the eyes of the Ashland players and the cost of a dinner slipping away brought the score to 4½-4½ with the second round game between top boards adjourned till the following Wednesday. Tracy Bearden commented after looking at the adjourned game that it was safe to order a seven course meal. Having faith in his Ashland Teammate Dana Sudborough to win easily with his stronger position. Dana proved him out Wednesday by winning the game.

With 4th board Art Everette ill and unable to play, Freeberger moved to 4th and Randy Stothers filled in 5th board doing a good job by splitting a pair with Barry Grant.

Ashlands average age is 20 years senior to the Medford team players so we of Medford feel lucky in coming out with as good a score as we did.

The Medford Team is well balanced as far as strength as most anyone could play top board as well as 4th or 5th.

There is hope that there can be a southern Oregon chess league formed this year. Eugene and Coos Bay South. It has been said that the long distance might make it almost impossible to form a solid chess league in this area due to the expense of traveling and overnight accomodations. No one likes traveling long distances after a couple of hard games.

It has been brought to mind that in the smaller High School teams that participation in Athletic Competition requires traveling long distances and the teams are put up as guests by the other team members. Why not a chess team as well?

Chess clubs in the area mentioned above who may be interested in a chess league can write to RICHARD D.CAVIN president Medford Chess Club 945 Mt. Pitt, Medford Oregon.

The Medford Chess Club election of officers for 1966 took place in March. Re-elected to President was Richard Cavin and also elected to office Barry Grant Vice President and Fred Crofut Secretary Treas.

The National Point Rating system (taken from the Blue Book of Chess) went into effect in 1966 with moderate changes to fit the Medford Club. Present standings are as follows:

1. Richard Cavin	1946	17. H. Glidden	1370
2. D. Huffman	1850	18. G. Jeddloh	1336
3. F. Crofut	1846	19. R. Borgon	1324
4. Grant	1796	20. B. Hough	1192
5. Freeberger	1722	with 13 inactive members as follows:	
6. Sandberg	1662	1. D. Barney	1722
7. Dean	1658	2. A. Everette	1750
8. Martineau	1638	3. S. Parrish	1650
9. Hill	1624	4. L. Skreen	1600
10. Lindstrom	1602	5. A. Marino	1648
11. J. Martin	1568	6. B. Dickson	1550
12. C. Gingrid	1490	7. C. Glidden	1524
13. O. Willman	1480	N. Parrish	1500
14. L.E. McMurry	1420	L. Ferguson	1524
15. H. Huntley	1374	I. McKechnie	1474
16. C. Huffman	1374	M. Beale	1450
		Y. Cavin	1225
		S.J. Parrish	1100

GAMES FROM ABOUT

The following two games were sent in by Peter Lamasncy who to all appearances is a bit on the aggressive side. I'M sure that you will enjoy the following games.

Peter Lamasncy - John Hayptman
1966 Peninsula Open

1.P-QB4	N-KB3	15.R-B4	P-R3
2.N-QB3	P-K3	16.BxN	NxB
3.P-KN3	P-Q4	17.P-K5	BxN
4.PxP	PxP	18.QxB	N-Q4
5.P-Q4	P-B3	19.R-N4	Q-K2
6.B-N2	B-QN5	20.Q-Q2	K-R1
7.B-N5	BxNch	21.R-KB1	N-B2
8.PxB	B-K3	22.R-B5	N-K3
9.P-K3	QN-Q2	23.R-R5	K-R2
10.N-K2	O-O	24.B-K4ch	K-N1
11.O-O	B-N5	25.QxRP	P-B3
12.P-B3	B-B4	26.Q-R7ch	K-B2
13.P-K4	PxP	27.B-N6ch	
14.PxP	B-N5		

Peter Lamasncy - John Greenwald
Pal o Alto Chess Club - Concord Chess Club
Team Team

1.P-K4	P-K3	14.R-B2	B-R3
2.Q-K2	N-QB3	15.Q-Q1	N-QB3
3.P-KB4	B-B4	16.B-B1	N-B2
4.N-KB3	N-B3	17.N-N3	BxB
5.P-B3	O-O	18.QxB	PxP
6.P-Q4	B-K2	19.N/NxP	Q-Q2
7.P-KN3	N-K1	20.Q-Q3	B-B4
8.B-N2	P-Q4	21.QR-KB1	N-K2
9.P-K5	P-B3	22.N-KN5	N-N3
10.O-O	PxP	23.R-B7	RxR
11.BPxP	N-N1	24.RxR	Q-Q1?
12.B-K3	P-QN3	25.P-KR4	N-B1
13.QN-Q2	P-B4	26.RxNch!	

Postal Game 1964-65

A. F. Wick - Ron Erickson

The reader is asked to see if he can't find a win for White somewhere in this game, it seems that there must have been one, Ed.

