

□ Shrauger,Alex Hayden

■ Lee,Andy C

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C56

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1.e4 e5 7 2.Nf3 2 Nc6 8 3.d4 2 exd4
8 4.Bc4 2 Nf6 12 5.e5 2 d5 13 6.Bb5
5 Ne4 9 7.Nxd4 3 Bc5 12 8.Be3 4 0-0
1:07 9.Nxc6 11 bxc6 12 10.Bxc5 3
Nxc5 11 11.Bxc6 3 Rb8 24

Black sacrificed a pawn. C56: Two

Knights: 4 d4 exd4 5 0-0 Nxe4. 12.Qxd5

7 Qe7 1:16 13.0-0 15 Rxb2 4:36

The position is equal. 14.Qd4 11:37

Rxc2 11:54 15.Nc3 5:13 Rd8 10:53

16.Nd5 1:59 Qg5 5:07

[16...Qf8!±]

17.h4? 17:47 White has a king side majority

[17.Rad1+- White wants to mate with

Ne7+!. Rf8 (17...Bh3 18.Ne7+

Discovered Attack, Decoy Qxe7

19.Qxd8+ Qf8 20.Qxf8+

Remove Defender Kxf8 21.Rd8+ Ke7

22.Re8#) 18.Nxc7]

17...Qd2N 2:12 Black puts up resistance

[17...Ne6 18.Qe4 Qd2 19.Rad1

Qe2 20.Ne7+ Kf8 21.Rxd8+ Nxd8

22.Qxe2 Rxe2 23.Bf3 Rxf2 24.Kxf2

Kxe7 1-0 (41) Schmitz,T (2268)-

Commercon,S (2253) Lamsheim

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18.Qxd2 27 Rxd2 6 19.Rad1 7:17

Rxd1 18 20.Rxd1 2 Kf8 34 Prevents

Ne7 21.Rb1 2:35 Be6 11:07 22.Rb5

5:58 Nd3 9:13

[22...Rxd5 23.Rb8+]

23.Nxc7 5:07 Bxa2 45 24.Ra5 6:39

Bc4 1:21 25.Be4 5:54 Nf4 9:00

26.Rxa7 5:21 Rd4 1:41 27.Bf5 3:41

[27.Bxh7? is a self mate. Ne2+

28.Kh2 Rxh4#]

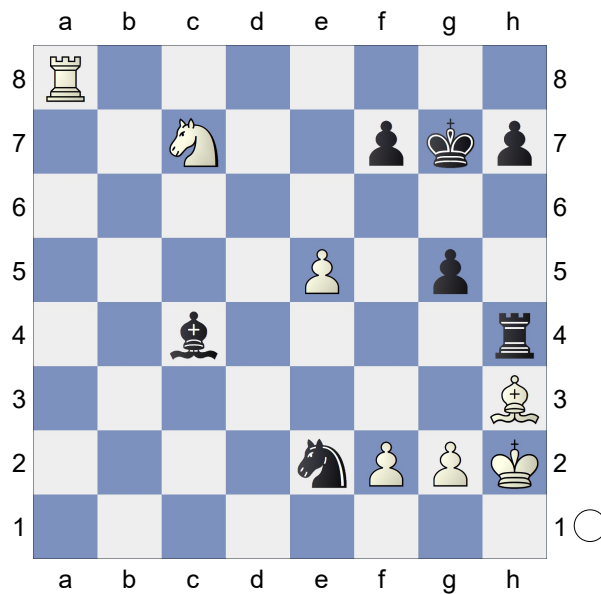
[27.f3±]

27...Ne2+ 2:31 28.Kh2 4 Rxh4+ 9

29.Bh3 2 g5? 3:57

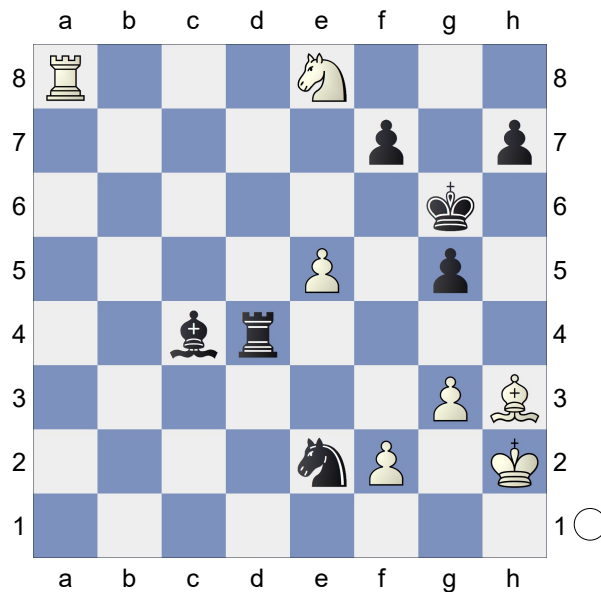
[29...Be6= and Black is okay.]

30.Ra8+- 2:35 Kg7 9



...g4 is the strong threat. 31.g3! 1:19

Rd4 15:35 32.Ne8+ 6:28 Kg6 27



33.Nd6! 3:08 Strongly threatening Rg8+.

33...g4 3:51

[Δ33...h5 34.Bf5+ Kg7 35.Nxc4

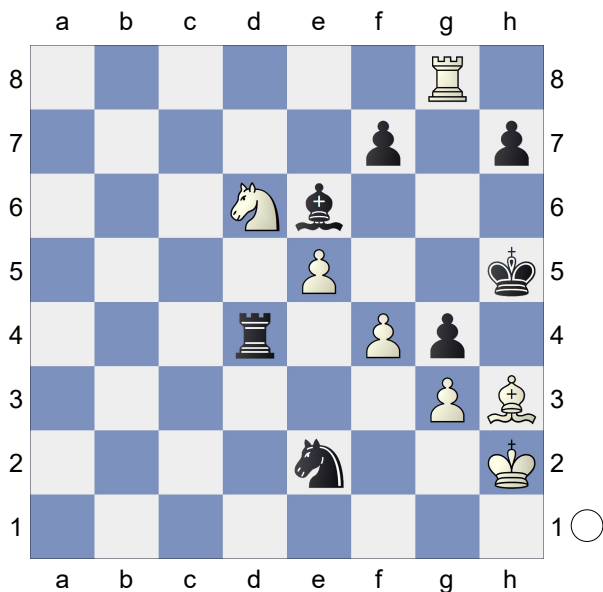
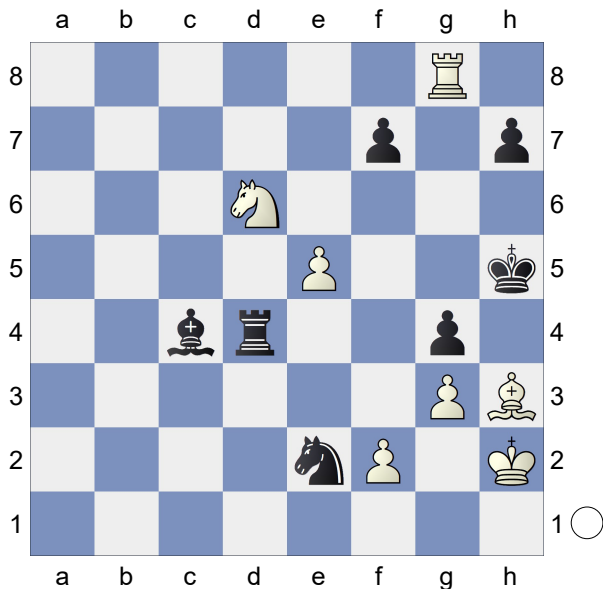
Rxc4]

34.Rg8+ 1:20 Kh5 8

(Diagram)

35.f4! 5:49 Be6 6:34

[35...Nxg3 36.Rg5+]



36.Bxg4+! 24 Double Attack.

Weighted Error Value: White=0.15 (very precise) /Black=0.78

Loses game: ---

Black=1

Missed win: White=1

Mistake: White=1

Black=2

Inaccurate: White=1

Black=2

OK: White=7

Black=8

Best: White=5

Black=2

Strong:
Black=1
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White=2

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□ Cawthon,Jeremy David

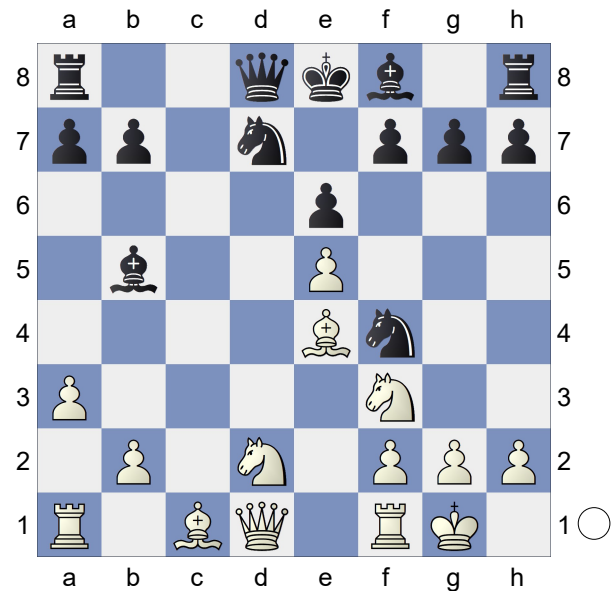
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■ Winslow,Elliott

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1.e4 1 c5 8 2.c3 2 Nf6 1:29 3.e5 3
Nd5 8 4.d4 3 cxd4 6 5.Nf3 2 d6 28
6.cxd4 2 e6 24 7.a3 6 Bd7 1:02 8.Bd3
3 Bc6 36 9.0-0 49 Nd7 32 10.Nbd2
4:40 dxe5 6:59 B22: Sicilian: 2 c3.
11.dxe5 1:00 Nf4 1:51 12.Be4 3:28
Threatening Bxc6. 12...Bb5 1:03



The position is equal. **13.Nd4N** 16:51
Repels Ne2+

[13.Bxb7 Rb8 14.Be4 Ne2+ 15.Kh1
Nxc1 16.Rxc1 Bxf1 17.Nxf1 Be7
18.Bc6 0-0 19.Qxd7 Qxd7 20.Bxd7
1/2-1/2 (28) Gardner,A (2216)-Rozanski,
R (2120) ICCF email 2022]

13...Bxf1= 3:07 **14.Nxf1** 36 **Nc5!** 2:52

White must now prevent ...Qxd4!.

15.Bf3! 8:32 A sharp opening **15...Nd5**
9:15

[Black should try 15...Nfd3= 16.Be3
Nxe5]

16.b4 3:16

[16.Ne3!±]

16...Nd7? 1:55

[16...Na6!= and Black stays safe.]

17.Bxd5+- 54 exd5 9 18.e6 5 Nb6 1:35

19.Qe2 5:23

[19.Qg4!+- White wants to mate with exf7+. Qf6 20.Bg5]

19...fxe6 19:37

[19...Be7±]

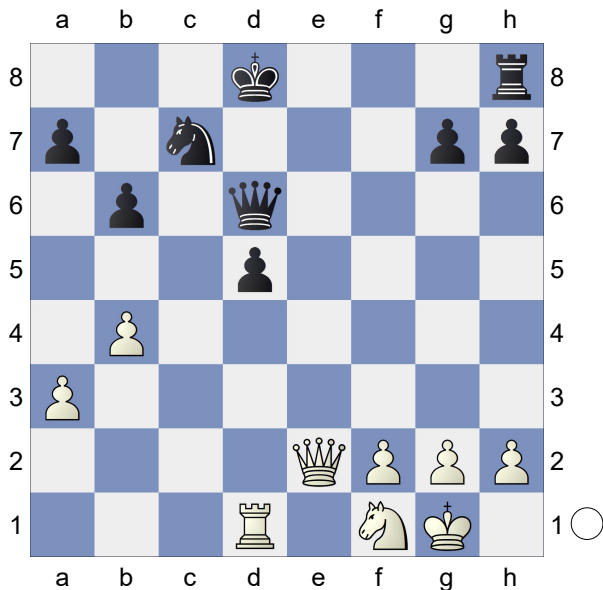
20.Nxe6 10 Qd7 25 21.Nc7+ 5:48

Excellent horsemanship. 21...Kd8 3:41

22.Nxa8 55 Nxa8 7 23.Be3 1:19 b6

1:59 24.Rd1 1:13 Nc7 22 25.Bf4 3:17

Bd6 2:57 26.Bxd6 7 Qxd6 3



27.Ne3! 20 Re8 1:00 28.Qh5 8 h6 27

29.h3? 1:46

[29.Nxd5+- Nxd5 30.f4 (30.Qxd5? Re1+ Deflection 31.Rxe1 Qxd5+-)]

29...Re5 5:25 30.Qf3 53 and Nc4 would now be decisive. White is more active.

30...Qd7 2:18 31.Rd4 36 Kc8 1:02

32.Kh2 2:19 Kb7 2:08 33.Rf4 1:46

[33.h4]

33...Ka6 6:19

[33...Kb8± was necessary.]

34.Rf7 59

[White should play 34.g3+-]

34...Qd6? 1:33

[34...Re7± 35.Rxe7 Qxe7]

35.g3 30 g5 2:44

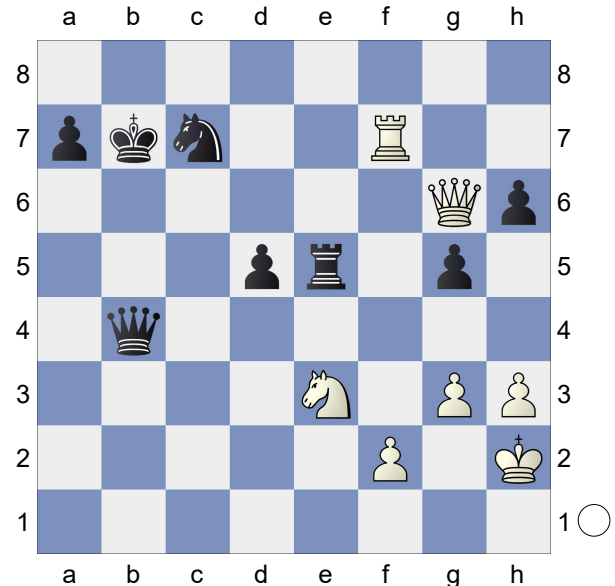
[35...g6 36.Rg7 Re8]

36.a4 2:04 b5 3:33 37.axb5+ 1:25

Kxb5 1:18 38.Qe2+ 1:53 Kb6 1:48

39.Qd3 53 Dodges Qg6 39...Qxb4 1:29

40.Qg6+ 4:13 Kb7 2:03



41.Rxc7+ 2:10 Kxc7 18 Endgame

KQR-KQN 42.Qg7+ 3

[42.Qxh6 Qe7 43.Ng4 Re1±]

42...Kd6? 1:02

[42...Re7= 43.Nxd5+ Pin, Double Attack (43.Qxh6 Qd2±) 43...Kd7 44.Nxe7 (44.Qxe7+? is the wrong capture. Qxe7 45.Nxe7 Kxe7+-) 44...Qxe7 45.Qxh6 a5]

43.Qf8+ 7

[43.Qxa7 d4 44.Qa6+ Ke7 45.Qa7+ Kd6 46.Qa6+ Kc7 47.Qa7+ Kd6=]

43...Re7 5

(Diagram)

44.Qxe7+!! 12 Decoy. White mates.

