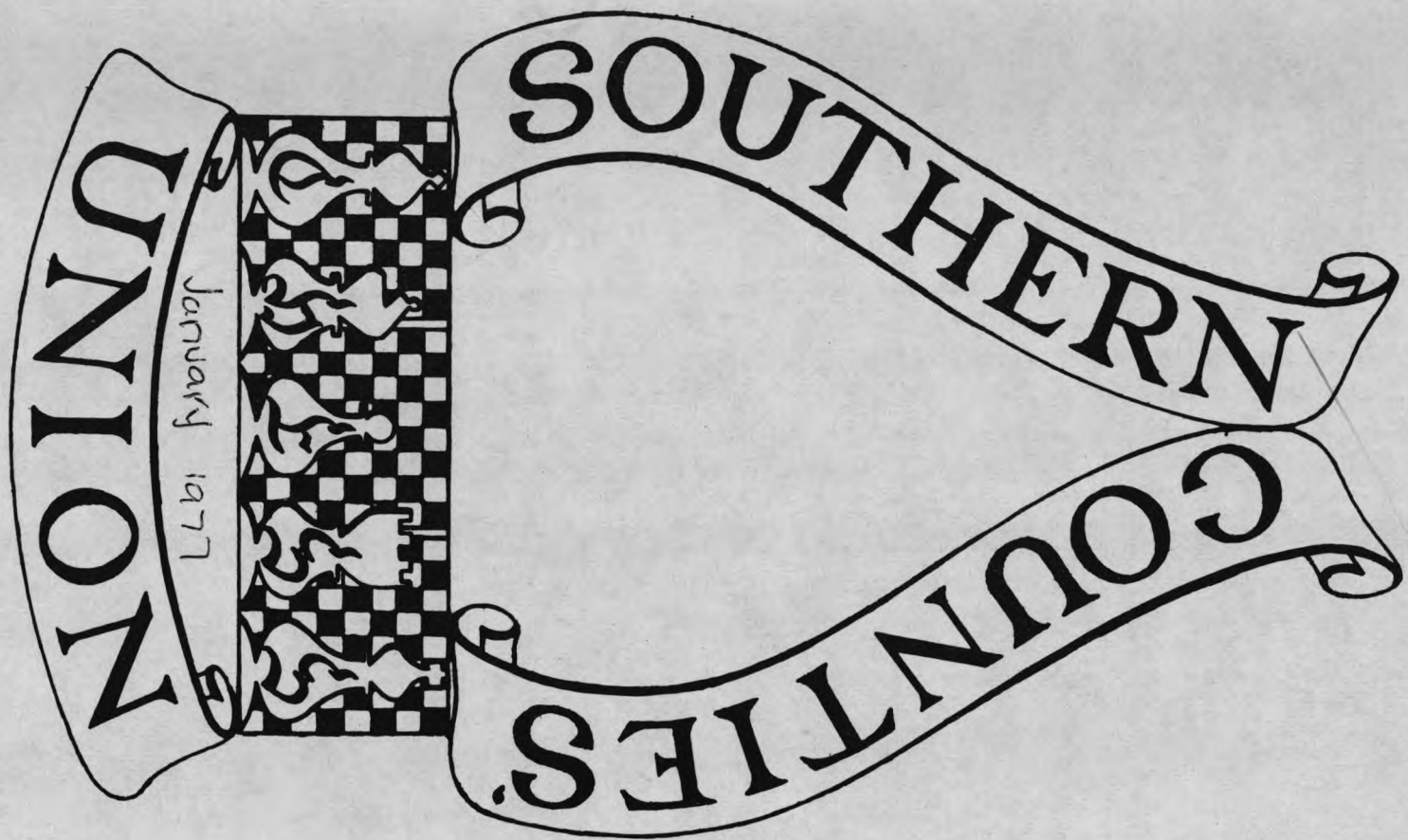


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A HAPPY NEW YEAR !!

The Editor, producers and contributors wish all our readers the best of fortune in 1977 with inspiration for all their games and enthusiasm in all their efforts in the administration of the game at all levels.

GRADING

Mr. B G Locke sends us the following additions and amendments to the 1976

Grading List:	ADDITIONS	Graders Reference Numbers
149	Roder S B Woking	405500
154	Bello-Lopej J M St. Francis Hospital & Coulsdon	262020
154	Miller D W A West Wickham & Ibis	166209
127	Kay A C Willesden	193983
AMENDMENTS		
*106	Haire H P Wimbledon & Thomas Cook	270726
*107	Huba M J Battersea & Chelsea	010073
*166	Williams D C Guildford & Wimbledon	240500
*154	Kent N P West Wickham & Patent Office & Sutton and Cheam	241126
*147	Macro R L Sutton and Cheam & Stewart Wrightson	240132
130	Cousins S P Sutton and Cheam & West Wickham	240148
*138	Griffiths R H Croydon & Stewart Wrightson	241112

CHESS ON TELEVISION B.B.C.2.

