

2019 Kansas Open

RESERVE SECTION GAMES

The Reserve Section at the 2019 Kansas Open was the smallest of the three sections with 28 participants (40 in Open and 38 in Amateur). Thus, it is only logical that there were less score sheets were turned in when compared to the Open section. That said I was able to go over 33 score sheets and came up with 11 for the games report. I received no email games from anyone in the Reserve section. Nick Shearer mailed me two of his games with a few comments but I already had very legible score sheets from all of his games. Thus, my selection of games came directly from score sheets turned in. Here is my list with games presented in this order.

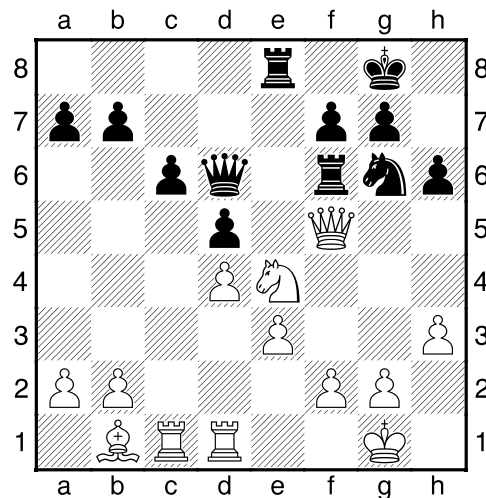
1. Nick Shearer 1: Garland Heyen 0
2. Nick Shearer 1: Dan Mounts 0
3. Sam Un 0: Sky Moerlien 1
4. Ryan Duan $\frac{1}{2}$: Sky Moerlien $\frac{1}{2}$
5. Sky Moerlien $\frac{1}{2}$: Charles Kearns $\frac{1}{2}$
6. Charles Kearns 1: Nick Shearer 0
7. Charles Carlson $\frac{1}{2}$: Ryan Duan $\frac{1}{2}$
8. Kyle Tran 0: George Verhage Jr. 1
9. George Verhage Jr. 0: Earney Patrick 1
10. Chau Huynh 0: Ryland O'Hanlon 1
11. Laurence Coker 0: Solomon Wu 1

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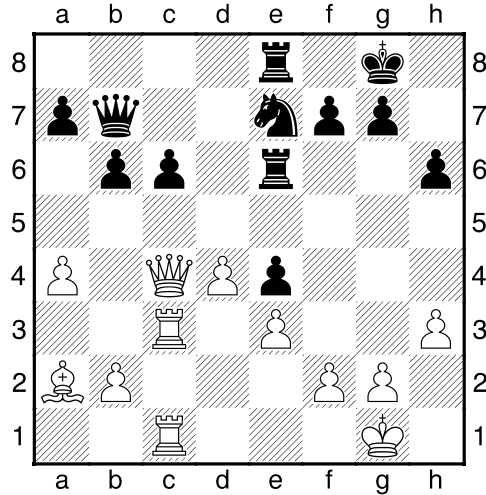
(1) Nick Shearer (1682) – Garland Heyen (1602) [D30]

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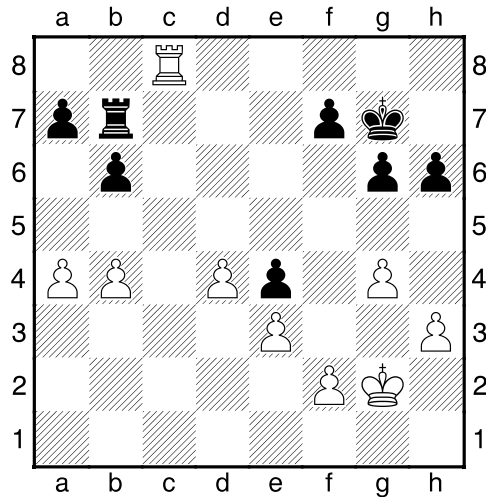
D30: Queen's Gambit Declined: Systems without Nc3 (Comments by Nick indicated.) 1.d4 d5 2.c4 e6 3.Nf3 Nf6 4.Bf4 Be7 5.e3 0-0 last book move 6.Bd3 h6 7.Nc3 c6 8.Rc1 Nbd7 9.cxd5 exd5 10.h3 Re8 11.0-0 Nf8 12.Bb1 Ng6 13.Bh2 Bd6 14.Bxd6 Qxd6 15.Qc2 Bd7 16.Ne2 Re7 17.Ng3 Rae8 18.Nf5 Bxf5 19.Qxf5 Ne4 20.Rfd1 Re6 21.Nd2 Rf6 22.Nxe4



22...dxe4 (Nick–If instead 22.Rxf5, then 23.Nxd6. If instead 22. Rxe4, then Qc8+ and Bxe4) **23.Qc5= Qb8** (Nick–exchanging queens was better) [23...Qd7= 24.Qxa7? Nh4! difficult to see, missed by Nick's analysis 25.Qc5 Rf3 26.Qh5 (26.gxf3?? Qxh3!) 26...Rhx3 27.gxh3 Qxh3 28.Qxh4 otherwise mate 28...Qxh4 -+(-6.63)] **24.Rc3 b6** **25.Qc4 Rfe6?** [25...Nh4! Missed by Nick. Slight advantage for black. Black follows up with Rg6 with counter attack] **26.a4 Qb7 27.Ba2 Ne7 28.Rdc1**



**28...Rc8? [28...Nd5=] 29.Qe2 Rd6 30.Qc2 Nd5? (Nick-helps white)
 31.Bxd5 Rxd5 32.Rxc6 Rxc6 33.Qxc6 Rd7 34.Qxb7 Rxb7 35.Rc8+
 Kh7 36.b4 g6 [36...Kg6 better] 37.g4 Kg7 38.Kg2**



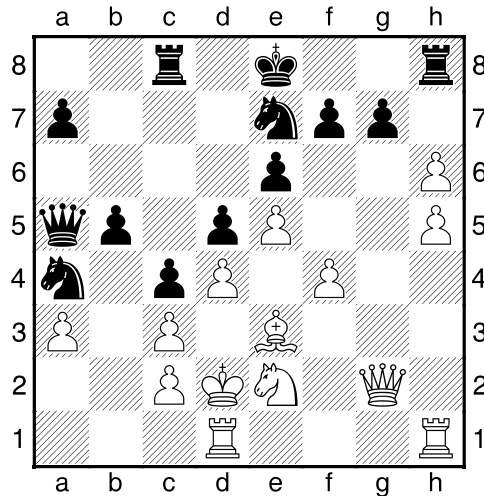
**38...f5 loses faster by creating more weaknesses 39.gxf5 gxf5
 40.Kg3 Rf7 41.Kf4 Kh7 42.a5 bxa5 43.bxa5 Kg7 44.a6 Kg6
 45.Rc6+ Kg7 46.d5 Kh7 47.d6 Kg8 48.Rc8+ Kg7 49.Rc7 1-0**

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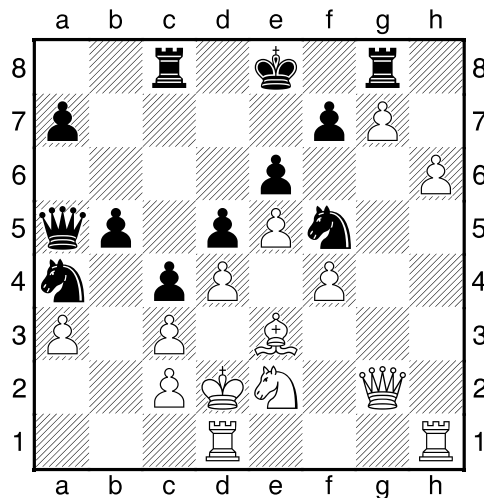
(2) Nick Shearer (1682) – Dan Mounts (1466) [B12]

