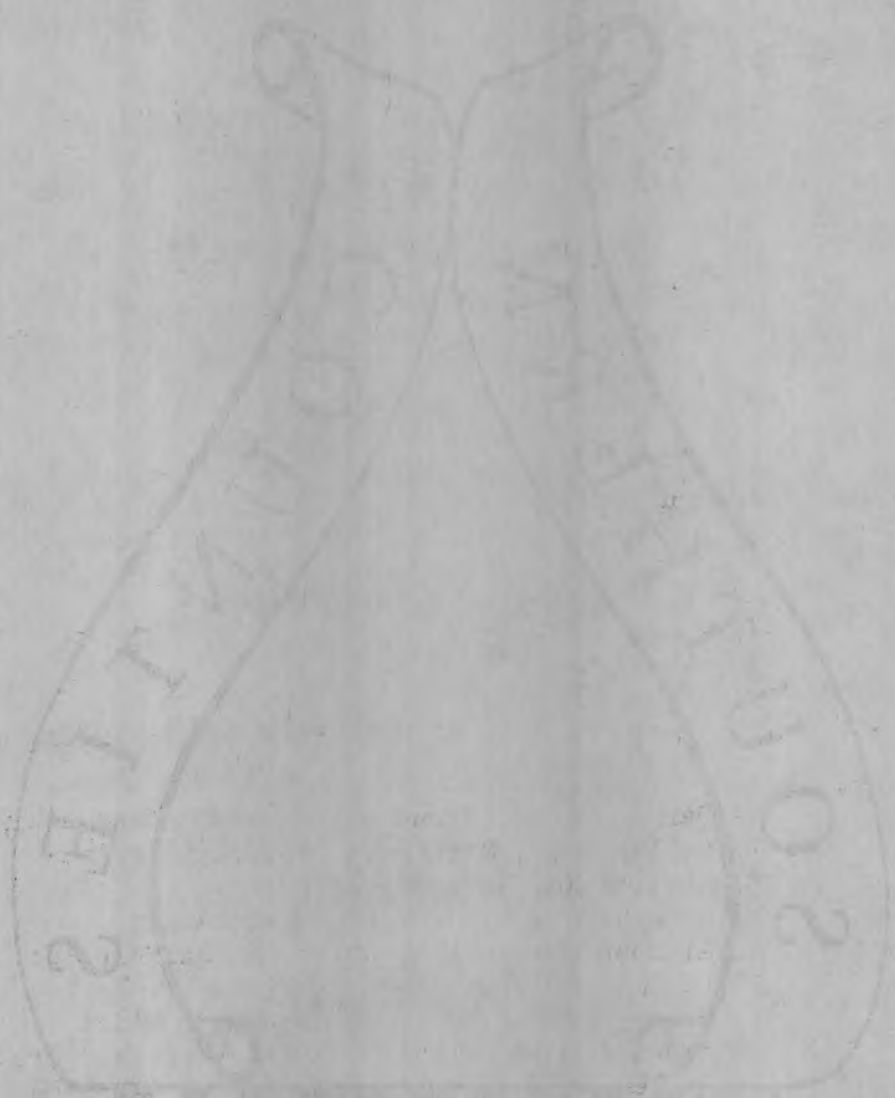


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EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING

The Executive met on Friday 30th November at St Brides. A lot of time was spent on discussion of the draft General Rules in preparation for the Special General Meeting on the 1st February. A revised version of the draft is being circulated to Counties.

The Committee also found time (at last!) to look at the draft Tournament Rules which had been hanging fire for months. Some work still remains to be done on these, but there is every chance that they will be ready for the AGM on the 14th June.

Other points of general interest were:

Shannon Trophy: After shopping around, the Executive has selected a new trophy to replace the old Shannon Trophy. It is a silver-plated rose bowl which with engraving will cost around £200.

Quick-play Finishes: Mr Douglas still has not heard from many Counties on the proposal to allow quick-play finishes instead of adjudications in County matches. (You will remember that the suggestion is to have adjudication as the norm but to let match captains agree on quick-play finishes if they so wish.) Kent have indicated that the new proposals would suit them well.

All Counties are urged to think about this and let Jeff Douglas know their feelings well before the AGM so that changes, if desired, can be made in time for next season.

BCET Schools Shields: There have been two nominations for SCCU support, but consideration of them has been deferred until the next meeting (22nd February).

Payment-for-Grading: Here we go again... Counties should have received official notification of all this by the time this issue appears, but for the benefit of readers who are not County secretaries:

The Executive had, as you know, prepared a payment-by-event scheme which the 1979 AGM threw out because it was not thought to have been sufficiently thought through. The Executive, in accordance with instructions, went back to the drawing board and produced a revised scheme. This involved charging for all grading input, but was not basically different in kind from the original payment-by-event scheme.

As the Executive was on the point of sending its revised scheme to the Counties, news filtered through that the BCF was preparing to consider a payment-by-event scheme

of its own, involving in the first instance congresses (other than Union, County and Junior ones) and perhaps at some later date independent leagues as well.

The proposals before the BCF are a far cry from the original SCCU ideas. There is no suggestion that individual registration would be dropped. Nor, of course, is there any guarantee that the proposals will be accepted. However, they do seem to go some way in the direction of SCCU thinking and they probably represent the best chance of inter-Union agreement. In view of this, the Executive has decided to shelve its own payment-by-event plans - with the SGM's approval - and await events. If the SGM agrees to this, the only real business on the agenda will be the new General Rules.

SCCU TROPHIES

Jeff Douglas, the Tournament Secretary, is seeking information and history. He has in his possession two SCCU trophies:

(a) The Anness Cup, presented to the Union by Miss L Anness, SCCU President 1959/60. The cup is inscribed "Junior County Championship" and the last winner was Essex in 1967.

(b) A chess board "Presented to Junior players of the SCCU in memory of RM Fleming Esq" - this was presented annually from 1961 to 1968; the last winner was Middlesex. It covers the same period as the Anness Cup, but the winners differ.

It seems fairly clear that one of these trophies belongs with the "Metropolitan" 40-board U18 competition, and the other with a jamboree. But which is what, and who was Mr Fleming?

Finally, Mr Douglas also has in his possession the "Imperial Chess Club Championship Trophy". This is a cup presented by Mrs A Rawson in 1918 and last won, in 1930, by J Crane. Who, if anyone, does this trophy now belong to? Any information on the Imperial Chess Club would be welcome.

Will anyone with information to offer please write to Jeff Douglas. His address appears on page 1.

(Editor's note: We understand that the 40-board "Metropolitan" U18 competition is actually open to all Counties in the Union. Is this true? Has anyone got a copy of the competition Rules? Are there any competition Rules? Don't say, "Ask the Junior Organiser." We have, and he doesn't know.)

JUNIOR NEWS

LLOYDS BANK is increasing its chess sponsorship again, from £12000 to £14000. Most of this goes on Junior events.

SURREY AND THAMES VALLEY Juniors take on Colombian IM Cuartos in a 10-board clock simul on the 31st January, sponsored by the Slater Foundation.

ENGLAND U14s, sponsored by the Slater Foundation and Batsfords, played a double-round simul against IGM Kotov on the 1st/2nd December. Only Stuart Conquest, Neil Fox and Teresa Needham managed 50%.

METROPOLITAN COUNTIES U18 MATCHES

	Middlesex 24	Surrey 15	17.11.79(St Brides)		Surrey
<u>Middx</u>		<u>Surrey</u>	<u>Middx</u>		<u>Surrey</u>
1 L Pinto	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	JG Gallagher	21 D Levin	0 1 N Goldsmith
2 J Levitt	0	1	S Dighton	22 J Kirk	0 1 A Stirling
3 S Triggs	1	0	JE Mitchell	23 PM Edmonds	1 0 DG Goldsmith
4 M Bennett	0	1	S Bleasdale	24 J Bagri	0 1 TJ Houghton
5 PE Johnstone	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	NJA Pelling	25 Default	0 0 Default
6 CB Baker	1	0	AP Soane	26 S Ringstead	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ AR Bingham
7 D Lee	$\frac{1}{2}$ a	$\frac{1}{2}$	DR Feinstein	27 S Bell	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ PD Cannon
8 J Giltrow	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	A Tinker	28 A Rakshit	1 0 C Jarman
9 JD Hockaday	1	0	SJ Homer	29 M Paton	1 0 NEJ Vineall
10 BL Baer	0	1	DB Rosen	30 D Russell	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ MR Nott
11 G Blount	1	0	AN Watt	31 P McHale	1 0 GP Suarez
12 G Brown	1	0	JD Borrill	32 S Illsley	0 1 S Cackett
13 N Bond	1	0	SG Walker	33 JT Hockaday	0 1 P Bailie
14 D Odle	0	1	RW Brown	34 Z Usmani	1 0 H McKenzie
15 A Mitchell-Baker	1	0	PJ Bannister	35 P Brown	0 a 1 SE Jones
16 SH Lee	1	0	R Bhuchar	36 A Stone	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ P Gibbons
17 R Blackwell	1	0	SC Crowdy	37 SJ Blaney	0 1 P Coxon
18 A Duprey	1	0	Susan Walker	38 R Matthews	1 0 L Charlwood
19 I Banerjee	1	0	Penelope Coxon	39 A Midha	1 0 G Allan
20 F Khan	1	0	A Davison	40 G Bell	1 0 P Loosley