44...Kxe7 2 45.Nxd5+ 2 Kd6 10

46.Nxb4 5 KN-K3P 46...a5 54 47.Na2 2

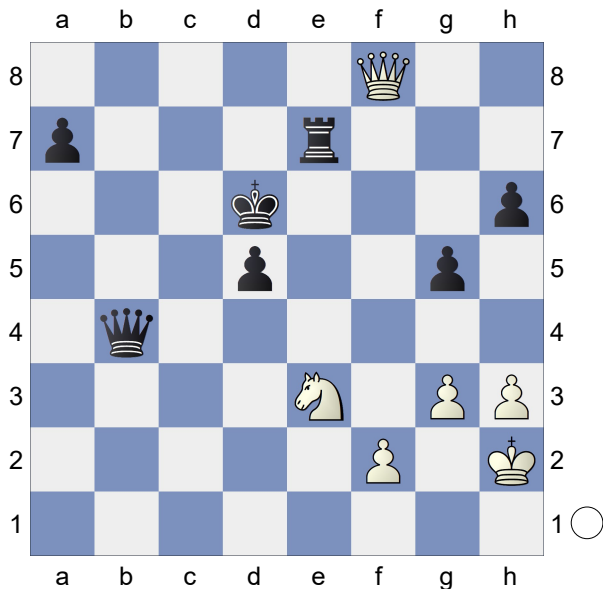
Kc5 17 48.f4 17 gxf4 9 49.gxf4 2

KN-KPP 49...a4 54 50.f5 16 Kd5 1:52

51.Kg3 25 Ke5 4 52.Kg4 5 Kf6 7

53.Kf4 5 a3 22 54.h4 2

Weighted Error Value: White=0.47/



Black=0.71

Loses game: ---

Black=4

Missed win: White=2

Mistake: White=5

Black=3

Inaccurate: ---

Black=1

OK: White=9

Black=9

Best: White=3

Black=4

Strong: White=2

Black=1

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□ Heiserman,Jimmy

■ Walder,Michael

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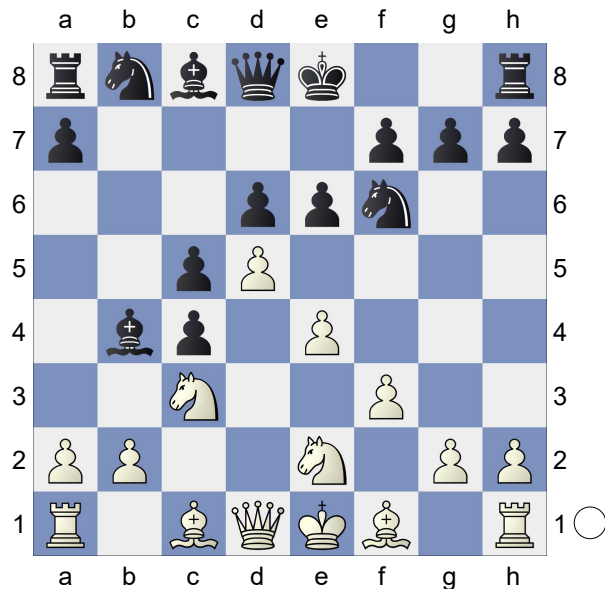
[TA]

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5.d5 d6 6.e4 b5 7.Nge2 bxc4

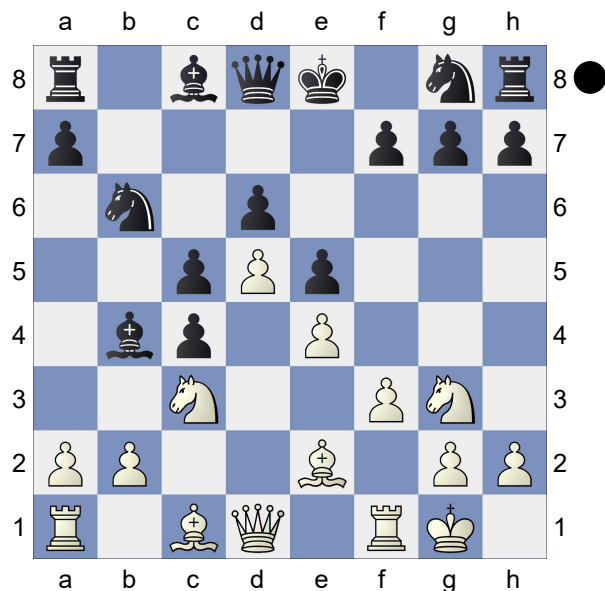
(Diagram)

8.Nf4 e5 The position is equal. 9.Nfe2



Nbd7 10.Ng3 White has compensation.

10...Nb6! 11.Be2 Ng8 12.0-0



12.h4 gains popularity. 12...f5?N 2.11/29
240 Black cannot hold the game after this.

[12...Ne7= 0.06/32]

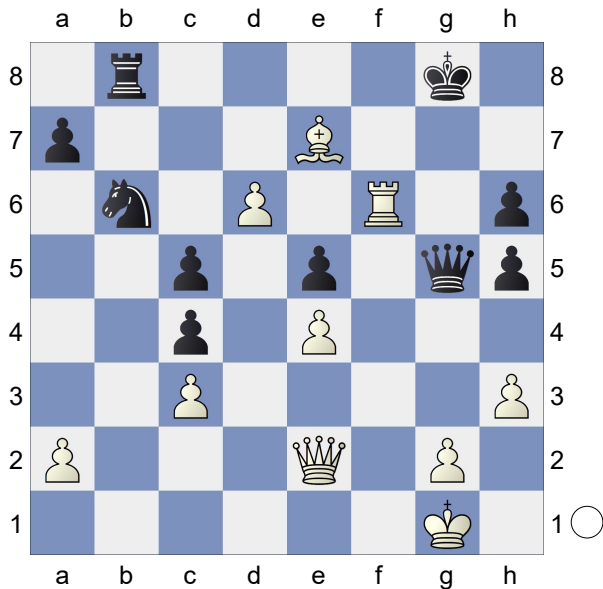
[Predecessor: 12...Ne7 13.f4 exf4
14.Bxf4 Ng6 15.Qc1 Bxc3 16.Qxc3
0-0 17.Nh5 f6 18.Bh6 gxh6 19.Rxf6
1-0 Harshavardhan,G (2449)-
Donchenko,A (2664) ChessKid Cup
Play In Chess.com INT blitz 2023 (3)]

13.f4+-

[13.exf5 Bxc3 14.bxc3 Nf6±]

[13.Nxf5 Bxf5 14.exf5 Bxc3 15.bxc3

Nf6=]
13...Bxc3 14.bxc3 Nf6 15.fxe5
 [15.Nxf5 Bxf5 (15...Nxe4?
 16.Nxg7+ Kd7 17.fxe5+-) 16.fxe5
 Bxe4 17.exf6 0-0±]
 [15.exf5 e4=]
15...dxe5 16.Nxf5
 [16.exf5 0-0±]
16...0-0 17.Bg5 Bxf5 18.Rxf5 Qd6
19.Qc2 g6 20.Rf2 Nh5 4.71/23 107
 [20...Kg7 3.27/28 was called for.
 21.Raf1 Ng8]
21.Bxh5 gxh5 22.Raf1 Qg6 23.Be7
Rxf2 24.Qxf2 Nd7 25.Qe2
 [Not 25.Bxc5 Kh8 26.Re1 (26.Bxa7
 Qxe4 27.Rd1 Qg4±) 26...Nxc5
 27.Qxc5 Qb6 28.Qxb6 axb6+-]
25...Re8 26.d6 Nb6 8.36/22 326
 [Δ26...Rb8 4.35/29 27.Qxc4+ Kg7]
27.Rf5 h6 28.h3 and Rf6! should not be
overlooked 28...Rb8 29.Rf6 Qg5



30.Rf8+! Discovered Attack 30...Rxf8
31.Bxg5 hxg5 32.Qxh5 7 Weighted
 Error Value: White=0.20/Black=0.74
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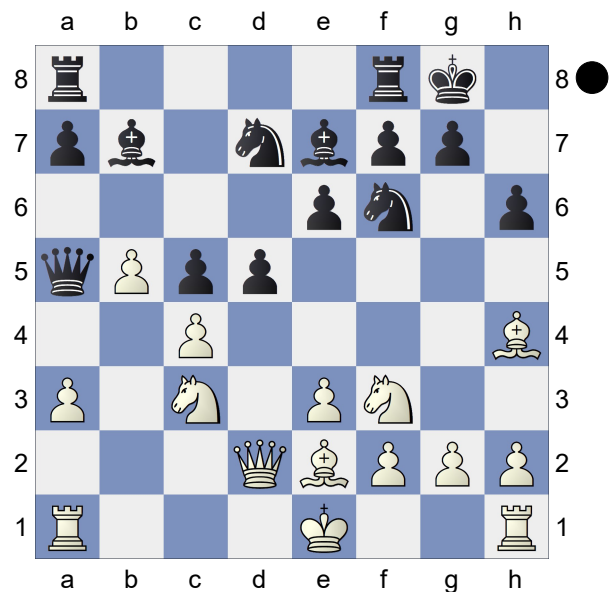
□ Achuthan,Aryan **E12 2264**
 ■ Gnana Hari Sekar,Easwar **1887**
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1.d4 3:38 Nf6 4:56 2.c4 45 e6 15
3.Nc3 34 b6 11 4.Nf3 1:28 Bb7 26
5.a3 11 d5 1:58 6.Bg5 1:40 Be7 1:13
7.e3 2:22 0-0 44 8.b4 2:45
 E12: Queen's Indian: Unusual White 4th
 moves, 4 a3, 4 Nc3 Bb7 5 a3 and 4 Nc3
 Bb7 .

[8.Rc1=]
8...c5 13:37 9.dxc5N 14:39
 [9.Bxf6= keeps the balance. Bxf6
 10.cxd5]
 [9.Qb3 dxc4 10.Bxc4 Ne4 11.Bxe7
 Qxe7 12.Nxe4 Bxe4 13.bxc5 bxc5
 14.d5 exd5 15.Bxd5 Bxd5 16.Qxd5
 1-0 (51) Asanakunov,Z (2046)-
 Tynybekov,B (1730) Bishkek 2019]

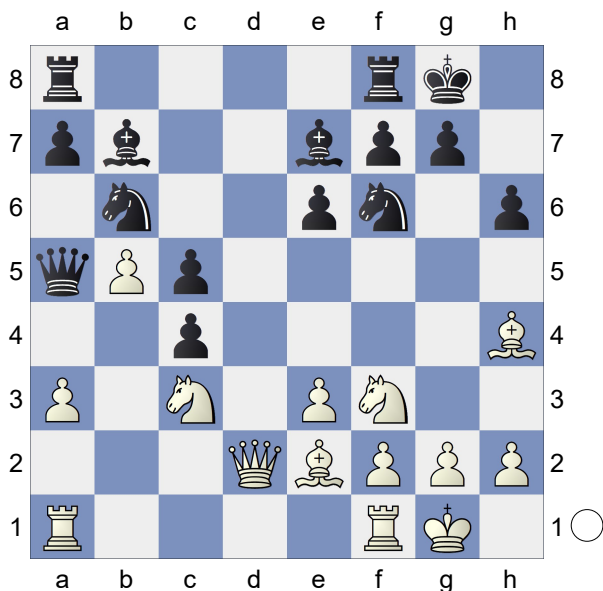
9...bxc5 25 10.b5 9 Black is clearly
better. 10...Nbd7 7:40 ...h6 would now
be deadly. 11.Be2 2:45

[11.cxd5 Nxd5 (11...exd5
 12.Be2) 12.Bxe7 Qxe7 13.Qc2]
11...h6-+ 21 12.Bh4 19 Qa5 6:35
13.Qd2 1:00

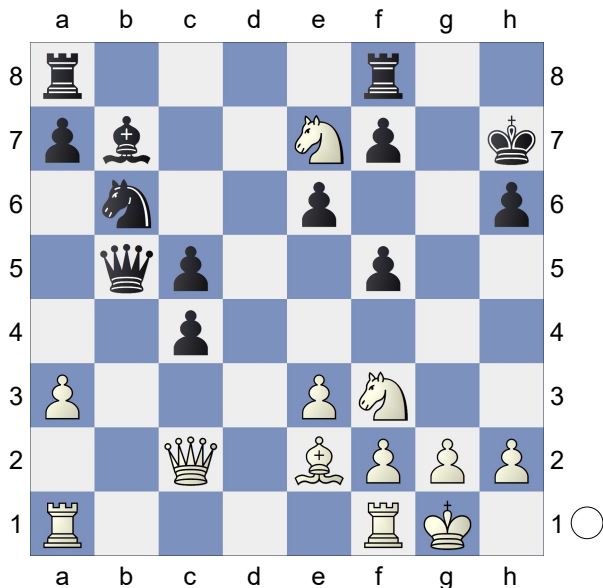


dx4 1:39 Black has a strong passed
pawn

[13...g5! 14.Bg3 a6]
14.0-0! 1:31 Nb6? 59
 [14...a6 stays ahead. 15.a4 axb5
 16.Nxb5 Bc6]



This move loses the game for Black.
15.Nd5!+- 2:24 Discovered Attack
15...Qxb5 5:49 16.Nxe7+ 3:14 Kh7 5:16
17.Bxf6 15:09 gxf6 6 18.Qc2+ 36 f5
12:18



19.Nxf5! 50 exf5 5 20.Qxf5+ 5 Kg7
1:53 21.Qe5+ 4:00 f6 4:48 22.Qg3+
1:57 Kh7 2:21 23.Qf4 5:37
 And now Nh4 would win. **23...Qc6 2:27**
24.Qf5+ 40

[Weaker is 24.Bxc4 Nxc4 25.Qxc4
 Qxf3 26.gxf3 Rg8+]
24...Kg7 26
 [24...Kh8 25.Nh4 Rf7]
25.Nh4 1:31 White is clearly winning.
25...Qe4 2:52 26.Qh5 45 Qh7 6:09
27.Qg4+ 1:45
 [27.Qxc5 Kh8 28.Bg4 (28.Bxc4
 Rfc8) 28...Be4±]
27...Kf7 5 28.Bxc4+ 1:11 Nxc4 3:44
29.Qxc4+ 6 Kg7 9 30.Qg4+ 7 Kf7 12
31.Nf5 1:42 Rad8 1:01 32.Rfd1 1:20
Bd5 2:52 33.Qh5+ 2:03 Ke6 19 34.Ng3
2:45
 [Less strong is 34.Nxh6 Rh8
 35.Qh3+ Ke7+-]
34...f5 1:11 35.Ne2 5 Kf6 2:42 36.Nf4
5:44
 Superbly played by Achuthan!
 Weighted Error Value: White=0.15 (very
 precise) /Black=0.52
 Loses game: ---
 Black=1
 Mistake: White=2
 Black=2
 OK: White=14
 Black=10
 Strong: White=1

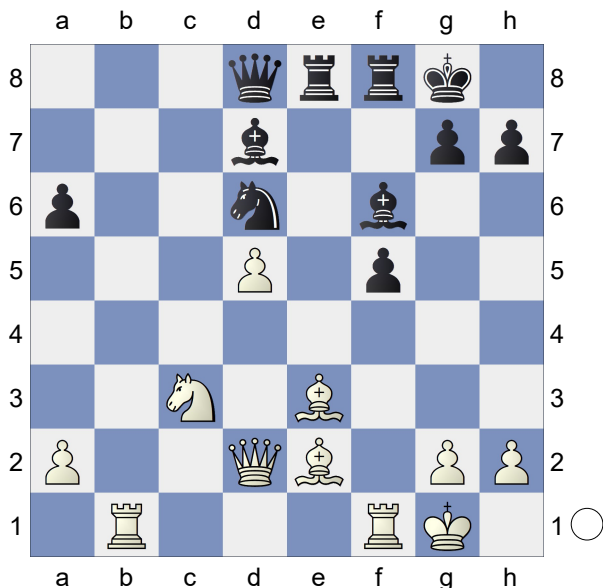
 Brilliant: White=1

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 □ **Chen,Quincy** **2034**
 ■ **Mercado,Adam** **1942**
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 [Winslow,Elliott]