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B12: Caro-Kann: Advance Variation 1.d4 c6 2.e4 d5 3.e5 Bf5 4.g4
Be4 5.f3 Bg6 6.h4 h6 7.h5 Bh7 last book move 8.Bd3 Bxd3 9.Qxd3
e6 10.Nc3 Be7 11.Be3 Nd7 12.0-0-0 Rc8 13.f4 c5 14.Nf3 c4 15.Qd2
Bb4 16.a3 Ba5 17.Qg2 Bxc3 18.bxc3 Qa5 19.Kd2 Nb6 20.Ng1 Na4
21.Ne2 b5= 22.g5 Ne7 23.gxh6



23...Nf5? probably losing move [23...gxh6 black actually with advantage here 24.Bf2 Kd7 25.Qf3 Rhg8 -+(-1.42)] 24.hxg7 Rg8 25.h6



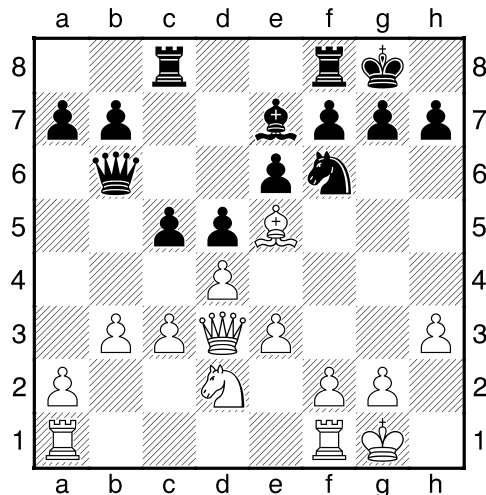
25...Nxe3? why trade off good knight for bad bishop. Knight needed to help with g7 pawn [25...Kd7 better though still losing 26.h7? Rxd7 27.Qxg7 Nxd7 28.h8Q?? (28.Rd8 better 28...Rh8 29.Rxd7 Qd8 30.Rxf7+ Kc6 +-(8.00)) 28...Rxd7 29.Rxd8=] **26.Kxe3 Nxc3 27.h7 Nxd1+ 28.Rxd1 Kd7 29.Qg5 Qxa3+ 30.c3 b4 31.hxg8Q Rxd8 32.Qf6 Ke8 33.Rh1 bxc3 34.Rh8 c2+ 35.Kf2 c1Q 36.Rxd8+ Kd7 37.Qxf7+ Kc6 38.Rc8+ Kb5 39.Rb8+ Ka6 40.Qb7+ 1-0**

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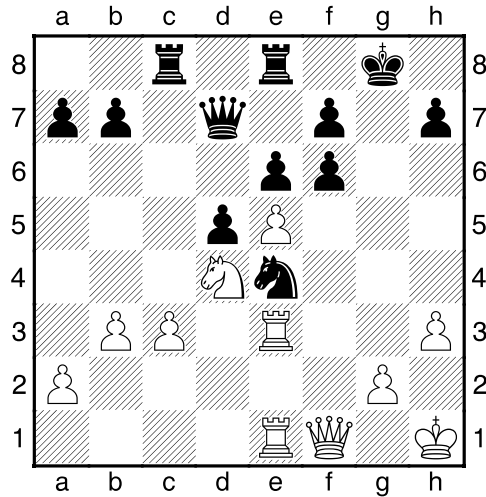
(3) Sam Un (1782) – Sky Moerlien (1624) [D02]

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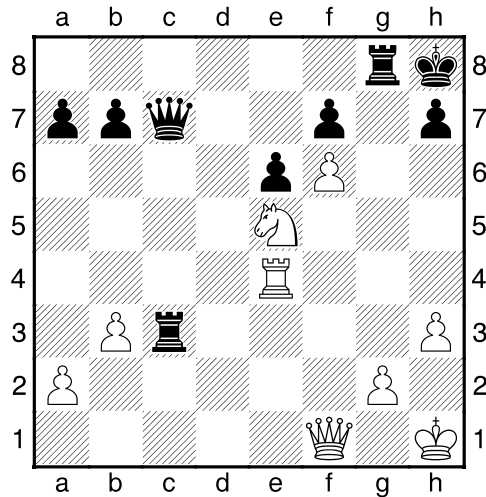
D02: 1 d4 d5 2 Nf3 sidelines, including 2...Nf6 3 g3 and 2...Nf6 3 Bf4
1.d4 d5 2.Nf3 Nf6 3.Bf4 c5 4.e3 Nc6 5.c3 Qb6 last book move 6.b3 Bf5 7.Bd3 Bxd3 8.Qxd3 e6 9.Nbd2 Be7 10.h3 0-0 11.0-0 Rac8 12.Ne5 Nxe5 13.Bxe5=



13...Nd7 14.Bh2 Bd6 15.f4 cxd4 16.exd4 Qc7 17.Rac1 Be7 18.Nf3 Nf6 19.Nd2 Qb6 20.Kh1 Rfd8 21.f5 Re8 22.Rf3 Qc6 23.Re1 Bd8 24.Rfe3 Bc7 25.Be5 Bxe5 26.dxe5 Nd7 27.Nf3 Nc5 28.Qf1 Ne4 29.Nd4 Qd7 30.f6 gxf6



31.Rxe4? unsound exchange sacrifice [31.exf6 Kh8 32.c4=] **31...dxe4 32.exf6 Kh8 33.Rxe4 Rg8 34.Nf3** [34.c4 only slightly better] **34...Rxc3 35.Ne5 Qc7**



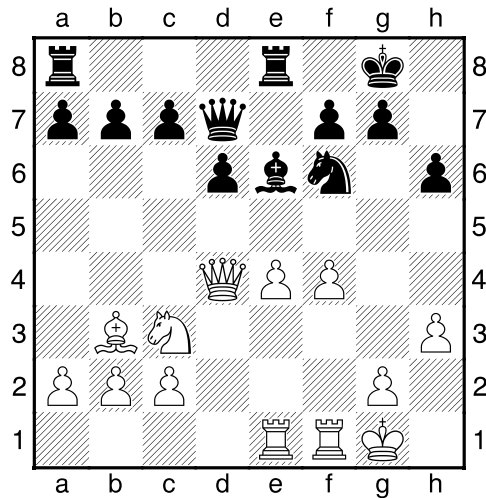
36.Qf4? losing move [36.Re2 protecting against 36...Rc2. Then 36.Rc1 is a mistake 36...Rc1? (36...b5 37.Kh2 a5 38.Qf2 b4 39.Qf4 Qb7 40.Rd2 slight advantage for black \bar{f} (-0.46)) 37.Nxf7+ Qxf7 38.Qxc1 Qxf6 white with advantage $\pm(1.30)$] **36...Rc1+! 37.Kh2 Rc2** neither 38. Ng4 or Qf3 work. After 38. Ng4 follows 38...Qxf4+ 39. Rxf4, then h5 and after 38. Qf3 there follows 38...Rg5 and pinned knight gets overloaded **0-1**

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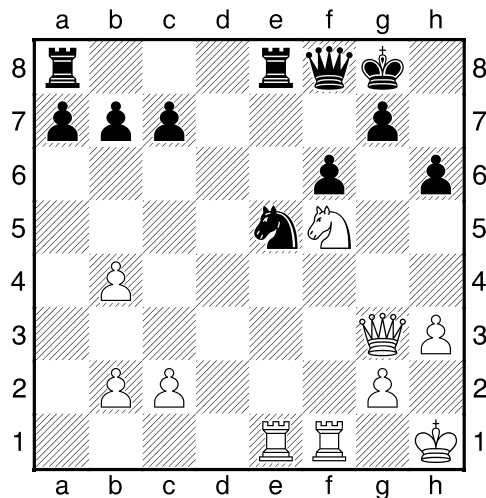
(4) Ryan Duan (1718) – Sky Moerlien (1624) [C50]

