

□ Griffith, Kyron Waykuan  
■ Sobel, Steve

B47  
2437  
1674

MI Vladimir Naroditsky mem TNM: 1800+ (7.1)  
[Winslow, Elliott]

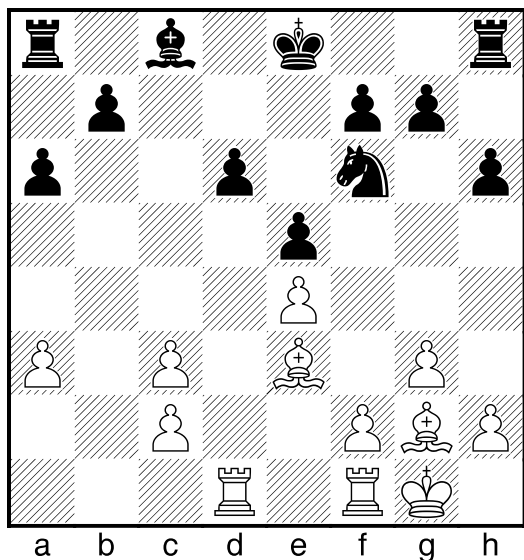
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8.0-0 Nxd4 9.Qxd4 Bc5 10.Bf4 d6  
11.Qd2 h6 12.Rad1 e5 13.Be3 Bb4!?

[ 13...Be6 ]  
[ 13...Ke7 ]  
[ 13...Bxe3 14.fxe3! Be6!?  
( 14...Ke7?? 15.Rxf6 ) ]  
[ 13...Bg4 14.Bxc5! dxc5 15.f3  
( 15.Qd6!?) ]

14.a3

[ 14.Nb5!?! axb5 15.Qxb4 ]

14...Bxc3 15.Qxc3 Qxc3 16.bxc3



0-0?!

[ 16...Ke7!?! ]  
[ 16...Be6!?! 17.Rxd6 ( 17.Rd2 Ke7 )  
17...Rc8 ( 17...Nd7!?! ) 18.Rb1  
( 18.Bb6 ) ]

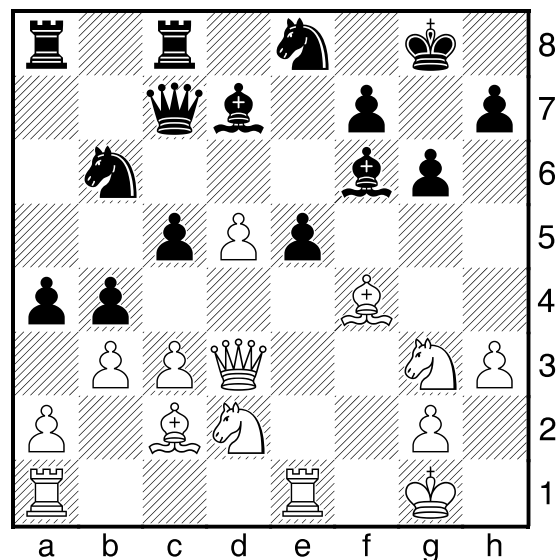
17.Rxd6 Be6 18.Bb6 Rfc8 19.Ba5  
Rc5 20.Bb4 Rcc8 21.Rb6 a5 22.Bd6  
Rxc3 23.Rxb7 Rxc2 24.Bxe5 Ng4  
25.Bd6 Rd8 26.e5 f6 27.Bh3 Bc8  
28.Rc7 Rxc7 29.Bxc7 Rd3 30.f3 Ne3  
31.Bxc8 Nxf1 32.Kxf1 fxe5 33.a4

Rxf3+ 34.Ke2 Ra3 35.Be6+ Kh7  
36.Bd7 Kg6 37.Bxe5 Kf7 38.Bc7 Ke7  
39.Bb5 Ra2+ 40.Kf3 Rxh2 41.Bxa5  
Kd6 42.Be1 Kc5 43.Bf1 Ra2 44.a5  
h5 45.a6 g5 46.Bf2+ Kc6 47.Be3  
Ra3 48.Kf2 Ra2+ 49.Kg1 Kc7  
50.Bxg5 Kb8 51.Bf4+ Ka7 52.Be3+  
1-0

□ Suarez, Sebastian  
■ Widjaja, Luke  
MI Vladimir Naroditsky mem TNM: 1800+ (7.2)  
[Winslow, Elliott]

C97  
1802  
2049

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bb5 a6 4.Ba4  
Nf6 5.0-0 Be7 6.Re1 b5 7.Bb3 d6  
8.c3 0-0 9.h3 Na5 10.Bc2 c5 11.d4  
Qc7 12.d5 Bd7 13.Nbd2 Rfc8 14.Nf1  
Nc4 15.b3 Nb6 16.Be3 a5 17.N3d2  
a4 18.f4 exf4 19.Bxf4 Ne8 20.Qf3 Bf6  
21.Ng3 b4 22.Qd3 g6 23.e5 dxe5



24.Nh5 Bh8 25.Bg5 Bf5 26.Ne4 axb3  
27.axb3 Rxa1 28.Rxa1 gxh5 29.Nf6+  
Bxf6 30.Qxf5 Bxg5 31.Qxg5+ Ng7  
32.Rf1 Rf8 33.g4 Nd7 34.Rf3 Qd8  
35.Qh6 f5 36.Bxf5 Rxf5 37.Rxf5 Nxf5  
38.Qe6+ Kg7 39.Qxf5 Qe8 40.Qg5+  
Kh8 41.Kf2 Qf7+ 42.Ke2 Qg7 43.Qd8+

Nf8 44.Kf2 Qf7+ 45.Kg1 e4 46.Qb8  
and here Widjaja's scoresheet joined  
Suarez's in value (Sebby stopped back  
on 28, Luke's goes unlikely here).

