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### JACK TAYLOR MEMORIAL

#	Name	Rtng	Rd 1	Rd 2	Rd 3	Rd 4	Total
1	Gansvind Valeria	2286	W8	D2	W4	W5	3.5
2	Moore Harry	2282	W3	D1	W6	D4	3.0
3	Cannon Farley	1557	L2	W9	W8	D6	2.5
4	Scoones Dan	2290	W7	W5	L1	D2	2.5
5	Chan James	1942	W9	L4	W7	L1	2.0
6	Wild Josh	1494	W10	D8	L2	D3	2.0
7	Raymer Evan	1718	L4	H---	L5	W9	1.5
8	Raymer Elliot	1693	L1	D6	L3	B---	1.5
9	Mergal Primo	unr.	L5	L3	W10	L7	1.0
10	Stringer Lynn	1554	L6	U---	L9	U---	0.0

This year's event in memory of Jack Taylor saw the return to Victoria of WFM Valeriya Gansvind, who deservedly took first place with 3.5/4. Unfortunately this coincided with the smallest turnout for the tournament in recent memory; normally the Jack Taylor draws between twelve and twenty-four players, but this year it sank to a discouraging new low of ten, including TD Lynn Stringer. Whether there is any particular reason for this I don't know (the WA Class Championships did not seem to have a significant effect), but tournament attendance in general has been lower this year - something for the BCCF executive to give careful consideration to. The event was held as usual at the University of Victoria, this time in the Clearihue Building, which proved to be a good site. Many thanks to Lynn Stringer, who continues to organize and direct events, despite having done so for many years already. Players, don't take your organizers for granted - come out and support them!



Jack Taylor, B.C. Champion 1929, 1930, 1938, 1945, 1953; photo taken in the 1930s(?)

"We note with regret the passing of Jack Taylor. Jack loved chess and played a very good game. In 1929, Jack won the B.C. Championship. In his last tournament, Jack came second in the A Section of the B.C. Class Championships in April. However Jack will be remembered most for his candour and cheerfulness; whenever you wanted to see somebody enjoying himself, all you had to do was go and watch Jack Taylor, the man with the smile." [*CFC Bulletin*, January/February 1975]

**Chan,J - Scoones,D [B01] Jack Taylor mem Victoria (2.1), 27.11.2005**

1.e4 d5 2.exd5 Nf6 3.d4 Nxd5 4.Nf3 g6 5.Be2 Bg7 6.0-0 0-0 7.c4 Nb6 8.h3 Nc6 9.Be3 e5 10.d5 Ne7 11.Nc3 h6 12.Qb3 Nf5 13.Bc5 Re8 14.Bd3 Nh4 15.Nxh4 Qxh4 16.Nb5 e4 17.Nxc7 Bxh3 18.Bd6 Bxg2 19.Kxg2 Be5 20.Rh1 Qg4+ 21.Kf1 exd3 22.Nxe8 Rxe8 23.Bxe5 Qe2+ 24.Kg1 Rxe5 25.Rh3 Rg5+ 26.Rg3 Rxg3+ 27.fxg3 d2 28.Rf1 Nxc4 29.Qd1 Qe3+ 30.Kg2 Nxb2 31.Qc2 Qe2+ 0-1