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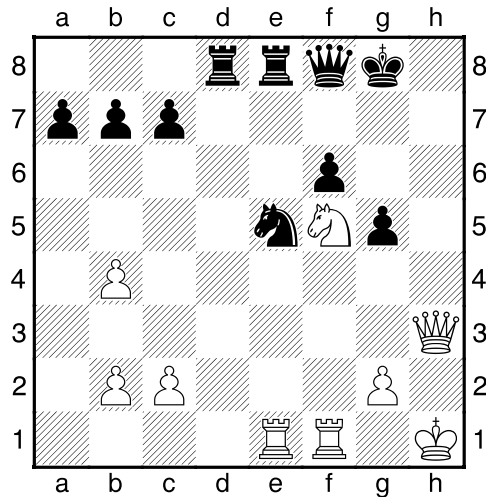
C50: Hungarian Defence and Giuoco Pianissimo 1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bc4 Bc5 4.Nc3 Nf6 5.0-0 d6 6.h3 Be6 7.Bb3 h6 8.d3 0-0 9.Be3 Bb6 10.d4 exd4 11.Nxd4 Nxd4 12.Bxd4 last book move 12...Bxd4 13.Qxd4 Re8 14.Rae1 Qd7 15.f4=



15...Bxb3 16.axb3 Qc6 17.e5 dxe5 18.fxe5 Nd7 19.Qf4 Qc5+ 20.Kh1 Nxe5 21.b4 Qe7 22.Nd5 Qd6 23.Ne3 f6 24.Nf5 Qf8 25.Qg3



**25...g5?=[25...Kh7 better with advantage for black] 26.h4 Rad8
27.hxg5 hxg5 28.Qh3**



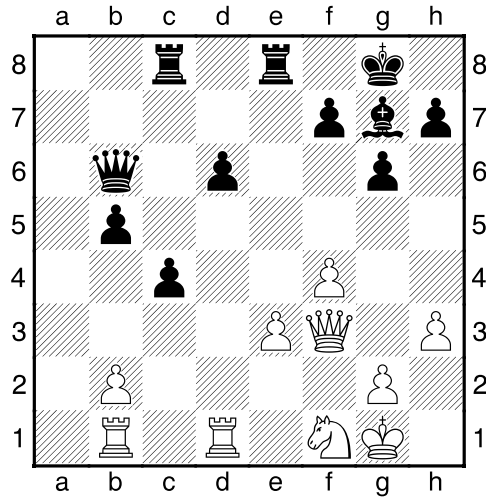
28...Nf7? there follows 29. Qh5 with advantage for white (+-(2.37), but apparently draw agreed[28...Rd7=; 28...Qxb4=] 1/2-1/2

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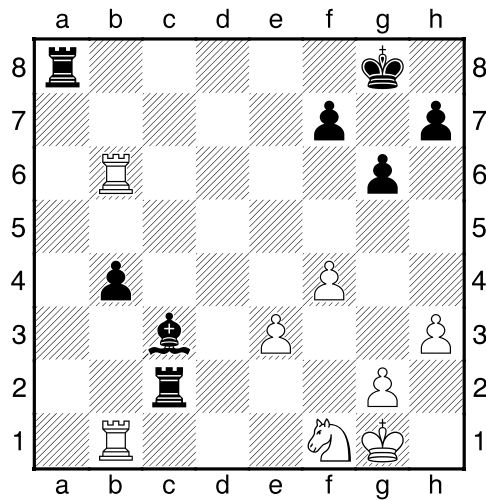
(5) Sky Moerlien (1624) – Charles Kearns (1598) [A61]

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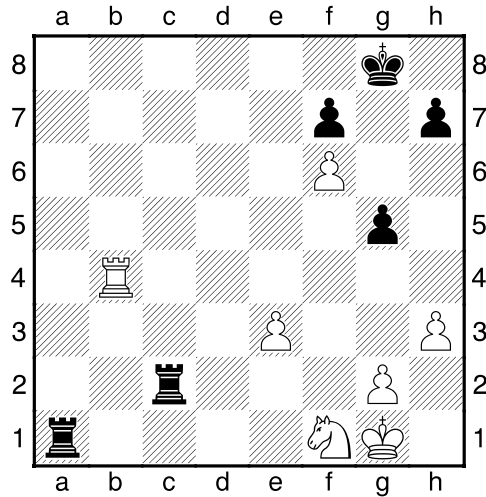
A61: Modern Benoni: Nf3 without early e4 **1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 c5 3.d5 e6
4.Nc3 exd5 5.cxd5 d6 6.Nf3 g6 7.Bf4 Bg7 8.h3 0-0 9.e3 a6 10.a4**
last book move **10...Re8 11.Qc2 Bf5 12.Bd3 Bxd3 13.Qxd3 Qc7
14.0-0 Nbd7 15.Rfe1 c4 16.Qe2 Rac8 17.Nd2 Ne5 18.Bxe5 Rxe5
19.f4 Ree8 20.Nd1 b5 21.axb5 axb5 22.Nc3 Qc5 23.Nf1 Nxd5
24.Nxd5 Qxd5 25.Red1 Qc5 26.Qf3 Qb6 27.Rab1**



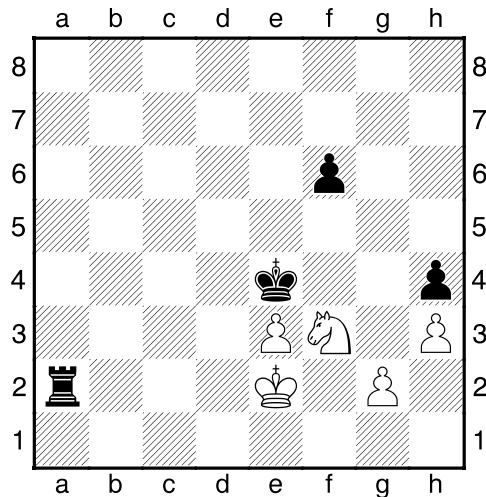
27...c3? [27...b4!] 28.bxc3 Rxc3 29.Qd5 b4 30.Qxd6 Qxd6 31.Rxd6 Rc4?! [31...Rb8 better] 32.Nd2 Rc2 33.Nf1 Bc3 34.Rb6 Ra8



35.R6xb4? exchange for passed pawn, should lose 35...Bxb4 36.Rxb4 Ra1 37.f5 g5 38.f6



38...h5? probably throws away win here [38...h6! 39.Rb5 Raa2 40.g4 Kh7 41.Rf5 Re2 42.Kh1 Kg6 43.Rf3 Rab2 44.Rf5 h5 45.Rf3 h4 46.Rf5 Rf2 47.Rxf2 Rxf2 48.Nh2 Re2 49.Nf3 (49.Nf1 Kxf6 50.Kg1 Ke5 51.Kh1 Ke4 52.Kg1 Kf3 53.Nh2+ Kxe3 54.Nf1+ Kf3 55.Nh2+ Kg3 56.Nf1+ Kxh3 mate in 15) 49...Rxe3+] **39.Rb5 Rcc1 40.Rxg5+ Kh7 41.Rf5 Kg6 42.Rf3 h4 43.Rf4 Kg5 44.Rf3 Rc6 45.Rf4 Rxf6 46.Rxf6 Kxf6 47.Kf2 Kf5 48.Ke2 f6 49.Nh2 Ke4 50.Nf3 Ra2+**