0-1

**Lavi,Eilon** **B76**  
 **Winslow,Elliott** **2110**  
 MI Vladimir Naroditsky mem TNM: 1800+ (7.3)  
*[Winslow,Elliott]* **2259**

**1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 d6 3.d4 cxd4 4.Nxd4**  
**Nf6 5.Nc3 g6 6.Be3 Nc6 7.f3 Bg7**  
**8.Qd2 0-0 9.0-0**

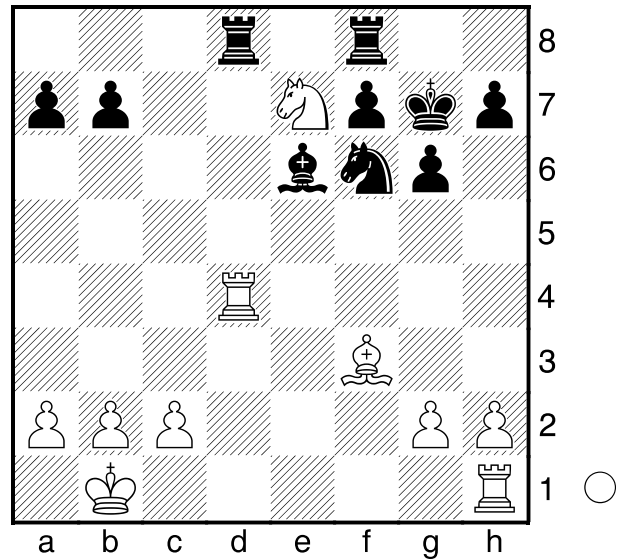
[ 9.Bc4 ]  
 [ 9.g4 ]  
**9...d5 10.Kb1**  
 [ 10.exd5 ]  
 [ 10.Qe1 ]  
 [ 10.Nxc6 bxc6 11.Bh6 ]

**10...Nxd4**  
 [ 10...dxe4?? 11.Nxc6 ]  
 [ 10...Rb8! ]

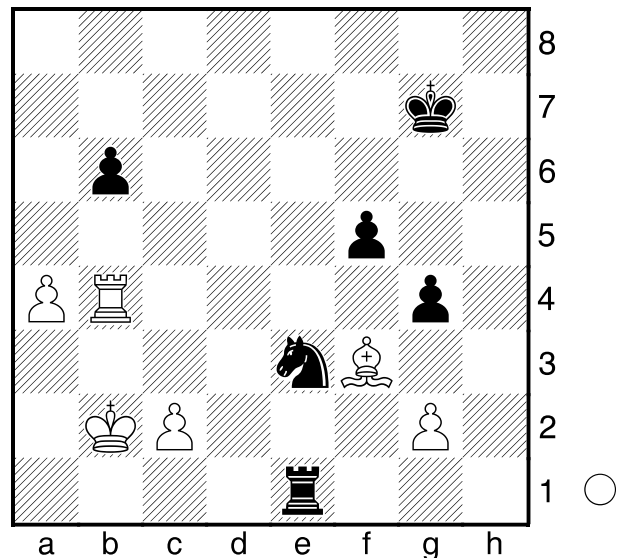
**11.Bxd4**  
 [ 11.e5!! Nf5 12.exf6 exf6!?  
 ( 12...Bxf6 13.Nxd5 Qxd5! 14.Qxd5  
 Nxe3 15.Qd2 Nxd1 16.Qxd1 Be6 )  
 13.-- ( 13.Bc5 d4!; 13.Nxd5 Nxe3  
 14.Qxe3 Be6 ) ]

**11...dxe4 12.fxe4 Be6 13.Be2 Qa5**  
**14.Nd5 Qxd2 15.Nxe7+ Kh8 16.Rxd2**  
**Nxe4 17.Bxg7+ Kxg7 18.Rd4 Nf6**  
**19.Bf3 Rad8**

(Diagram)



**20.Rb4! b6 21.Nc6 Rd7 22.Rd1**  
**Rxd1+ 23.Bxd1 Nd5 24.Rd4 a5**  
**25.Bf3 Ne3 26.Rd3 Nf1!? 27.h3 Bf5**  
**28.Rd6 Re8 29.b4 Re1+ 30.Kb2 Ne3**  
**31.Rd8 axb4 32.Nd4 h5 33.Nxf5+**  
**Nxf5 34.Rd7 Ne3 35.Rd4 f5 36.Rxb4**  
**g5 37.a4 g4 38.hxg4 hxg4**