From Monday 3rd January until 14th February the 'MASTER GAME' second series will be screened each Monday at 7.45 p.m. for 30 minutes, when the eight competitors will be the holder of the Master Game trophy, Bill Hartston, with Nigel Short, John Nunn, Jana Hartston, George Botterill, Julian Hodgson, Tony Miles and Peter Clarke. The first four evenings show the first round wherein the pairings are:-

Bill Hartston v Nigel Short John Nunn v Jana Hartston
George Botterill v Julian Hodgson Tony Miles v Peter Clarke.

The semi-finals take place on 31st January and 7th February and the Final on 14th February. Jeremy James will present the series and Leonard Barden will provide expert analysis at various stages of the games.

As about one third of the chess Clubs in the Southern Area meet on Monday evenings it is to be hoped that the BBC will be willing to offer a repeat at some other time - no doubt a few requests from chess players might help them to consider this suggestion. In any event the continuation of this series is bound to be of some help in publicising the game.

NEW YEAR'S HONOURS LIST 1977

Once again the Editor has great pleasure in inviting readers to join him in offering our congratulations to Professor John W Cornforth on the award of a knighthood for his services to science. It will be remembered that last year this distinguished player, who has played for many years for Middlesex and latterly for Sussex, was awarded a Nobel Prize for his researches. We shall look forward to reading of the accolade investiture at the Palace in due course and thereafter wish Sir John many years of success in both chess and science.

NOTICE for members of the Council and Executive Committee. At their last meeting the Executive arranged the following dates for the next meetings: 11th February and 22nd April. Council meeting to be held on 11th June 1977.

The B C F Secretary has negotiated an arrangement with British Rail for the benefit of younger chess players. Paul Buswell writes:-

'At the moment child-rate travel is limited to those under 14 years old: from now the child-rate is available to players up to the age of 18 travelling to any chess congress PROVIDED THAT THEY ARE MEMBERS OF THE B.C.F.

A certificate enabling players aged 14-17 inclusive to obtain a child-rate ticket can be obtained from the BCF - an official application form for such a certificate will shortly be available, and the Congress organisers or B.C.F. members can obtain the application forms as soon as they are available.

Note that these certificates will be issued only for specific return journeys. Organisers should note that the definition of "Congress" will be strictly applied and the letter of the rules for B.C.F. membership will be applied - no "registration in the pipeline".

It is to be hoped that all county and club secretaries will take steps to see that registered Junior players are fully informed of the concessions to which they are entitled when they travel by rail to compete in Congresses.'

Now for details of events in the New Year:

BATTLE of BRITAIN TOURNAMENT; application forms are available from
G F Steele, Napier Lodge, 46 Monkton Road, Minster, Ramsgate, Kent (17 Jan)
Jan 21-23 CAMBERLEY -BMS Supplies, 28 Brackendale Close, Camberley, Surrey.
Feb 4-6 PORTSMOUTH -A Driscoll, 62 Margate Road, Southsea, Portsmouth, Hants.
Mar 4-6 COVENTRY -J A Crump, 21 Shaftesbury Street, West Bromwich, B71 1LP.
Mar 18-20 BASINGSTOKE -R E Boxall, 91 Campsie Cl, Bucksin, Basingstoke, RG22 5DQ
Apr 1-3 EAST ANGLIAN -N G Thomas, Hope House, Poringland, Norwich, Norfolk.

and for the Easter offerings 8th - 11th April 1977:-

WEST of ENGLAND, Cheltenham E G Walker, 18 Homefield, Locking, Avon BS24 8ED.
SOUTHEND-on-SEA, J A Spiegel, 28a Boscombe Road, Southend-on-Sea, Essex, S52 5JD
FOLKSTONE, E H K Beecher, 34 Tyndale Park, Herne Bay, Kent, CT6 6BS.
HAMMERSMITH, Civic Entertainment Officer, Hammersmith Town Hall, London, W.6.

The Individual Championship of the Union will be held in conjunction with the Southend Congress under the control of Mr. Spiegel: County Secretaries should send the names of players they wish to be included to Mr. H Trevor Jones, 17 Somerset Road, Tunbridge Wells, Kent, without delay.

CONGRESS RESULTS

BRITISH LIGHTNING CHAMPIONSHIPS held at Telford 13-14th November 1976:

Team Event: (33 entries) 1 Bolton 20½/28, 2 Leicestershire Juniors 20,
3 Rotherham 'A' 19, 4= Charlton 'A' & Drunken Knights 'A' 18½,
6 Central YMCA 'B', 7 Cheltenham 17.

Individual Championship (86 players) had two sections of seven rounds each of which were won by Tony Miles and Mike Wills - in the final Miles won in 24 moves. Thanks of all concerned to Salop C.A. and Dr. Jeff Cox for the overall organisation of another successful event.

NORTH DEVON (Barnstaple)

Open (86 players) 1= P V Byway (Herts) & D I Patrick (Leics) 4½/5.
3= J R Boyce (Bristol), P A Brown (Herts), D G A Shallcross (Sussex),
A R B Thomas (Devon), D C Williams (Surrey), S Williams (Devon) &
B H Wood (Warwicks) 4

Golden Coast (93 entries) 1= M E Clarke (Northampton), M F Driscoll (Wallasey), M A Hick (Somerset) 4½/5, 4= K J Bloodworth (Devon)
A D Cooke (Salisbury), G Kaye (Coventry), G W Lane (Paignton), P Lucas (Leicester), D A MacFarlane (Launceston) & P R Smith (Torquay) 4.