Kent 26 Essex 14 17.11.79 (St Brides)

<u>Kent</u>		<u>Essex</u>	<u>Kent</u>		<u>Essex</u>
1 DJ King	1 0	K Bowden	21 N Pope	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	J Singh
2 RJ Jacobs	1 a 0	I Robson	22 M Roe	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	P Ramsey
3 AJ King	1 0	G Novik	23 CI Goodfellow	$\frac{1}{2}$ a $\frac{1}{2}$	D Fuller
4 SJ Barrett	0 1	M Twyble	24 RJN Camp	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	S Leary
5 JR Richardson	1 0	N Pelling	25 G Payne	1 0	C Thomas
6 DJ Edmonds	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	N Carr	26 J Ward	1 0	R Hobell
7 TJ Bancroft	0 a 1	J Manley	27 JR Bayford	1 a 0	A Hewitt
8 PJ Floyd	1 0	D Selfe	28 DR Bean	1 0	D Cooper
9 CRB Young	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	I Melbourne	29 B Rich	0 1	G Thurston
10 SM Taylor	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	MG de Jode	30 DA Price	1 0	J Franklin
11 PN Shepherd	1 0	S Lee	31 I Holle	0 1	K Sharp
12 N Lawrence	0 1	E Lee	32 S Ruben	0 1	S Richards
13 NR Calver	0 a 1	T Coote	33 M Roweth	0 1	J Duggan
14 P Chilcott	1 0	M Sames	34 NS Hattersley	1 0	N Hague
15 MH Stone	1 0	B Lemmon	35 J Gorman	1 0	D Bakshi
16 IJ Mason	1 0	D Goorvitch	36 MJ Luff	0 1	B Kemish
17 S Dudley	1 0	A Phillips	37 R Martin	1 0	J Taylor
18 RE Walker	1 0	S Payne	38 M Penn	1 0	W Melbourne
19 MC Portwood	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	H Morris	39 M Demmon	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	D Singh
20 M Ruston	1 0	P Sheames	40 K Holle	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	D Rowe

Kent 20 $\frac{1}{2}$ Middlesex 19 $\frac{1}{2}$ 8.12.79 (St Brides)

<u>Kent</u>		<u>Middx</u>	<u>Kent</u>		<u>Middx</u>
1 DJ King	1 0	JM Hodgson	21 N Pope	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	A Rakshit
2 NF Dickenson	0 1	WN Watson	22 M Roe	0 1	J Bagri
3 SJ Barrett	1 0	S Triggs	23 CL Goodfellow	1 0	P McHale
4 JR Richardson	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	M Benjamin	24 RJN Camp	1 0	D Russell
5 PJ Floyd	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	M Bennett	25 G Payne	0 1	A Diamond
6 AP Dowton	1 0	P Johnstone	26 JR Bayford	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	S Illsley
7 CRB Young	0 a 1	CB Baker	27 J Gorman	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	R Matthews
8 JA Brown	0 1	D Lee	28 M Tottman	1 0	A Midha
9 SM Taylor	1 0	G Blount	29 DA Price	0 1	Z Usmani
10 PN Shepherd	0 1	G Brown	30 NS Hattersley	1 0	JT Hockaday
11 N Lawrence	1 0	BL Baer	31 M Penn	1 0	P Brown
12 NR Calver	0 1	A Mitchell-Baker	32 G Evans	1 0	D Watts
13 P Chilcott	1 0	JD Hockaday	33 S Ruben	0 1	M Smith
14 MH Stone	0 1	SH Lee	34 MJ Luff	0 1	S Lazarus
15 TJ Bancroft	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	D Odle	35 B Rich	0 1	J Sharp
16 S Dudley	0 1	A Duprey	36 CR Jones	0 1	A Stone
17 RE Walker	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	I Banerjee	37 M Demmon	0 1	S Blaney
18 MC Portwood	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	F Khan	38 CG Ward	1 0	A Harris
19 M Ruston	1 0	PM Edmonds	39 I Galloway	1 0	Default
20 D Levin	0 1	J Ward	40 I MacRury	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	H Branch

Surrey 19 Essex 20 8.12.79 (St Brides)

<u>Surrey</u>		<u>Essex</u>	<u>Surrey</u>		<u>Essex</u>
1 JG Gallagher	1 0	K Bowden	21 RK Bhuchar	1 0	S Payne
2 APH Kinsman	1 0	I Robson	22 A Stirling	0 1	J Singh
3 S Dighton	1 0	G Novik	23 A Davison	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	P Ramsey
4 SH Mason	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	M Twyble	24 Karen Cartmel	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	G Jeffries
5 JE Mitchell	1 0	NJM Pelling	25 TJ Houghton	0 1	D Fuller
6 RP Nye	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	N Carr	26 AR Bingham	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	S Leary
7 DR Feinstein	1 0	I Melbourne	27 PD Cannon	0 1	G Thurston
8 NJA Pelling	0 1	ES Lee	28 Caroline Lane	0 1	K Sharp
9 SJ Homer	0 1	J Manley	29 DCG Goldsmith	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	S Richards
10 DB Rosen	1 a 0	D Selfe	30 P Bailie	0 1	A Phillips
11 Default	0 0	Default	31 P Coxon	0 1	C Thomas
12 AP Soane	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	SR Lee	32 C Jarman	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	R Hobell
13 RW Brown	0 1	M Sames	33 P Gibbons	1 a 0	A Hewitt
14 AN Watt	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	T Coote	34 D Mackle	1 0	J Franklin
15 JD Borrill	1 0	B Lemmon	35 S Cackett	0 1	D Cooper
16 SG Walker	1 0	D Goorvitch	36 NEJ Vineall	1 0	J Duggan
17 Default	0 1	P Green	37 P Bannister	0 1	B Kemish
18 Susan Walker	0 1	M Josephs	38 I Winter	1 0	J Taylor
19 SC Crowdy	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	I Stables	39 K Mardell	0 1	G Reid
20 D Goberdahn	1 0	D Moffat	40 L Charlwood	0 1	Clare Kemish

ROYAL GRAMMAR SCHOOL CONGRESS 1979

UNDER 18 1 CB Baker (Hampton) 6; 2 NJA Pelling (RGS) 4½; 3-5 PD Cannon (RGS), NM Fullick (Farnham), PG Johnston (RGS) 4... 19 played

UNDER 16 1 AG Mitchell-Baker (Hampton) 5½; 2-3 SJ Cackett (Glyn), PE Johnstone (Hampton) 4½; 4-7 RJ Blackwell (Whitton), RW Brown (RGS), TJ Houghton (RGS), NC Sibbett (Court Moor) 4... 24 played

UNDER 12 1 SC Chittenden (Court Moor) 5½; 2-3 PA Lingard (RGS), ID Threadgill (Ripley Court) 5; 4 PJ Thomson (Downsend) 4½... 35 played

UNDER 14 1 PR Loosley (Glyn) 5; 2-5 ST Bird (Yateley), RG Horvath (RGS), C McHale (Glyn), AR Thomson (Epsom) 4½... 30 played

RUSSELL TROPHY INVITATION JAMBOREE

Trinity School, 2nd October 1979

1 Whitgift 6/8; 2 Dulwich 5½; 3RGS 5; 4 Glyn 4½; 5 Kingston 4; 6 Tiffin, Hampton 3½; 8 Trinity 3; 9 Coloma 1

KENT JUNIORS played a 14 board clock simul against GM Kotov in December, scoring +5 (NF Dickenson, JR Richardson, MC Portwood, I Galloway, CG Ward) =2 (DJ Edmonds, NR Calver) -7 (Are Kent Juniors stronger than England Juniors?)

SUSSEX: Last year's schools Under 19 Championship went to William Parker School (Hastings) as also did the Under 14. We do not know who won the Under 16 title.