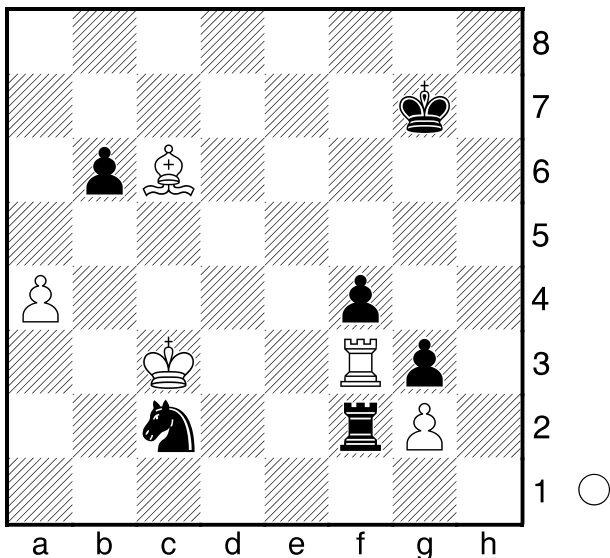
**39.Bc6?!**  
 [ 39.Bb7! (0.00) as it turns out. (less  
 forks) ]  
**39...Re2 40.Kb3?!**  
 [ 40.Kc3! Rxc2+ ( 40...Nxc2 41.Rxb6  
 Ne1 42.a5! Rxc2+ 43.Kb3  
 The a-pawn is a major factor. ) 41.Kd3

Rxc6 42.Kxe3= Black has "forgotten" to pick up the key g2-pawn. ]

**40...Nxc2 41.Rf4** White also has been distracted from picking up the b-pawn!  
 [ 41.Rxb6 Nd4+-+ 42.Kc3 ( 42.Ka3 Nxc6 43.Rxc6 Rxc6 Rxc6 Rxc6 Rxc6 Rxc6 Re2 46.a7 Re8 I wasn't at all sure this was winnable during the game, but it's a tablebase win. Which means I'm not \*at all\* sure I'd win it! )  
 42...Nxc6 43.Rxc6 Rxc6 Rxc6 ]

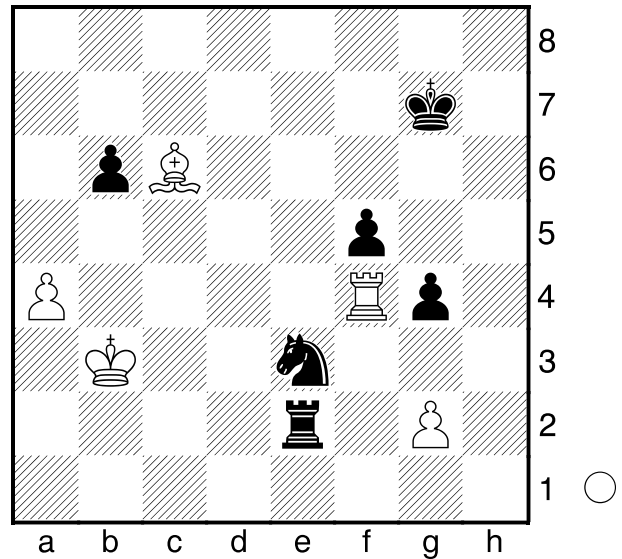
**41...Ne3**

[ I saw and then fumbled playing 41...g3!? 42.Kc3 Rf2!? ( 42...Ne1!? 43.Bd7 Re3+ 44.Kd2 Nxc2 45.Rxf5! Rb3 46.Bc6 Ne3 47.Rf3 Nc4+ 48.Ke2 Rxf3 49.Bxf3 Kf6= Here the tablebase lookup convinces me: it's drawn. ) 43.Rf3! ( 43.Rxf2?? gxf2 44.Bb5 Ne3+- ) 43...f4! ( 43...Rxc6 44.Rxf5 Ne3 )



and NOW 44.Rxf2!! gxf2 45.Bb5 Ne3 46.Kd4 is drawn! Find \*that\* in a game... ]

(Diagram)



**42.Bd7??** I sank in spirits when he found this -- but it's a blunder!

[ 42.Rb4 ]

[ Also: 42.Kc3 Rc2+ ( 42...Nd1+ 43.Kd3 Re6!? 44.Bd7 Rd6+ 45.Rd4 Rxd4+ 46.Kxd4 Kf6= keeps up the endgame battle, but 47.g3 Nf2 48.Bc6!= should stop White's attempts. ) 43.Kd3 Rxc6 44.Kxe3 Kf6 45.Kf2! (only move) holds ]

**42...g3??=**

[ It's time for a rook and pawn lesson: the only way to a win now is 42...Rxc6! 43.Bxf5 Nxf5 44.Rxf5 g3 is a win (TB): On 45.Rb5 simply Kf7! (which on the other hand is the only winning move) 46.Rxb6 Rg1! ( 46...Rf2? 47.Rb4=; 46...Rb2+!? happens to win as well, but Queen vs. Rook is hard enough without White also having a rook pawn! (But it \*is\* a win for Black.)) 47.Ka2 ( 47.Ka3 g2 ) 47...Rf1! 48.Rb7+ Black runs up the f-file and then plays ...Kg4 (to block with ...Rf4). ]

**43.Rf3 Kf6 44.Rxc6 f4 45.Rh3**

[ 45.Rg8! Rxc6 46.Rxc6 Nxc6 47.Bc6 Ne3 48.Bf3 is boiling down to N+P v B and a draw. ]