Minor: (22 entries) 1 L Guard (Devon) 4½/5, 2 K J Verney (Devon) 4, 3=
B M S Jolly (Devon), C W Leaversuch (London) & S W Stephens (Surrey) 3½.

HERTFORDSHIRE

Premier (53 players) 1= P A J Brown & J R Holland 4½/5, 3= G Lee (Middx),
C J McSheehy, C W Pickard, P M Stimpson & D Rumens (Middlesex) 4.

Major: (85 players) 1 S F Brocklesby 5/5, 2= C Lean & M Krawznski 4½

Junior: (28 players) 1 R E Pickard 5/5, 2= K Beadle, M Cohen, A McKinnon & C Parry 4.

LEICESTERSHIRE - H E ATKINS MEMORIAL CONGRESS 3rd-5th September attracted a total of 269 players spread over four events. The H E Atkins Open had an entry of 58 players and the joint winners were: D I Patrick (Leics) & M Chandler (Kent) each scoring 5/6, equal third came T B Bennett and S Rueben (both Middlesex), G Botterill (Wales) & S J Hutchings (Cardiff).

CLASSIFIED RESULTS

(C)	HERTS 11 ESSEX 9	ESSEX 7½ CAMBS 12½	BERKS 11½ CAMBS 8½
	MIDDLESEX 10 KENT 10	NORFOLK 5½ SUSSEX 14½	BERKS 6½ HERTS 13½
(M-J)	Essex II OXON 9	Middlesex II 10 Kent II 10	
(E)	Kent IV 7½ Surrey IV 12½	Berks II 5½ Essex IV 14½	
	(The match scores on the above were included in the November Bulletin: details of the adjudicated games will be found in the Stop Press).		
(C)	MIDDLESEX 3½ HERTS 12½ (4)	SUSSEX 7 CAMBS 13	
	NORFOLK 5 CAMBS 15	BERKS 8½ SURREY 11½	
	SUSSEX 6 MIDDLESEX 9 (5)	KENT 14½ SUSSEX 5½	
	BERKS 6½ ESSEX 12½ (1)	KENT 14 NORFOLK 5 (1)	
(M-J)	BUCKS 14 BEDS 4 (2)	BEDS 6½ OXON 13½	
	Kent II 15½ BEDS 4½	Middlesex II 10½ Herts II 9½	
	Kent II 11 Essex II 5 (4)	SUFFOLK 7 Sussex II 13	
	BUCKS 14½ SUFFOLK 5½		
(A)	Kent III 11½ Sussex III 8½	Sussex III 5½ Middlesex III 13½ (1)	
(E)	Kent IV 8 Essex IV 12	Berks II 7 Surrey V 12 (1)	
	Berks II 10 Surrey IV 8 (2)	Essex IV 10½ Surrey IV 6½ (3)	
	Kent IV 11 Surrey V 7 (2)		

'ABSENT ONES'

The following table records the present scores given by default in County Matches:- (Bucks, Berks, Herts, Suffolk & Norfolk have not yet defaulted) Beds 16, Essex 6, Cambs 5, Oxon Surrey and Sussex 2, Kent and Middlesex 1.