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.d4 cxd4 4.Nxd4
Nf6 5.Nc3 e5 6.Ndb5 d6 7.Nd5 Nxd5
8.exd5 Nb8 9.c4 Be7 10.Bd3 Nd7
11.0-0 0-0 12.f4 f5 13.fxe5 Nxe5
14.Be2 Qb6+ 15.Qd4 Qd8=

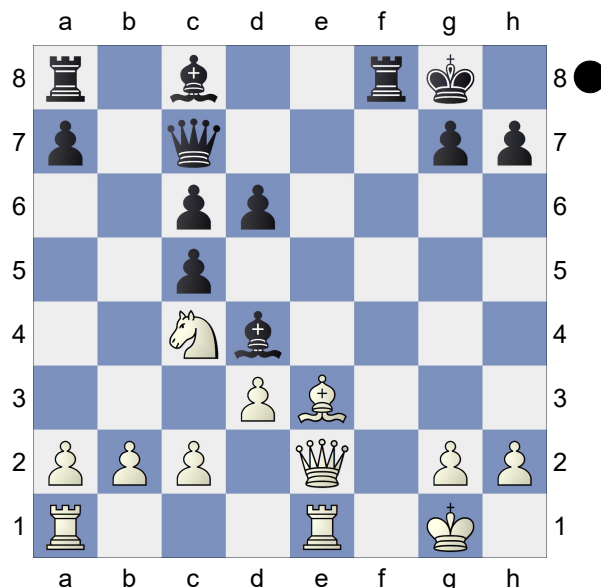
[15...Qxd4+ 16.Nxd4 Bd7=]
16.Be3 a6 17.Nc3 Bf6 18.Qd2 Bd7
19.c5 Qe7 20.b4 Rae8 21.cxd6 Qd8!
22.Rab1?! [22.b5]
22...Nf7 23.b5 Nxd6?! [23...Qa5! 24.Rb3 axb5 24.bxa6 bxa6



25.Rfc1? [25.Bd4=]
25...Bxc3? [25...Qe7!-+ 26.Bf4 g5! 27.Bxd6 Qxd6 28.Kh1 Kh8]
26.Qxc3! f4 27.Bb6 Qg5 28.Bf3= Bf5
29.Rb4 Rc8 30.Qd2 Rxc1+ 31.Qxc1 Rc8 32.Qd2?! [32.Qxf4 Rc1+ see game]
32...Rc2?! [32...Nc4] [32...a5] [32...h5] [32...h6]
33.Qxf4 Rc1+ 34.Kf2 Rc2+ 35.Kg1 Rc1+ 36.Kf2 Rc2+ 37.Ke1 Qe7+
38.Qe3!± Rc1+ 39.Kf2 Rc2+ 40.Kf1 Bd3+ 41.Qxd3 Rc1+ 42.Bd1 Qf6+
43.Bf2 Qa1 44.Ke2 Qxa2+ 45.Qd2 Qa1 46.Bd4 Qa3 47.Bb2 1-0

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[Winslow,Elliott]

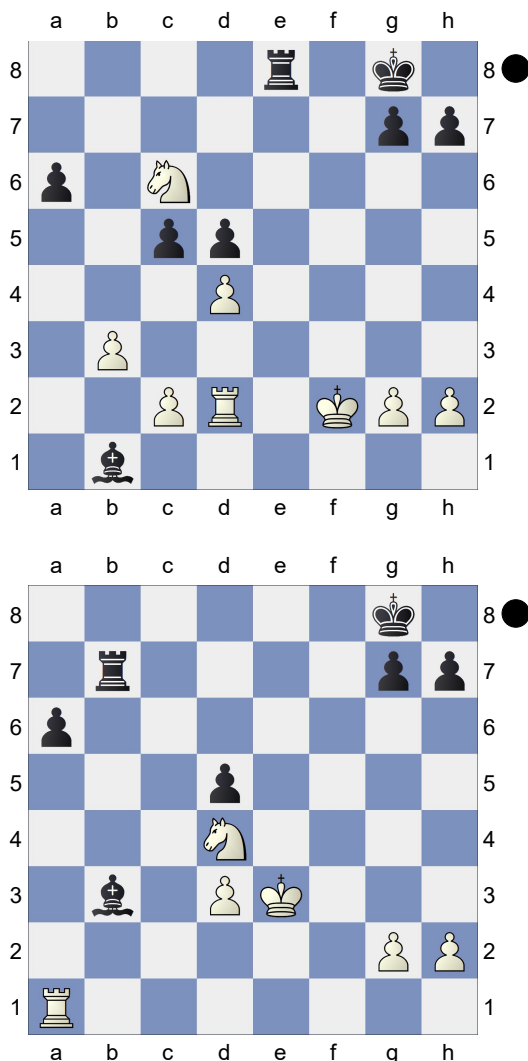
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Re8? [18...Bf6! 19.Bf2 (19.Bf4 Bd4+) 19...Qd8! 20.Bg3 d5=]
19.Qf2!± Bxe3 20.Rxe3 Be6 [20...Bd7]
21.Rae1 Bf7?+- [21...Qd7 22.Qe2 Bf7 23.Re7 Rxe7 24.Qxe7 Rd8!? (24...Qxe7 25.Rxe7 Bxc4 26.dxc4 a5±) 25.Na5! Qxe7 26.Rxe7 Bxa2!? 27.b3 Bb1 28.Re2 Kf8 29.Rf2+ Kg8 30.Rd2 Re8 31.Kf2 d5 32.Nxc6 a6 33.d4±

(Diagram)

Re6 34.Ne5 cxd4 35.Nf3 d3 36.cxd3 Rb6 37.Nd4 Rb7 38.Rd1 Ba2 39.Ra1 Bxb3 40.Ke3!±



□ Sankar, Arjun

■ Diller, Bradley R

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[Diller, Brad]

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1.c4 e5 2.Nc3 Nf6 3.e4 Bb4

Usually Bb4 is played after White plays Nf3, but Nge2 is nothing special and I can equalize quickly by playing c6 followed by d5. 4.Nge2 0-0 5.d3 c6 6.Bd2?!

[Δ6.a3 Bc5 7.b4 Bb6=]

6...d5 7.Qb3? Na6! 8.Ng3 d4 9.Nb1

Bxd2+ 10.Nxd2 Nc5 11.Qc2 a5

12.Be2 Black has a solid advantage - space, strong knight on c5, development, and black's light-squared bishop is hemmed in by its center pawns.

However the plan that I chose to prevent the f4 advance by piece play was incorrect. Simply g6 followed by h5 and h4, potentially dislodging the knight on g3, and attacking black's kingside was the way to go. 12...Ne8?

[Δ12...g6 13.0-0 h5 14.f4 (14.Nf3 Qe7+-) 14...exf4 15.Rxf4 Nfd7+-]

13.0-0 Qg5 14.Nf3 Qe7 15.Nd2 Qg5

16.Nf3 Qf6 17.Nh5 Qe7 18.Nd2 g6

19.Ng3 Ne6?! This was a mistake in allowing black to play Bg4 exchanging his bad bishop.

[Δ19...Qf6 preventing f5 without ceding my bishop was better.]

20.Bg4 Nf4 21.Bxc8 Rxc8

Now my advantage, if any is negligible.

22.Rae1 Nc7 23.Ne2 Nce6 24.Nxf4

Nxf4 25.g3 Qg5 After realizing my sizable advantage has now dissipated, I resort to this queen sortie to attempt to muddy the waters. 25 ... Ne6 was probably better, but does not lead to much.

[Δ25...Ne6]

26.Nf3 Qh5 27.Qd1?! Here white is

22.Rxe8+ Rxe8 23.Rxe8+ Bxe8 24.Qf4?!

[24.Qg3!+-]

24...Bf7?

[24...Qe7 25.Nxd6 Qe1+ 26.Qf1 Qe7 27.Nxe8 Qe3+ 28.Kh1 Qxe8± +1.30/28 and still kicking]

25.Nxd6+- Bxa2 26.b3

[26.Qe5!]

26...Qe7 27.Qc4+ Kf8 28.Ne4 Bb1

29.Qc3

1-0

going astray by attempting to exchange queens too early.

[$\Delta 27.Nd2=$]

27...Ne6 $\bar{f}$ 28.Nh4 Qxd1 29.Rxd1 b5!

The queen-side attack is more effective with white knight out of play. **30.b3?**

[White should have captured the b5 pawn where my advantage is only slight. I have control of the c file and more space, but black can get sufficient counterplay with f4. 30.cxb5 cxb5 31.Rd2]

30...bxc4! 31.bxc4 Rb8 I have a significant advantage with this move by controlling the b file. I have a simple plan of posting my knight on c5 followed by a5, a4, Na4, Nc6 and Rb7. **32.Rd2 Nc5 33.f4 f6 34.Nf3 Rfe8 35.fxe5?**

[$\Delta 35.g4$ a4 36.h4 $\bar{f}$ followed by g5 attacking the base of my pawn chain generates good counterplay.]

35...fxe5+- Now I am able to proceed with my dream plan that I outlined unfettered by any meaningful counterplay. **36.Kf2 a4 37.Ke2 a3 38.Ne1 Na4 39.Rf2 Nc3+ 40.Kf1 Rb1 41.Rf3 Reb8 42.Rdf2 Rd1 43.h4 Rbb1 44.Rf8+ Kg7 45.R2f7+ Kh6 46.Rh8 Kh5 47.Kg2 Rxe1 0-1**

$\square$ Singhal, Sanat

$\blacksquare$ Lewis, Edward

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1922

1.e4 c6 2.Nf3 d6 3.d4 Nd7 4.Nc3 Qc7 5.Bc4 h6 6.Bb3 b5 7.0-0 b4 8.Ne2 c5 9.dxc5 e6 10.cxd6 Bxd6 11.Ned4 Ba6 12.Re1 Nc5 13.e5 Be7 14.Nf5 Rd8 15.Nxg7+ Kf8 16.Nd4 Kxg7 17.Re3 Kf8 18.f4 Rxd4 19.Qxd4 Nxb3 20.axb3 Bc5 21.Qd1 Bb7 22.Kf1 Ne7 23.Rd3 Qc6 24.Qg4 Ba6 25.Rxa6

Qxa6 26.Ke1 Ng6 27.f5 exf5 28.Qxf5 Qe6 29.Rd8+ Kg7 30.Qxe6 fxe6 31.Rd7+ Kf8 32.Ke2 Nxe5 33.Rc7 Bb6 34.Rb7 Nf7 35.Bd2 Kg7 36.Bxb4 Kg6 37.Be7 Rc8 38.Kd3 Kf5 39.c4 e5 40.c5 e4+ 41.Ke3 Rxc5 42.Bxc5 Bxc5+ 43.Ke2 Ke6 44.Rb5 Bb6 45.Rh5 Kf6 46.g4 Kg6 47.h4 Bd4 48.Rd5 Bb6 49.b4 Kf6 50.Rh5 Kg6 51.Rd5 Kg7 52.b5 Nd8 53.Rd6 Nf7 54.Re6 e3 55.Kf3 Nd8 56.Rd6 Nf7 57.Re6 $\frac{1}{2}-\frac{1}{2}$

$\square$ Kulkarni, Neil

$\blacksquare$ Clemens, Kristian

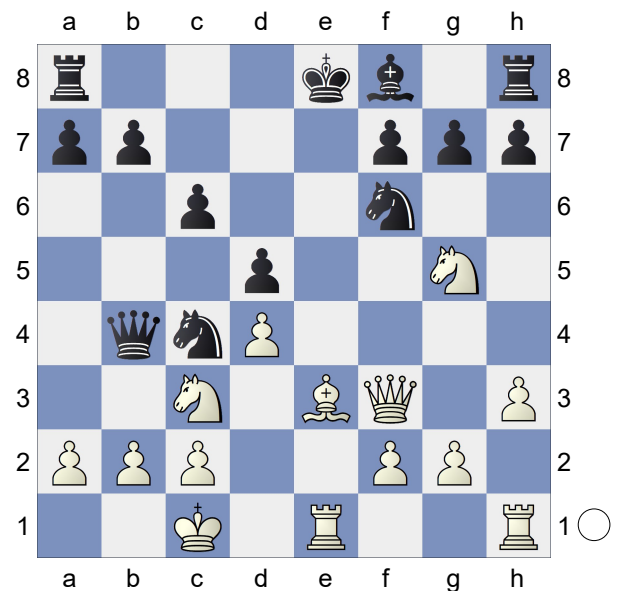
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[Winslow, Elliott]

C42

1869

1957

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16.Nxd5 Qxb2+ 17.Kd1 0-0-0 18.Nxf6 Qb1+ 19.Ke2 Qxc2+ 20.Kf1 gxf6 21.Qxf6 Bb4 22.Nxf7 Qd3+ 23.Kg1 Bxe1 24.Qe6+ Kb8 25.Bf4+ Ka8

26.Nxd8 Bxf2+ 27.Kxf2 Qxd4+ 28.Be3
Rf8+ 29.Ke2 Qb2+ 30.Kd3 Rxd8+
31.Ke4 Qxg2+ 32.Kf4 Rf8+
0-1

□ **Byambaa,Uyanga**

■ **Gaffagan,Steven**

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[Winslow,Elliott]

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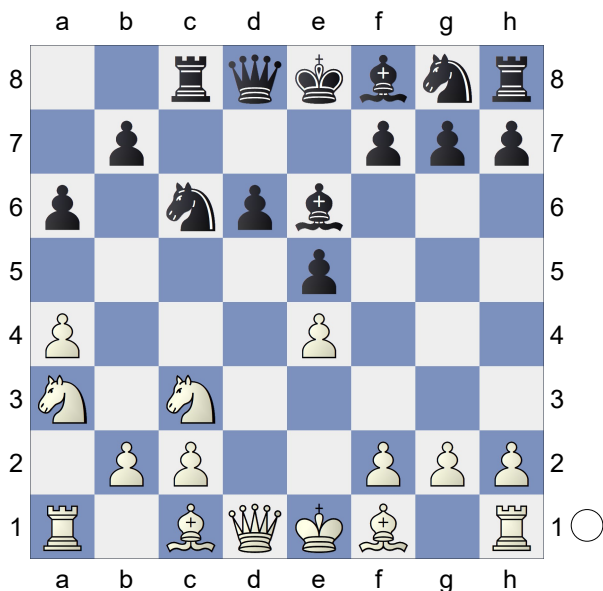
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e5 5.Nb5 d6 6.a4 Be6**

[6...Be7 7.N1c3 a6 8.Na3 Nf6]

[6...Nf6 7.Bg5 Be6 8.Bxf6 gxf6

9.Nd2 a6 10.Nc3 f5=]

7.N1c3 a6 8.Na3 Rc8

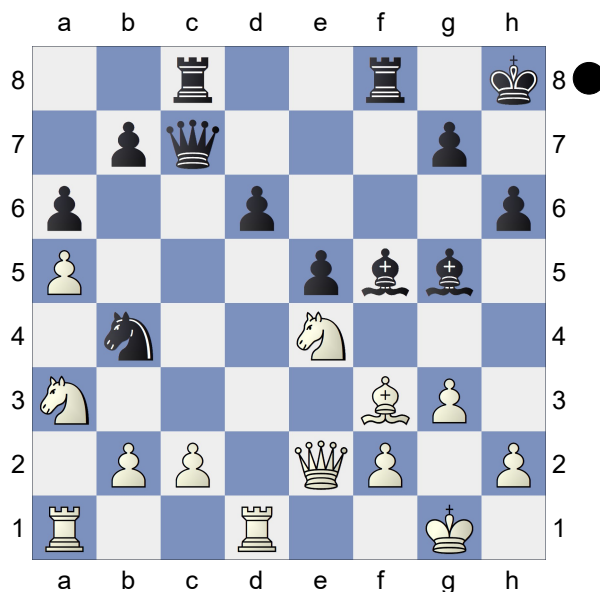


9.Be3?!