**Gansvind,V - Moore,H [A96] Jack Taylor mem Victoria (2.2), 27.11.2005**

1.d4 e6 2.Nf3 f5 3.c4 Nf6 4.g3 Be7 5.Bg2 0-0 6.0-0 d6 7.b3 Qe8 8.Bb2 Qh5 9.e3 Ne4 10.Nfd2 Qxd1 11.Rxd1 Nxd2 12.Nxd2 Bf6 13.Rac1 c5 14.Ba3 cxd4 15.exd4 Rd8 16.d5 e5 17.c5 dxc5 18.Rxc5 Nd7 19.Rc2 Nb6 20.Nc4 Nxc4 21.Rxc4 Be6 22.Rc7 e4 23.d6 Rac8 24.Rxb7 Rc2 25.Bf1 Rxa2 26.Bc5 Rc2 27.Bxa7 Rb2 28.b4 Bb3 29.Rc1 h6 30.Bc5 Rd2 31.Bc4+ Bxc4 32.Rxc4 Be5 33.h4 Bxd6 34.Bxd6 R8xd6 35.Rc8+ Kh7 36.h5 e3 37.Rbb8 exf2+ 38.Kg2 f1Q+ 39.Kxf1 Rd1+ 40.Ke2 ½-½

**Scoones,D - Gansvind,V [A25] Jack Taylor mem Victoria (3.2), 27.11.2005**

1.c4 e5 2.g3 Nc6 3.Bg2 d6 4.Nc3 Be6 5.d3 g6 6.Nf3 Bg7 7.Rb1 h6 8.b4 Qd7 9.b5 Nd8 10.Nd5 c6 11.bxc6 bxc6 12.Nc3 f5 13.Nd2 Nf6 14.Ba3 0-0 15.Qa4 Rc8 16.Nb3 f4 17.Ne4 Nxe4 18.dxe4 c5 19.Qxd7 Bxd7 20.Rd1 Nb7 21.h4 fxg3 22.fxg3 Rc6 23.Bh3 Bxh3 24.Rxh3 Ra6 25.Be1 Rxa2 26.Rd2 Ra4 27.Rc2 Nd8 28.g4 Nc6 29.Rf3 Rb8 30.Rfc3 Bf8 31.h5 g5 32.Nd2 Be7 33.Ra3 Rxa3 34.Bxa3 Bd8 35.Bb2 Nb4 36.Rc1 Ba5 37.Kd1 Nc6 38.Bc3 Bb4 39.Kc2 a5 40.Ra1 Rf8 41.Rf1 Rf4 42.e3 Rxg4 43.Rf6 Rg3 44.Nf1 Rg2+ 45.Kd3 Bxc3 46.Kxc3 a4 47.Rxd6 Nb4 48.Nd2 a3 0-1

**Gansvind,V - Chan,J [D00] Jack Taylor mem Victoria (4.2), 28.11.2005**

1.d4 d5 2.Bg5 c6 3.e3 Bf5 4.Nf3 Qb6 5.Qc1 Nd7 6.Nbd2 e6 7.Be2 h6 8.Bf4 Ngf6 9.Ne5 Nxe5 10.Bxe5 Nd7 11.Bg3 Be7 12.0-0 0-0 13.c4 Rfe8 14.c5 Qd8 15.b4 Bf6 16.Nb3 e5 17.Re1 Bh4 18.Qc3 Bxg3 19.hxg3 e4 20.Na5 Rb8 21.b5 Re6 22.g4 Bg6 23.bxc6 bxc6 24.Rab1 Rxb1 25.Rxb1 Qh4 26.Qb3 h5 27.Nxc6 hxg4 28.g3 Qh5 29.Nb4 Bf5 30.Bf1 Rh6 31.Bg2 Be6 32.Nc6 Qh2+ 33.Kf1 Rf6 34.Ne7+ Kh8 35.Qb7 1-0

