

PRESIDIO CHESS CLUB BULLETIN

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PRESIDIO CHAMPION
1087 - Sergius von Oettingen

EXPERTS
1006 - Lev A. Beliavsky
1006 - John H. Gidley (B-2)
996 - Ronald M. Morritt (B-2)

CLASS A
991 - Alexander Parvu Jr
988 - Russell Q. Maeth
964 - Don J. Stewardson
961 - Rex V. Wilcox
953 - Robert A. Karch
947 - Alex Pavlovich
935 - Don O. Halgren
930 - Alexander Jadan

CLASS B
921 - Eric E. Peabody (B-1)
898 - Don K. Bissonnette (A-3)
829 - Daniel M. Povelaitis (B-2)
825 - Charles J. Alber (D-4)
822 - Donn Carter
781 - Michael D. Astin
780 - Tom Young
777 - Glen Alkire (D-2)
768 - Nestorio Rabano
762 - Robert M. Speer
759 - Robert H. Weall
738 - Theodore Hill (A-1)

CLASS C
736 - Robert Pierce (D-3)
726 - Bob N. Frederickson (B-8)
725 - Robert M. Seaman (B-1)
722 - Robert E. Wherritt
720 - William G. Carnes
720 - John W. Garvy Jr (B-8)
716 - Nick Tripolski
700 - Gilbert Edler (A-6)
697 - John D. Hartz (D-4)
695 - R. O. Jackson (B-6)
695 - William E. Norton
655 - Lucius H. Smith Jr (A-3)
642 - Michael E. Karp (D-4)
600 - Tilden H. McMasters
600 - Elwyn Rhodes (B-1)
598 - Floreal R. Prieto (B-2)

JUNIORS
729 - Andre Marchenko
659 - Jim Stewardson
634 - James Pittman
631 - Roy Register
629 - Oraig Barthold

SUMMER CANDIDATES TOURNAMENT

TWO ROUNDS SATURDAY, JULY 27TH

This event is wide open - to club members! All players will receive a national chess rating! Winner is to be awarded an engraved trophy by the Presidio Service Club; and also meets current Champion, Oettingen, in a 7-game clock match. Chess clocks will be used - 50 moves in two hours. Sign up this Friday at the meeting.



THE BLACK KNIGHT

(A new series by anonymous contributor)

Hello, Chess Fans!....."Pro" J.G. slowing up? Those Class A Players are tough!.....Camp Roberts Club stands up un-defeated PGO; sets new speed record by withdrawing challenge within 72 hours.....
..Big Dan finds double solution to No. 8 simultaneously with solvers Carter and Pavlovich!.....Rumored; US Chess Expert disposing of equipment. Retiring from tournament play!.....Flashy G.M. sets up new residence at Camp Roberts. It's safe for Class A Players at the Service Club now.....Scoop! Match with Soledad Prison postponed! But don't put your sets away; Candidates Tournament coming up.....Exclusive coverage of MPO Tournament.....Shortest game - Eight moves via the King's Gambit, a dashing, adventurous attack conducted by R.M.....
From 6th place in Presidio Spring Ohpp to 3rd place in MPO sky-rockets A.P. by swindling Champ in final-round draw!.....
(Editor's note: One of the club members says the paper is too dry and needs some spice. So I gave him some space! Other members are also invited to contribute articles. B.K.)

CLUB ELECTIONS IN AUGUST; NO REPLACEMENTS IN SIGHT

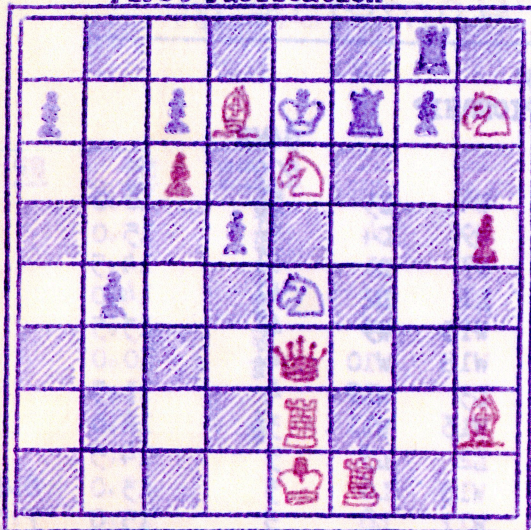
Officers serve 6-month terms

MORE JUNIORS
613 - Bessie Crumpley
606 - Coleman Tidwell
605 - Peter Nicholas
602 - Richard Bagby
601 - Santiago Rodriguez
599 - David McCracken Jr
*599 - Claudia Crane
*599 - Alex Bogatirev
596 - Cowan
595 - Sam Moore
*595 - Diane Locicero
*595 - John R. Pitta
*593 - Michael B. Pavlov
*592 - Jo Anna Crane
590 - Phillip J. McCracken
*584 - Peggy Joseph
*570 - Andre Oettingen

Current Chess Club Officers:
President.....Bob Karch
Vice-President.....John Gidley
Rating Stat.....Don Halgren
Tournament Dir.....A. Parvu Jr

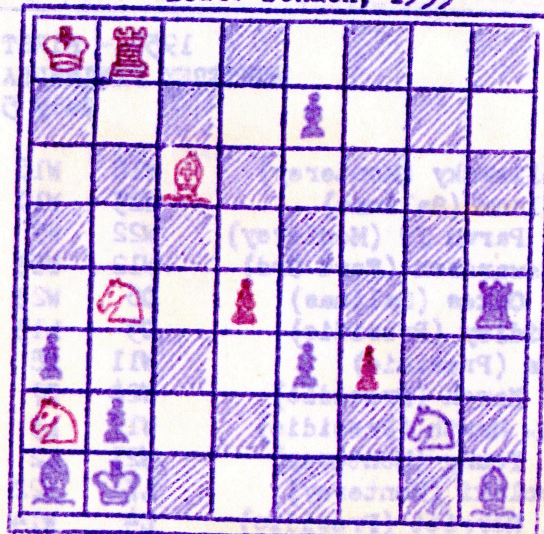
New term of office will run from September 1st to February 28th, 1958. So far, no one has expressed an interest in taking over any job. We are inviting you new members to think it over.

Problem Number 11
by **DON HALGREN**
First Publication



White mates in Three (6 points)

Problem Number 12
by **DR. H. LEPUSCHUTZ**
Deut. Schach, 1955



White mates in Five (9 points)

PROBLEM LADDER

- 49 - Daniel M. Powelaitis
- 45 - Theodore Hill
- 45 - Don K. Bissonnette
- 45 - Ronald M. Morrith
- 38 - Donald O. Halgren
- 34 - Donn Carter
- 31 - Michael D. Astin
- 28 - Alex Pavlovich
- 27 - Tom Young
- 19 - Andre Marchenko
- 12 - Rex V. Wilcox
- 9 - Coleman Tidwell
- 8 - Jim Stewardson

GROUND RULES

1. Open to all chessplayers, in or out of the club.
2. Turn in solutions to Dan Powelaitis or to Bob Karch.
3. Double credit for "cooks." A cook is an unintended solution. (See problem #8, White can mate in four moves!)
4. Regular credit to composers. However, double credit to composer if problem is not solved by anyone. But, no credit if it is cooked.

SOLUTIONS

- #5 1. B-B6
- #6 1. B-Q3

DEADLINES

- 7-10 Sat, July 13
- 11-12 Sat, July 20