[Patrick Wolff of Board, way back
when: 9.Bc4 Nf6 10.0-0 Be7 11.Bg5
0-0 12.Bxf6 Bxf6 13.Nd5 Bg5 14.c3
Kh8 15.Qd3 f5 16.Ne3 fxe4
17.Qxe4 Rf4 18.Qd3 Qg8 19.Bxe6
Qxe6 20.Qd5 Qg6 21.Rad1 Rcf8
22.Nac4 e4 23.Qxd6 b5 24.Qxg6
hxc6 25.axb5 axb5 26.Rd5 bxc4
27.Rxg5 Rb8 28.g3 Rf6 29.Nxc4
1-0 Wolff,P (2500)-Tisdall,J (2480)
London WFW 1990]

9...Nb4 Not much, but Black has done
very well **10.Be2 Be7 11.0-0 Nf6**
12.Bf3 0-0 13.Bg5 h6
[13...Qd7!]

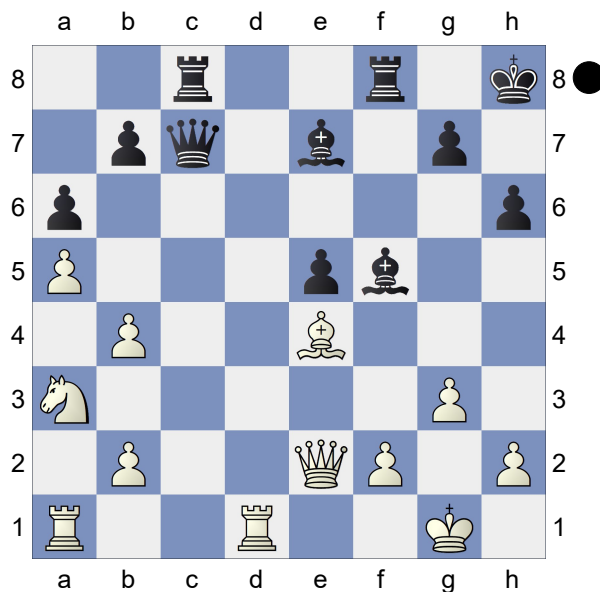
**14.Bxf6 Bxf6 15.Qd2 Bg5 16.Qe2
Qb6 17.Rfd1 Kh8 18.g3 f5 19.a5
Qc7 20.exf5 Bxf5 21.Ne4**



Be7

[21...Bxe4! 22.Bxe4 Qc5 23.c3!
Rxf2 24.cxb4 Rxe2+ 25.bxc5 Rxe4
26.cxd6 Rc5 27.h4 Bf6 28.Nb1 Rd4
29.Nc3]

22.c3 d5! 23.cxb4 dxe4 24.Bxe4



Bh3?!

[24...Bxe4 25.Qxe4 Qc6=]

25.Qh5 Be6 26.Nc2 Bf7?!

[26...Bg8]

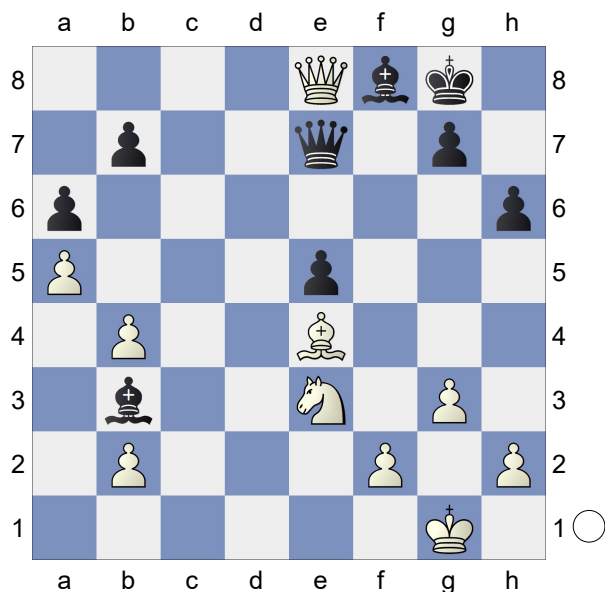
27.Qg4± Rcd8 28.Rxd8 Rxd8

29.Rd1+- Rxd1+ 30.Qxd1+- Bb3

31.Qh5! Kg8?!

[31...Qc8 32.Ne3]

32.Qe8+ Bf8 33.Ne3 Qe7



34.Qg6

[34.Qxe7 Bxe7 35.b5 axb5

36.Bxb7]

34...Qxb4 35.Ng4! Qe1+ 36.Kg2 Bc5

37.Nf6+

1-0

□ Krishnan,Sreyshthaa

1796

■ Rajaram,Raghu

1916

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1/2-1/2

□ Smith,Roger Christopher

E12

1836

■ Viadiu-Illaraza,Hector

1950

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[Winslow,Elliott]

1.d4 Nf6 2.Nf3 b6 3.c4 e6 4.Nc3 Bb7

5.Bg5 Be7 6.Qc2 d6 7.e4 Nfd7 8.Be3

c6 9.Bd3 e5 10.d5 c5 11.0-0 h6

12.Ne2 Bg5 13.Ng3 g6 14.Qd2 Bxe3

15.Qxe3 Qf6 16.Ne2 Na6 17.a3 Nc7

18.Qd2 g5 19.Ng3 Nf8 20.b4 Na6

21.Bc2 Ng6 22.Nh5 Qe7 23.Ng7+ Kf8

24.Nf5 Qf6 25.Ba4 Bc8 26.Bb5 Nc7

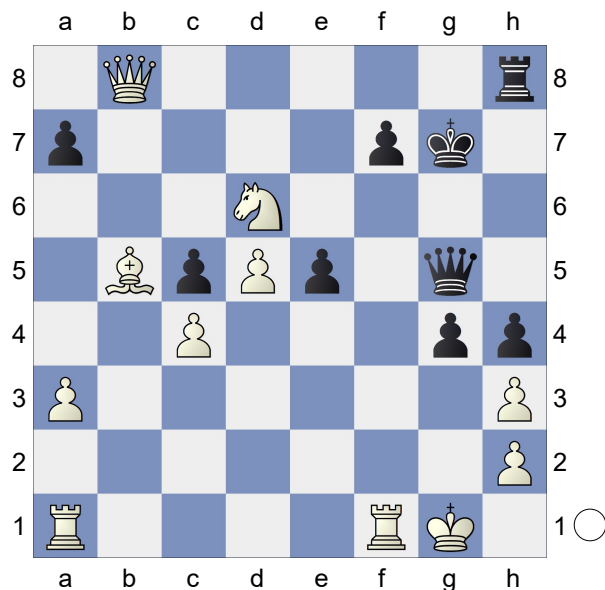
27.Bc6 Rb8 28.bxc5 bxc5 29.Qa5 Ne8

30.Bxe8 Bxf5 31.exf5 Nf4 32.Bb5 g4

33.Nd2 h5 34.Qc7 h4 35.Qxb8+ Kg7

36.Ne4 Qxf5 37.Nxd6 Nh3+ 38.Kh1

Nxf2+ 39.Kg1 Nh3+ 40.gxh3 Qg5



41.Qxh8+

1-0

□ Tomar,Kshitij

C02

1857

■ Ni,Leo

1943

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1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.e5 c5 4.c3 Nc6

5.Nf3 Qb6 6.Bd3 cxd4 7.cxd4 Bd7

8.0-0 Nxd4 9.Nxd4 Qxd4 10.Nc3 a6

11.Kh1 Ne7 12.f4 Nc6 13.a3 Be7

14.Qf3 b5 15.Ne2 Qb6 16.h4 Nd4

17.Qf2 b4 18.axb4 Bxb4 19.Qxd4 Bc5

20.Qc3 0-0 21.Qa5 Qc6 22.Qe1 f6

23.Bd2 fxe5 24.fxe5 Qc7 25.Qg3 Qb6

26.Bh6 g6 27.Bxg6 Bf2 28.Bxh7+

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□ Liu, Serena **B42**
 1694
 ■ Perlov, Daniel Robert **1720**
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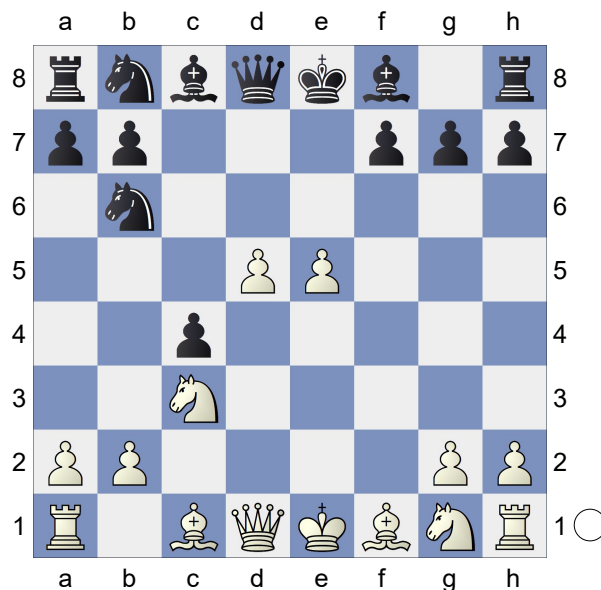
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 a6 5.Bd3 Ne7 6.Nc3 d6 7.0-0 Nec6
 8.Nxc6 Nxc6 9.Be3 b5 10.a3 Be7
 11.f4 0-0 12.f5 Ne5 13.Qe2 Bb7
 14.Rad1 Rc8 15.Bd4 Nc4 16.Bxc4
 Rxc4 17.Kh1 Qa8 18.Rfe1 e5 19.Bf2
 Rfc8 20.Qf3 a5 21.Ra1 Ba6 22.Nd5
 Bd8 23.c3 Bb7 24.Rad1 Bxd5
 25.Rxd5 b4 26.axb4 axb4 27.cxb4
 Rxb4 28.Rxd6 Rxb2 29.Red1 Be7
 30.Rd7 Rcc2 31.Bg3 Kf8 32.Bxe5
 Rxc2 33.Bxb2 Rxb2 34.R7d2 Rb4
 35.Re2 Qa4 36.Rc1 f6 37.Rc8+ Kf7
 38.Qh5+
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□ Argo, Guy **C30**
 1791
 ■ Ploquin, Phil **1668**
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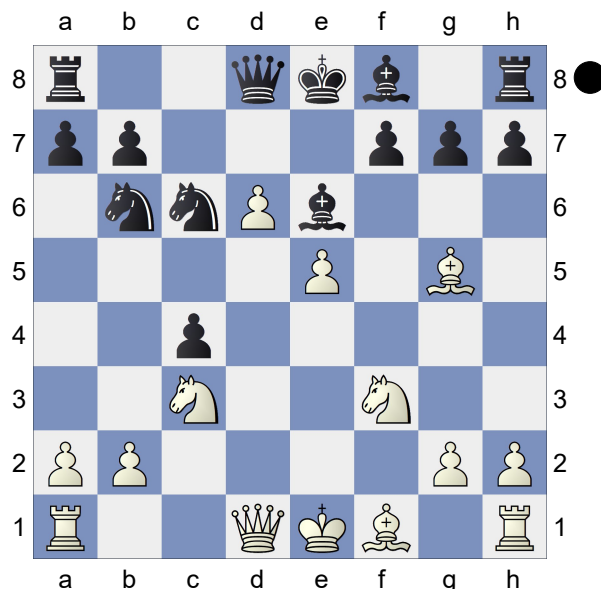
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 dxe5 12.Nd1 Qb6 13.Kh2 0-0 14.c3
 Nb3 15.Rb1 Rad8 16.Qe2 Rd7 17.d3
 Nxc1 18.Rxc1 Bc5 19.Rxf6 Qd8
 20.Rf3 Kh8 21.Ne3 Bxe3 22.Qxe3 b6
 23.Rcf1 f6 24.g4 c5 25.g5 Rd6
 26.Qf2 Qe8 27.Qh4 Qg6 28.Rf5 Rfd8
 29.gxf6 Rxd3 30.fxg7+
1-0

□ Tam, Hoa Long **B03**
 1605
 ■ Dutter, Frederic **1900**
 2025 Summer TNM: 1600-1999 (4.20)
[Tam, Hoa-Long/Winslow, Elliott]

1.e4 Nf6 2.e5 Nd5 3.d4 d6 4.c4 Nb6
5.f4 dxe5 6.fxe5 c5 7.d5 e6
 [7...g6 8.Nc3 Bg7 9.Bf4±]
8.Nc3 exd5 9.cxd5 c4



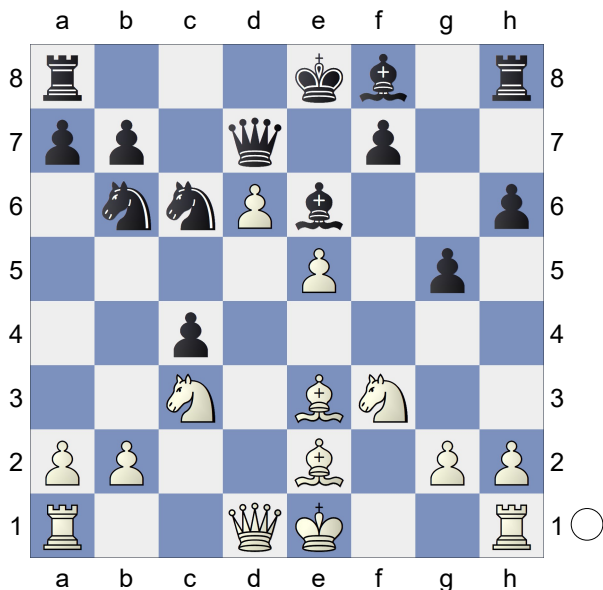
10.d6! EW: I'll be blunt: Stockfish 17.1 makes this a *loss* for Black. The fun is over (for Black that is). It's coming out over +2. **10...Be6 11.Nf3 Nc6 12.Bg5**



Qd7

[12...f6 13.exf6 gxf6 SF17.1:
14.Qe2! Kf7 (14...Qxd6 15.Bxf6
Nb4 16.Nb5!) 15.Qf2!!+-
SF17.1: curiously the only winning
move.]