**Wild,J - Cannon,F [C45] Jack Taylor mem Victoria (4.4), 27.11.2005**

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.d4 exd4 4.Nxd4 Bc5 5.Be3 Bxd4 6.Bxd4 Nf6 7.Nc3 d6 8.Be2 Be6  
9.0-0 0-0 10.f3 Nxd4 11.Qxd4 c5 12.Qe3 Re8 13.Rad1 Qb6 14.Nb5 d5 15.e5 d4 16.Qg5  
Nd5 17.Nd6 Ne3 18.Nxe8 Rxe8 19.f4 h6 20.Qh5 Bd5 21.Rf2 Nxd1 22.Bxd1 Qg6  
23.Qxg6 fxc6 24.b3 b5 25.h4 Rd8 26.Bf3 Bxf3 27.Rxf3 c4 28.Kf2 Rc8 29.b4 d3 30.Ke1  
dxc2 31.Kd2 Rd8+ 32.Kxc2 Kf7 33.Rf2 Ke6 34.Rd2 Rxd2+ 35.Kxd2 a6 36.Kc3 Kd5  
37.g4 h5 38.gxh5 gxh5 39.Kd2 Ke6 40.Kc2 g6 41.Kd2 Kd5 42.Kc3 Ke6 43.Kd4 Ke7  
44.a4 ½-½

**WASHINGTON CLASS CHAMPIONSHIPS**

This major event was unfortunately held in Bellevue on the same weekend as the Jack Taylor Memorial in Victoria; however, despite a substantial promotional campaign by organizer H.G. Pitre, only a handful of B.C. players (all juniors!) made the trip across the border. The main Canadian beneficiary of the event was Junior Champion Lucas Davies, who placed clear second overall with 4/6, a half point behind winner Nick Raptis. Other B.C. participants were Noam Davies, Louie Jiang, Severo Caluza, Alexandra Botez, and Donovan Zhao. Complete details or crosstables are not yet available, watch for them via the Northwest Chess magazine/website.

**Davies,N - Greninger,H [C08] Washington Class ch (2), 25.11.2005**

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.Nd2 c5 4.exd5 exd5 5.Ngf3 Nf6 6.Be2 Nc6 7.0-0 Be7 8.dxc5 Bxc5  
9.Nb3 Be7 10.c3 0-0 11.Qc2 Bd7 12.Be3 Rc8 13.Rad1 Qc7 14.Nfd4 Ng4 15.Bxg4 Bxg4  
16.f3 Bd7 17.Rfe1 Bd6 18.g3 Ne5 19.Kg2 Nc4 20.Bf2 g6 21.Nc1 b5 22.Ndb3 Bf5  
23.Qe2 Rce8 24.Qxe8 Rxe8 25.Rxe8+ Kg7 26.Bd4+ Kh6 27.Rg8 f6 28.Re1 Be5 29.Bc5  
Bd6 30.Bd4 Be5 31.Bc5 Bd6 32.Bd4 ½-½

**Davies,L - Shamilov,E [B76] Washington Class ch (5), 27.11.2005**

*[Lucas Davies]*

**1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 d6 3.d4 cxd4 4.Nxd4 Nf6 5.Nc3 g6 6.Be3 Bg7 7.f3 Nc6 8.Qd2 0-0 9.0-0 0-0 d5 10.exd5 Nxd5 11.Nxc6 bxc6 12.Nxd5 cxd5 13.Qxd5 Qc7 14.Qc5 Qb7 15.Qa3**

In a previous game of this tournament I had come across this same variation, and played b3 instead. I was more prepared for this game however, and I believe this to be a better move. **15...a5?!** Black seemed to think this a fairly good move as well, as he spent 49 minutes thinking about his move. It seems to be quite rare, and has gotten rather unfavourable results in the few games that I've found. One actually followed this game (or vice versa) up until move twenty or so. The standard move here is Bf5. **16.Bd4** 16.Bd3 Rb8 17.b3 a4 18.Qxa4 Ra8 19.Qe4 Qb8 (19...Rxa2 20.Qxb7 Bxb7 21.Kd2 Rd8 22.Ke2±) 20.a4 Be6 21.Bd4 Bxd4 22.Qxd4 Rc8 23.Kb2± **16...e5** [16...Bxd4 17.Rxd4 Be6 18.Bc4 Bxc4 19.Rxc4 Rfd8 20.h4 += **17.Bc3** 17.Bc5 Re8 18.Qb3± **17...Be6 18.Bd3 Bd5 19.Rhe1 Rfe8 20.Be4 Red8?+-** 20...Bxe4 21.Rxe4 Red8 22.Ree1 Rxd1+ 23.Rxd1 += **21.Rxd5 Rxd5 22.Qb3 Bh6+ 23.Kb1 Rad8 24.Bxd5 Qxd5 25.Qxd5 Rxd5 26.b3?** While I am still much better, taking the free pawn obviously makes things a lot easier for me. I missed the fact that I could play c4, and thought that I'd get into trouble on my back rank if I took on e5. 26.Bxe5 Bd2 27.c4+- (27.Re4+-) **26...f6 27.a4 Kf7 28.Kb2 Ke6 29.Re4 f5** 29...Bd2 30.Re2 Bxc3+ 31.Kxc3 h5 32.Rd2 Rc5+ 33.Kb2+- **30.Re2 Kd6**

