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This issue will feature more games played in the NPCC 2015 Membership Drive and October Quads games.

The purpose behind these newsletters is to include as many games as possible played by NPCC members and others irregardless of the strength of the players. We want to include everyone's games, not only the most challenging. Of course, some will be more instructive than others; however, they all will be permanently recorded for your review. Thanks to all for submitting

games!

<u>Games from the NPCC 2015</u> <u>Membership Drive Tournament:</u> Round: 5

Submitted by Joe with his comments and selected Fritz comments [shown thusly].

White: Mike O'Gara (1614) Black: Joe Mucerino (2124) Date: 10/16/2015

[D48: Semi-Slav: Meran System: 7...b5 8 Bd3 a6] (Joe - The championship game!) 1.d4 d5 2.c4 e6 3.Nc3 Nf6 4.Nf3 c6 5.e3 Nbd7 6.Bd3[D]



6...dxc4 7.Bxc4 b5 8.Bd3 a6 9.0-0 c5 10.a4 b4 11.Ne2 Bb7 12.Ng3 h5 13.Re1 [D] (*Next col.*) (?!) (Joe - 13.h3 or 13.h4 helps to block Black's attack.) 13...h4 14.Nf1 Qc7 (?!)(Joe - Rybka prefers to dive right in with 14...h3. I was (*Text cont. next col.*)

Position after 13.Re1 (From prev. col.)



(Cont. from prev. col.) saving that for a more opportune moment.) 15.Bc2 (?!) (Joe - This is a bit risky. The Bishop could be hanging if the c file opens up and there is a capture on f3.) [15.h3!?= is worth looking at.] 15...Rc8 16.Bd2 (Joe - At first I thought this lost a piece to 16...cxd4 17.Nxd4 e5, but then I realized that white plays 17.Rc1! with decent play for the pawn.) [16.Bd3 c4 17.Be2 h3] 16...Ne4 (?) (Joe - Now was the time to play 16...h3 to try to undermine the knight on f3.) [16...h3!? 17.gxh3 cxd4] 17.Rc1 c4 [17...a5 18.h3] 18.Bxe4 Bxe4 19.Ng5 Bb7 20.e4 (Joe - Now white had equalized.) 20...Be7 21.Qf3 [White has a mate threat.] 21...Nf6 [21...Bf6 22.Qq4 a5 23.Nxe6 fxe6 24.Qxe6+ Kf8 25.e5=] 22.Bf4 [22.Ne3 c3 23.bxc3 Qa5] 22...Bd6 [Better is 22...Qd7!? should be investigated more closely] 23.Bxd6 [D]



23...Qxd6 24.d5 Qe5 25.Qe3 Ng4 [Less advisable is 25...exd5 26.f4 Qe7 27.exd5 Qxe3+ 28.Rxe3+ Kd7 29.Nxf7] (Text cont. next col.)

(Cont. from prev. col.) **26.Qb6** [26.Nf3!? is worth looking at 26...Qxb2 27.Qa7=] **26...Qxg5 27.Qxb7 0-0 28.Qxa6** (?!) (Joe -White should get his knight out first with 28.Ne3.) **28...exd5 29.Qa5?** [D]

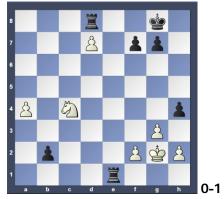


(??) (Joe - This move lost the game.) [29.exd5 h3 30.Ng3µ (30.Rxc4?? the pawn is safe and cannot be captured without dire consequences 30...Ne5 31.Ng3 Nxc4 32.gxh3 Qxd5)] **29...Ne5 30.Qxd5** [30.Qxb4 Rb8 31.Qa3 Rb3] **30...Nf3+** [Better is 30...Rfd8 and Black has triumphed 31.f4 Qxf4 32.Qb5] **31.Kh1 Qxd5 32.exd5 Nxe1 33.Rxe1 Rfe8 [D]**



34.Ne3 c3 35.bxc3 Rxc3 36.g3 b3 (?!) (Joe - It is better to play 36...h3 to try to keep white's king trapped.) [Better is 36...h3 might be the shorter path 37.Rg1 b3] 37.d6?? (?) (Joe - White's last hope was to play 37.Kg2.) [White has lost his nerve... understandable when you consider his position.] [37.Kg2] 37...b2 [37...b2 38.d7 Rf8] 38.Kg2 Rc1 39.d7 Rd8 40.Nc4 Rxe1 [D] (p.2)

Position after 40...Rxe1 (From p.1)



Round: 5

Submitted by Olin with my comments and selected Fritz comments [shown thusly].