1.P-K4	P-QB4	2.N-KB3	P-Q3
3.P-QN4	PxP	4.P-Q4	N-KB3
5.B-Q3	P-Q4	6.QN-Q2	P-K3
7.O-O	N-B3	8.R-K1	B-K2
9.P-K5	N-Q2	10.N-B1	N-N3
11.N-N3	O-O	12.P-B3	B-Q2
13.Q-B2	P-N3	14.B-KR6	R-K1
15.Q-Q2	PxP	16.Q-B4	Q-B2
17.N-R5	P-B4	18.Q-N3	N-N5
19.N-R4	BxN	20.QxB	NxB

21.N-B6ch	K-B2	22.NxRP	R-KN1
23.Q-B6ch	K-K1	24.B-N7	B-B1
25.QxNPch	K-Q2	26.N-B6ch	K-B3
27.NxR	NxR	28.RxN	N-R5
29.Q-K8ch	Q-Q2	30.Q-B8	P-N4
31.P-R4	B-N2	32.N-K7ch	K-B2
33.Q-B7	N-N7	34.R-QB1	P-N5
35.P-R5	N-Q6	36.R-B2	B-B3
37.P-R6	B-R5	38.P-R7	BxR
39.P-N4	PxP	40.NxPch	PxN
41.Q-B6	N-K8	42.P-R8 (Q)	RxQ
43.BxR	N-B6ch	44.K-N2	NxQP
45.Q-Q6ch	QxQ	46.PxQch	KxP
47.BxN	B-K5ch	48.K-B1	P-B7
49.B-N2	P-Q5	50.K-K2	K-Q4
51.K-Q2	K-B5	52.B-B1	P-R4
53.B-N2	P-R5	54.P-R3	PxP
55.B-R1	B-R2	56.P-B3	PxP
57.BxP	KxB & won		

Stardust National Open
Chess Championship

H. Raymond vs B. Gross (DR.)

The following interesting game was sent in by H. Raymond of Wash. and shows how one should put ones endgame advantage of the two bishops to good use.

1.P-Q4	N-KB3	2.P-QB4	P-KN3
3.P-QB4	P-KN3	4.B-N2	P-Q4
5.PxP	NxP	6.P-K4	N-N3
7.N-K2	N-B3	8.P-Q5	N-K4
9.QN-B3	P-QB3	10.O-O	PxP
11.PxP	O-O	12.B-B4	N/4-B5
13.P-N3	N-Q3	14.R-B1	B-N5
15.R-K1	P-QR3	16.P-KR3	BxN
17.RxB	R-B1	18.R/2-B2	Q-Q2
19.B-K3	N-R1	20.N-R4	RxR
21.RxR	R-B1	22.N-N6	NxN
23.BxN	RxR	24.QxR	Q-B1
25.QxQ	NxQ	26.P-Q6	NxP
27.P-QR4	N-B1	28.B-Q8	P-QN4
29.B-N7	PxP	30.PxP	N-Q3
31.KBxP	K-B1	32.B-Q3	B-Q5
33.B-R5	K-K1	34.K-N2	K-Q2
35.P-B4	P-K4	36.PxP	BxP
37.K-B3	P-R4	38.P-R4	B-Q5
39.B-Q2	K-K3	40.P-R5	N-B1
41.B-B4ch	K-K2	42.B-N5ch	K-B1
43.B-B4	K-K2	44.K-K4	B-B7
45.K-Q5	K-K1	46.K-B6	N-R2ch
47.K-N7	P-B3	48.B-N8	P-N4
49.BxN	BxB	50.KxB	PxP
51.PxP	Resigns		

Any readers with interesting games send them to Richard W. Parsons, Games Editor, 4137 Carliss Ave. N. Seattle, Wn. 98103 Thanks.

POSTAL CHESS LEAGUE

John R. Ward, Postal Director, 3909 N. 34th St. Tacoma, Wash. 98407

By the time this issue reaches you, our new Postal Director, address above, will have returned from his vacation, and will be ready to receive game reports and to fill requests for assignment in new sections. Late correspondence that has gone to Howard Weaver will be forwarded to Ward along with certain recommendations on policy that has worked well for Merk and Weaver in the past, such as:

TIME LIMITS and FORFEITS. We try to be reasonable about this. Some players are content to play without strict adherence to the 48 hour rule, on a give and take basis, but the rule is there if anyone wants to insist on it. If players report undue slowness, we ask them to make it clear to their opponent that they expect compliance with the time rule, and then if there is another occurrence of unexcused slowness we do not hesitate to forfeit out the player, and award a minimum of 10 points for each remaining game, or full points for obviously won positions. Ward can consider this past policy, and make his own future policy. You are invited to write to him with your views on this and other matters.

The ratings on the back cover now include all of the Northwest Prize Tournament players, except for three who withdrew and forfeited all games. Some of these players rated themselves too low, but are moving rapidly up to their proven class. One of the "C" entries asked to be revised to "A" where he belonged, and another we moved up in justice to opponents with long-time earned ratings. On the other side of the coin there have been some easy points taken from new players who have gone in too high not realizing that club-player tactics do not always meet the test of the more careful analysis found in postal chess.

The following players are credited for sections due them. Those whose names are starred (*) are being held until we are notified they are ready to start.