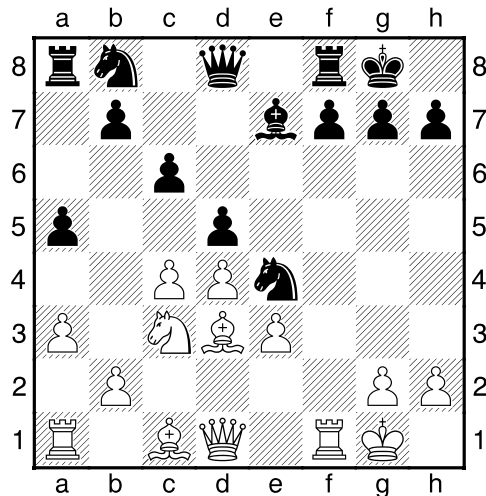
51.Nd2+ looks like white has achieved a fortress type position
51...Rxd2+ 52.Kxd2 f5 53.Ke2 f4 54.exf4 Kxf4 55.Kf2 Ke4 1/2-1/2

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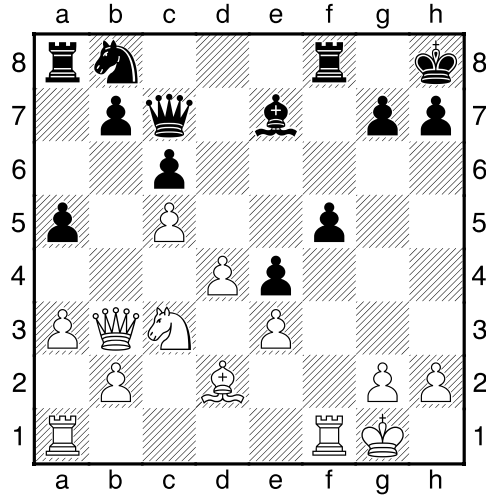
(6) Charles Kearn (1598) – Nick Shearer (1682) [A22]

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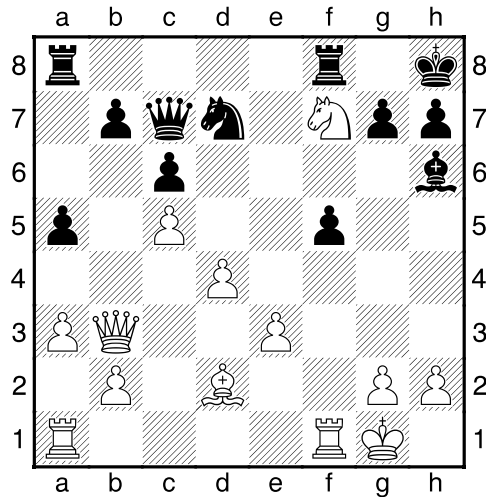
A22: English Opening: 1...e5 2 Nc3 Nf6 1.c4 e5 2.Nc3 Nf6 3.Nf3 d6 4.e3 last book move 4...Be7 5.Be2 0-0 6.0-0 c6 7.d4 e4 8.Nd2 d5 9.a3 a5 10.f3 Bf5? [10...exf3 11.Nxf3 slight advantage for white ± 0.68] 11.fxe4 Bxe4 12.Ndxe4 Nxe4 13.Bd3



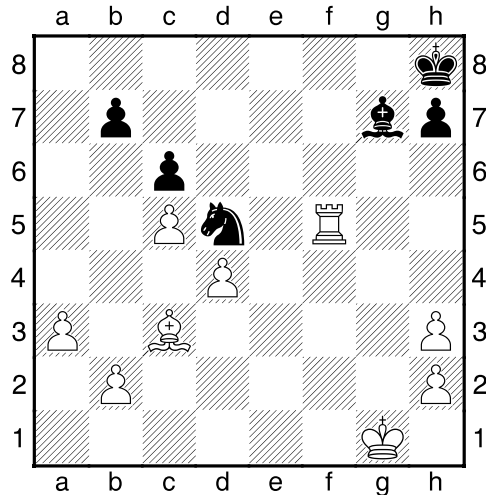
13...f5? weakens black's king position [13...Nf6 better 14.Qb3 Ra7 15.Bd2 dxc4 16.Bxc4 Nbd7 white with some advantage $\pm (0.94)$; 13...Nxc3 better 14.bxc3 Nd7 15.cxd5 cxd5 16.Rb1 Qc8 17.Bd2 Nf6 18.a4 $\pm(1.20)$] 14.Bxe4? [14.cxd5 better 14...Nxc3 (14...cxd5 not much better 15.Qb3 Nxc3 16.bxc3 Qd7 17.e4 fxe4 18.Bxe4 Nc6 19.Qxd5+ Qxd5 20.Bxd5+ Kh8 $+-(-2.86)$) 15.bxc3 Qxd5 16.Qe2 Kh8 17.Rb1 b5 18.Rxf5 Rxf5 19.e4 Qe6 20.exf5 Qxe2 21.Bxe2 $+-(-2.53)$] 14...dxe4 15.Qb3 Qc7 16.c5+ Kh8 17.Bd2



17...Bg5? maybe losing move [17...g6 better] 18.Nxe4 Bh6 19.Nd6 Nd7 [19...g6 only slightly better 20.g4 a4 21.Qe6 Bg7 22.gxf5 Qd7 23.Qxd7 Nxd7 24.fxg6 hxg6 +-(3.71)] 20.Nf7+



20...Rxf7 [20...Kg8?? 21.Nxh6+ Kh8 22.Qg8+ Rxf7 23.Nf7#] 21.Qxf7 Rf8 22.Qe7 Qc8 23.Rf3 g6 24.Rh3 Bg7 25.Qh4 Nf6 26.Bxa5 Re8 27.Qg5 Re4 28.Qxg6 Qe6 29.Rf1 Rxe3 30.Qxf5 Qxf5 31.Rxf5 Rxh3 32.gxh3 Nd5 33.Bc3



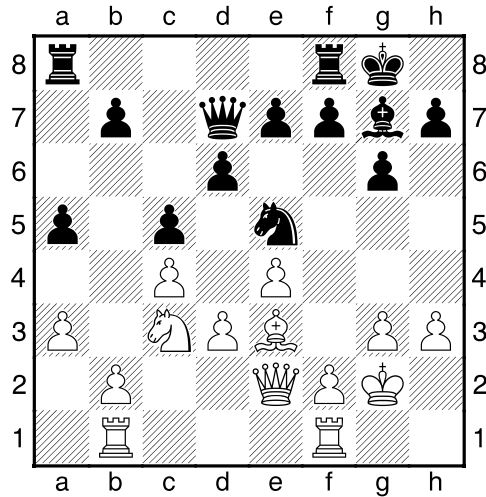
33...Kg8 34.Kf2 Bf6 35.Kf3 Kf7 36.Ke4 Ne7 37.Rf3 Ke6 38.Rxf6+ Kxf6 39.d5+ Kf7 40.d6 Nd5 41.Bd4 Ke6 42.h4 h5 43.b4 Nf6+ 44.Bxf6 Kxf6 45.a4 Ke6 46.b5 cxb5 47.axb5 b6 48.Kd4 bxc5+ 49.Kxc5 Kd7 50.Kd5 Kc8 51.Ke6 Kd8 52.d7 1-0

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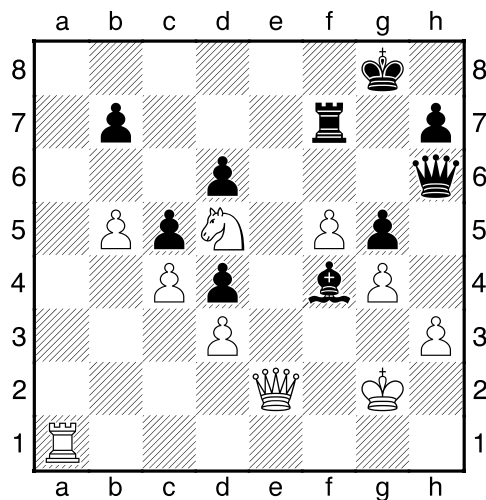
(7) Charles Carlson (1663) – Ryan Duan (1718) [A38]