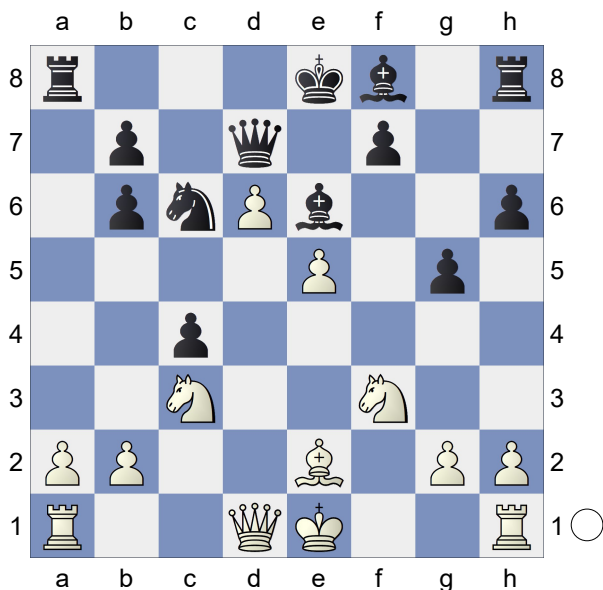
13.Be2! h6 14.Be3! g5



15.Bxb6?!

[15.a4!+-]

15...axb6



16.Nd5?!

[16.Nb5!+-

A) 16...0-0-0 17.Qa4 Kb8
(17...g4 18.Qa8+ Nb8 19.Na7#)
18.Rc1 (18.Nc7? Na7 19.Qxd7
Rxd7 20.Nxe6 fxe6 21.Bxc4±)

18...f6 19.Nfd4+-;

B) 16...Ra5!? (best try) 17.Nc7+
Kd8 18.b4! Rxe5 (18...cxb3
19.axb3 Bg7 20.Rxa5 bxa5
21.Qd2);

C) 16...Rc8 17.Nfd4! (17.Nc7+??
see below)

C1) 17...Nxd4 18.Nxd4 Bg7
(18...Kd8 19.0-0 Bg7 20.Bh5
Bxe5 21.Nxe6+ fxe6 22.Rf7)
19.Nxe6 fxe6 (19...Qxe6
20.0-0!+-) 20.Bh5+ Kd8 21.0-0;
C2) 17...Nxe5 18.0-0!+- Bg7
19.Nxe6 Qxe6 (19...fxe6
20.Nc7+ Kd8 21.Kh1+-)]

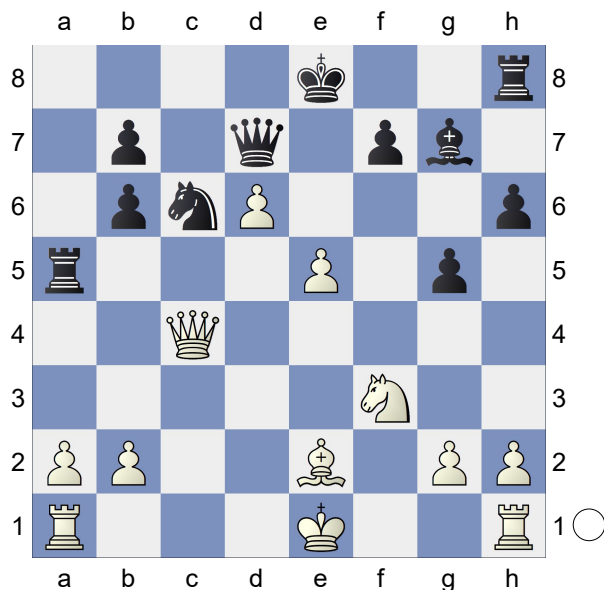
16...Bxd5!

[16...Rc8 17.Nc7+ Rxc7 18.dxc7
Qxc7 19.0-0 Bg7 20.Qd6 Qxd6
21.exd6 Bxb2 22.Rad1 Kd7

Black's pawn is passed and White's
is blockaded.]

17.Qxd5 Ra5!= 18.Qxc4 Bg7?

[18...Nxe5! 19.Qd4 Bg7=
(19...Qxd6=)]



19.b4!?±

[19.0-0!+-]

19...Ra8?

[19...Ra4? 20.Rb1 g4 (20...Bxe5
21.Nxe5 Nxe5 22.Qb5+-; 20...Nxe5

21.Nxe5 Bxe5 22.Qb5+-) 21.Nh4
Bxe5 (21...Nxe5 22.Qb5+-) 22.0-0
Bxd6 23.Bxg4 Qc7 24.Rbe1+±]
[19...Nxe5! 20.Nxe5 Rxe5 21.0-0
b5! 22.Qd3±]

20.0-0 0-0 21.Rad1 g4 22.Nh4 Nxe5
23.Qd5 Rae8? 24.Bb5 Nc6 25.Ng6
Kh7 26.Nxf8+ Rxf8 27.Bxc6 bxc6
28.Qf5+ Qxf5 29.Rxf5 Kg6 30.Rf4 f5
31.Rc4 c5 32.bxc5 bxc5 33.Rxc5
Ra8 34.d7 Rd8 35.Rc8 Bf6 36.a4
Kf7 37.Rxd8 Bxd8 38.a5 Ke7 39.a6
Bb6+ 40.Kf1 f4 41.a7
1-0

□ Chernobilskiy, Mikhail **E81**
■ Agdamag, Samuel **1889**
2025 Summer TNM: 1600-1999 (4.22) **1538**

1.e4 d6 2.d4 Nf6 3.Bd3 g6 4.f3 Bg7
5.Be3 Nbd7 6.Qd2 c6 7.c4 0-0 8.Nc3
a6 9.Nge2 b5 10.0-0-0 Qa5 11.g4 b4
12.Nb1 Qxa2 13.h4 Nb6 14.Qxb4
Nbd7 15.Nbc3 c5 16.dxc5 dxc5
17.Bxc5 Rb8 18.Nxa2 Rxb4 19.Bxb4
Re8 20.Bc3 Nc5 21.Bc2 Be6 22.b3
Rb8 23.Nd4 Bd7 24.b4 Na4 25.Bxa4
Bxa4 26.e5 Nd7 27.e6 Ne5 28.exf7+
Kxf7 29.Nc2 Nxc4 30.Bxg7 Kxg7
31.Nc3 Bxc2 32.Kxc2 Ne3+ 33.Kb3
Nxd1 34.Rxd1 a5 35.b5 Rf8 36.Rd3
Rf4 37.Ne4 h5 38.gxh5 gxh5 39.b6
Rf5 40.Ka4 Rf8 41.b7 Rb8 42.Rb3
Kf7 43.Nc5 Ke8 44.Na6
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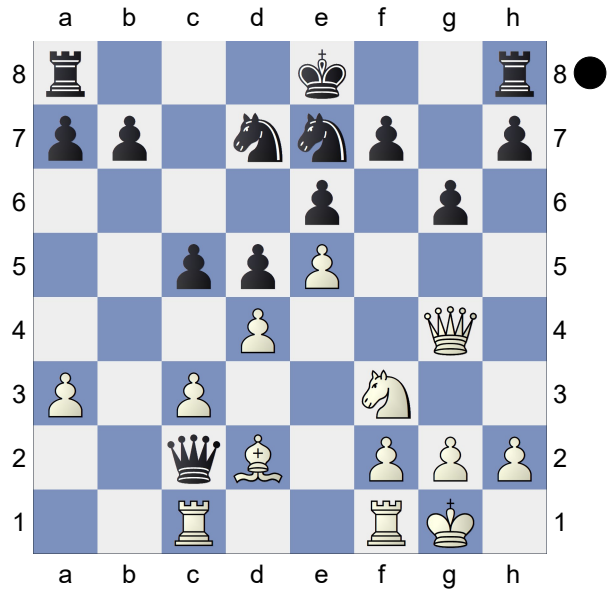
□ Siegel, David **D13**
■ Liu, Jinfeng **1473**
2025 Summer TNM: 1600-1999 (4.23) **1625**
[Siegel, David]

1.c4 c6 2.d4 d5 3.cxd5 cxd5 4.Nc3
Nf6 5.Bf4 a6 6.Nf3 Nc6 7.e3 Bg4
8.Be2 e6 9.Qb3 Bxf3 10.Bxf3 Ra7
11.0-0 Bd6 I probably should have just
traded the bishops here. 12.Bg5 0-0
13.Rfd1 Qc7 14.g3 Be7 15.Rac1 h6
16.Bf4 Qd8 I spent a lot of time going
through different move orders trying to
decide whether to play e4. It looked like
opening up the position would be to my
benefit and I also had various pins and
skewers to make the tactics work. 17.e4
dxe4 18.Nxe4 Nd5 19.Be3 Nxe3
20.fxe3 Na5 21.Qd3 b5 22.Nc5 Bg5
23.Rc2 Qe7 24.Ne4 Rd8 25.Qc3 Nc4
26.Nxg5 Qxg5 27.Re2 Rad7 28.a3
Nd6 29.Qa5 Nf5 30.Rde1 Rd6 31.Bb7
h5 32.Be4 h4 I've let Black's pieces
become active and now my king is in
danger. My Bb7 move was completely
pointless and I should have played b3 at
some point. 33.Bxf5 exf5 34.Kg2
The computer says this is -3.4 and I'm
not gonna lie it looks pretty scary, but
there doesn't appear to be an immediate
knockout blow. Following the computer
lines, there seems to be an opportunity
here to take over the open files and
constrict the White king until mate
threats eventually lead to material
compensation. The correct line seems
very difficult for a human to find in
limited time and so my opponent made
a natural-looking move. 34...Rg6
35.Qc7 Rdd6 36.Qc8+ Kh7 37.Rf1
hxg3 I had to play the last few moves
very accurately but it seems like I'm
back in the game. 38.Qxf5 gxh2+
39.Qxg5 Rxg5+ Resisted the urge to

capture the pawn. I think we were both down to just a few minutes at this point.
 40.Kh1 Kg8 41.Rxh2 Rg3 42.Re1 Re6
 43.Rhe2 Rd6 44.Kh2 Rg4 45.Rg2 Re4
 46.Kg3 f5 47.Kf2 g6 48.Ke2 Rdx4
 49.Rxg6+ Kf7 50.Rxa6 Rd5 51.Rc1
 Re7 52.Rcc6 Rde5 53.Rf6+ Kg7
 54.Rg6+ Kh7 55.Rh6+ Kg7

Black's threat here is to push f4 and capture the e3 pawn. I didn't see a way around it at the time with about 2 minutes left on my clock so I went for the draw. According to the computer the best continuation for White is to get a rook on f6 and another on g6 or h6.

Then the f6 rook can prevent Black's f-pawn from advancing. 56.Rhg6+ Kh7
 57.Rh6+ Kg7 58.Rhg6+
 1/2-1/2



□ Kalonaris,Zeno **C18**
 1667
 ■ Yan,Rayna **1722**
 2025 Summer TNM: 1600-1999 (4.24)
[Winslow,Elliott]

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.Nc3 Bb4 4.e5 c5
 5.a3 Bxc3+ 6.bxc3 Qa5 7.Bd2 Qa4
 8.Qg4 g6 9.Nf3

[**Relevant**: 9.Qd1 Nc6 10.Nf3 c4
 11.h4 h6 12.Nh2 Bd7 13.Ng4 0-0-0
 14.Be2 Rf8 15.0-0 Qa5 16.g3 Qd8
 17.Qc1 h5 18.Nh2 f6 19.exf6 Nxf6
 20.Nf3 Ne4 21.Ng5 Nd6 22.a4 Qa5
 23.Bf3 Nf5 24.Re1 Rf6 25.Bg2 Re8
 26.Rb1 Qxa4 27.Qb2 Qa6 28.Ra1
 Na5 29.Bf4 b6 30.Reb1 Bc6 31.Qc1
 Re7 32.Qe1 Nxh4 33.Qe5 Rxf4
 34.Qxf4 Nxg2 35.Qd6 Qb7 36.Rxa5
 1-0 (36) Caruana,F (2766)-Kovalenko,
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9...Qxc2 10.Bb5+ Bd7 11.Bxd7+
 Nxd7 12.0-0 Ne7 13.Rac1

(Diagram)

Qa4N

[**Predecessor**: 13...Qf5 14.Qg3 h6
 15.Rfe1 c4 16.Rb1 0-0-0 17.Rb2 g5
 18.Reb1 b6 19.a4 Nc6 20.Bc1 Qd3
 21.Nd2 Qxg3 22.hxg3 Kb7 23.Ra2
 Na5 24.Ba3 Kc6 25.Bb4 Rb8 26.g4
 h5 27.Nf3 Rbg8 28.Bxa5 bxa5
 29.gxh5 Rxh5 30.g3 g4 31.Nh4 f5
 32.Rab2 Nb6 33.Rb5 Rh7 34.Rxa5
 f4 35.Rc5+ Kd7 36.a5 fxg3 37.fxg3
 Rb8 38.axb6 axb6 39.Rcb5 Kc6
 40.Ng6 Ra7 41.Nf4 Ra3 42.Ne2
 Ra2 43.R5b2 **Debreceni,M (1918)-**
Daroczy,S (1814) Hungary 2017 1-0
(65)]

14.Rb1 Qc6 15.Bg5 Nf5 16.Bf6 Nxf6
 17.exf6 c4 18.Qf4 b6 19.a4 Nd6
 20.Ne5 Qc7 21.f3 h6 22.Rfe1 g5
 23.Qd2 a6 24.Qb2 b5?

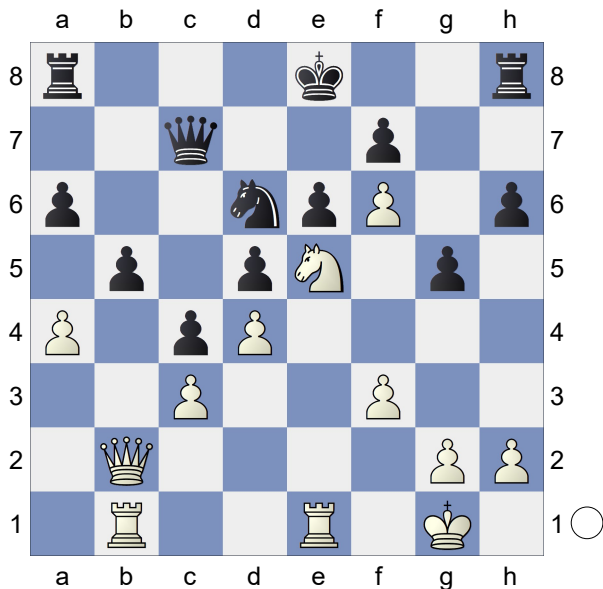
[24...Rb8!= that's 0.05/52 (!). I left the computer on. Rerunning, I see White is the one pressing all the way.]

(Diagram)

25.axb5

[White had a move, which is a motif worth noting: 25.Ng6!!

A) The answer is the same on



25...Rh7;

B) White can play this because 25...fxg6 26.Rxe6+ wends its way to a win:

B1) 26...Kf7 27.Re7+ Qxe7

28.fxe7+- +4.22/25;

B2) 26...Kd8 27.Qb4!