White: Olin Mastin (1584) Black: Bill Campion (1639) Date: 10/16/2015

[A04: Unusual lines after 1 Nf3 and King's Indian Attack] 1.Nf3 c5 2.g3 d6 3.Bg2 Nf6 4.0-0 Nc6 5.d3 Bg4 6.Nbd2 Qd7 7.c3 b5 8.Qc2 e5 9.e4 Bh3 [9...Be7 10.Re1=] 10.Re1 [D]

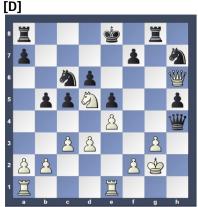


[Better is 10.Bxh3!? Qxh3 11.Qb3±] 10...Bxg2 11.Kxg2 h5 12.Nf1 Be7 13.Bg5 Nh7 14.Bxe7 Qxe7 15.Ne3 g6 [Better is 15...0–0!? should be examined more closely.] 16.Nd5 [D]



16...Qd8 17.Qd2 [17.d4 0–0 18.dxc5 dxc5] **17...g5 18.h4 gxh4** [18...g4 19.Nh2 Nf6 20.f3±] **19.Nxh4** [Better is 19.Qh6 h3+ 20.Kxh3 Qd7+ 21.Kg2] **19...Rg8?** [Further deteriorates the position.] [Better is 19...Nf6±] **20.Qh6** (Text cont. next col.)

(Cont. from prev. col.) 20...Qxh4



21.Oxh7 Og5 22.Nc7+ [22.Nf6+ and White can already relax 22...Ke7 23.Nxg8+ Rxg8] **22...Kd7?** [Better is 22...Kf8 23.Rh1 Rb8 24.Rxh5 Og6 25.Qh6+ Oxh6 26.Rxh6 Rg6] **23.Oxf7**+ **[D]**



[23.Nxa8?! Qg6 24.Qxg6 fxg6] 23...Ne7 24.Nxa8 Kc6 [24...h4 otherwise it's curtains at once 25.Re3 Rxa8] 25.Re3 [Better is 25.a4 secures the win 25...Rxa8 26.axb5+ Kd7] 25...Rxa8 26.Rf3 Rg8 [26...Kd7 cannot change what is in store for White 27.Rf6 Qg4 28.Rh1] 27.Qf6 [Better is 27.a4 keeps an even firmer grip 27...b4 28.cxb4 Kd7] 27...Qg4 [D]



[27...Qxf6 doesn't change anything anymore 28.Rxf6 h4 29.Rh1 hxg3 30.fxg3] **28.Rh1??** (Olin -28.Qxe7! Wins!) [Better is 28.Qxe7 and the rest is a matter of technique 28...Qd7 29.Qxd7+ Kxd7 30.Rh1] **28...Ng6 29.Qf5 Nf4+ [D]** (Next

Position after 29...Nf4+ (From prev. col.)



(Cont. from prev. col.) **30.Rxf4!** (Olin - Now I must give back the Exchange!). [Decoy: f4] **30...exf4** [30...exf4 31.0xg4 Decoy Double attack; 30...0xf4 31.Rxh5 Combination] **31.0xg4** [31.0d5+ and White can already relax 31...Kc7 32.Rxh5 fxg3] **31...hxg4 32.gxf4 Rg7 33.Kg3 c4** [33...b4 doesn't improve anything 34.cxb4 cxb4 35.f5] **34.d4 a5 35.Rh4 b4 36.Rxg4 Rb7 37.f5 a4** [D]



[37...b3 doesn't do any good 38.a4 Rf7 39.Rg8] 38.f6? (Olin - 38.e5!? No good! Fritz says 38.d5+!) [Better is 38.d5+ and White has prevailed 38...Kb5 39.a3; 38.e5 a3] **38...a3!?** 39.bxa3?? (Olin - 39.d5+! is the move as per Fritz.) [Better is 39.d5+ finishes off the opponent *39...Kc5 40.cxb4+ Kd4 41.bxa3*] **39...bxc3!!** [White has a new passed pawn: a3. Black has a new passed pawn: c3] 40.Rg7?? [White lets it slip away] [Better is 40.Kf3] would bring relief 40...c2 41.Rg1= Rb1 42.f7 c1Q 43.Rxc1 Rxc1 44.f8Q] 40...c2 41.Rxb7?? [Terrible, but the game is lost in any case] [41.d5+ Kc5 42.Rxb7] 41...c1Q 42.f7 [42.Rb8 no good, but what else? 42...Qq5+ 43.Kf3 Qxf6+44.Ke3 Qq5+ 45.Ke2] 42...Qg5+ 42...Kxb7?! is a bad alternative (Text cont. p3) Page 2 of 6