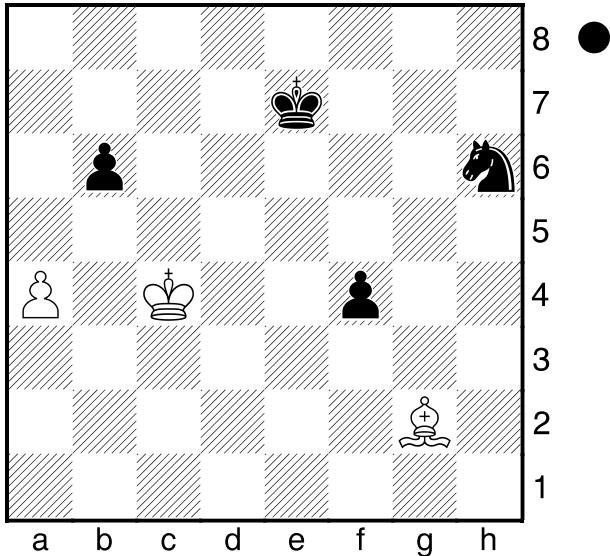
**45...Rxc6 46.Rh6+ Ke7 47.Bc6 Nf5**

[ 47...Rg3 48.Kb4 Nf5 49.Rh5  
I can get to R+N v R, but that's not a  
winning try at all. ]

**48.Bxg2**

[ 48.Rh7+ Rg7 49.Rxg7+ Nxc7  
50.Bh1 is pretty much the same ]

**48...Nxc7 49.Kc4**



**Kd6 50.Kd4**

[ 50.Kb5 Kc7 51.a5= (0.00) makes it  
just as easy ]

**50...Nf5+ 51.Ke4 Ne3 52.Bf3 Nd5**

**53.Kd4 Nc7 54.Ke4 Ne6 55.Bg4**

**Nc5+ 56.Kxf4 Kd5 57.Ke3 Kc4**

**58.Kd2 Kb4 59.Kc1 Kc3 60.Bh5**

**Nxa4 61.Be8 Nc5 62.Kb1 Ne6 63.Ka2**

**Kb4 64.Kb2 Nd4 65.Bd7 Kc4 66.Be8**

**Nf3 67.Ka3 Ne5 68.Kb2 Kb4 69.Kb1**

**Kc5 70.Kb2 Nc6 71.Kc3**

[ 71.Bxc6 Kxc6 72.Kc2 is a famous  
"distant opposition" draw as well. ]

**71...b5 72.Bxc6 Kxc6**

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**D37**

□ **Clemens, Kristian**

**1941**

■ **Bambou, Christophe**

**2125**

MI Vladimir Naroditsky mem TNM: 1800+ (7.5)

[Winslow, Elliott]

**1.Nf3 d5 2.d4 Nf6 3.c4 e6 4.Nc3 a6**

[ 4...c5 5.cxd5 cxd4!? has been a  
revolution in the Semi-Tarrasch, with  
the world's elite jumping all over it.

The absolutely most current game  
happened just that afternoon in the U.  
S. Championship, in the following

game: 6.Qxd4 exd5 7.e4!? dxe4  
8.Qxd8+ Kxd8 9.Ng5 Be6

has been quite the rage at the highest  
levels: 10.a3 Nbd7 11.Bf4 Rc8

12.g3 Bb3 13.Bg2 Nh5 14.Be3 f5  
15.g4 f4 16.Bd4 f3 17.gxh5 fxg2

18.Rg1 Nf6 19.Rxg2 Bc5 20.Rd1  
Bxd1 21.Ne6+ Ke7 22.Nxc5 Bg4

23.N5xe4 Nxe4 24.Rxg4 Nxc3  
25.Rxg7+ Kd6 26.Bxc3 Rhe8+

27.Kf1 Rc7 28.Rg4 Rf7 29.a4 b6  
30.h6 Re3 31.Rd4+ Ke6 32.a5 Ref3

33.Rd2 b5 34.Bd4 Rd7 35.Kg2 Rf5  
36.Re2+ Kd5 37.Bg7 Kc4 38.Re4+

Kb3 39.Re8 Rdf7 40.Rh8 Rg5+

41.Kh3 b4 42.Kh4 Rg6 43.Rxh7  
Rxh6+ 44.Rxh6 Rxg7 45.f4 Kxb2

46.f5 b3 47.f6 Rg2 48.h3 Ka2  
49.Rh7 b2 50.Rb7 Rg6 51.f7 Rf6

52.Kg5 Rxf7 53.Rxf7 b1Q 54.h4  
Qg1+ 55.Kh5 Kb3 56.a6 Kc4

57.Rg7 Qc5+ 58.Rg5 Qe7 59.Rf5  
Kd4 60.Kg4 Qe6 61.Kg5 Ke4

62.Rf6 Qe7 63.Kg6 Ke5 64.Rf5+

Ke6 65.Rf4 Qe8+ 66.Kg5 Qg8+

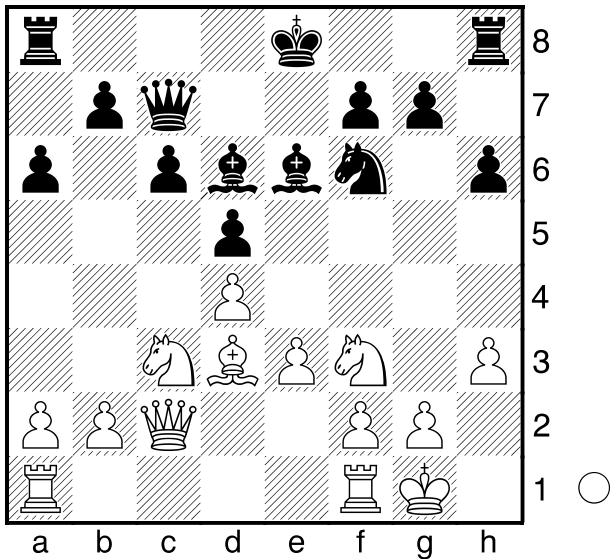
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Qd1+ 70.Kg5 Qd2+ 71.Kh5 Qd7