**31.Be1 31.b4 axb4 32.Bxb4+ Kc6 33.Bc3 Kd6 34.a5+-]31...Bf4 32.h3 Bg5 33.c4 Rc5 34.Bd2 Bh4 34...Bf6 35.Be3 Rc8 36.Rd2+ +- 35.Be3 Rc6 36.Rd2+ Ke6 37.Rd5 Ra6 37...Be1 38.Kc2 h5 39.Bd2 Bxd2 40.Kxd2+- 38.Bd2 e4 39.fxe4 fxe4 40.Kc2 Bf2 41.Bxa5 Ra8 42.Bc3 e3 43.Kd3 Bg1 44.a5 Rf8 45.Re5+ Kd7 46.Bd4 Rf2 47.Bxe3 Rxe2 48.Bxe3 Rxe3 49.b4 Ra1 50.Kd4 Kd6 51.c5+ Kc6 52.Re6+ Kb7 53.Kc4 1-0**

**Davies,N - Serres,D [B95] Washington Class ch (6.12), 27.11.2005**

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 d6 3.d4 cxd4 4.Nxd4 Nf6 5.Nc3 a6 6.Bg5 e6 7.Qd3 Nbd7 8.f4 Qc7 9.Be2 Be7 10.0-0-0 0-0 11.Bf3 Rb8 12.Rhe1 b5 13.e5 dxe5 14.Nc6 Nc5 15.Qe3 e4 16.Nxe4 Ncxe4 17.Bxe4 Bb7 18.Bxf6 Bxc6 19.Be5 Qb7 20.Bxb8 Rxb8 21.Qd3 g6 22.Bxc6 Qxc6 23.f5 Bg5+ 24.Kb1 Rc8 25.fxe6 fxe6 26.c3 Rd8 27.Qf3 Qxf3 28.Rxd8+ Bxd8 29.gxf3 Kf7 30.Kc2 Bc7 31.h3 e5 32.Kd3 Ke6 33.Ke4 Bd6 34.Rd1 Bc7 35.b3 Ba5 36.c4 Bc3 37.c5 Bd4 38.Rxd4 exd4 39.Kxd4 a5 40.a4 bxa4 41.bxa4 Kd7 42.Kd5 Kc7 43.c6 Kd8 44.Kc5 1-0

**B.C. - WASHINGTON MATCHES**

The next two weekends see the renewal of formal chess competition between the province of British Columbia and the state of Washington. First is the adult match on ten boards, to be played at Bellingham on December 3 (weather permitting). This is the third match in the modern series (the main matches were held 1944-1963); B.C. won in both 2003 and 2004 with identical 6-4 scores, but this year the beefed-up Washington squad will be looking for revenge:

Washington	British Columbia
1. IM Eric Tangborn 2462(B)	1. Dan Scoones 2290(W)
2. John Readey 2338 (W)	2. Alfred Pechisker 2252(B)
3. NM William Schill 2274(B)	3. Brian McLaren 2232(W)
4. NM Elliott Neff 2263(W)	4. Paul Brown 2217(B)
5. NM Harley Greninger 2245(B)	5. Lucas Davies 2207(W)
6. NM Nat Koons 2239(W)	6. Bindi Cheng 2201(B)
7. NM Bill McGearry 2219(B)	7. Ian Skulsky 2134(W)
8. NM David Bragg 2210(W)	8. Laszlo Tegzes 2109(B)
9. Bruce Kovalsky 2166(B)	9. Marek Radzikowski 2095(W)
10. Curt Collyer 2164(W)	10. Hee Seid 2061(B)

Then on December 10 at BCIT is the annual scholastic match; forty-eight players, two per grade from each side, will square off in the fifteenth competition of the series. Last year B.C. won the match, but Washington remains ahead in the overall series by 8-6.

We will present reports on both matches in the next Bulletin (December 15); full historical results can be found at <http://www3.telus.net/public/swright2/bcwam.html>.

## "TOUGH AS NAILS" - LEO DUVAL



### Duval in 1954

A B.C. historical figure who has largely been forgotten is Leo Manners Duval (April 1, 1888 - February 20, 1976). One of B.C.'s strongest players in the 1940s, he won the B.C. Championship in 1941, 1942, 1943, and 1946, and on the CFC rating list in 1957 he was second in B.C., considerably behind Miervaldis Jursevskis but just ahead of Gerry Neufahrt - this at the age of sixty-nine! More research is needed, as many details of his life remain unknown, but Duval was born in Lake Megantic, Quebec, served in the First World War (where he rose to the rank of lieutenant and won the Military Cross), and worked as a civil engineer. I do not know when he moved to Vancouver, but he took part in a match against Seattle in 1938. Paul Brown

remembers playing Duval: "Nigel Fullbrook and I were members of the Kerrisdale Chess Club in the late 60's and 70's. I recall him telling me one evening on the way home that he played this very old player that evening and found him to be quite formidable. He told me that this guy was tough as nails. I played the elderly gentleman the following week and asked Mr. E. C. Boire, the club organizer, what the gentleman's name was. He told me that it was "Mr. Duval." I estimate that he was in his late 80's or early 90's at the time. Although Nigel and I played him several times after that, I don't recall if I was ever lucky enough to beat him."

Apart from his provincial championship wins, perhaps Duval's most prominent result was his showing in the 1945 Canadian Championship. This was only the second time that B.C. had representation at a Canadian championship (the first was John Ewing at Hamilton, 1924); Jack Taylor finished 9th, but Duval was alone in 5th place, and only lost one game - to Taylor!

### 1945 Canadian Championship, Saskatoon

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0	1	2	3	
1 Yanofsky, Abe	*	=	=	1	=	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	10.5
2 Yerhoff, Frank	=	*	=	1	=	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	10.5
3 Divinsky, Nathan	=	=	*	0	=	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	9.5
4 Belson, John	0	0	1	*	=	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	9.5
5 Duval, Leo	=	=	=	=	*	=	1	1	0	=	=	1	1	7.5
6 Holowach, Walter	0	0	0	0	=	*	=	=	1	1	1	1	1	6.5
7 Helman, Abe	0	0	0	0	0	=	*	=	1	1	1	1	1	6.0
8 Rauch, Joseph	0	0	0	0	0	=	=	*	=	1	1	1	1	5.5
9 Taylor, Jack	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	=	*	=	1	1	0	4.0
10 Neatby, L	0	0	0	0	=	0	0	0	=	*	1	=	1	3.5

11 Haley, Phil	0 0 0 0 = 0 0 0 0 0 *	1 1 2.5
12 Hall, L	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 = 0 *	1 1.5
13 Hegler, H	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 *	1.0

The tournament was largely a battle between the top four finishers, who all scored 8.5/9 against the rest of the field - but the player they all drew against was Duval. These were not grandmaster draws either, as the games below will attest; it should also be remembered that Duval was fifty-seven years old at the time.