LLOYDS BANK scholarships for the Hastings Challengers were awarded to the following SCCU juniors: SC Conquest (Sussex), DH Cummings (Sussex), Sheila Jackson (Merseyside and Surrey), DJ King (Kent), AC Kosten (Yorks and Kent), AP Lewis (Essex), HD Macpherson (Oxon and Cambs), MA Pagden (Hants and Cambs), WN Watson (Middx), SC James (Wales and Berks). Selected players had their entry fees paid, and in some cases grants towards travelling expenses. A condition of the awards is that one-third of any cash prize won goes to the London Chess Club to support future BCF Junior Squad events.

The BCF acknowledges significant contributions towards these scholarships from the Slater Foundation and the Aaronson Foundation.

ON GRADING

Quote from Mark Vigor writing in the Editorial column of Tempo for December:

... This County has not the best reputation for the accuracy of its gradings... In the last two years however the number of events in Cambridgeshire has been considerably increased and should provide a more than ample basis for accurate gradings. New events in 1978/79 included the East Anglian Counties Competition, the Cambridge Congress, and the Club Knockout.

But what do we find? Very few of the players I have spoken to feel the new SCCU list bears any relationship to their 1978/79 results... Moreover a number of the most active players still remain ungraded.

Somewhere, it seems, things are going wrong. Are results being properly reported by our organisers? If so, are they being accepted by the SCCU graders? Is the SCCU computer reliable?...

And a message from Trevor Jones, the SCCU Grading Programmer:

A program is now available to produce all itemised grading input for one or more specified players at once. This is (roughly speaking) split up by Counties, Leagues, Congresses and a few oddities (but some things get combined, e.g. Mid Kent League is included under Kent generally).

Cost (payable to SCCU): £6 for a single private run for yourself and any friends etc. or fellow club members; or £1.25 if you are prepared to wait (up to 1 month) until there are enough others to be worth running the job (and then all included on the same list). Each "item" of information gives abbreviated name of event, number of games and number of grading points (plus some data that is of use primarily to graders).

In due course it is intended to be able to produce "Master List" details for any given specified collection of players for (probably) about £10. This would give published (or "firm" unpublished) grade, plus season's total of games and points for a player (however few games), possibly also last year's total, junior's age.

All enquiries (SAE please) to HT Jones - address on page 1.

(Editor's comment: There you are then, all you disgruntled Cambridgeshire players, now you can find out exactly which of your results were included. If you discover that some of them weren't, it might take a bit longer to find out why... Incidentally, I have always understood that computers were by and large reliable, doing what they're told with a sort of pedestrian efficiency. Whether this one's being told the right things is another matter. But then I'm not an expert.)

MIDDLESEX

We have to record the death, suddenly at the age of 28, of Bernard Rothbart who played top board for Hendon. He was on the staff of Alleyns School.

NORFOLK

The Norfolk News Bulletin has a new Editor: AL Holmes of Norwich. All good wishes to him.

The County Committee has investigated the possibility of taking out public liability insurance for events run by the clubs or the Association. At £1.50 per team per annum it was not on. (The BCF sounded out interest in insurance some time ago and hardly anyone wanted to know. -Ed)

SURREY

Another new Editor. Surrey Chess News is now in the hands of one JJ Lauder. With his experience he scarcely needs our good wishes but he has them anyway.

The Association plans to rationalise its administration by combining its Council and Executive Committee to form a new Executive Committee of 51 (!!) members, "thus reducing the number of meetings with a corresponding saving in time and money".

We also have some internal league results from a number of Counties, but it's a bit early in the season for these to be of general interest.

MICHAEL DAWES BRIGHTON INTERNATIONAL TOURNAMENT 13-19 December 1979

1 JS Speelman 8½/9; 2 DSC Goodman 6½; 3 AJ Whiteley 5½; 4 MG Chandler 5; 5 LS Blackstock 4½; 6-8 ID Wells, BJ Denman, DH Cummings 3½; 9 Fedorowicz 3; 10 Macdonald-Ross 1½

The Tournament was sponsored by Michael Dawes Antiques Ltd, Amplicon Micro Systems Ltd, Mackenzie Electronic, Brighton Sunblinds, the Friends of Chess, Lloyds Bank, the Slater Foundation, and the BCET. Organisation was by Ray Keene, to whom thanks for these details.

The Lloyds Bank match between L Prins IM (Holland) and PK Wells (British U16 Champion) was won 3-1 by Prins.

MIDDLESEX CHAMPIONSHIP 1979:

Semi-final - PG Large 1½ T Parkes ½, E Rayner withdrew.

MJ Franklin 2 CR Chandler 0, G Hillyard withdrew.

Final - PG Large 2 MJ Franklin 1

Peter Large wins the Championship Cup, and Michael Franklin the Stammwitz Trophy.

FLEMING TROPHY

Bucks	8.12.79	Beds
1 PC Girdlestone	a	P Habershon (W)
2 MJ Freeman	1 0	RS Jones
3 RCS Newton	½ ½	N Wingfield
4 KG Hyde	½ ½	P Kendall
5 CJ Shaw	1 0	A Perkins
6 RD de Coverly	0 1	S Brocklesby
7 TJ Bean	1 0	H Ditmas
8 Dr EN Bramley	½ ½	W Osborne
9 AJ Cox	1 0	WA Cordon
10 DR Smith	a	P Hatton
11 BW Atkinson	0 1	HW Ingham
12 PJ Adams	1 0	R Andrew
13 G Cabaj	0 1	S Roe
14 A Niedzwiedzki	½ ½	MB James
15 RDW Marsh	0 1	P Gill
16 PD Porter	a	C Watson
17 JE Povey	1 0	M Dunne
18 K Beedle	1 0	S Barrable
19 JK Jackson	0 1	J Potter
20 K Keen	1 0	T O'Carroll
(Amersham)	10 7	

MONTAGUE-JONES: one stray match result

Herts II	1.12.79	Cambs II
AG Burrows (W)	0 1	PP Taylor (B)
TA Sinkinson	½ ½	R Newbery
P Vainker	0 1	FV Gregory
ME Hewitt	½ ½	IR White
L Fawcett	½ ½	NP Donovan
MN Sutton	1 0	S Dilworth
C Lean	0 1	JT Swain
BG Drury	0 1	DJ Emerton
DM Rutter	0 1	IC Kemp
BA Fewell	1 0	RK Moreton
MC Cooke	½ ½	J Anson
JR Nellist	½ ½	R Newman
M Dyer	0 1	FA Johnson
G Lawrence	0 1	AC Sellen
PJ Gregory	0 1	D Shillinglaw
RJ Arnot	1 0	M Vigor
DP Young	1 0	J Haythorn
D Bax	1 0	S Wishart
JF Gittus	1 0	M Friday
TC Wright	1 0	Default
(Ashwell)	9½ 10½	

EAST ANGLIAN LEAGUE One result received: Herts III 11 9 Norfolk II

CHILTERN LEAGUE Berks B 7½ 11½ Bucks II; Herts III 8½ 11½ Berks A; Bucks 12½ 7½ Oxon II; Berks A 12 7 Berks B; Herts III 10½ 9½ Oxon II; Oxon II 12½ 7½ Berks B

I also have Berks 11 9 Wilts, don't know what competition that's in. Oh, and one more East Anglian: Cambs III 10½ 7½ Norfolk II. Also Suffolk II 7 13 Cambs III

COUNTY LEAGUE TABLES

CHAMPIONSHIP	Be	Bu	C	E	H	K	M	O	Sy	Sx	
Berks		12	9½	2½							1/3
Bucks	8					9½	4	9½	7		0/5
Cambs	10½						9½	14½		14	3/4
Essex	17½					9	14½+2		10	10½	3½/5
Herts						6½	6	11½			1/3
Kent		10½		11	13½					9	3/4
Middx		16	10½		14				12½		4/4
Oxon		10½	5½	3½+2	8½						1/4
Surrey		13		10			7½				1½/3
Sussex			6	9½		11					1/3

MONTAGUE-JONES	B	C	E	H	K	M	N	Sk	Sy	Sx	
Beds		9½	5½		9			12½			1/4
Cambs II	10½			10½		5			6½		2/4
Essex II	14½			14				10½		12½	4/4
Herts II		9½	6							13	1/3
Kent II	11					0d	9½				1/3
Middx II		15			19d		13½	10		14	4½/5
Norfolk					10½	6½			11½		2/3
Suffolk	7½		9½			10					½/3
Surrey II		13½					8½			15	2/3
Sussex II			7½	7		6			5		0/4

ALBOYNA	E	K	M	Sy	Sx		
Essex III		13½	9½+2	14½	15½	3/3	
Kent III	6½		5½+3	7	7	0/3	
Middx III	8½+2	11½+3		7½	13½	2/3	
Surrey III	5½		12½		14+2	2/3	
Sussex III	4½	13	6½	4+2		1/4	

If you spot errors in these tables, please tell the Editor.