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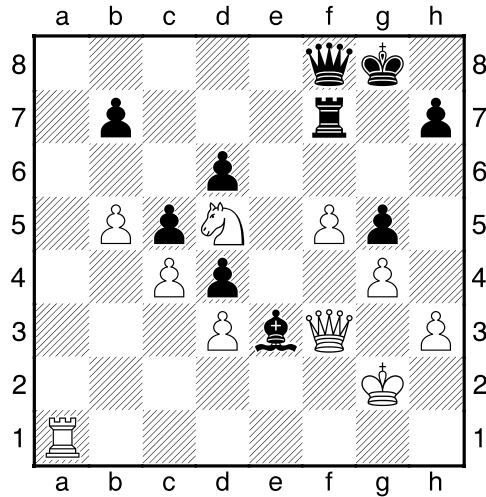
A38: Symmetrical English vs ...g6: 4 Bg2 Bg7 5 Nf3 Nf6 Lots of opportunities for white to win that are missed. Does not take advantage of well placed knight against bad bishop 1.c4 Nf6 2.Nc3 g6 3.g3 Bg7 4.Bg2 d6 5.Nf3 0-0 6.e4 c5 7.d3 Nc6 8.0-0 last book move 8...a6 9.a3 Bd7 10.Rb1 a5 11.Qc2 Bg4 12.h3 Bxf3 13.Bxf3 Nd4 14.Qd1 Nxf3+ 15.Qxf3 Nd7 16.Be3 Ne5 17.Qe2 Qd7 18.Kg2



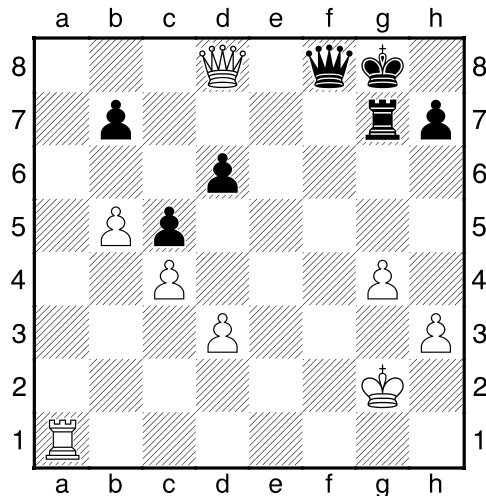
18...f5 19.f4 Nc6 20.Nd5 Rae8 21.b4 axb4 22.axb4 Nd4 23.Qd2 e5
 24.Bxd4 exd4 25.exf5 Rxf5 26.Rfe1 Rf7 27.Rxe8+ Qxe8 28.Re1
 Qf8 29.b5 g5? 30.f5 Be5 31.g4 Qh6 32.Ra1 Bf4? [32...Qh4 better]
 33.Qe2



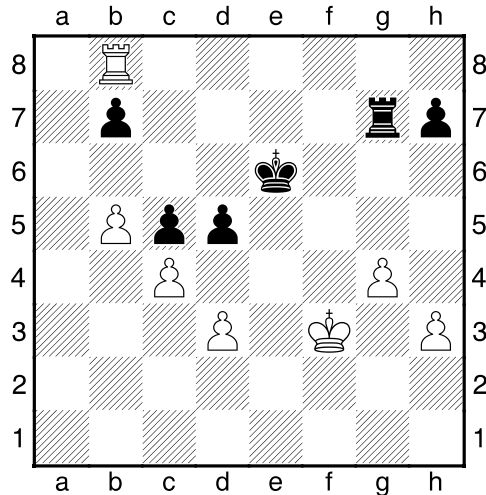
[33.Ra8+! Kg7 34.Qe1 Be5 35.Re8 b6 36.Re6 Qh4 37.Rxe5! dxe5
 38.Qxe5+ Kg8 39.Qe6 Kf8 40.Nf6 Qh6 41.Qd6+ Kg7 42.Ne8+ mate
 in 10] 33...Be3? 34.Qf3 white should be winning now 34...Qf8



35.Nxe3? wins pawn, but gives up well place knight [35.b6! winning 35...Kg7 36.Nc7 Qe7 37.Qxb7 Bf4 38.Qf3 h5 39.Ne6+ Kf6 40.Ra7] **35...dxe3 36.Qxe3 Re7? 37.Qxg5+ Rg7 38.Qh4 Qxf5 39.Qd8+** [39.Ra8+! Kf7 40.Rb8 Qe5 41.Rxb7+ Ke6 42.Rxg7 Qxg7 43.Qd8] **39...Qf8**



40.Qxf8+? probably gives up win [40.Ra8! Qxd8 41.Rxd8+ Kf7 42.Rd7+ Kg6 43.Rxg7+ Kxg7 44.Kf3 Kf7 easy win for white] **40...Kxf8 41.Ra8+ Ke7 42.Rb8 Ke6 43.Kf3 d5**



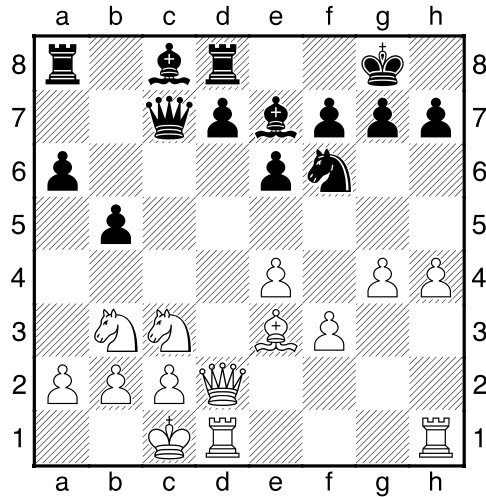
44.cxd5+? [44.Re8+! Kd7 45.Rf8 (45.Re5 wins also 45...dxc4 46.dxc4 b6 47.Rh5 Rf7+ 48.Ke3 Kc7 49.Ke4 Kc8 50.Rh6 Rb7 51.Kd5 Kb8 52.Rd6 Kc7 53.Rf6 Kb8 54.Rf8+ Ka7 55.Ke6 Rc7 56.h4 mate in 24) 45...dxc4 46.dxc4 Ke6 47.Kf4 +-(2.37) 47...Rd7 (47...Rg6 48.h4 Rg7 49.Rf5 Kd6 (49...Rc7 50.b6 Rc6 51.Rh5; 49...b6 50.g5 Rd7 51.Rf6+ Ke7 52.Rxb6 Rd4+ 53.Ke5 Rxc4 54.Rb7+ Kf8 55.h5 Kg8 56.b6 +-(9.04)) 50.Rd5+ +-(3.26)) 48.Re8+ Kd6 49.Re5 Kc7 +-(3.37)] **44...Kxd5 45.Rd8+ Ke5** [45...Ke5 still some advantage for white but more difficult to win 46.h4 Rf7+ 47.Kg3 h6 48.h5 ±(1.03)] 1/2-1/2