72.Rf1 Qb5 73.Rf8 Qxa6 74.Kg5  
Qe6 75.Rf1 Qg8+ 76.Kh6 Qh8+

77.Kg5 Qd8+ 78.Kh5 a5 0-1 (78)  
Sevian, S (2684)-Niemann, H (2699)  
US ch (12) Saint Louis 18.10.2022 ]

**5.cxd5** The fact is this ...a6 line is a

modern version of Janowski's old 3. Nc3 a6 that has been also been a major battleground of late. **5...exd5 6.Bg5 Be6 7.e3 Nbd7** The point -- Black takes on quite a different deployment than in the orthodox Queen's Gambit Exchange Variation. **8.Bd3 Bd6 9.0-0 c6!** The main line 9...c6 scores better than 9...0-0. **10.Qc2 Qc7 11.h3 h6 12.Bxf6 Nxf6**

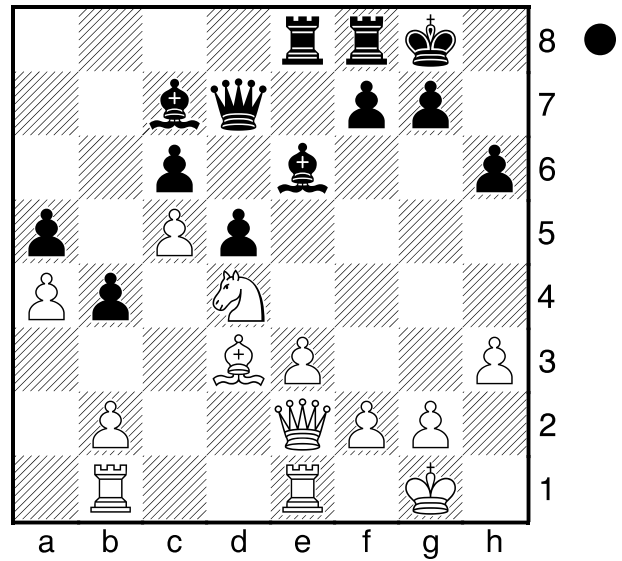


**13.Rfe1N**

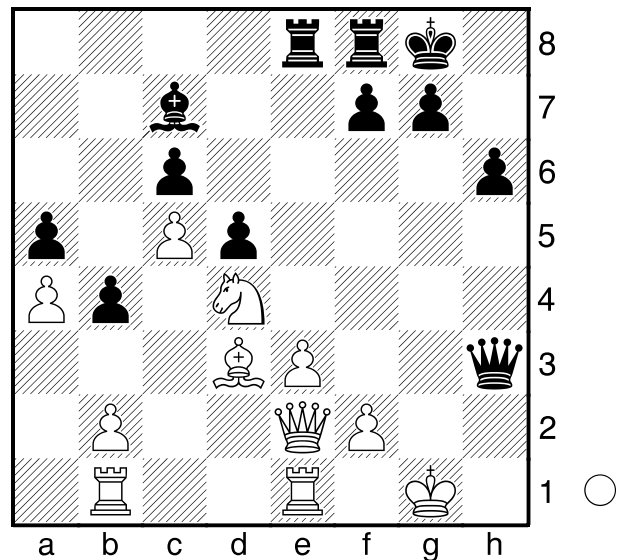
[Predecessor: 13.Nh4 0-0 14.Nf5 Bxf5 15.Bxf5 Rae8 16.e4 dxe4 17.Nxe4 Nd5 18.Nc3 Qa5 19.Bh7+ Kh8 20.Be4 Nf4 21.Rfe1 Re6 22.Re3 Rfe8 23.Rae1 Qg5 24.Rg3 Qh4 25.Rge3 f5 26.g3 Qxh3 27.gxf4 Rg6+ 28.Rg3 Rxc3+ 29.fxc3 Qxc3+ 30.Kf1 fxe4 31.Rxe4 Rxe4 32.Nxe4 Qf3+ 33.Ke1 Bxf4 34.Qe2 Qe3 35.Nc5 Qg1+ 36.Qf1 Qxd4 0-1 (36) Tahbaz,A (2477)-Meskovs,N (2550) Teheran 2019 ]

**13...0-0 14.Rab1 a5 15.Rec1 Qe7 16.a3 Nd7 17.Na4 b5 18.Nc5 Nxc5 19.dxc5 Bc7 20.Nd4 Qd7 21.a4 b4 22.Qe2 Rae8 23.Re1**

(Diagram)



It's hard to know what happened now. Black, after moving rather briskly, now used 32 of his 69 minutes to find the unsound **23...Bxh3? 24.gxh3 Qxh3**



Now White would be \*winning\* if he would just defend properly: **25.Bf5??** After four minutes of 44.