(Cont. from p.2) 43.f8Q Qg1+ 44.Kf3 Qd1+ 45.Ke3 Qe1+ 46.Kf3 Qd1+ 47.Kf4 Qxd4 48.Kf3=] **43.Kf3 Qf6+ 44.Ke3 Kxb7 45.f4 Qxf7 46.e5 d5 47.a4 Qf5 48.a5 c3 [D]**



(Olin - I missed several winning moves!) [48...c3 49.a6+ Kxa6 50.e6 Qe4+ 51.Kf2 Qxf4+ 52.Kg2 c2 53.a3 c1Q 54.Kh3 Qcf1#] **0-1**

Round: 5

Submitted by Ira with selected Fritz comments [shown thusly]. White: Ira Siegel (919) Black: Jackie Brown (887) Date: 10/16/2015

[D05: Colle System with ...e6] **1.d4 d5 2.Nf3 Nf6 3.e3 e6 4.Bd3 Ne4 5.Nbd2 Nxf2?** [Better is 5...f5= this is the best bet to save the position] **6.Kxf2 Qf6** [6...Nc6 7.Rf1] **7.Rf1 g5** [7...Qd8 8.Kg1 f5 9.c4] **8.Kg1 Qh6 9.e4 [D]**



9...q4 [9...Be7 desperation] 10.Nb3 Qh5 **11.Ne5 Rg8** [11...dxe4 doesn't improve anything 12.Nxf7 Rg8 13.Bxe4] **12.Be2** [Better is 12.exd5!? might be the shorter path 12...Nd7 13.Nxf7 Qxd5 14.Bxh7 Rg7] 12...f5 13.h3! [Deflection: q4] **13...Bh6** [13...qxh3 14.Bxh5+ Deflection Pinning (14.Bb5+ Decoy)] **14.Bxh6** [Better is 14.hxg4 and White can celebrate victory 14...Qh4 15.Bxh6 *Qxh6* 16.*qxf5 exf5* 17.*exd5 Rq7*] 14...Qxh6 15.exf5 qxh3 16.q4 [16.Bh5+ seems even better 16...Ke7 17.f6+ Kf8] 16...Qe3+ [16...Nd7 a last effort to resist the inevitable 17.Kh1 a6] (Text cont. next col.)

(Cont. from prev. col.) **17.Kh2 exf5** [17...Nd7 does not improve anything 18.Qd3 Qxd3 19.Nxd3 (19.cxd3?! Nxe5 20.dxe5 exf5 21.Kxh3 fxg4+ 22.Kg3 Rh8+-) 19...exf5 20.Rxf5] **18.Rf3** [Better is 18.Qe1 makes it even easier for White 18...c6 19.Bd3] **18...Qe4 19.Bd3 Rxg4 20.Bxe4 dxe4 21.Nxg4! [D]**



[Touché!] 21...exf3 [21...fxg4 22.Rf4 Combination] 22.Nf6+ Kf7 23.Nxh7 Nd7 24.Ng5+ Kg6 25.Nxh3 Nf6 26.Qxf3 Be6 27.Nf4+ Kf7 28.Nxe6 Rh8+ 29.Kg2 Rg8+ 30.Kf1 Kxe6 31.Re1+ Ne4 32.Qf4 [D]

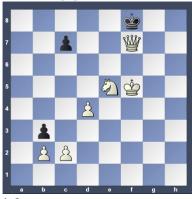


32...Rg4 33.Qe5+ Kf7 34.Rxe4! [Decoy: e4] 34...fxe4 [34...fxe4 35.Nc5 Decoy Double attack; 34...Rxe4 35.Nc5 Decoy Double attack; ...34...- 35.Qxf5+ Mate threat] 35.Qf5+ Ke7 36.Qxg4 e3 37.Qe4+ Kd6 38.Qe5+ [38.Nc5 e2+ 39.Kxe2 c6 40.Qe5#] 38...Kc6 39.Qc5+ Kd7 40.Ke2 b6 41.Qd5+ [D]



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(Cont. from prev. col.) **41...Ke7 42.Kxe3 a5 43.Qc6 Kd8 44.Ke4 a4 45.Nd2 b5** [45...a3 hardly improves anything 46.Nc4 Ke7 47.Ne5 Kf8 48.Qxc7 Kg8 49.Qf7+ Kh8 50.Ng6#] **46.Nf3 b4 47.Ne5 Ke7 48.Kf5 b3 49.axb3** [49.Qd7+ Kf8 50.Qf7#] **49...axb3 50.Qd7+ Kf8 51.Qf7#** [D]



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Games from the NPCC 2015 October Quads

Round: 1

Submitted by Erick with selected Fritz comments [shown thusly].

