

CHESS NOTES

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The result of the Counties Championship match Hampshire v. Dorset is delicately poised with the score 7 - 7, one game for adjudication and one appeal to the B.C.F. involving a dispute over the functioning of a clock. Individual scores of local players :

Bd.4. A.R. Cullinane (Portsmouth) 1, R. Valentine 0; Bd.8. M.L. Newbury (Fareham) v. H. Needham for adjudication; Bd.15. S. Dean (Cosham) $\frac{1}{2}$, D.W. Lock $\frac{1}{2}$;

In the Minor Counties competition Hampshire lost $6\frac{1}{2}$ - $9\frac{1}{2}$ - individual scores :-

Bd.20. J.F.T. Charvill (Gosport) 1, C. Papworth 0; Bd.21. D.C. Spurgeon (Portsmouth) 1, P. Holt 0; Bd.22. R.E. Hartley (I.B.M.) 1, A. Bright 0; Bd.26. N. Le Fevre (Leigh Park) 0, J. Tilney-Bassett 1; Bd.30. C.W.J. Trotter (Gosport) 1, R. Kinnersley 0

Hampshire won the 'friendly' against Berkshire (both counties fielding what was intended to be their C teams, or 'third string') $11\frac{1}{2}$ - $8\frac{1}{2}$. Individual scores :-

Bd.1. J.A. Coburn (Gosport) 0, R. Ashmore 1; Bd.5. M. Cole (Fareham) 0, M. Sommer 1; Bd.7. S. Le Fevre (Leigh Park) $\frac{1}{2}$, P. Thompson $\frac{1}{2}$; Bd.10. S. Gainey (Fareham) 1, A. Warkin 0; Bd.11. C. Frazer (Fareham) 1, J. Smith 0; Bd.14. K. Dean (Fareham) $\frac{1}{2}$, P. Ware $\frac{1}{2}$.

Match results from the Senior Section of the Portsmouth & District League :

Division 1 : I.B.M. A 4, COMMUNITY CENTRE A 2

(J.F. Wheeler 1, A.R. Cullinane 0; W. McDougall 0, A.F.C. Carter 1; R.E. Hartley 1, R.R. Carter 0; J. Morris $\frac{1}{2}$, W.D. Muir $\frac{1}{2}$; G. Jeftha $\frac{1}{2}$, P.A. Rayment $\frac{1}{2}$; C. Mann 1, N.J. Colter 0)

Division 2 : COSHAM B 5, COMMUNITY CENTRE B 1

(D. Smith $\frac{1}{2}$, W.D. Muir $\frac{1}{2}$; P. Markwell 1, K. Reed 0; A.F. Langley $\frac{1}{2}$, J. Baker $\frac{1}{2}$; P. McEvoy 1, N.J. Colter 0; I. Kemp 1, I. Tyler 0; T.D. Bell 1, J. Samson 0)

GOSPORT B $1\frac{1}{2}$, PORTSMOUTH B $4\frac{1}{2}$

(J. Coburn $\frac{1}{2}$, M.J. Cawston $\frac{1}{2}$; P. Eales $\frac{1}{2}$, J. Adams $\frac{1}{2}$; C. Smith 0, I. Welch 1; P. Groth $\frac{1}{2}$, R. Prince $\frac{1}{2}$; M. Smith 0, B. Cochran 1; J. Elbourn 0, C. Powell 1)

COSHAM C 1, FAREHAM B 5

(B. Coppin $\frac{1}{2}$, H.A. Tadevossian $\frac{1}{2}$; S. Wilkinson 0, J.E.C. Grant 1; A. Charlwood $\frac{1}{2}$, D.C. Goddard $\frac{1}{2}$; T. Woodroffe 0, M. Cole 1; W. Rose 0, D. Coates 1; V. Phillips 0, C. Frazer 1)

COMMUNITY CENTRE B 4, GOSPORT B 2

(W.D. Muir $\frac{1}{2}$, J. Coburn $\frac{1}{2}$; P.A. Rayment 1, Default 0; K. Reed 0, P. Eales 1; N. Colter 1, Default 0; G. Hindle 1, C. Smith 0; J. Baker $\frac{1}{2}$, S. Nason $\frac{1}{2}$)

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I am indebted to Terry Hollington for sending me this week's position, which arose in the game Bondarevsky v. Ufimtsev (Leningrad 1936)

Black plays 1...B-N7 (falling into a trap) and the game proceeds 2. R-R6+ K-B2; 3. B-K8+! NxB; 4. K-N5 and Black has no defence against 5. R-B8 mate.

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6kl; ♠ p5pl; lplplnNl; lBlP4; 4PK2; 7b; 2r5; 7R