EBONY	B	E	K4	K5	S	
Berks II		8½	14	10½	12	3/4
Essex IV	11½		11	10	10	3/4
Kent IV	6	9		9½	5½	0/4
Kent V	9½	10	10½		10½	2½/4
Surrey IV	8	10	14½	9½		2/4

ADJUDICATION RESULTS from matches published in last issue:

- C Sussex 9½ 10½ Essex 6.10.79 7 SON Hawes ½ D Futter; 13 P Fallon ½ JR Cooke after Essex appeal upheld
 Essex 17½ 2½ Berks 27.10.79 8 JB Howson ½ GE Borrowdale; 16 BL McCague ½ PE Barnard
 Bucks 9½ 10½ Kent 27.10.79 6 CJ Shaw 1 AE Hanreck; 12 PJ Adams 1 CF Woodcock; 18 JK Jackson 0 PJ Heaven; 19 K Keen ½ RCA Lee-Pentecost
 Sussex 6 14 Cambs 27.10.79 1 BJ Denman 0 M Pagden (conceded)
 MJ Essex II 10½ 9½ Suffolk 6.10.79 8 R Elliott 1 C Chambers; 9 B Beavis 0 JM Bowers; 16 NP O'Conner 0 R Adams
 Essex II 12½ 7½ Sussex II 20.10.79 7 A Heppinstall 0 PR Selby; 12 P Pritchard 0 CP Tucknott
 Middx II 15 5 Cambs II 3.11.79 16 M Houghton 1 RF Wishart
 A Essex III 15½ 4½ Sussex III 27.10.79 1 I Pheby 0 CP Tucknott; 3 FRE Elliott 1 PH Benson
 E Kent V 10½ 9½ Surrey IV 3.11.79 2 AJ Sherriff 1 MJ Cowley; 12 R Hyde ½ CE Williams

CORRECTION: In the match Surrey I v Middx I 13.10.79 (see last issue), an adjudication result was wrongly recorded. Board 13 should read RJ Stockwell ½ DP Lynch; match score 7½ - 12½.

There are also some adjudication results in the Championship match Sussex - Kent (24.11.79), but as neither match captain bothered to send the match score we must assume they don't want adjudication results published either. Players should remember that results not published in the Bulletin will not get graded.

Adjudication results given on the following pages were up to date on the 5th January.

And now, the déjà lu bit. It really would help the graders if match captains could try to give full initials. Clubs (or grades) are helpful except that I haven't got room to fit them in. I try to supply extra initials (and correct spellings!) where a player's identity is obvious; but it's the un-obvious cases that matter.

CHAMPIONSHIP

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Oxon		10.11.79	Herts		Kent		10.11.79	Essex	
1	GR Moore (B)	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	AC Cooper (W)	D Friedgood (B)	$\frac{1}{2}$	a $\frac{1}{2}$ +	JG Cooper (W)	
2	P Botham	1	a 0	J Rudge	RMR O'Kelly	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	GD Hillyard	
3	R Starkie	0	1	AB Haberberg	JN Sugden	1	0	D Sherman	
4	S E'brook Smith	0	1	AM Simpson	AG Trangmar	0	1	IR Watson	
5	P Webster	0	1	W Tabakiernik	MV Lambshire	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	AJ Stebbings	
6	L Millin	0	1	Dr B Turner	AE Hanreck	1	0	S Fancy	
7	JW Phipps	$\frac{1}{2}$	a $\frac{1}{2}$	G Palmer	PS Milner-Barry	$\frac{1}{2}$	a $\frac{1}{2}$ =	D Futter	
8	D Godfrey	1	0	J Wood	RL Johannes	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	LP Burnett	
9	T Pavlovic	0	1	K Howells	MP Cook	1	0	K Bowden	
10	H Duffy	1	0	N Bradbury	SD Brown	0	1	RW O'Brien	
11	G Jones	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	J Hamm	AP Smith	0	1	IBN Smith	
12	H Hepworth	1	0	FB Ings	CF Woodcock	$\frac{1}{2}$	a $\frac{1}{2}$ =	P Gasper	
13	H Kimber	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	AP Pumett	DH Powell	1	0	I Robson	
14	J Buttons	0	1	J Cook	DC Taylor	0	a 1+	KW Spurgeon	
15	S Charles	1	0	B Bowie	RA Parry	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	SM Kalinsky	
16	M Maguire	0	1	S Triggs	R Jacobs	1	0	HI Woolverton	
17	J Yates	0	1	N Fox	NF Dickenson	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	AT Marshall	
18	S Horwood	0	1	AG Burrows	AJ King	1	0	SJ Abbott	
19	T Ashplant	1	0	T Sinkinson	PJ Heaven	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	P Pritchard	
20	N Giffin	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	M Hewitt	RCA Lee-Pentecost	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	IJ Myall	
(Oxford)		$8\frac{1}{2}$	$11\frac{1}{2}$		(Charlton)	11	9		

Cambs		10.11.79	Middx		Surrey		10.11.79	Bucks	
1	WR Hartston(B)	1	a 0	C Pritchett(W)	R Emerson (B)	1	0	PC Girdlestone	
2	AJ Mestel	1	0	AH Perkins	M Prizant	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	JC Saunders	
3	SJB Knott	0	1	J Hodgson	Default	0	1	RCS Newton	
4	MA Pagden	0	a 1	WN Watson	MJ Yeo	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	Dr EN Bramley	
5	KL Harris	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	R Holmes	T Pelling	1	0	KG Hyde	
6	RJ Richmond	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	T Peterson	SR Gillam	1	0	TJ Bean	
7	MP Townsend	0	1	JC Benjamin	CJ Dennis	0	1	CJ Shaw	
8	A Richardson	0	1	S Quigley	M Davis	1	0	RD de Coverly	
9	CA Frostick	1	0	DP Lynch	RJ Stockwell	1	0	AJ Cox	
10	JH White	0	1	G Pearce	D Rowson	1	0	BW Atkinson	
11	PW Bourne	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	KR Clark	MJ Lightfoot	1	0	DR Smith	
12	AJ Berry	1	0	M Blaine	CNJ Rose	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	PJ Adams	
13	J Friedland	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	NA Perkins	C Moorman	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	G Cabaj	
14	SR Williams	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	S Goodman	SJ Drury	1	0	A Niedwiedzki	
15	N Chan	0	1	GA Leyton	MPF Singleton	1	0	PD Porter	
16	RCP Freeman	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	RA Batchelor	D Barasi	0	1	PR Rawcliffe	
17	MK Stone	1	0	S Goodwin	WEC Richards	1	0	Default	
18	RB Newbery	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	S Tovey	RJ Carthy	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	JK Jackson	
19	KJ Verney	0	1	J Giltrow	B Valentine	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	JE Povey	
20	S Coles	1	0	DN Foley-Comer	MJ Cowley	0	1	K Beedle	
(Cambridge)		$9\frac{1}{2}$	$10\frac{1}{2}$		(Wallington)	13	7		

Herts		24.11.79	Middx		Essex		24.11.79	Surrey	
1	PV Byway(B)	0	a 1+	AJ Whiteley (W)	JG Cooper(B)	1	0	Cuartas(W)	
2	PAJ Brown	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	AP Law	GD Hillyard	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	R Emerson	
3	J Rudge	0	1	AH Perkins	C Cooley	0	1	M Silva	
4	AB Haberberg	0	1	J Hodgson	AP Lewis	0	1	GC Flear	
5	M Lexton	0	a 1+	WN Watson	AJ Stebbings	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	AJ Muir	
6	W Tabakiernik	$\frac{1}{2}$	a $\frac{1}{2}$ =	R Holmes	AD Martin	0	1	M Prizant	
7	Dr B Turner	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	PG Large	D Futter	0	a 1	W Linton	
8	J Wood	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	RJ Pearce	JB Howson	1	0	T Pelling	
9	AC Cooper	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	T Peterson	S Le Blanc(q?)	0	1	SR Gillam	
10	D Mackenzie	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	T Parkes	RW O'Brien	1	0	M Davis	
11	N Bradbury	0	1	S Quigley	IBN Smith	1	0	RJ Stockwell	
12	A Wheatley	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	G Pearce	SM Kalinsky	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	D Rowson	
13	J Cook	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	G Dickson	JT Pascoe	0	1	CNJ Rose	
14	FB Ings	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	DP Lynch	P Gasper	1	0	MPF Singleton	
15	AP Primett	0	a 1+	KR Clark	W Saunders	1	0	Default	
16	J West	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	CHJ Orton	ID Hunnable	1	0	C Jones	
17	N Fox	0	1	J Levitt	AT Marshall	0	1	SJ Drury	
18	T Sinkinson	0	1	RA Batchelor	R Heppinstall	$\frac{1}{2}$	a $\frac{1}{2}$	JG Gallagher	
19	H Murphy	0	1	HB Angel	BL MacCague	1	0	R Carthy	
20	P Larby	1	0	M Crewdson	HI Woolverton	0	1	C Clegg	
(Barnet)		6	14		(Wanstead)	10	10		