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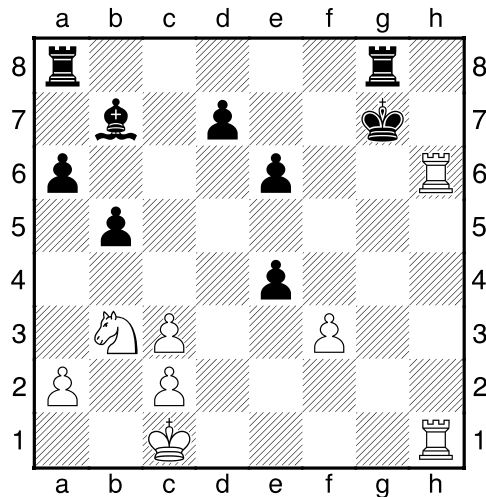
(8) Kyle Tran (1494) – George Verhage (1618) [B45]

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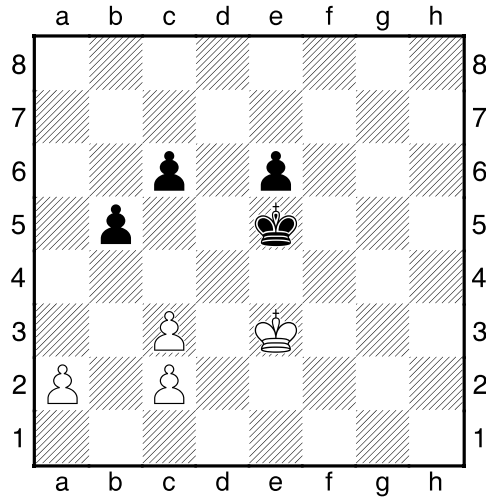
B45: Sicilian Four Knights **1.e4 e6 2.d4 c5 3.Nf3 cxd4 4.Nxd4 Be7 5.Nc3 Nc6 6.Be3 Nf6** last book move **7.Bc4 a6 8.f3 0-0 9.Qd2 Qc7 10.0-0-0 Rd8 11.g4 b5 12.Bb3 Na5 13.h4 Nxb3+ 14.Nxb3**



14...Bb4 15.h5 Bxc3 16.Qxc3 Qxc3 17.bxc3 Bb7 18.g5 Ne8
 19.Rdg1 Nd6 20.g6 f5 21.gxh7+ Kxh7 22.Rg6 fxe4 23.Rhg1 Rg8
 24.h6 Nf5 25.hxg7 Nxe3 26.R6g3 Nf5 27.Rh3+ Nh6 28.Rgh1 Kxg7
 29.Rxh6



29...Rh8? [29...exf3! winning] 30.Rxh8 Rxh8 31.Rxh8 Kxh8 32.fxe4
 Bxe4 33.Nc5 Bc6 34.Nxa6 Kg7 35.Kd2 Kf6 36.Ke3 Kf5 37.Nb4 Ke5
 38.Nxc6+ dxc6



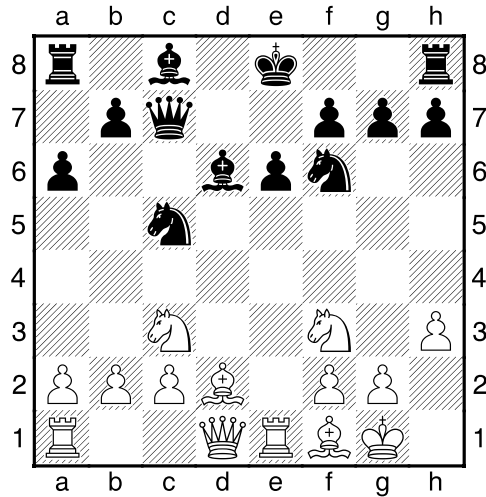
39.Kd3? losing move [39.c4 bxc4 (39...b4 40.c3 bxc3 41.Kd3 c2 42.Kxc2 Kd4 43.Kb3 Kc5 44.Kc3 e5 45.a4 Kb6 46.Kd3 Ka5 47.Ke4 Kb4 48.a5 Kxa5 49.Kxe5 c5 50.Kd6 Kb6=) 40.c3 Kd5=] **39...Kd5**
40.a3 Kc5 41.c4 bxc4+ 42.Ke4 Kb5 43.c3 Ka4 44.Kd4 Kxa3
45.Kxc4 e5 46.Kd3 Kb3 47.c4 c5 48.Ke4 Kxc4 49.Kxe5 0-1

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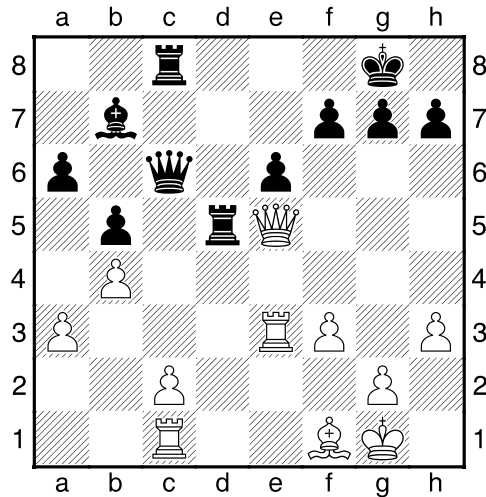
(9) George Verhage (1618) – Earney Patrick (1544) [B01]

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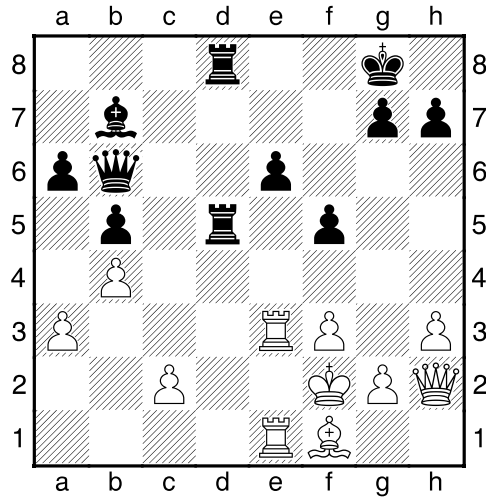
B01: Scandinavian Defence 1.e4 d5 2.exd5 Qxd5 3.Nc3 Qa5 4.d4 Nf6 5.Nf3 e6 last book move 6.Bd2 c6 7.Be2 Nbd7 8.0-0 Qc7 9.Re1 Bd6 10.h3 a6 11.Bd3 c5 12.dxc5 Nxc5 13.Bf1



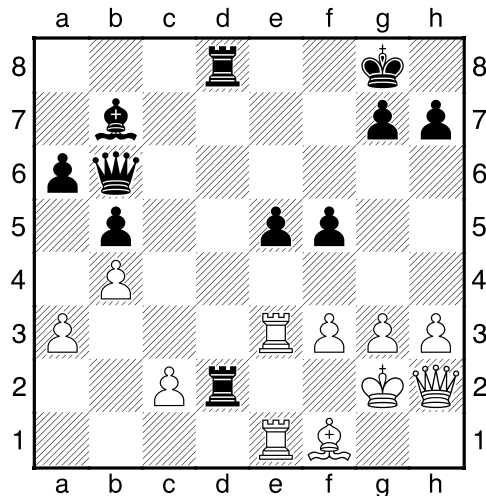
13...0-0 14.a3 b5 15.b4 Ncd7 16.Bg5 Bb7 17.Rc1 Bf4 18.Bxf4 Qxf4
 19.Qd4 Qc7 20.Ne5 Rad8 21.Nxd7 Rxd7 22.Qe5 Qc6 23.f3 Rc8
 24.Re3 Nd5 25.Nxd5 Rxd5



26.Qh2? [26.Qg3 Qb6 27.Qf2 only slight advantage for black]
 26...Qb6! setting a nasty pin 27.Kf2 Rcd8 [27...e5! better 28.g4
 (28.c4 bxc4 29.Rcc3 f5 30.g3 Rd2+ 31.Be2 Qd6 32.f4 Qd4 -+(-3.97))
 28...Rc3 29.Bd3 Rdx3 30.cxd3 Rxc1 31.Qxe5 h6 -+(-4.17)]
 28.Rce1? [28.c4 better with only slight advantage for black 28...Rd2+
 29.Be2 Qd4 30.Rcc3 ∓(-1.01)] 28...f5?



