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The League Business Meeting was held on Tuesday, August 19, 1969 at Mawthorne Savings and Loan, 4800 West 24 Place, Cicero, Illinois. Attendance was almost 100%. Only Charles Bruning Co. representatives did not show up, due to the last minute emergency. It was an exciting, stimulating, and a very productive league

meeting. The reason for excitement was the growth and expansion of our Chicago Industrial Chess League. It was decided unanimously to accept to our league the newly

organized four-man team league, which begins its competition having at the start eight teams. The man who organized it is a well known chess enthusiast, our former League Chairman, Jim Brotsos. Congratulations !!

league. This season it will start with one team, but in the future it has a possibility for doubling or even tripling. At present the membership of Bell Lab's Club is an even seventy. Twenty is the number of teams at present in our Chicago Industrial

The Bell Labis team was formally accepted to our eight-man team

Chess League; eight four-man teams, and twelve eight-man teams. Starting with this season, tan eight-man team with fifteen forfeits during the year will automatically be transferred to the four-man

section for the following season. On the other hand, if a fourman team feels it is ready for the eight-man section, it will get its wish. Of course all these points have to be formally approved on our League Business Meeting where each club is represented. The 30-30 Swiss Style Tournament will be held on Saturday, Nov.8,

1969 at Albright Gym at Western Electric. The entry fee is \$2.00 per person. Alex Pehas and Karel Dobr "volunteered" to be Tournament Directors. (Thank you very much,) Let's make it a big success!!! This season I will follow the same policy on League Bulletin as

Each club will receive only one copy. It will be the responsibility of each team captain to multiply and deliver the bulletin on time to each member of his team. Good Luck!!!!

CICL players' results in the Illinois (pen. (Labor, Day, 1969)

USCF rating	Name	Total Score (out of 7,	Club
1875 1796 1795 1775 1753 1737 1693 1624	J. Scherer N. Goncharoff W. Elliott T. Catledge A. Pehas F. Tegel T. Sodaro W. Nyman R. Kruse	43 42 3 4 4 3 4 2	NI. V.E. V.E. Tele-Type Mot. V.N.B. Mot.

CICL players' results in the Western Open in Milwaukee, July 4, 1969.

1963	1		J.	Warren	5-2	W.E.
1775			T.	Catledge	`3-4	W.E.
1767			T.	Soduro	3½-3½	Mot.
1624			₩.	Nyman	3-4	F.N.B.

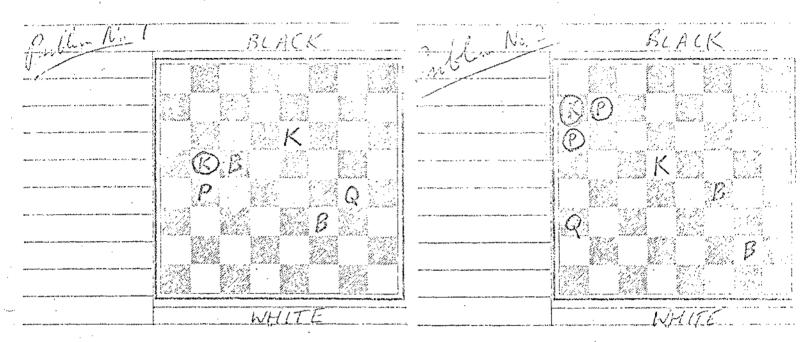
CICL players' results in Forest City Open Rockford, Ill., July 19-20, 1969.

1737	F. Tegel	31-11*	Tele-Type
1624	W. Ny an	3-2	F.N.B.
1512	R. Lauth	2-8	Ill. Bell

^{*} tie 'tr class B prize

CURRENT GAMES

The following game was played at Illinois Open, September 1, 1969.



White to move and mate in two.

White: K at K6

Q at KN4 B at QB5, KB3

P at QN4.

Black: K at QN4

1. Q F3

1K-R3. 1. K-R5

· 2. Q.R. A. . . Z. B. Rimole

White to move and mate in two.

White: K at Q5

Q at QR3

B at KB4, KN2

K at QR2 Black:

P at CR3, CM2.

The Sixth Annual Problem Solving Contest gets under way with the two above problems. This year, again, trophies will be awarded to the top three problem solvers. Send solutions to James E. Warren, 5333 Woodland Ave., Western Springs, Illinois, 60558. Solutions must be received by Cotober 15, 1969.