<u>Bucks</u>		24.11.79	<u>Oxon</u>		<u>Berks</u>		24.11.79	<u>Cambs</u>	
1	PC Girdlestone	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	G Moore (B)	MJ Staples (B)	1	0	MA Pagden (W)	
2	MJ Freeman	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	S Hughes	R Bailey	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	SJB Knott	
3	RCS Newton	1	0	P Botham	PA Lamford	$\frac{1}{2}$	a	RJ Richmond	
4	KG Hyde	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	R Starkie	R Moss	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	MP Townsend	
5	CJ Shaw	0	1	S Easterbrook Smith	JH Hodgson	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	CA Frostick	
6	RD de Coverly	0	1	G Chapman	GT Haigh	1	0	PW Bourne	
7	A Niedzwiedzki	0	1	D Hackett	MW Marlow	0	1	AJ Berry	
8	Dr EN Bramley	0	a 1	L Millin	RP Bristow	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	EOMC Teichmann	
9	DR Carless	1	0	D Godfrey	DS Tucker	$\frac{1}{2}$	a	RCP Freeman	
10	AJ Cox	0	1	T Pavlovic	DV Lofts	1	0	MK Stone	
11	DR Smith	1	0	G Jones	P Morrey	1	0	S Coles	
12	BW Atkinson	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	N Hepworth	NS Cooper	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	PP Taylor	
13	G Cabaj	1	0	M Kimber	TN Parrott	1	0	MN Panchen	
14	RDW Marsh	1	0	S Charles	AJ Stenton	0	1	CA Mackenzie	
15	PR Rawcliffe	0	1	J Yates	JT Matthews	0	1	KJ Verney	
16	PD Porter	0	1	J Buttons	JC Hart	0	1	N Walker	
17	JE Povey	1	a 0	M Maguire	DI Stevenson	1	0	N Boston	
18	J Beedle	0	1	S Horwood	K Robbins	0	1	R Morris-Hill	
19	K Beedle	1	0	N Giffin	MPA Connolly	0	1	CE Majer	
20	A Robbings	$\frac{1}{2}$	a $\frac{1}{2}$	H Phipps	DJ Mander	0	1	CI Howell	
(Amersham)		$9\frac{1}{2}$	$10\frac{1}{2}$		(Sandhurst)	$9\frac{1}{2}$	$10\frac{1}{2}$		

<u>Cambs</u>		1.12.79	<u>Oxon</u>		<u>Oxon</u>		15.12.79	<u>Essex</u>	
1	SJB Knott (B)	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	S Hughes (W)	S Hughes (W)	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	C Cooley (B)	
2	MA Pagden	1	0	R Starkie	P Botham	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	AJ Stebbings	
3	RJ Richmond	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	S Easterbrook Smith	R Starkie		+ a =	IR Watson	
4	MP Townsend	0	1	P Webster	S Easterbrook Smith	0	1	AD Martin	
5	CA Frostick	1	0	Default	D Hackett	0	1	RW O'Brien	
6	PW Bourne	0	1	D Hackett	P Webster	1	0	JJ Ady	
7	AJ Berry	1	0	L Millin	G Andrews	0	1	IBN Smith	
8	JS Friedland	1	0	J Phipps	JW Phipps	0	1	D Futter	
9	SR Williams	0	1	D Godfrey	D Godfrey	0	1	S Le Blancq	
10	RCP Freeman	1	0	G Jones	T Pavlovic	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	GD Hillyard	
11	MK Stone	1	0	N Hepworth	G Jones	0	1	K Bowden	
12	CI Howell	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	S Charles	N Hepworth	0	1	P Gasper	
13	C Mackenzie	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	J Yates	S Charles	0	1	N Cutler	
14	N Walker	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	J Buttons	M Kimber	0	1	SM Kalinsky	
15	K Verney	1	0	M Maguire	J Yates	0	1	I Hunnable	
16	M Panchen	1	0	D Sayers	M Maguire	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	N Carr	
17	R Morris-Hill	1	0	A Gibbons	TAG Morgan	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	P Pritchard	
18	CE Majer	1	0	M Coleman	A Collins	0	1	IJ Myall	
19	P Gayson	1	0	R Cherry	N Giffin		= a +	J Roles	
20	P Alexander	1	0	H Phipps	T Frost	0	1	T Coote	
(Cambridge)		$14\frac{1}{2}$	$5\frac{1}{2}$		(Oxford)	$3\frac{1}{2}$	$14\frac{1}{2}$		

MONTAGUE-JONES

<u>Beds</u>		3.11.79	<u>Suffolk</u>		<u>Essex II</u>		3.11.79	<u>Herts II</u>	
1	P Habershon (W)	1	0	IJ Wallis (B)	A Martin (W)	1	0	AG Burrows (B)	
2	RS Jones	1	0	J Buis	KW Spurgeon	1	0	TA Sinkinson	
3	H Wingfield	1	0	PG Markwell	P Gasper	1	0	PM Larby	
4	A Perkins	1	0	RCT Parry	S Kalinsky	1	0	J West	
5	CW Johns	0	1	D Mayers	RA Wagstaff	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	P Vainker	
6	H Ditmas	0	a 1	RJ Woodcraft	A Marshall	1	0	ME Hewitt	
7	WA Cordon	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	CM Gold	R Heppinstall	1	0	C Lean	
8	W Osborne	1	0	DWA Packham	K Warren	0	1	MN Sutton	
9	R Woods	0	1	DP Hurricks	HI Woolverton	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	L Fawcett	
10	P Hatton	0	1	TG Dunmore	I Robson	1	0	BA Fewell	
11	HW Ingham	1	0	GB Knox	P Pritchard	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	JR Nellist	
12	C Billington	0	1	C Chambers	TD Whitton	0	1	HW Murphy	
13	A Hitchcock	1	0	DS O'Brien	I Myall	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	G Lawrence	
14	MB James	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	MJ Edwards	J Roles	1	0	D Bax	
15	P Gill	0	1	IR Pickup	D Eustace	0	1	M Dyer	
16	G Valerio	1	0	RJ Vickerman	JB Hawson	1	0	JF Gittus	
17	A Turmo	1	0	R Adams	M Kaye	1	0	RJ Arnot	
18	HW Ponsford	1	0	AR Fuller	M Bird	1	0	PD Dunks	
19	C Watson	1	0	DJ Glasscock	S Lee	0	1	PJ Gregory	
20	A Gadd	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	KR Shaw	E Lee	1	0	FJ Batchelor	
(Bedford)		$12\frac{1}{2}$	$7\frac{1}{2}$		(Barnet)	14	6		

<u>Cambs II</u>		10.11.79	<u>Beds</u>	<u>Sussex II</u>	17.11.79	<u>Herts II</u>	
1	CE Majer (B)	0	1	PF Habershon (W)	1	0	AG Burrows
2	IR White	0	1	JN Wingfield	1	0	TA Sinkinson
3	PP Taylor	0	1	AD Perkins	0	1	PM Larby
4	I Nelson	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	WA Cordon	0	1	P Vainker
5	AC Mackenzie	1	0	WK Osbourne	0	1	ME Hewitt
6	P Cloudsdale	0	1	P Hatton	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	C Lean
7	S Dilworth	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	HW Ingham	0	1	MN Sutton
8	AJ Ryba	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	A Hitchcock	0	1	L Fawcett
9	N Boston	1	0	G Stokes	1	a 0	KL Woodland
10	NP Donovan	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	MB James	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	BA Fewell
11	FV Gregory	1	0	P Gill	0	1	DM Rutter
12	SJ Emmerton	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	G Valerio	0	1	R(?)W Murphy
13	M Angel	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	A Turmo	0	1	JR Nellist
14	AC Sellen	1	0	RC Townsend	1	0	M Dyer
15	FA Johnston	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	S Barrable	0	1	G Lawrence
16	RK Moreton	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	C Watson	0	1	PJ Gregory
17	J Anson	1	0	W Hunt	1	0	DP Young
18	R Newman	1	0	T O'Carroll	1	0	D Bax
19	D Shillinglaw	0	1	K Liddle	0	1	RJ Arnot
20	M Vigor	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	D Sheara	0	1	JF Gittus
(Cambridge)		$10\frac{1}{2}$	$9\frac{1}{2}$	(Barnet)	7	13	