CHAMPIONSHIP

NORFOLK 20.11.76 CAMBS				BERKS 20.11.76 SURREY				
1	D Wise	½	C Crouch	½	M J Staples	½	N Povah	½
2	V D Burk	0	T P D Chapman	1	R Bailey	0	T Pelling	1
3	T P Love	0	A P Taglione	1	J H Hodgson	½	R Emerson	½
4	M Kwan	½	R F J Sams	½	F Varty	1	E L Stuart	0
5	M Read	½	D R Johnston	½	D S Tucker	½	W A Linton	½
6	G Wright	0	H D McPherson	1	D I Stevenson	0	R J Stockwell	1
7	P McDermott	0	S J Aarseth	1	J K Orrell	1	M J Lightfoot	0
8	L Pott	0	C M Cooley	1	L J Turner	0	M F P Singleton	1
9	R Hardy	0	G Palmer	1	P Morrey	1	W E C Richards	0
10	N Barltrop	0	P Jeffery	1	M J Pryce	0	M Davis	1
11	I Gladden	0	P Davies	1	J E Syner	½	J Bennett	½
12	T Lenton	1	S Carr	0	M V Taylor	0	C N J Rose	1
13	R Hughes	0	S Le Blancq	1	J R Verling	0	C Jones	1
14	M Woolnough	0	S Pimental	1	S Ingolfsrud	0	D Rowson	1
15	I Judd	0	A McDaid	1	K B Hemmings	½	M Sheehan	½
16	G Hardman	½	A J Stephens	½	Dr N M Stewart	½	J E Pattle	½
17	M J Hughes	0	A Berry	1	M F Redmond	½	G Beattie	½
18	S Randall	½	J Wilman	½	P E Barnard	1	default	0
19	F Salt	½	S Moss	½	G E Borrowdale	1	R E Rushbrook	0
20	A Madzia	1	default	0	R P Bristow	0	F C Manning	1
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@ Norwich	5		15	@ Kensington	8½		11½	
SUSSEX 16.10.76 CAMBS				KENT 20.11.76 SUSSEX				
1	G H James	0	M Stean	1	M Fuller	1	G H James	0
2	D S C Goodman	0	P Littlewood	1	M Chandler	1	B J Denman	0
3	J C Henshaw	0	C Crouch	1	R Eales	0	J I P Simpole	1
4	J I P Simpole	1	D R Johnston	0	M V Lambshire	1	Prof D B Scott	0
5	K I Norman	½	R J F Sams	½	K Wicker	0	K I Norman	1
6	Dr R J Power	0	H D McPherson	1	J N Sugden	1	DGA Shallcross	0
7	S O N Hawes	½	A P Taglione	½	A Hanreck	1	D H Cummings	0
8	Dr J W Cornforth	½	T Parkes	½	Sr S MilnerBarry	1	Dr R R Kay	0
9	D H Cummings	0	C Cooley	1	R O'Kelly	1	A Hall	0
10	G A Hollis	0	G Campbell	1	M P Cook	1	T Howdle	0
11	A Hall	0	P Davies	1	R Johannes	1	R Hughes Hallett	0
12	default	0	S Carr	1	N Oliver	½	J P Scanlan	½
13	T Howdle	½	L Glazier	½	I McAllan	½	P Fallon	½
14	M L Roberts	½	J Wilman	½	A K Swift	½	A B Bamford	½
15	F J Kwiatowski	1	S Moss	0	D H Powell	1	J Graham	0
16	J Graham	½	S Le Blancq	½	B W R Hewson	1	L J Cannon	0
17	R HughesHallett	0	A J Berry	1	J Wager	1	P D Leat	0
18	J P Scanlan	½	D L Roberts	½	M Brow	0	R L Williamson	1
19	P Fallon	½	J Swain	½	D C Taylor	0	P Carey	1
20	R T F Williams	1	A Baker	0	R Parry	1	R F T Williams	0
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@ St. Brides	7		13	@ St. Brides	14½		5½	

CHAMPIONSHIP

SUSSEX 11.12.76		MIDDLESEX		KENT 11.12.76		NORFOLK	
1 G H James	1	A J Whiteley	0	M Chandler	@	R Bellin	@
2 B J Denman	@	A P Law	@	M V Lambshire	1/2	C Cubitt	1/2
3 J I P Simpole	1	S Berry	0	default	0	M Kwan	1
4 DGA Shallcross	@	S Rueben	@	A Hanreck	1	T P Love	0
5 Dr R J Power	0	G D Lee	1	K J Wicker	1	V D Burk	0
6 S O N Hawes	1/2	R Lobo	1/2	Sr S MilnerBarry	0	M Read	1
7 J P Scanlan	0	A P Shepstone	1	R O'Kelly	1	I Gladden	0
8 R C NoelJohnson	0	J M Quinn	1	M P Cook	1/2	I Judd	1/2
9 M L Roberts	1/2	J Benjamin	1/2	R Johannes	1	P R Coleman	0
10 D H Cummings	1	D P Lynch	0	N Oliver	1	T J Turner	0
11 A Hall	0	N R Benjamin	1	J Hutcheson	1	N Barltrop	0
12 P Fallon	@	P J Sowray	@	I McAllan	1	S Randall	0
13 A B Bamford	0	R A Batchelor	1	J MacDonald-Ross	0	Dr C Purdom	1
14 C H Stacey	@	K M Weinhold	@	D H Powell	1	M J Hughes	0
15 R HughesHallett	1/2	P J Adams	1/2	J Wager	1/2	R Hughes	1/2
16 J Graham	1	J V Skilleter	0	R Parry	1	D Rivett	0
17 L J Cannon	0	P S Thornton	1	M J Reddie	1	G Hall	0
18 T Norton	@	C Oxtan	@	R C Pentecost	1/2	M Madzia	1/2
19 P Kington	1/2	H B Angel	1/2	G Clarke	1	A Wilson	0
20 R T F Williams	0	W N Watson	1	C Frostick	1	R Round	0
@ Brighton	6		9	@ St. Brides	14		5