[ 25.f3 Qf1+ ]  
**25...Qh2+ 0-1**

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Maliev, Anton

1630

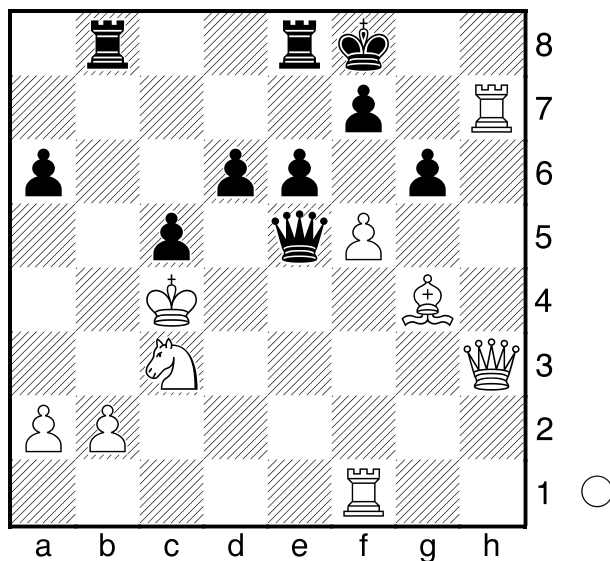
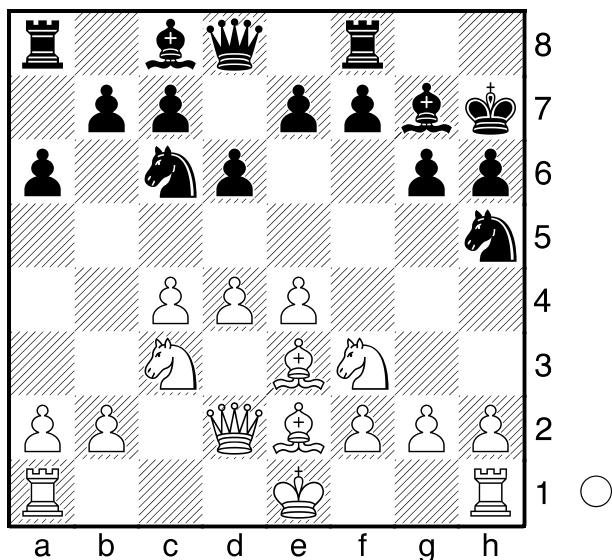
Lewis, Edward

2032

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[Winslow, Elliott]

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5.Nc3 0-0 6.Bg5 h6 7.Bf4 Nh5 8.Be3  
Nc6 9.Be2 a6 10.Qd2 Kh7



29.Rxf7+! Kxf7 30.Qh7+ Kf6 31.fxg6+  
1-0

B33

Powers, Christopher

1758

Parsons, Stephen

1719

MI Vladimir Naroditsky mem TNM: 1800+ (7.8)

[Winslow, Elliott]

11.g4

[ 11.d5 Ne5 12.Nxe5 dxe5  
13.0-0-0± ]

11...Bxg4 12.Ng5+ hxg5 13.Bxg4 Nf4

[ 13...Nf6 14.Be2 e5 15.h4 g4 16.h5  
exd4 17.hxg6+ Kg8! ]

14.h4! Ng2+ 15.Ke2 Nxe3 16.hxg5+

Kg8 17.Qxe3?

[ 17.fxe3+- ]

17...Nxd4+ 18.Kd2 e6 19.f4 Re8

[ 19...b5 ]

20.Rh4 c5

[ 20...d5!-+ ]