Standing: Canon Roy, Divinsky, Hall, Belson, Neatby, Taylor, Haley, Yerhoff, Rauch, Holowach  
 Seated: MacAdam, Hegler, Duval, Helman

Those with a B.C. connection: Roy (CFC president) and MacAdam both moved here in later life, Taylor and Duval were provincial champions, Divinsky and Helman played as Manitoba representatives in this event, but both moved to Vancouver. Helman was B.C. champion in 1947 and 1948 before dying suddenly in 1952, Divinsky is alive and well and living at UBC.

**Rauch,J - Duval,L [D93] CAN ch Saskatoon (1), 1945**

1.d4 Nf6 2.Nf3 g6 3.c4 Bg7 4.Nc3 d5 5.Bf4 0-0 6.e3 c6 7.Qb3 b6 8.Be2 Bb7 9.0-0 Nbd7 10.Rfc1 e6 11.a4 Re8 12.a5 dxc4 13.Bxc4 b5 14.Be2 a6 15.Ne5 Nxe5 16.Bxe5 Qe7 17.Bxf6 Bxf6 18.Ne4 Bg7 19.Nc5 e5 20.Nxb7 Qxb7 21.dxe5 Rxe5 22.Bf3 Rc8 23.Rc2 Qd7 24.Rd1 Qe8 25.Rd6 c5 26.Rxa6 c4 27.Qb4 Bf8 28.Qd2 Bc5 29.Bb7 Rxe3 30.Kf1 Rd8 31.fxe3 Rxd2 32.Rxd2 Qxe3 33.Ra8+ Kg7 34.Rad8 b4 35.Bf3 b3 0-1

**Duval,L - Belson,J [A19] CAN ch Saskatoon (2), 1945**

1.c4 Nf6 2.Nc3 e6 3.e4 c5 4.Nf3 Nc6 5.d4 cxd4 6.Nxd4 e5 7.Nf5 d6 8.Ne3 Be7 9.g3 0-0  
10.Bg2 Ne8 11.0-0 g6 12.Ned5 Bg5 13.f4 exf4 14.gxf4 Bh6 15.f5 Qh4 16.Bf4 Bxf4  
17.Rxf4 Qh6 18.Qf1 g5 19.Rg4 Ne5 20.Rg3 f6 21.Ne7+ Kh8 22.Rh3 Qg7 23.Ned5 Bd7  
24.Rd1 Qf7 25.Qe2 Rg8 26.b3 g4 27.Rg3 Qh5 28.Nf4 Qh6 29.Qd2 Qh4 30.Qe3 Ng7  
31.Rxd6 Rae8 32.Qf2 Bc6 33.Ncd5 Bxd5 34.Rxd5 Nh5 35.Nxh5 Qxh5 36.Kh1 Qg5  
37.Qd2 Qg7 38.Qf4 h5 39.h4 Re7 40.Qd2 Kh7 41.Rd6 Rc7 ½-½