White: Erick Garcia (2356) Black: Alan Gomes (1775) Date: 10/23/2015

[D32: Tarrasch Defense: Sidelines and lines without g3] 1.d4 d5 2.c4 e6 3.Nc3 Nf6 4.Nf3 c5 5.cxd5 exd5 6.g3 c4 7.Bg2 Be6 8.0-0 Be7 9.b3 [D]



9...cxb3 10.Qxb3 b6 11.Ng5 0-0 [11...Qd7 12.e4 dxe4 13.d5±] 12.Nxe6 [12.e4!? Nc6 13.exd5] 12...fxe6 13.e4 Nc6 14.exd5 Na5 15.Qb5 Rc8 16.Ne2 [Better is 16.Bb2!? Nc4 17.Bh3±] 16...Nxd5 [Worse is 16...exd5 17.Nf4±] 17.Bh3 Rc6 [Wins material] 18.Bd2 Nc7 19.Qd3 Bf6 [D] (p.4) [Attacks the isolani on d4] [Better is 19...Nc4!? and Black hangs on.] 20.Rac1 e5? [Sad, but how else could Black save the game?] (Text cont. p.4) Page 3 of 6

Position after 19...Bf6 (From p.3)



(Cont. from p.3) [Better is 20...Re8 21.Bxa5 Rxc1 22.Rxc1 bxa5±] **21.Rxc6 Nxc6 22.Oc4+ Kh8 23.Oxc6 exd4 24.Nf4 Re8** [24...Be5 doesn't get the bull off the ice 25.Rc1 d3 26.Bf1 Bxf4 27.Bxf4] **25.Rc1 Na6 [D]**



[25...g5 does not improve anything 26.Qb7 Qa8 27.Rxc7 Qxb7 28.Rxb7 gxf4 29.Bxf4] **26.Qxe8**+ [Better is 26.Ne6 secures victory 26...Qe7 27.Qb5] **26...Qxe8 27.Rc8 Qxc8 28.Bxc8 Nc5 29.Bf5 g6 30.Bc2 Kg7 31.f3 Kf7 32.Nd3 Ke6 33.Nxc5+ bxc5 34.Bb3+ Kf5 35.Bc4 [D]**



35...Be7 36.Kf2 h5 [36...Bd6 hardly improves anything 37.h4 Kf6 38.Bg5+ Kg7 39.f4] **37.Ke2** [Better is 37.h4 might be the shorter path 37...Bf6] **37...g5 38.h3 Bd6** [38...Bd8, a last effort to resist the inevitable.] **39.g4+ hxg4** [39...Kg6 doesn't do any good 40.Bd3+ Kf6 41.gxh5] **40.hxg4+ Kf6 41.Kd3 Bc7 42.Ke4 Bb6 43.a4 [D]** (Next col.) (Text cont. next col.)

Position after 43.a4 (From prev. col.)



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Round: 1

Submitted by Olin with selected Fritz comments [shown thusly]. White: Craig Gerland, (1603) Black: Olin Mastin (1500) Date: 10/23/2015 [D08: Albin Counter Gambit] 1.d4 d5 2.c4 e5 3.dxe5 d4 4.Nf3 Nc6 5.Nbd2 Be6 6.Nb3 [D]



[d4 seems to be the pivot of the position.] 6...Qd7 7.e3 Bb4 8.Bd2 [D]



8...dxe3 9.Bxb4 exf2+ 10.Kxf2 Nxb4 11.Qxd7+ Bxd7 12.Nbd4 0-0-0 13.a3 [13.c5!?=] 13...Nc6 14.Rd1 Nge7 15.b4 Ng6 [D] (Next col.) [The isolani on e5 becomes a target. Black threatens to win material: Ng6xe5] 16.Re1 [16.Nxc6!? Bxc6 17.Bd3] (Text cont. next col.)

Position after 15...Ng6 (From prev. col.)