<u>Cambs II</u>		17.11.79	<u>Surrey II</u>	<u>Suffolk</u>	17.11.79	<u>Middx II</u>	
1	PP Taylor (W)	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	SR Gillam (B)	0	1	KR Clark (B)
2	CE Majer	0	1	DJ Rowson	0	1	CHJ Orton
3	FV Gregory	1	0	CNJ Rose	+1 a 0=		S Tovey
4	NP Donovan	0	1	MP Singleton	=0 a 1+		GH Govas
5	S Dilworth	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	AV Stachulski	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	DJ Stewardson
6	N Boston	1	0	Chris Jones	1	0	S Band
7	JT Swain	0	1	RG Granat	1	0	PC Szabo
8	AC Mackenzie	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	AS Westwood	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	M Houghton
9	SJ Emmerton	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	DL Barasi	1	0	B Smith
10	P Cloudsdale	0	1	APH Kinsman	0	1	G Hutchinson
11	FA Johnston	0	1	RJ Carthy	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	M Crewdson
12	R Newman	0	1	DC Randall	1	0	TE Redon
13	RK Moreton	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	BJ Valentine	0	1	DG Wayte
14	AC Sellen	0	1	CRA Clegg	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	S Butler
15	RF Wishart	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	PJ Roche	0	1	B Ruane
16	J Anson	0	1	HM Granat	0	1	M Yiannoullou
17	M Vigor	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	MJ Cowley	0	1	B Fraser
18	S Wishart	0	1	MW Burrows	1	0)
19	SW Pink	1	0	B Blackburn	1	0) Default
20	M Angel	0	1	J Thorogood	1	0)
(Cambridge)		$6\frac{1}{2}$	$13\frac{1}{2}$	(Ipswich)	10	10	

<u>Essex II</u>		17.11.79	<u>Beds</u>	<u>Middx II</u>	1.12.79	<u>Sussex II</u>	
1	RW O'Brien (B)	$\frac{1}{2}$	a $\frac{1}{2}$	PF Habershon (W)	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	AB Bamford (W)
2	P Gasper	1	0	N Wingfield	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	ML Roberts
3	KW Spurgeon	1	0	A Perkins	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	D Frost
4	S Kalinsky	1	0	W Osborne	+ $\frac{1}{2}$	a $\frac{1}{2}$	RH Williams
5	D Ayres	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	WA Cordon	1	0	T Norton
6	R Heppinstall	+1	a 0=	P Hatton	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	PR Selby
7	A Corish	0	1	HW Ingram	$\frac{1}{2}$	a $\frac{1}{2}$	CP Tucknott
8	HI Woolverton	1	0	R Andrew	1	0	AH Palmer
9	P Pritchard	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	G Stokes	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	P Watson
10	I Myall	1	0	AJF Nicholls	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	H Rosenthal
11	K Warren	0	1	P Gill	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	JJ Soesan
12	K Barnes	1	0	S Roe	1	0	AJ Briggs
13	J Roles	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	RJ Quince	1	0	DC Lynch
14	M Kaye	1	0	S Barrable	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	MR Hickman
15	JB Hawson	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	M Dunne	1	0	J Richmond
16	M Bird	1	0	T O'Carroll	1	0	PA Batchelor
17	R Hammond	1	0	Default	0	1	NP Richardson
18	G Fernie	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	K Liddle	1	0	MS Paul
19	R Rodie	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	F Pettigrew	1	0	SA Rowlands
20	D Dennis	1	0	D Sheara	1	0	DA Rix
(Wanstead)		$14\frac{1}{2}$	$5\frac{1}{2}$	(Highbury)	14	6	

Kent II		8.12.79	Norfolk	Surrey III		10.11.79	Middx III	
1	T Stonehouse (W)	0	1 OM Hindle (B)	AV Stachulski(B)	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	DJ Stewardson	
2	GR Tidmarsh	0	1 T Farrand	PE Durrant	1	0	P Larwood	
3	J Dodgson	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$ M Read	Miss HM Granat	0	1	Dr R Glew	
4	PB Cook	1	0 M Kwan	FS Field	1	0	JE Redon	
5	MJ Pitt	0	1 TJ Turner	HM Cath	1	0	GS Kitchin	
6	AVH Sands	0	1 TD Lenton	PJ Roche	1	0	PR Fawcett	
7	HT Jones	1	0 J Wells	PG Trussler	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	TN Burrell	
8	MH Micklethwaite	1	0 I Judd	DM Woods	1	0	JR Cotterell	
9	LA Trangmar	0	a 1* I Gladden	GC Nurse	0	1	M Houghton	
10	E Liberman	1	0 G Evans	PC Wood	1	0	JVA Franks	
11	D Rodford	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$ S Randall	PR Archer	0	1	PL Szabo	
12	R Morton	0	1 Miss S Wood	DE Luckin	0	1	MJ Cresswell	
13	M Ilamoh	1	0 J Emms	RG Rusha	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	NG Long	
14	J Flemming	0	1 K McEwan	C Moorman	1	0	Default	
15	R Poolgy(???)	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$ S Livermore	B Lyons	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	RC Cousens	
16	H Thomas	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$ D Abbott	PM Shaw	1	a 0	PG Edwards	
17	MC Duncan	1	0 K Chapman	RE James	0	1	DG Wayte	
18	PL Cook	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$ PR Vivian	SG Walker	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	LJ Vrondisiss	
19	R Burman	0	1 G Hall	RH Griffiths	1	0	BDA Fraser	
20	PJ Morris	1	0 S Moore	RE Mattocks	1	0	R Jennings	
(Charlton)		$9\frac{1}{2}$	$10\frac{1}{2}$	*no Kent claim		(Wallington)	$12\frac{1}{2}$	$7\frac{1}{2}$

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Kent III		10.11.79	Essex III	Essex III		24.11.79	Surrey III	
1	R Lane (B)	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$ I Pheby (W)	TD Whitton (W)	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	KJ Thurlow (B)	
2	P Burns-Sweeney	0	1 P Harbott	IJ Myall	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	HM Cath	
3	K Tozer	0	1 P Shepherd	I Pheby	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	DM Woods	
4	H Thomas	1	0 R Rodie	J Roles	1	0	GD Green	
5	C Brown	0	1 FJ Chin	K Barnes	1	0	STK Wilkinson	
6	S Wood	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$ G Gatheral	RI Arundell	1	0	C Moorman	
7	JR Mills	1	0 T Coote	P Harbott	1	0	FC Manning	
8	M Owen	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$ RA Wagstaff	R Forey	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	PR Archer	
9	J Gilbert	0	1 B Imrie	P Shepherd	0	1	RG Rusha	
10	R Burman	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$ G Williams	FRE Elliott	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	B Lyons	
11	DA Wood	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$ R Hammond	RH Langenham	+1	a 0	HJ Cowley	
12	I(or J?)Maclaine*	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$ K Clow	B Beavis	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	RE Mattocks	
13	PL Cook	0	1 P Heath	FJ Chin	1	0	DE Luckin	
14	J Douglas	0	1 JSA Wood	G Gatheral	1	0	Default	
15	R Mason	0	1 D Dennis	B Imrie	1	0	JDN Nicholas	
16	KRM Claudius	1	a 0 RG Parker	D Selve	0	1	RH Griffiths	
17	M Reeve	0	1 T Wingrove	P Thomson	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	P Wasserberg	
18	A Knowles	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$ L Crane	T Coote	1	0	JP Raison	
19	P Homewood	0	1 M Speight	R Hammond	1	0	EA Parker	
20	B Gilbert	0	1 D Bird	P Heath	1	0	M Burrows	
(Kidbrooke House)		$6\frac{1}{2}$	$13\frac{1}{2}$	*ex Leics		(Wanstead)	$14\frac{1}{2}$	$5\frac{1}{2}$