[28...Rd2+! 29.R1e2 f6 30.Qf4 e5 31.Qg3 g5 32.h4 h6 33.Qh3 Kg7 34.Rxd2 Rxd2+ 35.Be2 Bc6 36.Qf5 Bd7 37.Qe4 Rd4 38.Qa8 advantage for black -+(-1.90)] **29.g3?** [29.Bd3 minimal advantage for black 29...g6 30.Kg1 R5d7 31.Qe5 Bd5 slight advantage for black] **29...e5 30.Kg2** removing pin but too late **30...Rd2+!**



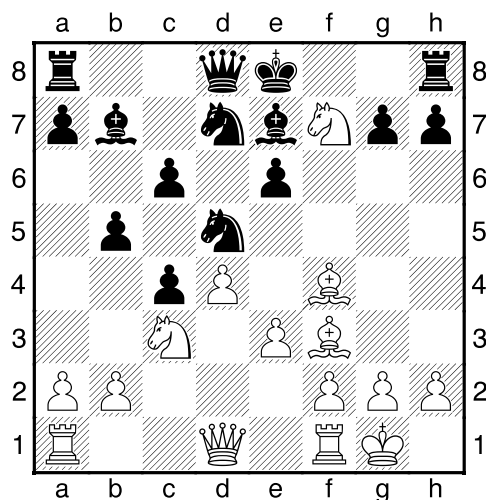
31.R1e2? there follows 32.Qxe3[31.R3e2 not much better 31...Qe3 32.Qg1 Bxf3+ 33.Kh2 Qc3 34.Qf2 Bxe2 35.Rxe2 Rxe2 36.Bxe2 Rd2 37.Kg2 Qxc2 38.Kf1 Qc1+ 39.Qe1 Qxe1+ 40.Kxe1 Ra2 -+(-9.24)] **0-1**

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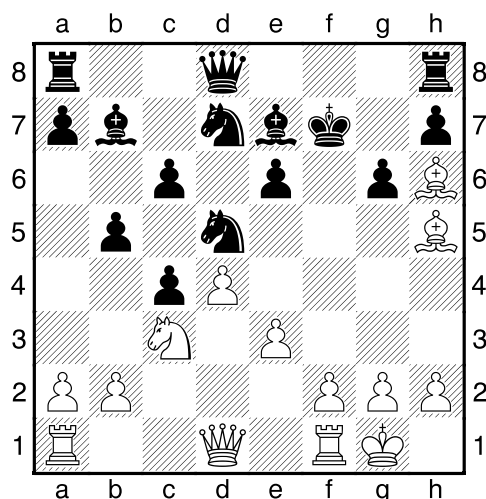
(10) Chau Huynh (1380) – Ryland O'Hanlon (1478) [D43]

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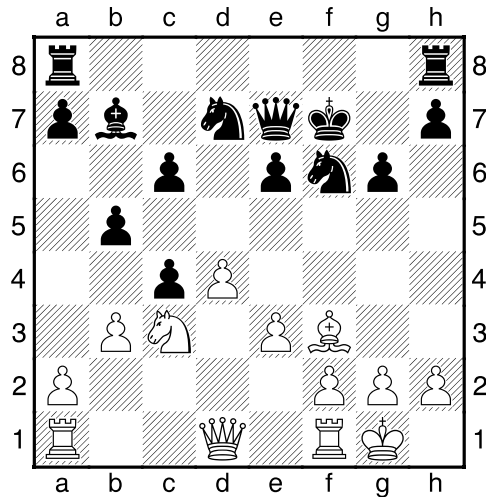
D43: Semi-Slav: 5.Bg5 h6 1.d4 d5 2.c4 c6 3.Nc3 Nf6 4.Nf3 e6 5.Bf4 dxc4 6.e3 last book move 6...b5 7.Ne5 Bb7 8.Be2 Nbd7 9.0-0 Be7 10.Bf3 Nd5 11.Nxf7?



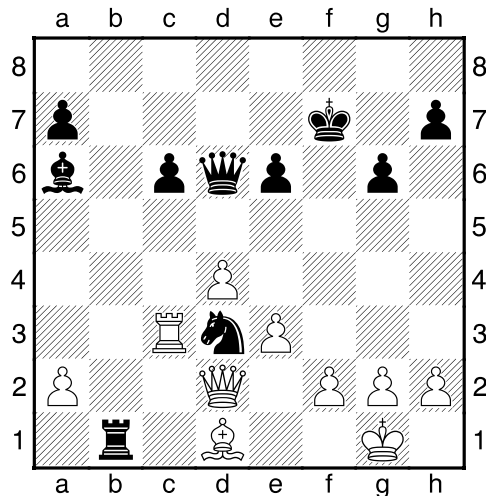
an unsound sacrifice 11...Kxf7 12.Bh5+ g6 13.Bh6



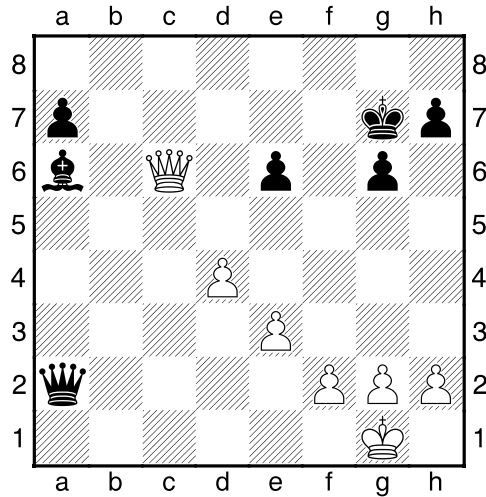
13...N5f6! [13...gxh5? 14.Qxh5+ Kg8 15.Qg4+ Kf7 16.Qg7+ Ke8 17.Qxh8+ Nf8 18.Ne4 Kd7 advantage for white ±(0.96)] 14.Bf3 Bf8 15.Bg5 Be7 16.b3 Nd5 17.Bxe7 Qxe7 18.Ne4 N5f6 19.Nc3?



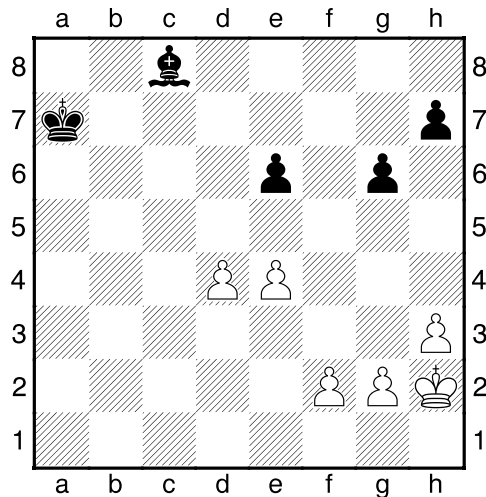
19...Rad8? [19...b4! 20.Ne4 c3 protected passed pawn -+(-4.98)]
 20.bxc4 bxc4 21.Qa4 Nd5 22.Qxc4 Nxc3 23.Qxc3 Nf6 24.Rfc1 Nd5
 25.Qb3 Rb8 26.Rab1 Qd6 27.Rc5 Ba6 28.Qc2 Rxb1+ 29.Qxb1 Rb8
 30.Qc2 Nb4 31.Qd2 Nd3 32.Rc3 Rb1+ 33.Bd1