**Haley,P - Duval,L [A48] CAN ch Saskatoon (3), 1945**

1.Nf3 Nf6 2.b3 g6 3.d4 Bg7 4.e3 c5 5.c3 Qc7 6.b4 b6 7.Na3 cxd4 8.Nb5 Qd8 9.cxd4 Nc6  
10.a3 0-0 11.Be2 Bb7 12.Bb2 d5 13.0-0 Ne4 14.Nd2 f5 15.Nxe4 fxe4 16.f3 exf3  
17.Rxf3 Qd7 18.Rxf8+ Rxf8 19.Bg4 e6 20.Rc1 Qe7 21.Rc2 a6 22.Nc3 Qf7 23.Qf3 Qe7  
24.Qg3 Qf6 25.Rf2 Qxf2+ 26.Qxf2 Rxf2 27.Kxf2 Kf7 28.Na4 b5 29.Nc5 Bc8 30.h4 Ke7  
31.Kf3 a5 32.Bc3 a4 33.Kf2 Kd6 34.Be2 Na7 35.Bg4 Bf6 36.g3 h5 37.Bh3 Nc6 38.Bf1  
Na7 39.Bh3 Bd7 40.e4 dxe4 41.Nxe4+ Ke7 42.Nxf6 Kxf6 43.d5+ Ke7 44.dxe6 Bxe6  
45.Bg2 Kd6 46.Ke3 Bd5 47.Bf1 Bc4 48.Bxc4 bxc4 49.Kd4 Nb5+ 50.Kxc4 Nxa3+  
51.Kd3 Kd5 52.Bb2 Nb5 53.Ke3 Kc4 54.Kf4 Kxb4 55.Kg5 Kb3 56.Ba1 Nd6 57.Kxg6  
Nc4 58.g4 hxg4 59.h5 Nb2 60.h6 g3 61.Bxb2 Kxb2 62.h7 a3 63.h8Q+ Kb1 64.Qb8+ Kc2  
65.Qxg3 a2 66.Qc7+ Kb2 67.Qe5+ Kb1 68.Qb5+ Ka1 69.Qf1+ Kb2 70.Qe2+ Kb1  
71.Qd1+ Kb2 72.Qd2+ Kb1 73.Qb4+ Kc2 74.Qe1 Kb2 75.Qd2+ Kb1 76.Qb4+ Kc2  
77.Qa3 Kb1 78.Qb3+ Ka1 ½-½

**Duval,L - Yerhoff,F [A27] CAN ch Saskatoon (4), 1945**

1.c4 e5 2.Nc3 f5 3.Nf3 Nc6 4.d4 e4 5.Nd2 Nf6 6.e3 Be7 7.Be2 0-0 8.0-0 d6 9.f3 exf3  
10.Bxf3 Bd7 11.Nd5 Nxd5 12.cxd5 Nb8 13.Qb3 b6 14.Nc4 Bf6 15.Qd3 Qe8 16.Bd2 Bb5  
17.b3 Nd7 18.Rac1 Bg5 19.a4 Ba6 20.Rf2 Qf7 21.Rcfl Qe7 22.Re1 Rae8 23.e4 Bxd2  
24.Qxd2 fxe4 25.Rxe4 Qd8 26.Re6 Nf6 27.Qg5 Bc8 28.Rfe2 Bxe6 29.dxe6 d5 30.Ne3 h6  
31.Qg6 Ne4 32.Nxd5 Qxd5 33.Qxe4 Qxe4 34.Rxe4 Rf6 35.d5 Kf8 36.Rc4 c5 37.Kf2 Ke7  
38.Ke3 Kd6 39.Rg4 Rxf3+ 40.gxf3 Kxd5 41.Rxg7 Rxe6+ 42.Kf4 a6 43.Rd7+ Kc6  
44.Ra7 Re2 45.a5 Kb5 46.axb6 Kxb6 47.Rd7 Rxh2 48.Ke4 h5 49.f4 Rh3 50.Rd8 Kc7  
51.Ra8 Rxb3 52.Rxa6 c4 53.Kd4 c3 54.Kd3 h4 55.Rh6 h3 56.Kc2 Ra3 57.Rxh3 ½-½

**Helman,A - Duval,L [B21] CAN ch Saskatoon (7), 1945**

1.e4 c5 2.f4 Nc6 3.Nf3 g6 4.Bc4 Bg7 5.0-0 e6 6.Qe2 Nge7 7.c3 d5 8.Bb3 dxe4 9.Qxe4  
0-0 10.Rd1 Qb6 11.Kh1 Nf5 12.Na3 Nd6 13.Qe3 Na5 14.Bc2 Qc7 15.d4 c4 16.Ng5 a6  
17.h4 h6 18.Nf3 b5 19.Ne5 Bb7 20.Qh3 Nf5 21.h5 Kh7 22.Qg4 Bxe5 23.fxe5 Qe7  
24.hxg6+ fxg6 25.Kg1 Rf7 26.Rf1 Rg8 27.Qh3 Rgg7 28.Rf4 Kg8 29.Bd2 g5 30.Rxf5  
exf5 31.Bxf5 g4 32.Qh5 Rxf5 33.Qxf5 Qh4 34.Qe6+ Kh7 35.Qf5+ Kg8 36.Rf1 Bxg2  
37.Qf8+ Kh7 38.Rf7 Qh1+ 39.Kf2 Qf1+ 40.Ke3 Rxf7 0-1