(As of April 20)

*Carroll	Becker	J. Miller
*Hughes	Loyland	*Christey
*Reh	Shives	*Lamasney
*Schultz		*Donnelly

Northwest Prize Tournament

Semi-final Section NW21

Qualifier	Prelim. Section	Points to date	Games Remaining
1. Morris	1	60	2
2. Parsons	2	80	0
3. Olson	2	55	0
4. Wester	4	65	0
5. Prentice	3	50	1

Section NW22

1. Parsons	3	60	1
2. Weaver	5	60	2

GAME REPORTS TO APRIL 20, 1966

65B10A	Holmberg wins 38	from Keating
65A2A	Almond " 48	" Holmes
65A2B	Holmes 62	Almond
Match	Parsons 16	Holmes
NWA7	Wick 10	Becker
64A11A	Cummins (½) 18	Wick
65A6A	Lyberger 76	Brown
65A7A	Schultz 44	Weaver
65A7B	Schultz 35	Weaver
NW5B	Weaver 18	Becker
65A3A	Skarsten 61	Vanatta
65B10B	Holmberg 31	Keating
65A7A	Schultz 28	Nourse
NW3	Parsons 10	Webb
64A16B	Eilmes 38	J.Schrader
66B1A	Dodson 43	Morgan
NW4B	Williams (½) 29	Wester
NW5A	Weaver 10	Davis
65B7B	Carroll 10	Shives
65B9A	Scott 39	Morgan
66B1	LeBoeuf 46	Grassham
NW7A	Bergquist 10	Dangerud
NW7A	Bergquist 31	Becker
NW9B	J.Schrader 10	Smith
NW9A	J.Schrader 10	McKaig
65B10A	Holmberg 37	Rooney
65B10B	Holmberg 30	Rooney
65B10A	Keating 55	Rooney
65B10B	Keating 45	Rooney
NW5B	Becker (½) 50	L.Walker
NW5A	Walker 10	Davis
NW5B	Walker 10	Davis
65A3B	Collins 40	Vanatta

The 50¢ entry fee can be coins attached with scotch tape, or a \$1 bill will pay for one now, one later. Rules and instructions are sent. If new to our postal tournaments please advise how strong a class of opponents you want to meet.

P O S T A L C H E S S R A T I N G S

"AA" Division (Over 1700)	"A" Division continued	"B" Division continued	"C" Division (Under 1100)
Morris 2290	Lundh 1600	D. Olson 1328	Ward 1099
Pupols 2100	Johnson 1600	Donnelly 1310	Buck 1057
Seiter 2035	Powell 1600	Dart 1309	Running 1055
Parsons 2015	Stough 1598	McFarling 1305	H. Glidden 1054
Schultz 2007	Peterson 1590	Williams 1304	J. Jones 1043
Wick 2005	J. Schrader 1586	Hoks 1300	Klein 1022
Rudzitis 1984	Heathman 1554	Weber 1300	Bauman 1020
Kern 1908	Person 1554	Rousey 1300	C. Lamasney 1019
Wilson 1894	Brown 1544	Reddig 1290	Denison 1013
L. Walker 1870	Wester 1537	Dickson 1283	C. Glidden 1007
Cummins 1857	Fulton 1523	P. Olson 1280	Newton 1000
Prentice 1831	Reh 1510	R. Raymond 1279	Sopko 1000
Harmon 1829	Holmberg 1498	Keating 1278	B. Morris 1000
Schmidt 1815	Skarsten 1479	Weikel 1277	Adkison 1000
H. Raymond 1808	Carlson 1453	Henry 1264	McSheridan 1000
Allyn 1795	Kirk 1451	Jensen 1256	Cordell 1000
Weaver 1790	Christey 1449	Donnell 1247	Winter 1000
Eilmes 1761	W. Jones 1447	R. Miller 1240	Carpenter 1000
Mage 1761	Stickle 1446	Roskam 1237	Grant 1000
Bell 1750	Carroll 1444	Pattie 1220	Shives 991
Nourse 1730	Becker 1442	Grassham 1210	Dangerud 990
Knapp 1706	Lyberger 1431	Hurley 1208	McKaig 990
	Grant 1431	Knittel 1205	R. Smith 980
"A" Division (1400 to 1700)	Uselton 1430	Norris 1198	Puz 974
Stiles 1667	Vanatta 1428	D. Potter 1191	Hainsworth 963
Erickson 1650	Hughes 1407	W. Olson 1190	Cyr 888
Almond 1649	Reid 1400	H. Miller 1181	J. Olson 827
Sage 1645	R. Espey 1400	Davis 1167	
Schemm 1644	"B" Division (1100 to 1400)	Dearing 1152	
Bergquist 1641	Woodward 1381	Morgan 1152	
Holmes 1638	Giffard 1359	Gorton 1138	
Waterman 1630	Betzer 1356	Baldwin 1134	
Dean 1628	Rader 1355	Rooney 1133	
Vinyard 1620	Turner 1353	S. Espey 1127	
Poteete 1620	LeBoeuf 1346	Cassino 1125	
Collins 1613	Dodson 1343	Herbers 1123	
Austin 1600	Baskett 1339	Webb 1118	
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