(Cont. from prev. col.) **16...Rhe8 17.Nxc6 Bxc6** [17...bxc6?! 18.h4=] **18.e6 fxe6 19.Ng5** [19.Be2] **19...e5** [Better is 19...h6 the advantage is on the side of Black 20.Nf3 e5] **20.b5 Rf8+ 21.Kg3** [21.Kg1!? should be considered 21...Bd7 22.Nxh7] **21...Bd7 22.c5** [22.Nxh7 Rf4 23.h3 Be6] **22...h6 23.c6 [D]**



23...Bf5 24.cxb7+ Kxb7 25.Nh3 Rd2 26.Be2? [26.Nf2 Nf4 27.h3 Nh5+ 28.Kh4 Bg6-+ (28...Rxf2?! is much worse 29.Kxh5 e4 30.Rg1-+)] **26...Rfd8** [Better is 26...Bxh3 and Black has reached his goal 27.gxh3 e4] **27.Bf3+ Kb8 28.Rd1?** [Better is 28.Nf2!?] **28...e4 29.Rxd2** [29.Be2 e3] **29...Rxd2 30.Rd1 [D]**



30...e3 [Better is 30...Ra2 finishes off the opponent 31.Rd8+ Kb7] **31.Ng1 Bd3 32.Rxd2?** [Better is 32.Re1 Ne7 33.Bg4] **32...exd2** (Text cont. p.5)

(Cont. from p.4) 33.Bd1 Bxb5 [Better is 33...Ne5!?] 34.Nf3 c5 35.Nxd2 Ne5 36.a4 [36.Ne4 Nd7] 36...Bd3 37.Kf4 Nc4 [37...Nd7!?] 38.Nb3 Bf1 39.Bf3 Kc7 40.Nxc5 g5+ [D]



41.Kg3 Ne5 42.h4 gxh4+ 43.Kxh4 Nxf3+ 44.gxf3 [White has a new passed pawn: f3. Black has a new passed pawn: h6.] 44...Kd6 45.Ne4+ Ke5 46.Kh5 Bg2 47.Kxh6 Bxf3 [D]



48.Nc3? [Better is 48.Nd2= would be a reprieve.] 48...a5 49.Kg5 Kd4 [Better is 49...Bc6-+ keeps an even firmer grip] 50.Nb1? [Better is 50.Kf4= was necessary.] 50...Bd1 51.Kf4 Bxa4 52.Kf3 Kc4 [52...Bc2 53.Na3 Bd3] 53.Ke2? [D]



[53.Ke3 Bc2 54.Na3+ Kb3] 53...Kb3 [Better is 53...Bc2 and the rest is a matter of technique 54.Na3+ Kc3 55.Nb5+ Kb2] 54.Kd2 Kb2 55.Nc3 Bb3 56.Kd3 Bc2+ 57.Kc4 Ka3 58.Kb5 a4 59.Nxa4 Bxa4+ [D] (Next col.) (Text cont. next col.)

Position after 59...Bxa4+ (From prev. col.)



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Round: 2

Submitted by Craig with selected Fritz comments [shown thusly]. White: Dave Hamalian (1564)

Black: Craig Gerland (1603) Date: 10/30/2015

[B35: Sicilian: Accelerated Dragon with 5 Nc3: main line] **1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 g6** 3.d4 cxd4 4.Nxd4 Nf6 5.Nc3 Nc6 6.Be3 Bg7 7.Nxc6 bxc6 8.Qd2 0-0 9.Bc4 [D]



9...Nxe4 10.Nxe4 d5 11.0-0-0 Bf5 12.Bxd5 [12.Ng3!? must be considered 12...dxc4 13.Nxf5 gxf5 14.c3=] 12...Qxd5 13.Ng3? [Causes more grief.] [Better is 13.Qxd5 cxd5 14.Ng3] 13...Qxa2 14.Qa5 [D]



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(Cont. from prev.col.) 14...Qxa5 15.Nxf5 qxf5 16.c3 Bxc3! [Mate attack] 17.Kc2 [17.bxc3 Qxc3+ Mate attack; ...17.-- Qa1+ Mate threat] 17...Bq7 18.Rd3 f4! [Decoy: f4] **19.Ra3** [19.Bxf4 Qa4+ Decoy Double attack.] 19....Qb4 20.Rb3 [D]



20...Qe4+ 21.Kc1 fxe3 22.Rxe3 Qxq2 23.Rhe1 Bh6 [D]



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Round: 2

Submitted by copy of score sheet with selected Fritz comments *Ishown* thusly].