BERKS 11.12.76		ESSEX		MIDDLESEX 20.12.76		HERTS	
1 M J Staples	0	Dr J Penrose	1	A P Law	1/2	P V Byway	1/2
2 R Bailey	1	default	0	S Berry	@	F N Stephenson	@
3 J H Hodgson	1/2	G Hillyard	1/2	S Rueben	1/2	P A J Brown	1/2
4 G Varty	1	A Martin	0	J M Hodgson	0	R B Edwards	1
5 D S Tucker	0	S Kalinsky	1	A P Shepstone	@	W Tabakiernik	@
6 D I Stevenson	1/2	A Marshall	1/2	G Pearce	0	A C Cooper	1
7 S Ingolfsrud	0	D Coleman	1	J M Quinn	0	D A Lemoir	1
8 J T Matthews	0	D I Reynolds	1	N Skinner	0	C R Chandler	1
9 L C Turner	1/2	I B N Smith	1/2	D Lynch	@	C W Pickard	@
10 P Morrey	0	R F Harman	1	R A Batchelor	0	Dr B Turner	1
11 J B Syner	1/2	R Heppinstall	1/2	K M Weinhold	@	A J Ball	@
12 D Lewis	1	P Gasper	0	P S Thornton	0	J R Holland	1
13 J R Verling	1/2	H I Woolverton	1/2	J V Skilleter	0	Dr P H Collins	1
14 M J Pryce	1/2	J B Hawson	1/2	N R Benjamin	1	W E B Pryer	0
15 A M Scarborough	0	R Franklin	1	W N Watson	0	C H Watson	1
16 J Townsend	@	P Pritchard	@	P J Adams	1/2	C J M McSheehy	1/2
17 K B Hemmings	0	S Bush	1	J A Yeo	0	J Cook	1
18 Dr N M Stewart	0	K Warren	1	R C Sroka	0	M E Hewitt	1
19 M F Redmond	1	S J Abbott	0	J V A Franks	0	A J Bagley	1
20 R P Bristow	1/2	R A Wagstaff	1/2	J E Redon	1	A P Primmitt	0
@ Maidenhead	6 1/2		12 1/2	@ Kensington	3 1/2		12 1/2

MONTAGUE JONES

BEDS 27.11.76		OXON		BUCKS 6.11.76		BEDS	
1 J Plaskett	0	G Burton	1	R De Coverly	0	H J Plaskett	1
2 P Habershon	1/2	A Gravett	1/2	W F Coles	1	default	0
3 C Johns	1/2	N Pyper	1/2	K G Hyde	@	P Habershon	@
4 R S Jones	1	J C Waldron	0	Dr E N Bramley	1	default	0
5 J Wingfield	1/2	D Godfrey	1/2	D R Smith	0	R S Jones	1
6 R Townsend	1/2	T Pavlovic	1/2	R D W Marsh	1	R Townsend	0
7 N Cannon	1/2	M Picken	1/2	R C S Newton	0	D Elkins	1
8 N Staddon	1	M Kimber	0	D A Curtis	1	D Cruz	0
9 N James	0	S Horwood	1	P D Porter	@	N Staddon	@
10 H Ponsford	1/2	S Charles	1/2	B W Atkinson	1	N Ingham	0
11 P Hatton	1/2	D Green	1/2	J Alster	0	C Yarwood	1
12 S Brocklesby	1	D Sayers	0	A Niedzwiedski	1	I Edmundson	0
13 default	0		1	A Cox	1	P Hatton	0
14 default	0		1	P R Rawlcliffe	1	P Brocklesby	0
15 default	0		1	D Thomas	1	N Graham	0
16 default	0		1	R Bott	1	default	0
17 default	0		1	R Alster	1	B Farr	0
18 default	0		1	D Lush	1	J Brennan	0
19 default	0		1	M Rose	1	C P Graboski	0
20 default	0		1	M Orriss	1	H Jeffs	0
@ Bedford	6 1/2		13 1/2	@ Amersham	14		4

Kent II 23.10.76 BEDS			BUCKS 27.11.76 SUFFOLK						
1	B W R Hewson	1	R S Jones	0	W F Coles	1	D W A Packham	0	
2	A K Swift	1	C W Johns	0	R de Coverly	1	C N Riches	0	
3	R A Parry	1	W A Cordon	0	K G Hyde	1	I J Wallis	0	
4	N R Oliver	1	K Rodda	0	Dr E N Bramley	0	D Mayers	1	
5	M Brown	1	H W Ingham	0	R D W Marsh	0	S J Gregory	1	
6	L M Pickett	1/2	I Hill-Smith	1/2	R C S Newton	0	G B Smith	1	
7	G M Brown	0	P Brocklesby	1	D A Curtis	1	T G Dunmore	0	
8	M J Pitt	1	L Hansford	0	W Taylor	0	S J Foale	1	
9	A J Smith	1	S McLoughlin	0	P D Porter	1	A J Revell	0	
10	D L Springate	0	J N Staddon	1	B W Atkinson	1/2	C M Gold	1/2	
11	D J R Barnes	0	I Edmundson	1	A Niedzwiedski	1/2	D P Hurrucks	1/2	
12	B J Charnley	1/2	P Hatton	1/2	J Alster	1	Dr C J Bliss	0	
13	E Liberman	1/2	R Andrew	1/2	A J Cox	1	R J Vickerman	0	
14	C A Frostick	1	default	0	P R Rawcliffe	1	R Adams	0	
15	A P Smith	1	Barrell	0	K Keen	1	N Whurr	0	
16	P J Taylor	1	default	0	D Thomas	1	D S O'Brien	0	
17	R J Lock	1	J Walker	0	M Rose	1	P K Baker	0	
18	R C Pentecost	1	default	0	R Alster	1	A J K Bowden	0	
19	S G James	1	default	0	R Bott	1/2	I Garwood	1/2	
20	T P Baldwin	1	default	0	Dr A W Hill	1	M Shannahan	0	
@ St. Brides		15 1/2			4 1/2	@ St. Brides		14 1/2	5 1/2