Sussex III		24.11.79	Kent III	Kent III		8.12.79	Middx III
1	RH Williams (W)	1	0 R Lane	GM Brown	0	1	A Gaffney
2	P Watson	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$ S Wood	C King	0	1	E Kotarski
3	PR Selby	1	0 P Childs	S Wood	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	JVA Franks
4	JP Munday	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$ AP Downton	CH Armstrong	0	1	G Hutchinson
5	CP Tucknott	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$ PC Rutland	C Brown	a	+	TN Burrell
6	PH Denson	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$ IJ Mason	JR Mills	0	1	GS Kitchin
7	EJ Bowley	1	0 JR Mills	PE Rutland	0	1	JR Cotterell
8	JJ Soesan	1	0 P Tickner	KE Gordon	1	0	R Parker
9	J Richmond	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$ DA Wood	P Tickner	1	0	MJ Cresswell
10	RC Howard	1	0 H Thomas	DA Wood	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	NG Long
11	H Gold	0	1 W Maynard Smith	J Gilbert	0	1	BA Smith
12	RH Saunders	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$ R Burman	P Giddin(g?)s	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	DG Wayte
13	GR Opie	1	0 KRM Claudius	KRM Claudius	0	1	PG Edwards
14	KA Lucas	1	0 J Gilbert	A Knowles	0	1	RC Cousens
15	SR Paul	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$ HF Bitton	J Morris	0	1	MJ Hooper
16	SA Rowlands	0	1 P Gardner	P Homewood	a	+	LJ Vrondisiss
17	R Higham	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$ L Gurr	R Finch	1	0	BDA Fraser
18	RS Thornton	0	1 a Knowles	R Mason	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	OC Chataway
19	Dr DJ Opie	1	0 J Wood	JR Wood	a	+	R Jennings
20	C Conquest	1	0 B Gilbert	AJ Douglas	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	TV Parrott
(Eastbourne)		13	7	(Charlton)		$5\frac{1}{2}$	$11\frac{1}{2}$

Surrey III		8.12.79		Sussex III		Middx III		15.12.79		Essex III	
1	AV Stachulski (W)	0	1	FPE Green (B)	LJ Pinto (W)	1	0	RG Rodie (B)			
2	AT Macdonald	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	TJ Sheldon	SG Goodwin	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	I Pheby			
3	HM Cath	1	0	PH Benson	G Wolfarth	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	P Harbott			
4	JE Pattle		a	EJ Bowley	HL Tebbs	1	0	R Forey			
5	JH Soesan	1	0	Default	SJ Rodericks	1	0	RH Langenham			
6	PJ Roche	1	0	RH Saunders	MJ Rose	0	1	FJ Chin			
7	RE Rushbrook	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	GR Opie	GT Carter	1	0	SJ Abbott			
8	DM Woods		a	R Moffatt	AT Erdal-Smith	0	1	G Gatheral			
9	PK Trussler	1	0	H Gold	A Gaffney	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	B Imrie			
10	RG Rusha	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	S Coe	GJ Mason	1	0	RA Wagstaff			
11	GD Green	1	0	DJ Opie	MJ Benjamin	1	0	D Selfe			
12	C Moorman	1	0	RK Hunt	TN Burrell	0	1	R Hammond			
13	PR Archer	1	0	LE Porter	BL Baer	0	1	P Heath			
14	B Lyons	1	0	G Mansfield	G Hutchinson	1	0	K Clow			
15	CJ Dennis	1	0	Default	GS Kitchin	+ a =		JSA Wood			
16	PM Shaw	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	P Brownlow	JR Cotterell	0	1	D Dennis			
17	RH Griffiths	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	S Smith	PL Szabo	0	1	N Amor			
18	RE Mattocks	1	0	TJ Brown	R Parker	+ a =		D Read			
19	RE James	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	HE Wadsworth	J Shemilt	0	1	L Crane			
20	EA Parker	1	0	RA Parker	NG Long	0	1	E Charleson			
(Sutton)		14	4		(Highbury)	$8\frac{1}{2}$	$9\frac{1}{2}$				

EBONY

Berks II		17.11.79		Kent IV		Essex IV		17.11.79		Kent V	
1	KS Benjamin (B)	0	1	P Childs (W)	PN Revell (W)	0	1	SP Lafferty (B)			
2	MPA Connolly	0	1	P Glover	A Kochen	=0 a 1+		AJ Sherriff			
3	EJ Smith	1	0	DW Patterson	D Wright	1	0	RA MacBrayne			
4	JW Hasselt	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	MWB Sanderson	B Imrie	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	PR Newitt			
5	K Wyld	1	0	MP Mourant	WJ Hawthorn	0	1	RB Parkin			
6	PE Barnard	1	0	SC Robinson	AE Bower	1	0	RC Shilling			
7	R Lockwood	0	1	U Wong	RLN Hatch	1	0	AA Purchase			
8	G Harrison	1	0	HG Samek	DM Tyrrell	1	0	MA Phillips			
9	NM Stewart	1	0	CR Muir	P Hickman	0	1	B Crouch			
10	SC Sollick	0	1	F Dusetti	AJ Eley	0	1	RW Parsons			
11	SH Holmes	1	0	RS Rackham	MV Stanley	1	0	EP Hopkins			
12	RE Langham	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	B Rosier	A Calder	0	1	DF Sexton			
13	SR Ecaldin	0	1	JR Jones	TN Smith	0	1	R Hyde			
		1	0		GT Gooding	+1 a 0		FJ Staines			
		1	0		GJ Kershaw	0	1	RJ Hale			
		1	0		T Dickerson	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	TG Atkins			
		1	0	Defaults	CJD Newman	0	1	JW Hollands			
		1	0		R Neil	1	0	T Collins			
		1	0		D Imrie	1	0	Mrs RM Hannan			
		1	0		IR Fuller	1	0	A McLeod			
(Sandhurst)		14	6		(Wanstead)	10	10				

Surrey IV		8.12.79		Essex IV		Kent V		8.12.79		Berks II	
1	DD Cox (W)	1	0	PW Revell (B)	SP Lafferty (B)	0	1	GE Borrowdale			
2	GW Dormand	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	J Boden	T Collins	1	0	MF Redmond			
3	A Killey	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	D Wright	RB Parkin	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	EJ Smith			
4	JP Raison	0	1	BWG Morgan	RA MacBrayne	1	0	PE Barnard			
5	B Blackburn	0	1	AE Bower	PR Newitt	1	0	K Wyld			
6	MJ Cowley	1	0	Default	B Crouch	1	0	JD Hasselt			
7	JDH Nicholas	0	1	P Hickman	MA Phillips	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	MPA Connolly			
8	AJ Pollard	0	1	AV Stanley	DF Sexton	0	1	WH Norris			
9	DA Baldock	1	0	AJ Eley	RC Shilling	0	1	RJ Hastie			
10	E Weimann	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	GT Gooding	RW Parsons	0	1	EDV Young			
11	P Griseri	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	TA Dickerson	R Hyde	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	Miss CJ Nicholson			
12	BP Floyd	1	0	IR Fuller	A Bennett	0	1	NW Dennis			
13	P Statham	1	0	J Vasey	FJ Staines	1	0	W Bainbridge			
14	MF Kent	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	TN Smith	M Brewer	+ $\frac{1}{2}$ a $\frac{1}{2}$ =		BR Allday			
15	CE Williams	0	1	R Neil	SP Menon	0	1	Dr NM Stewart			
16	Dr BS Sweetman	1	0	D Imrie	JW Hollands	1	0	GP O'Brien			
17	Dr B Gregory	0	1	GJ Kershaw	R Blackman	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	P Jacobs			
18	DW Cay	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	CJD Newman	TG Atkins	0	1	AJ Robbins			
19	CT McElligott	0	1	T Winter	P Gansczyk	0	1	SR Benedictus			
20	AJ McElligott	1	0	A McCormick	Mrs RM Hannan	1	0	GH Betts			
(Sutton)		10	10		(Charlton)	$9\frac{1}{2}$	$10\frac{1}{2}$				

131:12 Brian Locke, Grading Secretary, notifies the following official additions and amendments to the 1979 Grading List.