Doubling rooks is less effective but good enough (but 27.Re7 Qc6!= sees Black holding on.) 27...Nb7 28.axb5 a5 (28...Qf7 29.Rbe1+-) 29.Qa4+- (+6.23/22) Now a nice line is Re8

30.Rxe8+ Kxe8 31.b6+ Qd7

32.f7+ Ke7 33.Re1+ Kd6

34.f8Q+ Rxf8 35.Qa3+

and there goes the rook.;

B3) 26...Kf8 27.Re7 Qc6

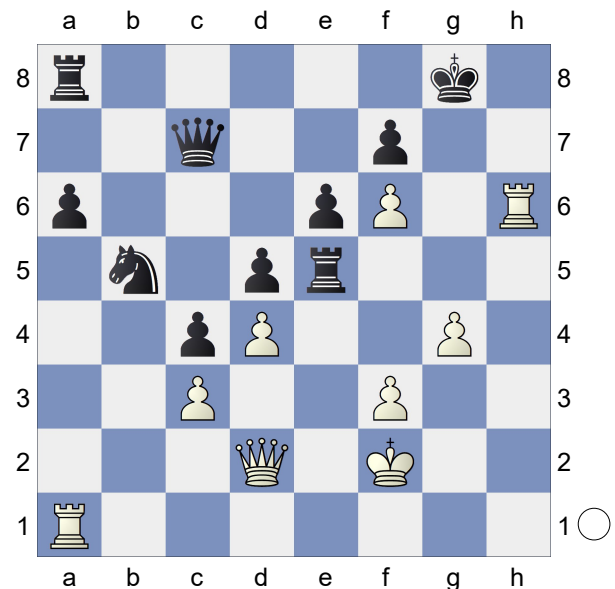
I'm still not so clear why this is so much worse than with the king on d8, but the engine is adamant (+7.06/46) 28.Rbe1 Nf5 29.R1e6! and if 29...Qxe6 is the best Black has (+5.44/25 a la comp), then it's bad.;

C) 25...Rg8 26.Ne5!! The inability to castle (and use that rook) is fatal. (+3.68/37)]

25...Nxb5?!

[25...axb5!? 26.f4!±]

26.Ra1 0-0 27.Qd2 Kh7 28.h4 Rg8 29.hxg5 Rxd5 30.Kf2 Rag8 31.g4 Ra8 (I had put in 25...axb5 without taking a closer look at the scoresheets (Rajna writes very small!), and wondered how this could be the move... Zeno found my error.) **32.Rh1 Kg8 33.Rxh6 Rxe5** (Black could only delay mate by a few moves)



34.Rh8+ Kxh8 35.Qh6+ 1-0

□ **Touset,Stephen**

■ **Latourette,Nicholas James**

2025 Summer TNM: 1600-1999 (4.25)

[Touset,Stephen]

1.d4 d5 2.Bf4 Nc6 3.e3 Nf6 4.Nf3 g6 5.h3 Restricting the scope of black's light-squared bishop. 5...Bg7 6.c4 0-0 7.Nc3 a6 8.a3 Bf5 9.Bd3

[9.cxd5 Nxd5 10.Nxd5 Qxd5

11.Bxc7 White wins a pawn, but is severely underdeveloped.]

9...Bxd3 10.Qxd3 e6 11.0-0 Ne7

12.Rac1 dxc4 13.Qxc4

Small inaccuracies by black are adding up, resulting in increasing pressure.

D02

1615

1685

13...c6 14.Qb3 Qc8 15.e4 The right idea, but better a move earlier. Black's knights which were bearing down on d5 are now lacking useful squares. 15...Kh8 16.Rfd1 Nh5 17.Bd6 Qd7 18.Bc5 Rfe8 Escaping the pin, but now the f7 pawn is a target. 19.Ne5! Bxe5 Forced. 20.dxe5 Who says doubled pawns are weak? Black's knights are hopeless. 20...Qc8 21.Na4 Qc7 22.Qf3 Kg8 23.Nb6 Rad8 24.Rd6 Nc8 25.Nxc8

[25.Na8! Qb8 26.Rxd8 Rxd8 I saw this line over the board, but only calculated the exchange of rooks. I didn't see the follow-up. 27.Rd1! The point. Rxd1+ 28.Qxd1 Ne7 29.Nb6 Black can no longer save the knight.]

25...Qxc8 26.Rcd1 Rxd6 27.exd6 Qd7 28.e5 Rb8 29.Be3 f6 30.g4 This move has been begging to be played for the last several turns, but it was hard to commit to with more pieces on the board in earlier positions.

30...Ng7 31.Qxf6 Rf8 32.Qh4 b5 33.Bg5 Rf3 34.Be3 Rf8 35.Qg3 Rf7 36.h4 I am running short on time and struggling to find the win. 36...Kf8 37.Bg5 Kg8 38.Qc3 Switching focus to the other side of the board. Black won't be able to get enough defenders there in time. 38...Rf8 39.Qa5 Ra8 40.Qb6 1-0

□ Mays-Smith, Isaac S

■ Stults, Sawyer

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1.d4 d5 2.c4 e6 3.g3 c5 4.Bg2 Nc6 5.cxd5 exd5 6.Nf3 Nf6 7.0-0 Be7 8.Bg5 0-0 9.Nc3 cxd4 10.Nxd4 Bc5 11.Nb3 Be7 12.Qc2 Be6 13.Rad1 Qb6 14.Bxf6 Bxf6 15.Bxd5 Nb4 16.Qe4

D34

1683

1530

Bxd5 17.Nxd5 Nxd5 18.Rxd5 Bxb2 19.Rb1 Rfe8 20.Qd3 Bf6 21.Nc5 Qc6 22.Nxb7 Rxe2 23.Rd1 Rae8 24.Nd8 Qb6 25.Qf3 Re1+ 26.Rxe1 Rxe1+ 27.Kg2 Bxd8 28.Qc3 Re8 29.Qc8 h6 30.Qd7 Qe6 31.Qb5 Qe4+ 32.Kh3 Bb6 33.Rf5 Qe6 34.Kg2 Rd8 35.a4 g6 36.Re5 Qa2 37.Re2 Qd5+ 0-1

□ Ni, Tao

■ Pickering, Carl Anthony

2025 Summer TNM: 1600-1999 (4.27)

[Winslow, Elliott]

C02

1617

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1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.e5 c5 4.c3 Nc6 5.Nf3 Bd7 6.a3 Rc8 7.Bd3 Qb6 8.Bc2 Nge7 9.b4 cxd4 10.cxd4 Ng6 11.Be3 Be7 12.0-0 a5 13.bxa5 Nxa5 14.Nbd2 Nc4? 15.Nxc4 Rxc4 16.Bd3 Ra4 17.Rb1± Qa7 18.Bb5 Bxb5 19.Rxb5 Rxa3 20.Qb1 0-0 21.Rxb7 Qa8 22.g3 Ra1 23.Qxa1 Qxb7 24.Rb1 Qc6 25.Nd2 f6 26.exf6 Bxf6 27.Qa7 Ra8 28.Rb8+ Rxb8 29.Qxb8+ Kf7 30.Kg2 Ne7 31.Nf3 Nf5 32.Qf4 Qd6 33.Qxd6 Nxd6 34.Bg5 h6 35.Be3 Trade or not, it's all even...? 35...Nc4 36.h4 All the pawns on dark -- asking for trouble later. But comp: zeroes! 36...e5 37.dxe5 Nxe5

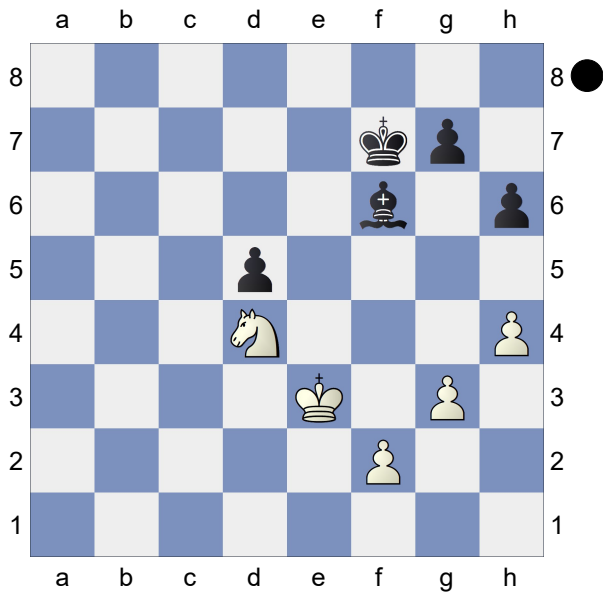
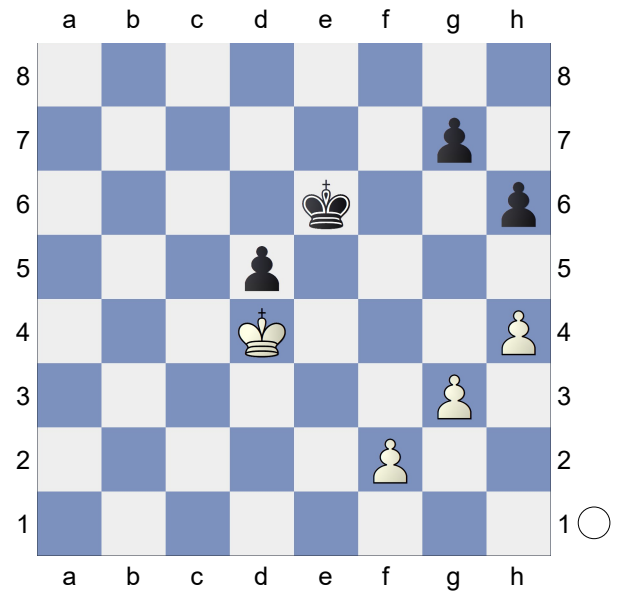
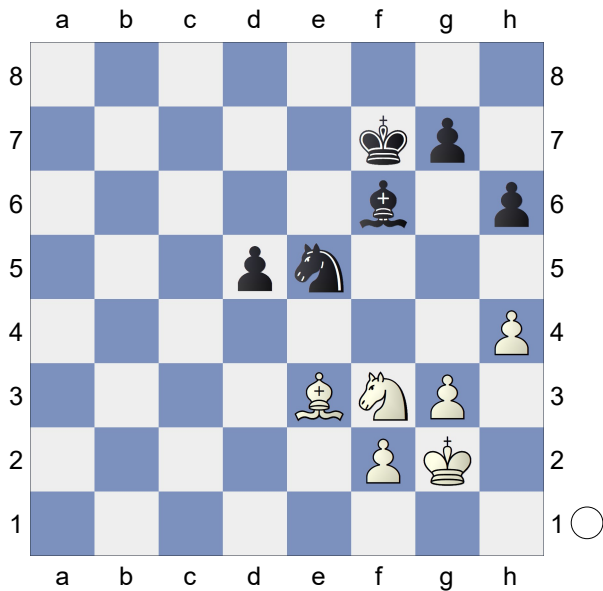
(Diagram)

38.Nd4 And here's the problem with nothing but "0.00" on everything: what's the practical plan? Stockfish? Hello?

[38.Nxe5+ Bxe5 39.h5 is just one of "any"]

38...Ng4 39.Kf3 Nxe3 40.Kxe3

(Diagram)



Bxd4+?? White is ****winning**** ?? But ..
but... outside passed pawn? **41.Kxd4**
Ke6

(Diagram)

42.g4? =

[42.h5□ is not just the only move to win -- Stockfish is already seeing mate (in 27). Eight pieces on the board, so no tablebase comment. Kd6 (42...Kf5 43.Kxd5 Kg5 44.Ke6 Kxh5 45.Kf5 g6+ 46.Kf4 g5+ 47.Kf5 g4 48.Kf4 Kg6 49.Kxg4) 43.f3 Ke6 44.g4 Kd6 45.f4 Ke6 46.Kc5!]

42...g5=

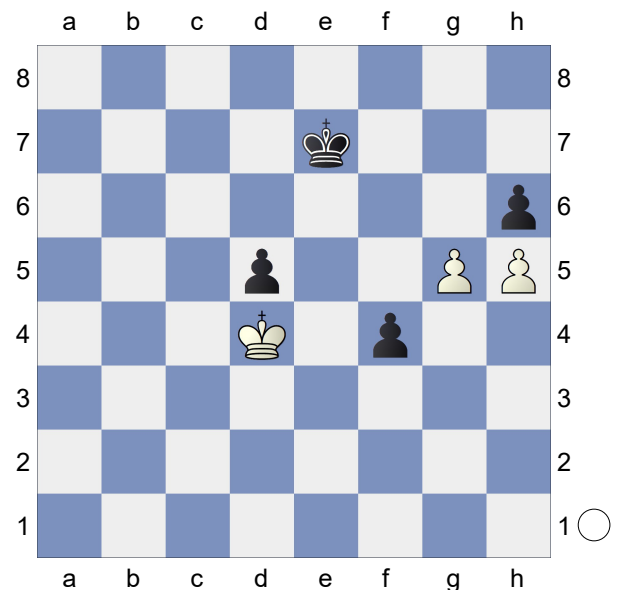
[42...h5=]

[42...g6=]

43.h5! Else it really does turn into the outside passed pawn. **43...Kd6 44.f4!**

[44.Kd3 Ke5 45.Ke3 d4+ 46.Kd3 Kf4 47.Kxd4 is also a draw]

44...gxf4 45.g5! Ke7



46.gxh6??

[46.g6 with Kd3-d4 etc. and the passed pawn keeps Black's king from helping.]

46...Kf8 47.h7 Kg7

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□ Casares,Nick

■ Chan,John

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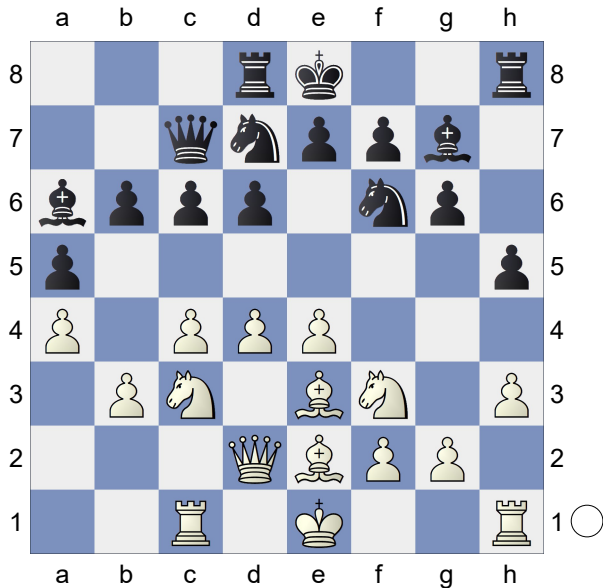
[Winslow,Elliott]

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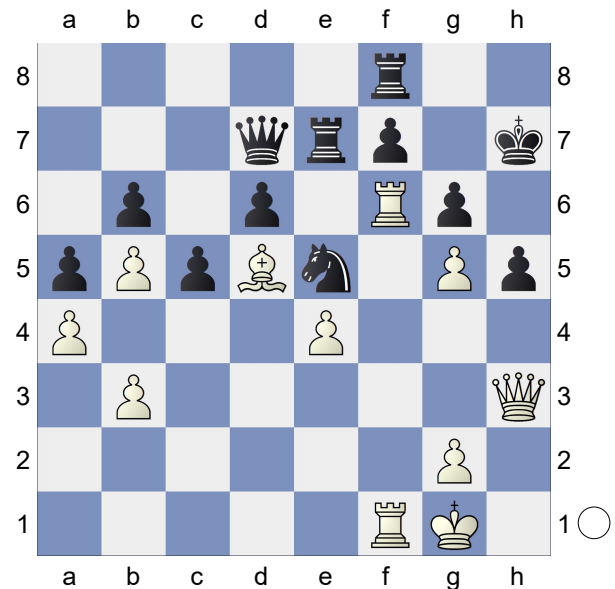
1.e4 c6 2.d4 d6 3.h3 g6 4.Nf3 Bg7
5.c4 Nd7 6.Nc3 a5 7.a4 b6 8.Be3
Ba6 9.b3 Ngf6 10.Qd2 h5 11.Be2
Qc7 12.Rc1 Rd8