21.Rah1 b5 22.Qh3 Kf8 23.Rh7+-

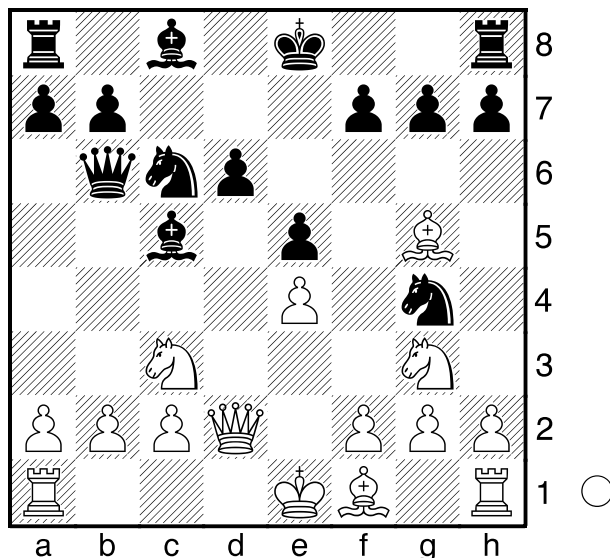
Be5 24.fxe5 Qxg5+ 25.Kd3 bxc4+

26.Kxc4 Qxe5 27.Rf1 Nf5 28.exf5

Rab8

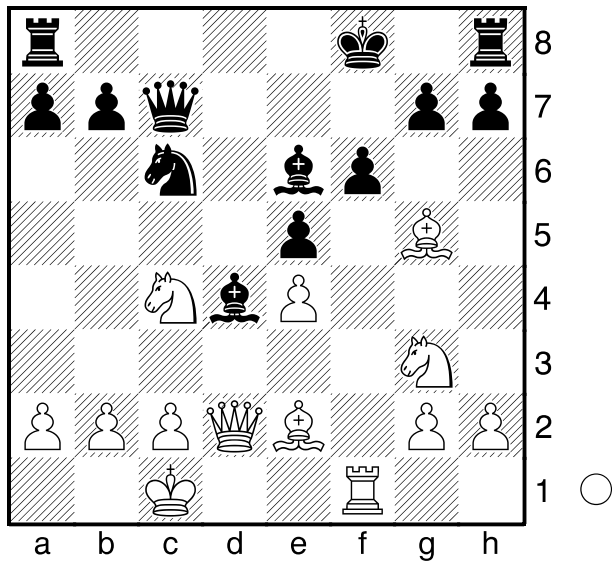
(Diagram)

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.d4 cxd4 4.Nxd4  
Nf6 5.Nc3 e5 6.Nde2 Bc5 7.Ng3 d6  
8.Bg5 Qb6 9.Qd2 Ng4



10.0-0-0 Bd4 11.Nb5 Nxf2 12.Nxd6+

Kf8 13.Nc4 Qc7 14.Be2 Nxh1 15.Rxh1  
Be6 16.Rf1 f6

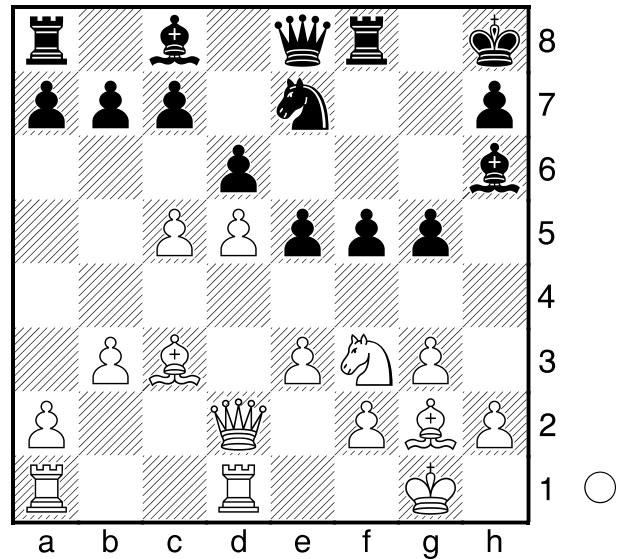


17.Bxf6 Kg8 18.Nh5 Rd8 19.Bxd8  
Nxd8 20.Qg5 g6 21.Qf6 Bc5 22.Nxe5  
Bxa2 23.Nxg6 Be3+ 24.Kd1 Qd7+  
25.Bd3 Qg4+ 26.Rf3 Qxf3+ 27.gxf3  
**1-0**

□ **Seitzer, Phillip** **A89** **2150**  
 ■ **Stevens, Adam Benjamin** **1653**  
 MI Vladimir Naroditsky mem TNM: 1800+ (7.9)  
*[Winslow, Elliott]*

1.d4 f5 2.c4 Nf6 3.Nf3 g6 4.g3 Bg7  
5.Bg2 0-0 6.0-0 d6 7.b3 Nc6 8.Bb2  
Ne4 9.Nc3 Nxc3 10.Bxc3 e5 11.d5  
Ne7 12.e3 Kh8 13.Qd2 Bh6 14.c5 g5  
15.Rfd1 Qe8

(Diagram)



16.Nxe5 dxe5 17.d6 Bg7 18.d7 Bxd7  
19.Qxd7 e4 20.Bxg7+ Kxg7 21.Qxc7  
Rc8 22.Qxb7 Rxc5 23.Qxa7  
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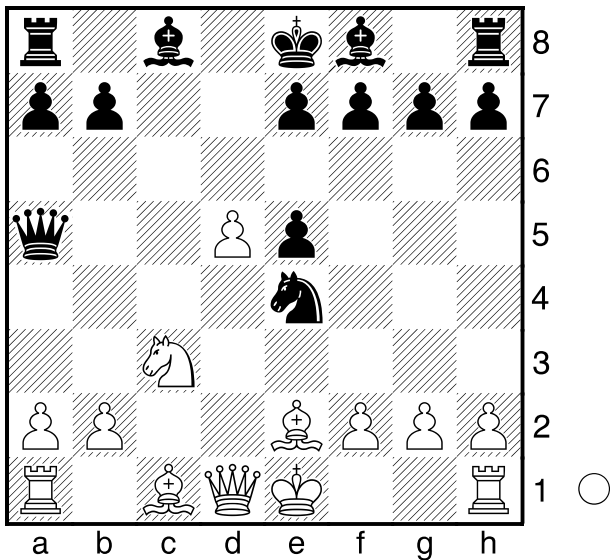
□ **Lamstein, Josh** **B08** **1753**  
 ■ **Kaplan, Glenn** **1608**  
 MI Vladimir Naroditsky mem TNM: 1800+ (7.10)