AMENDMENTS

163	*Weinhold KM	Cable and Wireless; Harrow; Post Office
110	*Lusby B	Bedford
154	*Picton DC	Sevenoaks
J 86	*Sanders CP	St Marys School
169	*Smart LJ	Charlton
179	*Freeman MJ	Bucks; SCA
183	*McSheehy C	Islington; St Albans
181	*Taylor Mark V	Slough; Exeter
164	*Kington PN	Horsham; Horley
125	*Middleton R	DOE (Caxton); Chelmsford
J 95	*Holle Karen	Streatham; Dog Kennel Hill Primary School
118	*Aubin-Parvu H	Bromley
119	*Owen MJ	Hayes (Kent)

ADDITIONS

140	Eastwood PL	Battersea
141	*Rajaonarison A	Worthing
185	*Burn ME	Athenaeum; Wimbledon; WECU
180	*Pool RJ	Old Parkonians; Hilltop; WECU
79	Scott Miss SC	Kilndown (Kent)

DELETIONS

Weinhold N	Merged with Weinhold KM
Kelly PJ	Two players merged in error
Sanders Paul	Added to Sanders CP
Taylor M (Slough)	
Taylor Mark V (W'sor GS)	Added together to make addition above
Parvu HA	Merged with Aubin-Parvu H

Notes for graders

- (1) Kelly PJ of Wallington to be treated as a new player but with a firm grade of 134
- (2) The junior Kelly PJ should continue to be entered under ref. 480845 with an estimated grade of 112
- (3) Karina Holly, whose games were added to Karen Holle in error, should be entered as a new player with a firm grade of 105

And an incidental note from the Editor to the Grading Secretary: Miss SC Scott, who figures in the "Additions" list above, should have a "J". Date of birth 23.5.67

The 1979 Grading List has sold noticeably better than its predecessor, but there are still about 30 copies left out of the original 1000. Most Bulletin subscribers have already got copies, but if you haven't - how about it? Or do you know any likely customers? County match captains could have copies at a reduced price, or on sale-or-return, for sale to their players. Write or telephone to the Editor if interested.

The Bulletin is also available to match captains, at a reduced price and on sale-or-return. Circulation really ought to be higher than it is, and county matches would seem an obvious outlet. Match captains can provide a service to their players, and make a small profit for their Counties without financial risk. Why not try it?

SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING: IMPORTANT

The Special General Meeting to discuss the new General Rules and Payment for Grading (see pages 1 and 2) will take place not on the 1st February as announced in the November issue, but on Friday 25th January at 6.45 p.m. (St Brides). Notice, specifying the correct date, has already gone out to Counties but just in case any delegates have not heard about the date yet... take note.

The official agenda sent to Counties includes Any Other Business (at the Chairman's discretion). Your Editor has not consulted the Chairman on this but he would point out that the current Union Rules (as well as the proposed new ones) do not permit AOB at Special General Meetings. So don't be too surprised if your Other Business is not accepted.

We look forward to an action-packed meeting. (Just wait till we get round to the Tournament Rules...)

One late MJ result: Surrey 11 9 Suffolk 5.1.80 - details next issue.

Please note:

NORFOLK Secretary, G Lyon, has moved to 44 Trafalgar Rd East, Gorleston: tel. Great Yarmouth 601953 (home); 2637 (office).

New Editor of the News Bulletin is AL Holmes, 167 Spixworth Rd, Old Catton, Norwich.

SURREY New Editor of Surrey Chess News is JJ Lauder, 37 Dora Rd, Wimbledon SW19 7EZ

FORTHCOMING CONGRESSES

- Jan 26-27 MIDDLESEX OPEN JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS - U15; U8 Sat; U10 Sun: RM Sinclair, 21 Heatherdene, West Horsley, Leatherhead
- 27 BASINGSTOKE One Day - RE Boxall, 91 Campsie Close, Buckskin, Basingstoke
- Feb 1-3 PORTSMOUTH - Open; U180; U140; U12 (not Fri): P McEvoy, 77 Lime Grove, Paulsgrove, Portsmouth
- 1-3 MIDDLESBROUGH: Mrs C Whiteside, Zetland House, Zetland Rd, Middlesbrough
- 2-3 KIDLINGTON: TRS Pavlovic, 77 Great Close Rd, Yarnton, Oxford
- 8-10 BASINGSTOKE: RE Boxall as above
- 8-10 BEDWORTH - U170; U130; U16; U14; U12; U10; U8: D Evans, 47 Dale House Lane, Kenilworth, Warwicks
- 9-10 MIDDLESEX OPEN JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS - U18; U12: RM Sinclair as above
- 15-17 WEST SUSSEX JUNIOR - U21; U16; U14; U12 Sat/Sun; U10 Sat/Sun: P Barton, Westergate Comprehensive School, Ivy Lane, Westergate, Chichester, Sx
- 16-17 SURREY GIRLS - P Granat, 22 Aylward Rd, London SW20
- 22-24 CITY OF LONDON - Open; U170; U140; U110; Ungraded Sat/Sun: BDA Parker, 28 Links Rd, Poole, Dorset
- 1-2 RUGBY - U181; U146; U116: Mrs M Kerridge, 40 Rugby Rd, Dunchurch, Rugby
- 7-9 BLACKPOOL: G McGurdy, 29 Leicester Rd, Blackpool
- 28-30 EAST ANGLIAN - Graded Swisses: NG Thomas, Hope House, Poringland, Norwich
- 28-30 SURREY JUNIOR CLOSED: TS Dunne, Glyn School, Ewell
- 30 BASINGSTOKE One Day: RE Boxall as above
- Apr 3-7 WECU CONGRESS: AC Brown, 10 Cavendish Rd, Bristol
- 4-6 HARROGATE: Yorks Chess Assn, 23 Manston Gardens, Cross Gates, Leeds
- 4-7 SOUTHEND - JA Speigel, 28a Boscombe Rd, Southend
- 4-7 SCCU INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIP and SURREY CONGRESS - FC Manning, 44 Willow Rd, Wallington, Surrey
- 4-7 FOLKESTONE - GF Steele, 46 Monkton Rd, Minster, Ramsgate, Kent
- 5-7 BOLTON: A Gordon, 79 Beverley Rd, Bolton
- May 2-4 MIDDLESEX TEAM TOURNAMENT: Contact County Secretary, PG Edwards, 27 Allerton Rd, N16 5UJ
- 18 BASINGSTOKE One Day: RE Boxall as above

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BCE Newsflash for December and January; Kent Chess for December and January; Norfolk Chess News Bulletin for December; Surrey Chess News for December; Tempo for December; Westward Ho! grading issue; William Parker School (Hastings) Chess Report

AN IMPORTANT MESSAGE FROM THE EDITOR

Twelve months ago to the day as I type this, I moved house. Most correspondents have noticed this. Quite often, though, I get match results which have been sent to my old address and redirected by the Post Office. My redirection arrangement with the Post Office has now expired, and I am not prepared to pay the £15 required for renewing it. So will you please make sure that you have my correct address in your records. For those lacking the energy to turn back to page 1 (and I know the feeling) it is: 48 Southview Rd, Tunbridge Wells, Kent TN4 9BX

And since we have some space left, some problems for Controllers:

(1) This one happened in a Kent league match recently. One player's clock ran wildly fast, and the defect was not spotted until he was (or appeared to be) in time trouble. The clock was then replaced, and he was given the correct amount of extra time. After the game (which he lost) he claimed that his play had been affected by the supposed time trouble and asked that the game should be re-played.

The Kent Committee still has to rule on this. It seems fairly clear what the ruling must be: by playing on, the player accepted the situation and the result must stand. But what would you have ruled if he had refused to play on?

(2) From a junior match: a player castled long, incorrectly - placing the K on N1 and the R on B1. He moved the K first. I ruled that he must castle (long) legally, which was what he wanted to do anyway. But would there have been a case for ruling simply that he must make (any) K move? The point is not quite as insignificant as it

seems, because as it happened castling correctly allowed a mate in one, which the original incorrect castling would not have done!

The next two have not happened to me yet, but I live in fear that they may do.

(3) A player has advanced a pawn to the 8th rank, removed it from the board and placed a Queen on the promotion square. He has not yet let go of the Queen. Does he still have the right to promote to a piece other than a Queen?

(4) A player has advanced a pawn to the 8th rank and informed his opponent that it is a Queen. He has not removed it from the board, nor stopped his clock. Does he still have the right to make a piece other than a Queen? And would it make any difference if he had stopped his clock?

All that was supposed to go in the gap at the bottom of page 13 - I do get carried away. Still, since we've started we may as well carry on: I noticed (another!) anomaly in the Laws the other day. You can claim a draw by repetition either if the same position has just occurred for the third time and it's your move, or if having the move you are able to bring about the third repetition and declare your intention of doing so. But the situation is different with the 50-move rule: you can claim only if the 50th move has already happened (Article 12.4). You cannot say "I intend to play such-and-such a move, and claim a draw on the ground that both sides will then have played..." I cannot see any reason for this anomaly. Can you?

Any comments on the above will be gratefully received.