

(Chess is) "the game which reflects most honor on human wit." Voltaire

(Chess) "is a foolish expedient for making idle people believe they are doing something very clever when they are only wasting their time."

G. B. Shaw

Team Captain Elected. By Nov. 22 Jim Brotsos received the required (14) votes to become the new team captain. Thanks to all of those who elected me; I will do my best to carry out my responsibilities.

Meeting Schedule. The club poll indicated that the club is generally satisfied with the present meeting schedule. Therefore meetings will continue to be held every other Mon. in 1958. The last meeting of this year will be on Dec. 9 at which time the awards program will be held in the Color Club Room. The first meeting in '58 will be held on Jan 6 in the Conference Room, 1D-1.

Board Meeting. At the Board of Directors meeting held just before the match president Holder outlined his general plans for prize competition in 1958. Some of the new policies are as follows;

- a. The club will be divided into 2 flights according to ratings as of Jan. 1. Prizes will be given in each division.
- b. To remain prize-eligible players must play at least 3 ladder games each quarter and must play 4 specified opponents at least once during the year.
- c. The number of points exchanged in ladder play will be cut in half.
- d. The most active member awards will be determined on the basis of points earned according to a schedule of points allotted to each type of club activity.
- e. A larger number of prizes will be awarded next year.

Team Blasted by Western Electric. Once again our inexperience in tough competition showed up as we lost our second league match to Hawthorne, 7-1 and 10-2. Most of the games were close struggles which probably would have gone our way with a little more skill in the game's fine points. Below are the individual results.

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Western Electric

Stevenson	beat	Gene Noose
Bradley	lost to	Walt Elliott
Herschberger	lost to	Ed Yaros
Brotsos	lost to	Al Bielawski
Holder	lost to	Cas Brenda
Stauffer	lost to	Bill Harris
Marv Smith	lost to	Will Hammerschmidt
Anodel	lost to	Drago Lavric
Del Ziegler	beat	Bob Berry
Bill Vondrak	lost to	Joe Traeger
Bud King	lost to	Herb Edwards
George Iftner	lost to	Jim Riordan

Congratulations to Bill Stevenson who hasn't lost this season and to Del

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Stevenson	1351	Trachsler	868
Bradley	1284	Fox	763
Herschberger	1240	Kasch	760
Holder	1135	Kolls	756
Brotsos	1133	Ross	740
Mayer	1129	Richter	705
		Ravesloot	686
Stauffer	1090	B. Johnson	667
Carter	1021	Ziegler	633
M. Smith	1004	Vondrak	505
Amodel	962	King	500
Dolezal	959	Iftner	405
Hoebake	905	T. Johnson	400

J. Brotsos

Ziegler who, despite a long losing streak in ladder competition, has won both of his match games.

Our next match will be against The First National Bank at Donnelley's. This match will be held at 6 p.m. on Dec. 11. Let's all plan to make this one.

J.b.