13.Nb5 Bxb5 14.cxb5 c5 15.Bd3 Qb7
16.d5 Ng8 17.Bc4 Qb8 18.0-0 Ngf6
19.Qc2 0-0 20.Rce1 Rfe8 21.Bf4 Ne5
22.Bxe5 dxe5 23.d6 exd6 24.Rd1 Bh6
25.h4 Kg7 26.Ng5 Re7 27.f4 exf4
28.Rxf4 Bxg5 29.hxg5 Ng4 30.Bd5
Rf8 31.Rdf1 Qc7 32.Qc3+ Ne5 33.Rf6
Kh7 34.Qh3 Qd7

(Diagram)

35.Be6 Qe8 36.Bf5 Kg7 37.Rxd6 Ng4
38.Bxg6 fxg6 39.Qc3+ Kh7 40.Rfd1
Qf7 41.Qd3 Qf2+ 42.Kh1 Qh4+
43.Kg1 Qh2#
0-1



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1344

□ Sloan,Sacha Marino

■ Hollon,Nick

2025 Summer TNM: u1600 (4.6) 29.07.25

1.e4 2 c5 18:46 2.Nf3 30 d6 6 3.d4 40
cxd4 7 4.Nxd4 7 Nf6 6 5.Nc3 36 a6 6
6.Bd3 1:43 e5 15 7.Nde2 2:16 Be7 1:05
8.Nd5 2:28 b5 1:10 9.h3 2:18 0-0 1:34
10.0-0 44 Nbd7 1:04 11.c3 2:03 Nxd5
1:56 12.exd5 3 Nf6 36 13.Ng3 1:02
Bb7 1:05 14.c4 4:50 bxc4 4:34 15.Bxc4
9 Qd7 4:08 16.b3 1:30 Rfc8 54 17.f4
39 exf4 4:51 18.Rxf4 36 a5 41 19.Bb2
1:29 Ba6 5:21 20.Qf3 1:15 Rf8 2:05
21.Nf5 55 Bd8 4:26 22.Qg3 6:23 Nh5
3:17 23.Qg4 35 f6 1:16 24.Qxh5 1:14
g6 1:07 25.Nh6+ 3:09 Kh8 2:29 26.Qh4
2:43 g5 1:17 27.Qxg5 20 Qg7 2:39
28.Qxg7+ 34 Kxg7 8 29.Ng4 56 Bc8
1:16 30.Raf1 35 Bxg4 1:10 31.Rxg4+
23 Kf7 1:15 32.Bd3 54 h6 2:24 33.Rg6
38 f5 2:03 34.Bxf5 1:47 Bb6+ 1:28
35.Kh1 28 Ke7 44 36.Re6+ 59 Kd8 15
37.Rxd6+ 35 Kc7 6 38.Rc6+ 38 Kb7 14
39.Rxh6 58 Rad8 22 40.d6 1:12 Ka7 42
41.Rh7+ 32 Kb8 41 42.g4 56 Rfe8 1:13
43.Re7 31 Rf8 55 44.Be5 43 Bc5 2:52

45.Rd1 57 Ka8 36 46.Be4+ 58 Kb8 7
 47.d7+ 42 Ka7 20 48.Bd4 13 Bb6 1:27
 49.Bxb6+ 9 Kxb6 6 50.Bg6 28 Kc7 2:51
 51.Re8 43 Rh8 29 52.Rxh8 18 Rxh8 7
 53.d8Q+ 30 Rxd8 9 54.Rxd8 9 Kxd8 8
 55.Kg2 6
 1-0

□ Fees,Holden
 ■ Olson,David R

2025 Summer TNM: u1600 (4.29) 29.7.25

1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 d5 3.cxd5 Nxd5 4.e4
 Nf6 5.Nc3 a6 6.Nf3 Bg4 7.Qb3 Bxf3
 8.Qxb7 Nbd7 9.gxf3 e5 10.Be3 Rb8
 11.Qxa6 Rxb2 12.dxe5 Nxe5 13.Be2
 Bb4 14.Qa4+ c6 15.Rc1 0-0 16.a3
 Nd3+ 17.Bxd3 Bxc3+ 18.Rxc3 Nd7
 19.Qd4 Qa5 20.0-0 Ne5 21.Rc5 Nxf3+
 22.Kg2 Nxd4 23.Rxa5 Ne6 24.Rc1
 Rb3 25.Be2 c5 26.Bc4 Rb2 27.Bxe6
 fxe6 28.Raxc5 h6 29.Rc8 Rxc8
 30.Rxc8+ Kf7 31.Rc7+ Kf6
 1-0

□ Tsebrii,Max
 ■ Starr,Albert Martin

2025 Summer TNM: u1600 (4.30) 29.7.25

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nf6 3.Nc3 Bb4 4.Bc4
 d6 5.h3 h6 6.a3 Ba5 7.0-0 0-0 8.b4
 Bb6 9.d3 Re8 10.a4 a5 11.b5 Be6
 12.Nd5 Nxd5 13.Bxd5 Bxd5 14.exd5
 Nd7 15.Re1 Qf6 16.Be3 Re7 17.Bxb6
 Nxb6 18.c4 Rae8 19.Nd2 Nd7 20.Re3
 Nc5 21.Ne4 Nxe4 22.dxe4 b6 23.Qf3
 Qg6 24.Qg3 Qh7 25.h4 f5 26.exf5
 Qxf5 27.Qf3 Rf8 28.Qxf5 Rxf5 29.Re4
 Ref7 30.f3 Rf4 31.Rae1 R7f5 32.Rxf4
 Rxf4 33.Re4 Kf7 34.Kf2 Kf6 35.g3

Rxe4 36.fxe4 h5 37.Kf3 g5 38.Ke3
 1/2-1/2

□ Wickliffe,Zachary
 ■ Le,Thu Anh

2025 Summer TNM: u1600 (4.31) 29.7.25

1.e4 d6 2.d4 Nf6 3.Nc3 g6 4.f4 Bg7
 5.Nf3 a6 6.Be3 b5 7.e5 dxe5 8.dxe5
 Qxd1+ 9.Rxd1 Ng4 10.Nd5 0-0
 11.Nxe7+ Kh8 12.Bg1 Be6 13.Ng5 h6
 14.Nxe6 fxe6 15.Nxg6+ Kg8 16.Nxf8
 Kxf8 17.h3 Nxe5 18.fxe5 Bxe5 19.Bd4
 Bg3+ 20.Bf2 Be5 21.c3 Nc6 22.Be2
 b4 23.Bf3 Rd8 24.Bxc6 Rxd1+
 25.Kxd1 bxc3 26.Bc5+ Kf7 27.Rf1+
 Kg6 28.Be8+ Kg5 29.Be7+ Bf6
 30.Bxf6#
 1-0

□ Toczyski,David Paul
 ■ Sansoni,Nathan

2025 Summer TNM: u1600 (4.32) 29.7.25

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bb5 Nf6 4.0-0
 Nxe4 5.Re1 Nd6 6.Nxe5 Nxe5
 7.Rxe5+ Be7 8.Bf1 0-0 9.d4 c6 10.a4
 a5 11.c3 Ne8 12.Nd2 d5 13.Nf3 Bd6
 14.Re1 Bg4 15.Qd3 Bh5 16.Ne5 f6
 17.Nf3 Qd7 18.Be2 Nc7 19.Bd2 Bg6
 20.Ne5 fxe5 21.Qe3 e4 22.g3 Rae8
 23.c4 b6 24.c5 bxc5 25.dxc5 Be5
 26.Rab1 Ra8 27.b4 axb4 28.Rxb4 d4
 29.Qb3+ Kh8 30.Rd1 d3 31.Bf1 Bd4
 32.Be3 Bxe3 33.fxe3 Qf5 34.Qb2 Nd5
 35.Rb7 Nxe3?? 36.Qxg7#
 1-0

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C67
 1375
 634

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 1408
 1273

D06
 1264
 1400

□ **Lue,Victor**
■ **Braithwaite,Andrew**
2025 Summer TNM: u1600 (4.33) 29.7.25

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 g6 3.d4 cxd4 4.Nxd4
Nc6 5.Be3 Nf6 6.Nc3 Bg7 7.Be2 0-0
8.Nb3 b6 9.f4 d6 10.g4 Bb7 11.g5
Nd7 12.h4 Rc8 13.Bf3 Ba6 14.h5 Na5
15.Nxa5 Bxc3+ 16.bxc3 bxa5 17.hxg6
hxg6 18.Qd4 e5 19.Qxd6 Rxc3 20.Kf2
Rxc2+ 21.Kg3 Be2 22.Rh6 exf4+
23.Bxf4 Kg7 24.Rah1
1-0

□ **Danganan,Sean**
■ **Merk,Felix Elias**
2025 Summer TNM: u1600 (4.34) 29.7.25

1.e4 c5 2.Nc3 Nc6 3.f4 g6 4.Nf3 Bg7
5.Bc4 e6 6.0-0 Nge7 7.d3 Na5 8.Be3
Nxc4 9.dxc4 b6 10.e5 Nf5 11.Bf2 a6
12.g4 Ne7 13.Ne4 0-0 14.Bh4 Bb7
15.Nf6+ Bxf6 16.Bxf6 Qc7 17.Bxe7 f5
18.Bxf8 Rxf8 19.Qd6 Qxd6 20.exd6
fxg4 21.Ne5 Bf3 22.Nxf3 gxf3 23.Rxf3
e5 24.Kg2 exf4 25.Re1 g5 26.h3 h5
27.Re5 g4 28.hxg4 hxg4 29.Rg5+
1-0

□ **Vazquez,Dominic A**
■ **Patel,Milan**
2025 Summer TNM: u1600 (4.35) 29.7.25
[Winslow,Elliott]

1.d4 d5 2.c4 e6 3.Nf3 Nf6 4.g3
Bb4+ 5.Bd2 Bxd2+ 6.Nbxd2 0-0
7.Bg2 b6 8.0-0 Bb7 9.Qc2 dxc4
10.Qxc4 Ba6 11.Qa4 Bxe2 12.Rfe1
Bxf3 13.Bxf3 Nd5 14.Rac1 Nd7
15.Qc2

B72 [15.Bxd5 exd5 16.Qc6]
1597 15...N7f6 16.Ne4 Rc8 17.a3 Re8
1288 18.Nc3 c5 19.Rcd1 Nxc3 20.Qxc3
cxd4 21.Qxd4 Qxd4 22.Rxd4 Kf8
23.Red1 Ke7 24.g4 g5 25.Kg2 Red8
26.Rxd8 Rxd8 27.Rxd8 Kxd8 28.Be2
Kc7 29.f3 Kd6 30.Kf2 Nd5 31.Bd3
h6 32.Ke1 Ke5 33.Be4 f5 34.gxf5
exf5 35.Bd3 f4 36.Be4 Nf6 37.Bd3
h5 38.Kd2 g4 39.Be2 g3 40.hxg3
fxg3 41.Ke3 Nd5+
0-1

B23 □ **Coghlan,Tomas** **E11**
■ **Cao,Danny Du Uy** **1310**
2025 Summer TNM: u1600 (4.36) 29.7.25 **1154**

1.d4 e6 2.c4 Bb4+ 3.Bd2 Bxd2+
4.Nxd2 Nf6 5.Ngf3
[5.e4 d6]
5...d6 6.e4 Qe7 7.Bd3 e5 8.d5 Bg4
9.h3 Bxf3 10.Nxf3 Na6
[10...Nbd7 11.b4]
11.0-0 Nc5 12.Re1 0-0
[12...Nxd3 13.Qxd3]
13.Bc2 a5 14.a3 a4 15.Nd2 Qd7
16.b4 axb3 17.Nxb3 Nxb3 18.Bxb3
Rfb8 19.Qc2 c5 20.a4
[20.dxc6 bxc6]
20...Qd8 21.Qd2 Qb6
[21...Qa5 22.Qxa5 Rxa5]
22.Rab1 Qa5 23.Qe3
[23.Qxa5 Rxa5]
23...Nd7 24.f4 Qd8 25.fxe5 Nxe5
26.Rf1 Qd7 27.Rf5 b6 28.Rbf1 Rf8
29.Qg3
[29.Qg5]
29...Rae8
[29...Rad8]
30.h4 Qe7 31.Rg5 f6 32.Rgf5 Kh8
33.h5 h6
[33...Nf7 34.Bc2]
34.Bc2 Nxc4

[34...Nf7]
35.e5 Nxe5 36.Rxe5 Qxe5
 [36...fxe5
A) 37.Rxf8+ Rxf8 38.Qg6 Kg8
 (38...e4) 39.Qh7+ Kf7 40.Bg6+
 (40.Qg6+ Kg8 41.Qh7+) 40...Kf6;
B) 37.Qg6 Rxf1+ 38.Kxf1
 (38.Kh2) 38...Rf8+ (38...Qf6+
 39.Qxf6 gxf6)]
 [36...dxe5 37.Qg6 e4]
37.Qg6 Qd4+
 [37...Kg8 38.Qh7+ Kf7 39.Bg6+
 Ke7 40.Qxg7+ Kd8 41.Bxe8 Qxe8
 (41...Rxe8) 42.Rxf6 Rxf6 43.Qxf6+
 Kc8 (43...Qe7 44.Qxh6 Qe1+
 45.Kh2 Qh4+) 44.Qxh6 Qe1+]
38.Kh1 Qh4+ 39.Kg1 Qd4+
 1/2-1/2

□ **Liu, Eric** **B13**
 1299
 ■ **Patel, Shivam** **1414**
 2025 Summer TNM: u1600 (4.37) 29.7.25
 [Winslow, Elliott]

1.e4 c6 2.d4 d5 3.exd5 cxd5 4.Bd3
Nc6 5.c3 Qc7 6.f4 Nf6 7.Qe2 Bg4
8.Nf3 e6 9.h3 Bxf3 10.Qxf3 Bd6
11.Be3 a6 12.Nd2 b5 13.a3 Na5
14.0-0 0-0 15.Rfc1 Nc4

(Diagram)

16.b4 Nxe3 17.Qxe3 Bxf4 18.Qf2
Rfc8 19.Rc2 Bxd2 20.Qxd2 Ne4
21.Qe1 Qf4 22.Rac1 f5 23.Bxe4

(Diagram)

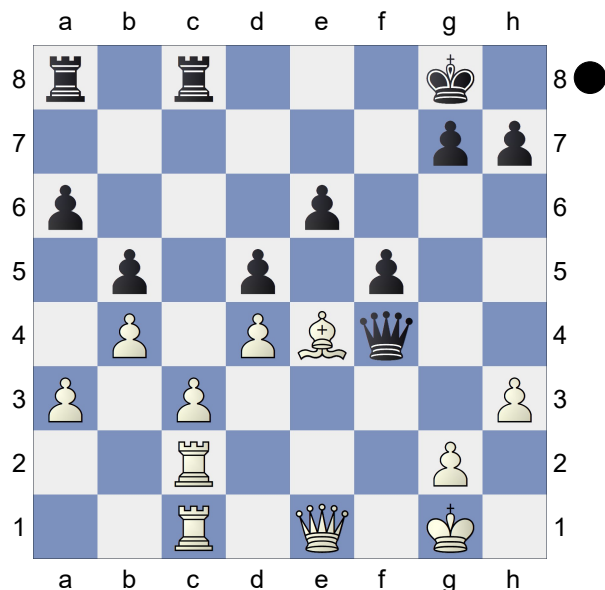
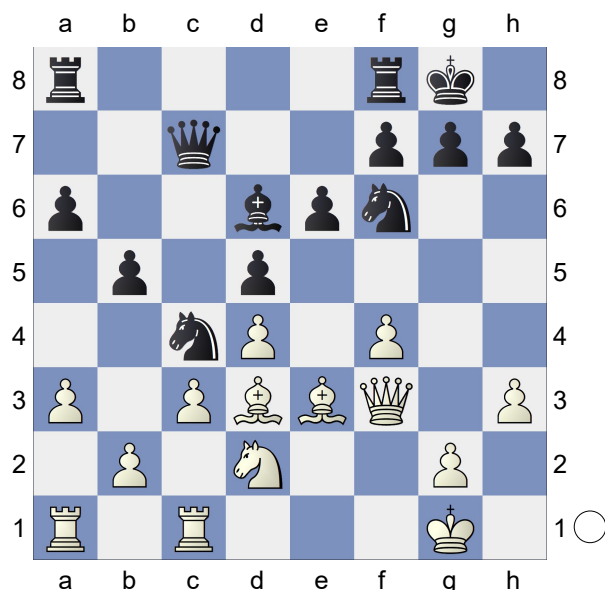
Qxe4??