**Duval,L - Yanofsky,D [A29] CAN ch Saskatoon (8), 1945**

1.c4 e5 2.Nc3 Nf6 3.Nf3 Nc6 4.g3 d5 5.cxd5 Nxd5 6.Bg2 Be6 7.d3 Be7 8.0-0 Nb6  
9.Be3 0-0 10.Na4 Bd5 11.Bc5 Nxa4 12.Bxe7 Nxe7 13.Qxa4 Ng6 14.h4 Re8 15.e4 Bc6  
16.Qc4 Qd7 17.Rfd1 Qe6 18.Qc3 Qe7 19.Rac1 Rad8 20.Bh3 Bd7 21.Bg2 Bc6 22.Re1  
Qf6 23.Re3 h6 24.b3 Nf8 25.a4 a6 26.Nd2 Ne6 27.Rf1 Nd4 28.Qb2 g5 29.hxg5 hxg5  
30.Nf3 Kg7 31.Nxd4 exd4 32.Rf3 Qh6 33.Rf5 f6 34.f4 g4 35.Kf2 Qg6 36.Rh1 Rh8

37.Rxh8 Kxh8 38.Qc1 Kg7 39.Qc5 Rd6 40.Qc2 Qe8 41.Rc5 Kf8 42.e5 Re6 43.Bxc6 Rxc6 44.Rxc6 Qxc6 45.Qxc6 bxc6 46.exf6 c5 47.a5 Kf7 48.Ke2 Kxf6 49.Kd2 Ke6 50.Kc2 Kf5 51.Kb2 c6 52.Ka3 c4 ½-½

## **2006 BRITISH COLUMBIA CORRESPONDENCE CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP**

*Presented by Chess First! Enterprises, BC's online chess store [www.northshorechess.com](http://www.northshorechess.com)*

Start date: January 1, 2006

Format: round robin for upto 15 players, BC residents only

Type of play: ICCF web server. This is the future of correspondence chess! No need for e-mails, reflection time is calculated automatically down to hours, cross-tables and games are displayed for public access

Membership: Canadian Correspondence Chess Association (CCCA) membership is NOT required but players are encouraged to support the CCCA by joining!

Ratings: the event is ICCF rated; unrated players will be assigned provisional ratings

Entry fee: \$20 (\$18 covers CCCA fees for webserver events)

Prizes:

1<sup>st</sup> \$50 + ChessBase training CD ----- 2<sup>nd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> one copy each of ChessBase magazine Extra

Tournament Director: ICCF Arbiter and IM Valer Eugen Demian

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ICCF web server: [www.iccf-webchess.com](http://www.iccf-webchess.com)

Canadian Correspondence Chess Association (CCCA):

<http://correspondencechess.com/ccca/>

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## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

### **Junior Events**

Dec. 10 BC -WA Scholastic Match, BCIT

Dec. 10 Thomas Hook Cup Tournament

Dec. 11 Greater Victoria City Championship

See <http://www.chess.bc.ca/juniorevents.html>

### **UBC Tuesday Night Swiss**

Date: Tuesdays

Location: Room 211, Student Union Building, UBC

Format: 5-round Swiss

Time control: 2 hours sudden death

Time: 6:30 sharp

Entry fees: \$15 for adults, \$12 for juniors and UBC club members, \$10 under 1100 (excluding unrated)

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