33...Nb2 [33...Qb4! should win big, taking advantage of back row
 mate threat] 34.Rc1 Rxc1 35.Qxc1 Nxd1 36.Qxd1 Qa3? [36...c5
 37.Qf3+ Kg7 38.dxc5 Qxc5 39.h3 black should win -+(-3.39)]
 37.Qf3+ Kg7 38.Qxc6 Qxa2? =



this allows what should be a perpetual by white, but he has to find it and uses all his time to do so according to score sheet **39.Qc7+ Kf6 40.Qe5+ Ke7 41.Qc7+ Ke8 42.Qb8+ Kd7 43.Qxa7+ Kc6 44.Qc5+ Kb7 45.Qe7+ Kb8 46.Qf8+ [46.Qd6+ Kc8 47.Qc6+ Kb8 48.Qd6+ Ka7 49.Qc5+ Fritz says perpetual=equal] 46...Bc8 47.Qb4+ Ka8 48.h3 Qa1+ 49.Kh2 Qa6 50.Qc5 Qb7 51.Qa5+ Qa7 52.Qxa7+ Kxa7 53.e4**



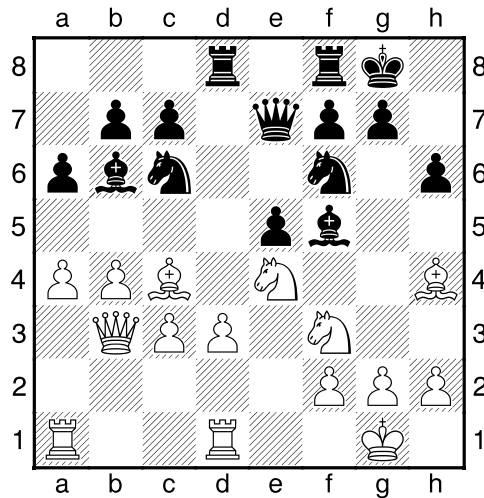
white lost on time according to score sheet. Only slight advantage for black, but white has not time to figure it out **0-1**

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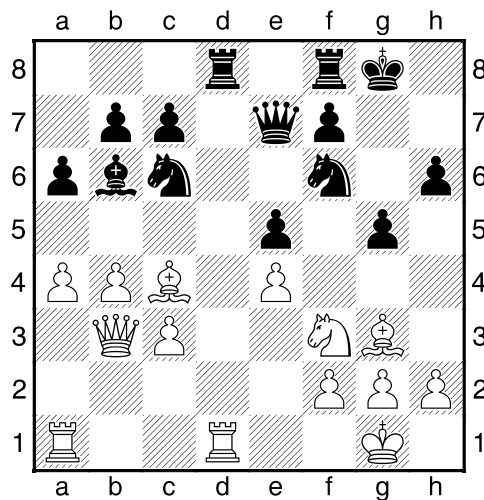
(11) Laurence Coker (1523) – Solomon Wu (1389) [C54]

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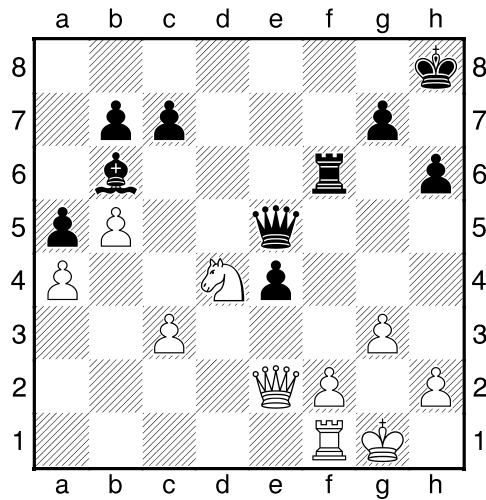
C54: Giuoco Piano: 4.c3 Nf6, main lines with 5.d4 and 5.d3 by transposition 1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bc4 Bc5 4.b4 Bb6 5.a4 a6 6.c3 Nf6 7.d3 0-0 8.0-0 d5 9.exd5 Nxd5 10.Qb3 Nf6 last book move 11.Bg5 Bf5 12.Rd1 h6 13.Bh4 Qe7 14.Nbd2 Rad8 15.Ne4



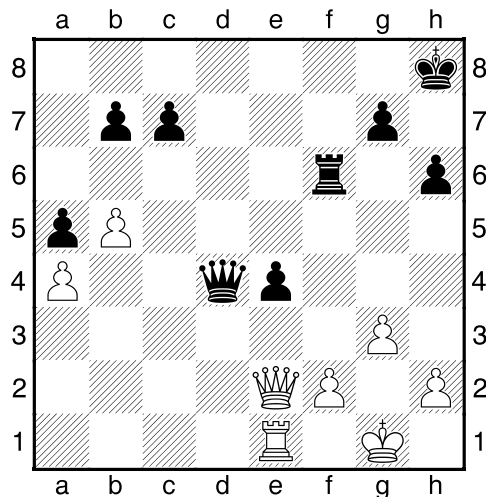
15...Bxe4 16.Bxf6 [16.dxe4 g5 17.Bg3



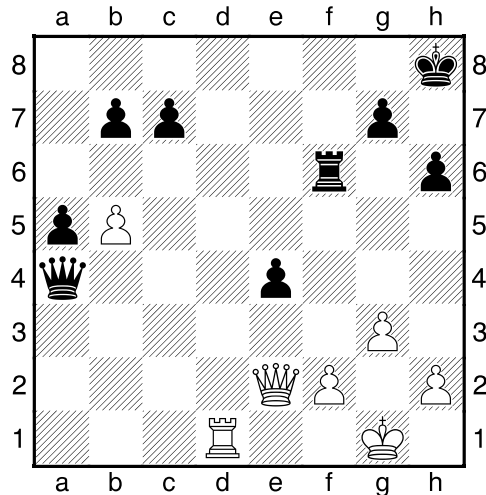
17...Nxe4? a mistake, I simply did not see this, otherwise I would not have played 16. Bxf6 (17...Nh5 18.Bd5 ±(1.14); 17...Nh5 best 18.Bd5 Rd6 19.Ra2) 18.Qc2! Nxg3?? (18...Nf6 not much better 19.Qg6+ Kh8 20.Qxh6+ Nh7 21.b5 axb5 22.axb5 Rxd1+ 23.Rxd1 Na5 24.Bd3 f6 25.Nxg5 Bxf2+ 26.Kh1 Be3 27.Qxh7+ Qxh7 28.Nxh7) 19.Qg6+ I did not see this move at all. 19...Kh8 20.Qxh6+ Kg8 21.Nxg5 Qxg5 forced 22.Qxg5+ +-(18.29)] **16...Qxf6 17.dxe4 Qf4 18.Qc2 Kh8 19.Qe2 f5 20.exf5 Rxf5 21.Rxd8+ Nxd8 22.Rd1 Nf7 23.Bxf7 Rxf7 24.Rf1 e4 25.Nd4 a5 26.b5 Rf6= 27.g3 Qe5**



28.Re1 [28.Rd1= better] 28...Bxd4 29.cxd4 Qxd4



30.Rd1 [30.Qxe4 Qxf2+ 31.Kh1 \mp (-1.05); 30.Qc2 best 30...Qd3 (30...Rf3 31.Rxe4 Rxf2 32.Qxc7 Qxe4 33.Kxf2=) 31.Qe2 Qxe2 32.Rxe2 Re6 33.Re3 white is a pawn down but Fritz regards this as equal] **30...Qxa4**



the game went on for about 5 more moves with white losing b5 pawn. Then, somehow or another with my queen on c2 and black's queen on b5 and rook on b6, black played Qb1 forcing an exchange of queens and I resigned. My opponent used 15 minutes on entire game. I used one hour and 40 minutes. Kids move faster. **0-1**

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