

Chess Notes

Hampshire Have Advantage in Match Against Oxford

THE score in the Southern Counties Chess Union match between Hampshire and Oxfordshire, stands at ten games to eight in Hampshire's favour with two games for adjudication. J. Borland (Fareham) beat W. N. Calvert on Board 11. The game of W. C. Martin (Fareham) on Board 18 was unfinished.

In the Portsmouth League play is now in full swing in the team championship tournament. Fareham "A" made a shaky start and just managed a draw against a weakened Community Centre Team, after receiving a win by default.

Portsmouth "B" put out a strong team against St John's, and look capable of sweeping all before them in Division 2.

Results:

Division 1.—Fareham "A" 2½, Community Centre 2½ (G. W. Farmer 0, B. Carter 1; W. C. Martin ½, S. F. Adams ½; J. Grant 0, R. I. Ross 1; F. Johnson 1, R. McCaulder 0; P. Cartmeil 1, default 0).

Division 2.—St John's "A" 0, Portsmouth "B" 5., (P. Wilcox 0, A. LaLond 1; Woo 0, D. M. Heywood 1; F. Brown 0, J. P. Price 1; C. Thomas 0, G. L. Comben 1; D. Peniston-Bird 0, W. Makar 1). Collingwood Apps 1½, Fareham "B" 3½, (J. Beardmore-Hyde 1, E. G. Potter 0; R. Craig 0, A. F. Garner 1; F. M. Easton ½, T. Bayliss ½; J. L. Cooper 0, R. Hughes 1; M. Roberts 0, E. J. Weston 1). Portsmouth Grammar School "A" 2, A.S.R.E. 3, (G. Levy 0, E. Underhill 1; P. M. Collins 1, A. E. Roberts 0; J. F. Watson 1, default 0; P. Mihalop 0, S. Smith 1; R. Cath 0, J. Russell 1).

Results in the first round of the individual championship are: Comben beat Watson, Adams beat Smith, and Heywood beat West.

FOUR-CORNERED

A. S. LaLond of Portsmouth Chess Club has entered the qualifying tournament for the British Championship. The Hants.-Wilts. stage of this competition will therefore be a four-cornered contest, the other competitors being A. Samuels (Southampton), M. Thompson (Southampton), and J. Haygarth (Devizes). The two leaders will pass on into the Zonal Stage in which they will meet players from the strong Metropolitan Counties.

Hampshire's team in the 1959 County and District Correspondence Chess Championship contains nine players from the Portsmouth area. Play in the competition starts on December 1.

The team is M. Thompson (Southampton), M. E. Venham (Southampton), Instr.-Cmdr. A. J. Peters (Stough), A. C. Barton (Southampton), T. O. Read (Southampton), H. A. Way (Emsworth), A. M. Edmonds (Southampton), R. F. Pezet (Southampton), C. H. Henshaw (Basingstoke), G. L. Pritchard (Southampton), R. S. Learmouth (Southampton), G. Daw (Southampton), W. C. Martin (Fareham), H. W. Varker (Bournemouth), H. C. Bailey (Portsmouth), G. W. Farmer (Fareham), Dr. B. G. Wells (Portsmouth), P. L. Marshall (Southampton), R. C. Mitchell (Southampton), S. L.

Russell (Broughton), L. West (Portsmouth Community Centre), D. M. Heywood (Portsmouth), F. L. Taylor (Solihull), E. W. Chandler (Bournemouth), S. H. C. Lucas (Bournemouth), G. W. Goggin (Bournemouth), F. H. Walton (Southampton), P. M. Hodgson (Sandown), J. P. Price (Portsmouth), A. R. Cooper (Portsmouth).

SHIPPING AT SOUTHAMPTON

ARRIVING TODAY

Ringwood, a.m., 23.
Isle of Guernsey (B.R.), 4.30 p.m., 7.
Irpinia, 7 p.m., 108.
Ryndam (Holl. Am.), 7 p.m., 30/1.

SAILING TODAY

Ivernia (Cun.), 12 noon, 46.
Worcesterbrook, p.m., 46.
Greenfinch, p.m., 101.
Wacosta, p.m., 106.
Ryndam (Holl. Am.), 9 p.m., 30/1.
Ringwood, 9 p.m., 23.
Falsaise (B.R.), 10.15 p.m., 9.
Isle of Sark (B.R.), 11.45 p.m., 8.

ARRIVING TOMORROW

Haslemere, a.m., 22.
American Banker, 7 a.m., 36.
Tender from New York (Greek Line), 2 p.m., 32/3.
America (United States Lines), 5 p.m., 43/4.

SAILING TOMORROW

Tender to New York, 11 a.m.
Queen Elizabeth (Cunard S.-S. Co.), noon, 43/4.
Airsprite, noon, 16.
Pretoria Castle (U.-C. M.S.S. Co.), 4 p.m., 105.
Irpinia (Grimaldi Line), 4.15 p.m., 106.
Perim, 5 p.m., 104.
Haslemere, 9 p.m.
America, 10 p.m.
Wave King, 20/10/5.

LINER MOVEMENTS

America and New York, from New York, both due Southampton 30. Highland Princess from Buenos Aires due London 30. Sylvania from Montreal due Greenock 30 and Liverpool 31. Queen Elizabeth from New York arrived Southampton 27. Queen Mary, from Southampton, arrived New York 28. Caledonia, for Liverpool, left Karachi 28. Strathaird, from London for Sydney, left Bombay 28. Tintagel Castle, from Beira for Liverpool, arrived Las Palmas 27. Athlone Castle, from Durban for Southampton, called Madeira 27. Good Hope Castle, from Beira for London, arrived Cape Town 27. Bloemfontein Castle, from London for Beira, arrived Las Palmas 28. Kenya Castle, from London for Beira, arrived Mombasa 28. Warwickshire, from Liverpool for Rangoon, arrived Aden 26. Edinburgh Castle, from Durban for Southampton, left Port Elizabeth 26. Uganda, from Beira for London, left Port Said 27. City of Exeter, from Beira for London, left Las Palmas 28. Argentina Star, from London, for Buenos Aires, left Rio Janeiro 27.