[23...fxe4-+]

[23...dxe4-+]

24.Re2!± Qd3?

[24...Qf4 25.Rxe6 Kf7!= (25...Kf8



26.Rc2+-)

A) 26.Rc2 Re8! 27.Rce2 (27.Rf2
Rxe6) 27...Rxe6 28.Rxe6 Ra7=;

B) 26.g3!?]

25.Rxe6 Kf8 26.Qf1 Qxf1+ 27.Kxf1
Kf7 28.Re5 Rd8 29.Rxf5+ Kg6
30.Re5 Rd6 31.Rce1 Kf6 32.R1e3 a5
33.h4 axb4 34.axb4 Raa6 35.Rf3+
Kg6 36.Rg5+ Kh6 37.Ke2 Ra3
38.Kd3 g6 39.Rf7 Ra2 40.Rc7 Rf2
41.Rc5 Rf5 42.Rxf5 gxf5 43.Ke3 Kg6
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47.Rc6+
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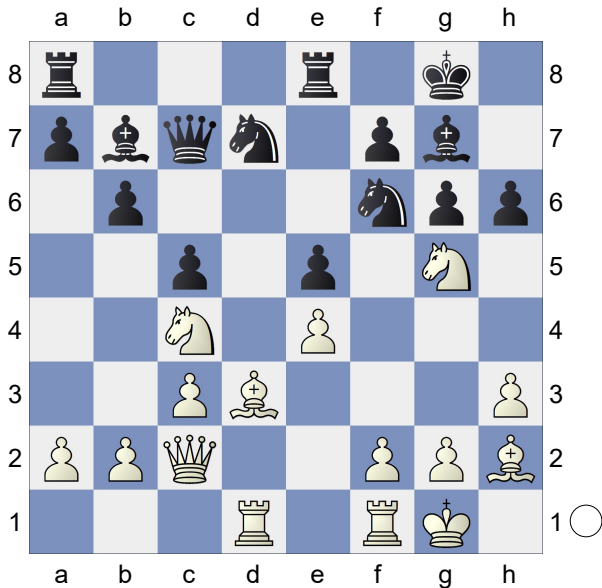
□ Singh, Gurkirat

■ Priyadarshi, Rohan

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[Winslow, Elliott]

1.d4 Nf6 2.Bf4 d6 3.Nf3 g6 4.e3
Bg7 5.h3 0-0 6.Bd3 Nbd7 7.c3 Nd5
8.Bh2 e5 9.0-0 Re8 10.e4 N5f6
11.Nbd2 b6 12.Qc2 Bb7 13.Rad1 c5
14.dxe5 dxe5 15.Nc4 Qc7 16.Ng5 h6



17.Nxf7! Kf8??

[17...Kxf7 18.Qb3! Kg8! (18...Kf8
19.f4! Ba6 20.fxe5 Bxc4 21.exf6
Qxh2+ 22.Kxh2 Bxb3 23.fxg7+ Kxg7
24.axb3±) 19.Nxe5+ Kh7 20.Nf7
(20.Nxg6 c4! 21.Bxc4 Qc6±)
20...Qc6 21.Nd6 a6! 22.f3!±]

18.Nfd6 Re6 19.Nxb7 Qxb7 20.f4
exf4 21.Rxf4 Kg8 22.Rdf1 b5 23.e5
Nh5 24.Nd6 Qd5 25.Rf7 Nxe5

(Diagram)

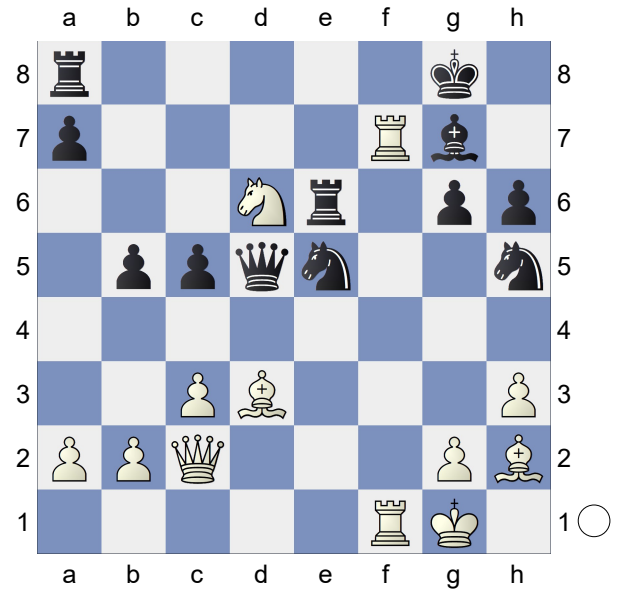
26.Bxe5?

[26.Be4! Qxd6 27.Bxa8+-]
[26.Rxg7+?! Kxg7±]

26...Bxe5?

[26...Qxe5 27.Nxb5 Bf6=]

27.Bxg6??



[27.Nxb5+- Ng3 28.R1f3 c4 29.Qf2!
Rc6 30.Bc2! h5 31.Re7!+-]

27...Nf4??

[27...Bh2+! 28.Kxh2 Qxd6+
29.Kg1 Rxc6 30.Rd7 Qe6
31.Re7 Qd6 32.Rd7 Qc6 33.Rc7!
Qb6 34.Rb7 Qa6 35.Qe4 Qc6
36.Qxc6 Rxc6+]

28.Bh5

[28.Nf5!]

28...Nxh5??

[28...Qxg2+ 29.Qxg2+ Nxg2
30.Nxb5+-]

29.Qh7#

1-0

B11

□ Morris, Daniel

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■ Burkhardt, Douglas Alan

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[Morris, Daniel]

1.e4 0 c6 7 2.Nc3 5 d5 8 3.Nf3 8
dxe4 10 4.Nxe4 8 Nf6 7 5.d3 21 Nxe4
21 6.dxe4 14 Qxd1+ 14 7.Kxd1 4
I knew this position was still equal
despite my inability to castle. 7...Bg4 59
8.Be2 51 e6 1:01 Only here, with
Black's 8...e6, do we leave theory. 9.h3

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[9.Ne5 Bxe2+ 10.Kxe2 Bd6 11.Nc4 Bc7]

9...Bh5 1:56 10.g4 1:55 Bg6 1:11

11.Bd3 7:47 Bd6 2 1:22:00 12.Nh4 3:25

0-0 1:44 13.Nxg6 55 fxc6 53 14.Bc4!? 6:51

[14.Ke2 This is the more logical and principled move. I chose violence instead, looking for complications and tactics.]

14...Re8? 3:13 A pretty big mistake according to Stockfish, which gives +1.4 here. This rook is stuck passively guarding a pawn.

[14...Rxf2 15.Bxe6+ Kh8 16.Be3= Equal and very sharp. But I was actually expecting my opponent to play 14...e8 as he did in the game, with a pleasant position for White.]

15.a4 7:36 Nd7 7:10 16.Be3 1:28 Ne5 3:45

[16...Bc5 17.Ke2 Bxe3 18.Kxe3=]

17.Be2 46 Rad8 6:33 18.Kc1 2:28 b6

7:14 19.a5± 2:48 Bb4 6:41 47:00

20.axb6 4:11 axb6 2:57 21.Ra6? 36

[21.Bxb6 I saw this, of course, and nearly played it. But I worried that Black gains good counterplay, maybe after 21...Rb2. It's Just ghosts. Rd2 22.Re1]

21...Ra8= 1:00 Only here did I see my looming back-rank problem, which makes 21.Ra6? such a mistake. **22.c3 7:47 Bc5 10:37 23.Kc2? 6:33**

Too worried about my back rank after a trade on a6, I lost my nerve here.

[23.Bxc5 Rxa6 (23...bxc5 24.f4 Nf7 25.Kc2) 24.Bxa6 bxc5 25.f4 Nf7= This line isn't hard to calculate. I should have gone this way.]

23...Bxe3 5:52 24.fxe3 5 Rxa6 14

25.Bxa6 9 b5-+ 12 I'd seen all this, but thought I might still be okay with my rook able to help out. **26.Rd1 2:29 Nc4**

3:09 I gave 27.Rd7 consideration here, but couldn't calculate the deep lines that make it correct, so instead just protected my pawn. **27.Rd3 2:24**

[27.Rd7 Nxe3+ (27...Rf8 28.Kb3 Rf3 29.Rc7=) 28.Kb3 Rf8 29.Rc7 Rf3 30.Rxc6 Rxh3 31.Bc8=

The engine lines lead to equality, naturally.]

27...Ra8 1:53

[27...Ne5 28.Rd1 This looked to me like White was maybe holding. It takes Stockfish another 12 moves to convince me there's a winning plan for Black.]

28.b3?? 1:39

[28.Bb7 Ra2 This looked completely losing to me. I'll bet it looks completely losing to you, too.

Amazingly, the engine finds a draw.

29.Bxc6 Rxb2+ 30.Kc1 Rh2 31.Bxb5 Ne5 32.Rd6 Kf7 33.Bd7! Wow. Nxd7 34.Rxd7+=]

28...Rxa6?? 40

[28...Ne5 Winning material.]

29.bxc4 8 Ra2+ 30 30.Kb1? 28

[30.Kb3 bxc4+ 31.Kxc4 Rh2 I didn't see much difference between these two lines, but of course this way White's king goes hunting and heads toward a highly technical draw. 32.Kc5 Rxh3 33.c4=]

30...bxc4?? 26 Losing on the spot to the back-rank check. **31.Rd8+ 14**

The rest is easy. Unfortunate ending for my opponent. **31...Kf7 10 32.Kxa2 26**

Kf6 1 33.Rd4 43 Kg5 24 34.Rxc4 11

Kh4 21 35.Rxc6 10 Kxh3 18 36.Rc7

21 Kxg4 17 37.Rxg7 4 g5 18 38.Rxh7

25 Kg3 34 39.c4 32 Kf3 29 40.c5 10

g4 8 41.c6 7 g3 12 42.Rg7 23 Kxe3

1:06 43.Rxg3+ 9 Kxe4 7 44.c7 23

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☒ **Carion,Anthony Patrick**

2025 Summer TNM: u1600 (4.41) 29.7.25
[Winslow,Elliott]

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bb5 Nf6 4.0-0
Nxe4 5.Re1 Nf6 6.Bxc6 bxc6 7.Nxe5
Be7 8.Qe2 0-0 (That's as far as it goes -
- no readable scoresheet - 1-0 39)
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☐ **Parsons,Stephen**

☒ **Bambou,Christophe**

2025 Summer TNM: Extra Rated (2.42)

1.e4 c6 2.d4 d5 3.Nc3 dxe4 4.Nxe4
Nf6 5.Nxf6+ exf6 6.Be3 Qb6 7.Qc1 c5
8.d5 Bf5 9.Nf3 Bd6 10.Be2 Nd7
11.0-0 0-0 12.Nh4 Be4 13.f3 Bxd5
14.Nf5 Be6 15.Nxd6 Qxd6 16.Rd1
Qc6 17.Bd3 Rad8 18.c3 Rfe8 19.Qc2
Nf8 20.Bf2 b6 21.c4 Qc8 22.Rd2 Rd7
23.Rad1 f5 24.b3 Ng6 25.Bg3 Red8
26.Qc3 h5 27.h4 Rd4 28.Bf2 Qc7
29.g3 Ne5 30.Be2 Rxd2 31.Rxd2 Nc6
32.f4 g6 33.Bf3 Rd6 34.Be3 Qd7
35.Bxc6 Qxc6 36.Qe5 Rxd2 37.Bxd2
Qf3 38.Bc3 Qxg3+ 39.Kf1 Qf3+
40.Kg1 Qg3+ 41.Kf1 Qf3+ 42.Kg1
Qd1+ 43.Kf2 Qc2+ 44.Kg1 Qb1+
45.Kf2 Qc2+ 46.Kg1 Qd1+ 47.Kf2
Qc2+ 48.Kg1 Qd1+
1/2-1/2

☐ **Babayan,Gagik**

☒ **Tobias,Mason**

2025 Summer TNM: Extra Rated (2.21)

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.e5 Bd7 4.f4 Ne7
5.Bd3 a6 6.a4 f6 7.exf6 Nf5 8.fxg7

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Bxg7 9.Bxf5 exf5 10.Qh5+ Kf8 11.c3
Qf6 12.Nf3 Qh6 13.Qxh6 Bxh6 14.g3
Nc6 15.Nbd2 Re8+ 16.Kf2 Ke7
17.Ne5 Rhf8 18.Ndf3 Bg7 19.b3 Kd8
20.Ba3 Rf6 21.Bb2 Ne7 22.Nxd7 Kxd7
23.Ne5+ Kc8 24.Rac1 Nc6 25.b4 Na7
26.Rc2 Bf8 27.Ba3 b5 28.axb5 axb5
29.Ra1 Kb7 30.Bc1 h5 31.Rca2 Ra8
32.Nd7 Rf7 33.Ne5 Rf6 34.Kf3 Bd6
35.Be3 Rh6 36.Nf7 Rh7 37.Ng5 Rh6
38.Ra6 c6 39.Nf7 Rg6 40.Ne5 Bxe5
41.fxe5 Re6 42.Bg5 Ree8 43.Kf4
1-0

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☐ **Tramm,Elijah**

☒ **Admassu,Yonathan**

2025 Summer TNM: Extra Rated (4.19)

1.e4 c5 2.b3 Nc6 3.Bb5 e5 4.Bxc6
bxc6 5.Bb2 d6 6.d3 Nf6 7.Nd2 Bg4
8.Ne2 Be7 9.0-0 0-0 10.f3 Bh5
11.Ng3 Bg6 12.f4 exf4 13.Rxf4 Nd7
14.Nf5 Bg5 15.Rf1 Bxf5 16.Rxf5 Ne5
17.Qe2 f6 18.Raf1 Qa5 19.Bxe5 dxe5
20.Nb1 Qxa2 21.Nc3 Qb2 22.Na4
Qd4+ 23.Kh1 Rfd8 24.Qg4 Kh8
25.R5f3 Rab8 26.Rh3 Rf8 27.Qe6 f5
28.exf5 Rf6 29.Qc4 Rxf5 30.Qxd4
Rxf1+ 31.Qg1 Rbf8 32.Rf3 R8xf3
33.gxf3 Rxg1+ 34.Kxg1 Be3+ 35.Kf1
c4 36.bxc4 g5 37.Ke2 Bg1 38.h3 Kg7
39.Nc3 Bc5 40.Ne4 Be7 41.Ke3 h5
42.Nc3 Kf6 43.Ke4 Ke6 44.Na4 Kf6
45.c3 Ke6 46.d4 Kf6 47.d5 c5 48.Nb2
a5 49.Na4 Bd6 50.Nb6 g4 51.fxg4
hxc4 52.hxc4 Kg5 53.Kf3 Bc7 54.Na4
Bd6
1/2-1/2

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