SUFFOLK 18.12.76 Sussex II			Middlesex II 27.11.76 Herts II						
1	D W A Packham	1/2	Dr R R Kay	1/2	J Hodgson	0	A G Burrows	1	
2	J J Galloway	1/2	M L Roberts	1/2	D P Lynch	1	T A Sinkinson	0	
3	D Mayers	0	T Howdle	1	P J Sowray	1	R J Thompson	0	
4	C N Riches	0	P D Leat	1	K M Weinhold	1/2	S R Capsey	1/2	
5	M C Smith	1/2	J L Whiteman	1/2	W Watson	1	R F Goodall	0	
6	S J Gregory	1	A B Bamford	0	K R Clark	1/2	J West	1/2	
7	I J Wallis	1	C C Harding	0	J V Skilleter	1	C Lean	0	
8	G B Smith	0	P Carey	1	R L Turnham	1/2	D Pinch	1/2	
9	A A Purchase	0	C J Macarthur	1	S J B Knott	0	A Simpson	1	
10	C M Gold	0	A H Palmer	1	N H Skinner	1	P Bonafont	0	
11	D P Hurricks	1/2	P R Selby	1/2	P J Adams	0	M Krawczynski	1	
12	K J Morrison	0	S G Lisseter	1	H B Angel	1/2	M Sutton	1/2	
13	Dr C J Bliss	1/2	P Watson	1/2	D J Thomas	0	H M Lawrance	1	
14	R J Vickerman	0	J J Soesan	1	J A Yeo	1	W P Pfeil	0	
15	R Adams	1/2	R D Hirsch	1/2	A J Miller	1/2	B A Fewell	1/2	
16	D S O'Brien	0	R H Saunders	1	D Picken	1/2	O V Stobart	1/2	
17	A R Fuller	0	J P Munday	1	J V A Franks	0	J G Jones	1	
18	I Garwood	1	I K Hardwick	0	T Peterson	1/2	P Beniston	1/2	
19	R J Woodcraft	1	D Prees	0	P T Lee	1/2	K Mahon	1/2	
20	A Mufti	0	A M Jenkins	1	J E Redon	1/2	D Witt	1/2	
@ St. Brides		7	13		@ Southgate		10 1/2	9 1/2	

Kent II 27.11.76 Essex II			Middlesex III 11.12.76 Sussex III						
1	B W R Hewson	@	D Coleman	@	J E Yeo	@	J L Whiteman	@	
2	N R Oliver	1/2	H I Woolverton	1/2	P Larwood	1/2	P Watson	1/2	
3	J D Wager	1	J B Hawson	0	S Band	1/2	C J Macarthur	1/2	
4	J A Dodgson	@	R Franklin	@	T Clifton	1	P R Selby	0	
5	P B Cook	1/2	T D Whitton	1/2	R Glew	1	R D Hirsch	0	
6	M J Pitt	0	D Morris	1	N A Lacey	1	J J Seosan	0	
7	B J Charnley	1	L Mercer	0	M A Durrant	1	I A Richardson	0	
8	R W O'Brien	@	R A Wagstaff	@	M Peacock	1/2	S G Lisseter	1/2	
9	L T Canham	1	R H Langenham	0	D Towers	1	R H Saunders	0	
10	P Barkas	1	J Morse	0	B A Smith	1	L Porter	0	
11	E Liberman	1/2	R K Lowen	1/2	P R Fawcett	1	D J Opie	0	
12	S G James	1/2	I Pheby	1/2	A Lukowicz	0	J W Hall	1	
13	S D Brown	1	P Zammit	0	Mrs O Chataway	0	R C Howard	1	
14	D E Rodford	1/2	F R E Elliott	1/2	D G Wayte	1	A R M Jinks	0	
15	R J Lock	1/2	K W Clow	1/2	T W Harle	1/2	D J Prees	1/2	
16	A J Sherriff	@	W C Allum	@	T Rubin	1/2	C P Tucknott	1/2	
17	K Konior	1	default	0	F G Wallis	1	T J Brown	0	
18	R C Pentecost	1	A Herron	0	Miss S Wood	1	P Gwilliam	0	
19	L A Trangmar	1/2	A Calder	1/2	G Kitchen	1/2	H Smith	1/2	
20	J S Clarke	1/2	M Learner	1/2	M Cresswell	1/2	G R Opie	1/2	
@ Blackheath		11	5		@ Brighton		13 1/2	5 1/2	

