

Chess Notes

FAREHAM CLUB HEADS BOTH DIVISIONS

FAREHAM CHESS CLUB'S "A" and "B" teams head their respective divisions in the senior section of the Portsmouth and District League, and are now the only teams with maximum points. This year's competition seems likely to resolve itself into a battle between Fareham and Portsmouth in both divisions.

In Division II, Gosport shared a point with Portsmouth "B" after the adjudicator had given a win to young A. F. Brameld, who now has the remarkable record of 17 wins and one draw from his last 18 games. The only other match result received this week is the win of Fareham "B" over Cyanamid.

Results:

Senior Section, Division II.—Gosport 2½, Portsmouth "B" 2½ (A. N. Dossett 0, W. Makar 1; G. E. Mellows 0, A. Bacon 1; A. F. Brameld 1, J. E. Smith 0; H. J. Taylor 1, default 0; J. Hardcastle ½, B. March ½).

Cyanamid 1½, Fareham "B" 3½ (P. Makar 0, A. F. Garner 1; B. Davis ½, T. Bayliss ½; N. H. S. Wood 1, G. Ratter 0; A. Yarrow 0, C. Brading 1; Thomas 0, R. Hughes 1).

TABLES

Senior Section Division I

	P	W	D	G	Pt
Fareham "A"	3	3	0	11	3
Portsmouth "A"	3	2	0	8	2
Comm. Centre	3	1	0	8½	1
R.N.P.L.	2	1	0	3½	1
Cocham	3	0	0	4	0

	Division II				
	P	W	D	G	Pt
Fareham "B"	4	4	0	15	4
Portsmouth "B" ...	4	3	1	15	3½
Gosport	3	2	1	13½	2½
Ports. Gramm. "A" ..	3	2	0	8½	2
St John's "B"	4	0	0	5	0
St John's "A"	3	0	0	2	0
Cyanamid	3	0	0	2	0

SCHOOLS SECTION

Division I

	P	W	D	G	Pt
Prices "A"	2	2	0	6	2
Gos. Gramm. "A"	4	2	0	10½	2
St John's "C"	1	1	0	3½	1
St John's "D"	2	0	0	3½	0
Ports. Gramm. "B" ...	1	0	0	1½	0

Division II

	P	W	D	G	Pt
Gosp. Gramm. "B" ...	6	5	0	19½	5
Portchester Mod.	3	3	0	12	3
Prices "B"	3	1	0	5½	1
Ports. Gramm. "C" ...	3	1	0	4	1
St John's "F"	1	0	0	2	0
St John's "E"	2	0	0	4	0
Fareham Sec.	2	0	0	3	0

In the Individual Championship, results so far received are:—Carter (B) 0, Wells 1; Farmer 0, Brameld 1; Makar 1, Richardson 0; Smith (H) 0, Potter 1; Grant 1, Smith (J) 0; LaLond 1, Carter (R) 0; Noke -1, Garner 0; Brading 1, Press 0; Pointon 1, Adams 0.