White: Bob Kampia (1785) Black: Erick Garcia (2356) Date: 10/30/2015

[B30: Sicilian: 2...Nc6 3 Bb5, lines 3.Nc3 Nc6 4.Bc4 a6 5.a3 b5 6.Ba2 Bb7 7.d3 Nge7 8.0-0 g6 9.Ne2 Bg7 10.c3 [D]



(Text cont. p6)

(Cont. from p.5) 10...0-0 11.Bg5 Qc7 12.Qd2 d5 13.exd5 Nxd5 14.Bxd5 exd5 15.d4 c4 16.Rae1 Rfe8 17.Ng3 a5 18.Rxe8+ Rxe8 19.h4 Bc8 20.Nh2 [D]



20... b4 21.axb4 axb4 22.h5 bxc3 23.bxc3 Be6 24.h6 Bf8 [Black has an active position] 25.Bf6 Bd6 26.Qq5 Bf4 27.Qh4 Ne7 28.Bxe7 Rxe7 29.Nf3 **Re8 30.Ne2** [Better is 30.Nh5!? deserves consideration 30...gxh5 31.Qf6 Bxh6 32.Qxh6] 30...Bd6 31.Qf6 Bf8 32.Qq5 Qd8 33.Qd2 Bq4 34.Nq3 [Better is 34.Rb1] 34...Bxf3 35.gxf3 Qh4 **36.Kq2** [36.Re1 Qxh6 37.Re3 Ra8] 36...Bxh6 37.Qb2 Bf4 38.Rh1 [38.Ra1] 38....Qg5 39.Qb5 [39.Rg1 there is nothing else anyway 39...h5 40.Kf1] 39...Re2 40.Kf1 [40.Rh3 a last effort to resist the inevitable 40...Bxg3 41.Rxg3] 40...Rxf2+! [D]



[Deflection: f3] 41.Kxf2 Qxg3+ 42.Kf1 Qxf3+ 43.Kg1 Qe2 44.Qxd5 [D]



Round: 3

Submitted by Bob with selected Fritz comments [shown thusly].

White: George Murphy (1349) Black: Bob Pisciotta (1457) Date: 11/6/2015

[D52: Queen's Gambit Declined: Cambridge Springs Variation] 1.Nf3 Nf6 2.d4 d5 3.c4 c6 4.Nc3 e6 5.Bg5 Nbd7 6.e3 Bb4 7.Bd3 0-0 8.0-0 [D]



8...Be7 9.Qc2 c5 [9...dxc4!? is an interesting idea 10.Bxc4 h6] 10.cxd5 Nxd5 11.Bxe7 Nxe7 12.Bxh7+ Kh8 [D]

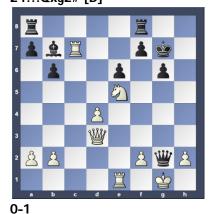


13.Bd3 cxd4 14.exd4 Nf6 15.Rfe1 g6 16.Rac1 Kg7 17.Ne4 Ned5 18.Nc5 [White has an active position] [18.Nxf6 Oxf6 19.Ne5 b6] **18...Nb4** [18...b6 19.Ne4 Nb4 20.Od2 Nxd3 21.Oxd3±] **19.Ob3 Nxd3 20.Oxd3** [Black has a cramped position] **20...b6 21.Ne4** [White has a very active position] **21...Bb7** [D]



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(Cont. from prev. col.) 22.Nxf6 Oxf6 23.Ne5 Og5 [Black has a mate threat] 24.Rc7?? [what a pity, victory was in sight] [Better is 24.f3 would hold out 24...Rac8 25.Rc3] 24...Qxg2# [D]



This concludes this issue. More games from the October 2015 Quads to follow in <u>"En Passant -</u> <u>Fall 2015, Part 5."</u>

Other places to play chess:

The below are for offhand non-rated games (clocks optional). Bring chess set.

<u>Monday evenings</u> about 6:00 to 10:00 PM, *"Starbucks,"* 10 North Main Street, Doylestown

<u>Tuesday mornings</u> 9:30 AM to Noon at the Pennridge Community Senior Center in Silverdale. Located on route 113 near route 152

<u>Wednesday evenings</u> 7:30 to 10:00 PM, "Christ Reformed Church at Indian Creek" located at 171 Church Road (intersection with Cowpath Road), Telford, PA.

Allentown Center City Chess Club Offer (from Eric C. Johnson): "For any of our events -- If three or more Lansdale players carpool together – the designated driver plays for free!"