Sussex III 20.11.76 Kent III

1	P Watson	0	S Brown	1
2	C J MacArthur	1	D J Brown	0
3	P R Selby	1	M O T Baldwin	0
4	R D Hirsch	1	P L Cook	0
5	J J Soesan	0	E Liberman	1
6	R H Saunders	1	C H Armstrong	0
7	default	0	J Etheridge	1
8	S G Lisseter	0	J Brooke	1
9	E J Bowley	1/2	G White	1/2
10	L K G Wastoe	1/2	M Giddings	1/2
11	Dr D J Opie	1/2	A Harris	1/2
12	J W Hall	1/2	C Brown	1/2
13	R C Howard	0	G Adey	1
14	D J Prees	1/2	S Gibbon	1/2
15	J P Rix	0	A Radcliffe	1
16	C P Tucknott	0	H E Lane	1
17	T J Brown	1/2	J Llewellyn	1/2
18	P D Hayes	0	R Mason	1
19	R K Hunt	1/2	M Mason	1/2
20	G P Opie	1	R Burman	0

Kent IV 6.11.76 Surrey V

1	J C Knowles	1/2	N Randall	1/2
	S Morris	1	R Skinner	0
	M J Taylor	0	R Granat	1
	J A Harter	@	J Lawrence	@
	H C Clarke	0	H Granat	1
	F E Nauger	1/2	N Holcroft	1/2
	B H Threadgall	0	M J Cowley	1
	J M Griffiths	1/2	B J Todd	1/2
	A V H Sands	1	C J Wadey	0
	K Gordon	1	J Hilton	0
	B Crouch	1/2	P Romano	1/2
	M P Mourant	1	A Du Boulay	0
	T Collins	1	M Toull	0
	D F Bartley	1/2	Miss P Coxon	1/2
	B D A Parker	@	D Baldock	@
	P D Poland	1	R L Skrine	0
	H G Samek	1/2	F H Hill	1/2
	J T Hollands	0	H Whitaker	1
	G A Foord	1	R Ellis	0
	K Konior	1	Miss J Brooks	0

@ Cuxton 8 1/2 11 1/2 @ St. Brides 11 7

EBONY SHIELD

Essex IV 6.11.76 Surrey IV

1	S Jones	1/2	R D Barnett	1/2
2	K Clow	0	R P Moore	1
3	G Gatherall	1	T B West	0
4	E J West	0	S D Perry	1
5	D Cannon	1	G D Green	0
6	P Harbott	1	default	0
7	G Fernie	1/2	D E Luckin	1/2
8	D L Read	1	Dr K Mehendale	0
9	R Hatch	0	R S Todd	1
10	A Scibor	0	B O'Gorman	1
11	A E Bower	1	P A Ellis	0
12	A Brumpton	0	R E James	1
13	J S Wood	1	A J Turner	0
14	E Dawe	1/2	R P Nye	1/2
15	S Barrow	1	Dr G C Birch	0
16	R Gerrish	0	J D Borrill	1
17	A J Eley	1	D W Cay	0
18	W Coatman	1	G T Dennis	0
19	G Gooding	1	E Weimann	0
20	R Gooch	0	S Dighton	1

Berks II 20.11.76 Surrey V

	J H Hasselt	0	N Randall	1
	S C Sellick	1	B Skinner	0
	D Graham	1	R Granat	0
	K M Hopkins	1/2	T Bates	1/2
	T A Lane	0	H Granat	1
	J F Gibbons	0	J D H Nicholas	1
	Dr M J Bruton	1	M J Cowley	0
	P B Sarson	0	B J Todd	1
	J T Byrne	0	C J Wadey	1
	S L Mitchell	1	J Hilton	0
	N P Gunther	1/2	P Romano	1/2
	E D V Young	0	A Du Boulay	1
	J R Macaulay	0	M Toull	1
	H F Rymer	1/2	B C Gould	1/2
	J T Messer	0	D Baldock	1
	J C Hart	1/2	R L Skrine	1/2
	J A Stanton	0	F H Hill	1
	T Aston	1	H Whitaker	0
	B Ambler	1/2	R Ellis	1/2
	G F Langran	0	Miss C Lane	1

11 1/2 8 1/2 @ St. Brides 7 1/2 12 1/2

Kent IV 27.11.76 Essex IV

1	D J King	0	P Harbott	1
2	S Morris	1	G Gatheral	0
3	J C Knowles	0	R Forey	1
4	M J Taylor	0	E J West	1
5	J A Harter	1	R M Horn	0
6	H C Clarke	0	D Cannon	1
7	J M Griffiths	1/2	D L Read	1/2
8	A V H Sands	1/2	A E Bower	1/2
9	K Gordon	1	R Hatch	0
10	M P Mourant	1	S Wood	0
11	P Collins	0	A Brumpton	1
12	D F Bartley	1/2	S Barrow	1/2
13	B D A Parker	1	A J Eley	0
14	P D Poland	0	A Porteous	1
15	M Phillips	0	R Fowles	1
16	H G Samek	0	G Gooding	1
17	D Orr	0	P Turp	1
18	J W Hollands	0	M Stanley	1
19	G A Foord	1/2	C Bellinger	1/2
20	D F Edrupt	1	P MacIndoe	0

Berks II 11.12.76 Surrey IV

	K Wyld	1/2	R D Barnett	1/2
	R J Hastie	0	N Randall	1
	R B Malkin	1/2	S D Perry	1/2
	J H Hasselt	1	F C Manning	0
	H Sloan	1	M T Bolan	0
	T G Pollard	1	F D Green	0
	R J Roper	0	B O'Gorman	0
	K M Hopkins	0	J D H Nicholas	1
	W Makar	1	B J Todd	0
	P Dawson	1	P A Ellis	0
	J Bowcock	1/2	J Hilton	1/2
	J F Gibbons	@	R P Nye	@
	J T Byrne	1	J D Borrill	0
	P B Sarson	1/2	R E James	1/2
	W H Norris	1	D C W Careswell	0
	N P Gunther	0	Dr G C Birch	1
	E D V Young	1	M J Cowley	0
	J T Messer	0	D W Cay	1
	J A Stanton	0	P I Clemow	1
	C W Griffon	@	C J Dennis	@

@ Kidbrooke Hse. 8 12 @ Maidenhead 10 8

NATIONAL CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP 1976/7

First Round: (results received too late for the November Bulletin)
 Hilltop 3½ Ilford 2½ Hastings & St. Leonards 4 Sussex University 2
 Oxford University II 4 Kidlington 2 London University 1½ Mushrooms 4½
 Second Round: (3 byes in this round)
 Royal Hospital School 2½ Ipswich 3½ Hilltop (b.c.) 3 St. Albans 3
 Varndean (b.c.) 3 Hastings 3 Maidenhead (b.c.) 3 Bracknell 3
 Mushrooms 4 Hayes 2
 Third Round: (5 exemptions to Round 5)
 Ipswich v Norfolk & Norwich London YMCA Wolves v Bedford
 Hilltop v Stevenage Oxford University II v Maidenhead
 Charlton v Varndean Cavendish v Mushrooms
 Portsmouth 1 Brighton 5 Old Parkonians 3 Letchworth (b.c.) 3
 Canterbury 2 Hammersmith 4 London Cenymca 4½ Guildford 1½
 Oxford University I 5½ High Wycombe ½
 GLC/ILEA 3½ Kingston & Thames Valley 1½ (1 adjudication)

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First Round: (Twenty byes to Round Two)
 Guildford II v Sussex University Kings Lynn v Bury St. Edmunds
 Reading v R A E Farnborough Cowley v Gerrards Cross
 London University w.o. B P scratched Luton 1½ E R D E 4½
 Streatham II 3½ Finchley ½ (2 adjudications)
 Second Round:
 Sutton & Cheam v Tunbridge Wells Streatham II v Ilford
 Guildford II or Sussex University v Horsham E R D E v Watford
 Kings Lynn or Bury St. Edmunds v Upminster Islington v London University
 Kidlington v Cowley or Gerrards Cross Reading or R A E v Slough

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(C) HERTS	9	ESSEX	7
1 P Byway	0	Dr J Penrose	1
4 A W Cooper	1	G Speed	0
14 J N White	1	R Langenham	0
19 T A Sinkinson	0	R A Wagstaff	1
9.10.76	11		9
(C) NORFOLK	5	SUSSEX	14
2 C Cubitt	½	N J Holloway	½
30.10.76	5½		14½
(C) ESSEX	6	CAMBS	11
14 R H Langenham	1	A McDaid	0
19 K Clew	½	A McCaig	½
20 M Samuels	0	M Ormerod	1
1.11.76	7½		12½
(M-J) Essex II	11	OXON	8
16 W C Allum	0	A Stachulski	1
23.10.76	11		9
(E) Berks II	5½	Essex IV	13½
1 K B Hemmings	0	P Harbott	1
23.10.76	5½		14½
(C) MIDDLESEX	8½	KENT	8½
9 R Lobo	1	M P Cook	0
15 N A Perkins	0	A K Swift	1
20 J V A Franks	½	R C Pentecost	½
16.10.76	10		10
(C) BERKS	10½	CAMBS	6½
5 D S Tucker	0	C M Cooley	1
9 P Morrey	1	A McDaid	0
10 M J Pryce	0	S Le Blancq	1
23.10.76	11½		8½
(C) BERKS	5½	HERTS	12½
1 M J Staples	½	P V Byway	½
4 J K Orrell	½	W Tabakiernik	½
6.11.76	6½		13½
(M-J) Middx II	9	Kent II	8
3 J V Skilleter	½	M Brown	½
4 K M Weinhold	0	P B Cook	1
8 S J B Knott	½	A Canham	½
6.11.76	10		10
(E) Kent IV	7½	Surrey IV	11½
12 B Crouch	0	R P Nye	1
23.10.76	7½		12½

Draw for the NATIONAL CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP (4th Rd.) to be completed by 16.2.77.
 Cheltenham/Plymouth v Oxford Univ. II/Maidenhead. Charlton/Varndean v GLC&ILEA
 Ipswich/Norfolk & Norwich v Letchworth & Baldock. Brighton v London Centymca.
 South Birmingham/Lincoln v Bedford. Cavendish/Mushrooms v Hammersmith.
 Hilltop/ Stevenage v Oxford Univ. I