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5.0-0 0-0 6.Nc3 Bg4 7.h3 Bxf3 8.Qxf3  
Nc6 9.Be3 e5 10.Ne2 Ne8 11.c3 Ne7  
12.Ng3 c6 13.dxe5 Bxe5 14.Bd4 Bxd4  
15.cxd4 Qb6 16.Qe3 d5 17.e5 Qc7  
18.f4 f5 19.exf6 Rxf6 20.f5 Ng7  
21.fxg6 Rxf1+ 22.Rxf1 hxg6 23.Ne2  
Re8 24.Qg5 Rf8 25.Rxf8+ Kxf8  
26.Qf6+ Kg8 27.Nf4 Nef5 28.Nxg6 Qf7  
29.Qd8+ Kh7 30.Ne5 Qh5 31.Ng4 Kg6  
32.Qf6+ Kh7 33.Ne3 Kg8 34.Bxf5 Qe2  
35.Be6+ Kh7 36.Qh4+ Nh5 37.Qf2  
Qxf2+ 38.Kxf2 Nf4 39.Bf5+ Kg7 40.Kf3  
Nh5 41.Ng4 Kf7 42.Bc8 Ke7 43.Bxb7  
Kd6 44.Ne5 c5 45.Ke3 Ng3 46.Nf3  
Nf5+ 47.Kd3 c4+ 48.Kc3 Ne3 49.g4  
Nd1+ 50.Kc2 Nf2 51.Ng1 a5 52.g5  
Ne4 53.h4 Ke6 54.Nf3 Nd6 55.Bc6  
Nf5 56.h5 Ke7 57.Kc3 Ke6 58.b3

cxb3 59.Kxb3 Ne7 60.Be8 Nf5 61.h6  
 Ke7 62.h7 Nxd4+ 63.Nxd4 a4+  
 64.Kxa4 Kf8 65.h8Q+ Ke7 66.Nf5+  
 Kd8 67.Qf6+ Kc7 68.Qc6+ Kb8  
 69.Nd6  
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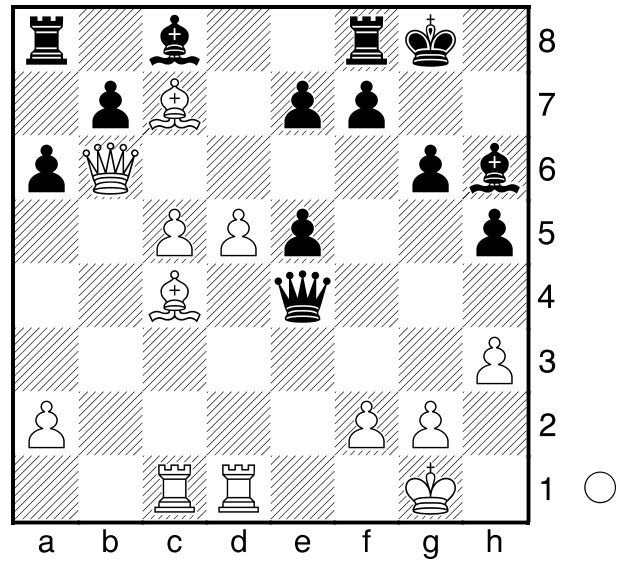
**Sanguinetti, George A** **B50**  
 **Li, David Z** **1930**  
 MI Vladimir Naroditsky mem TNM: 1800+ (7.11) **1716**  
*[Winslow, Elliott]*

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 d6 3.c3 Nf6 4.Be2 Nc6  
 5.d4 cxd4 6.cxd4 Nxe4 7.d5 Qa5+  
 8.Nc3 Ne5 9.Nxe5 dxe5

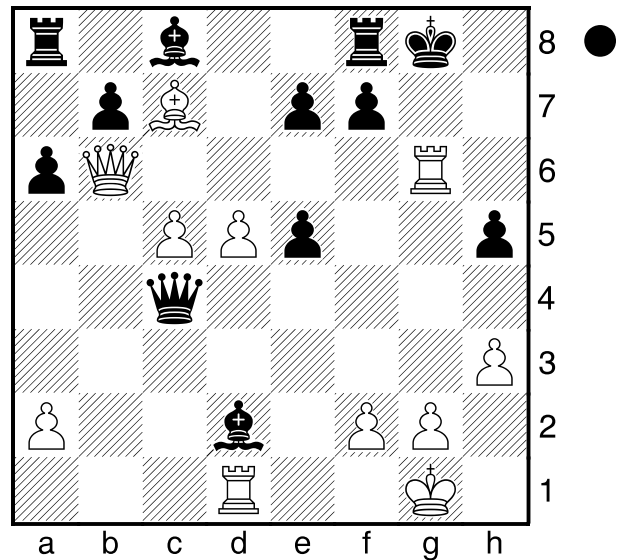


10.0-0 Nxc3 11.bxc3 g6 12.Qb3 a6  
 13.Be3 Qc7 14.Bb6 Qd7 15.c4 Bg7  
 16.Rac1 0-0 17.c5 Rb8 18.Rfd1 Qf5  
 19.h3 h5 20.Bc7 Ra8 21.Qb6 Qe4  
 22.Bc4 Bh6

(Diagram)



23.Rc3 Bd2 24.Rg3 Qxc4 25.Rxg6+



Kh7 26.Rg3 Bf4 27.Qb1+ f5 28.Rgd3  
 Qxc5 29.d6 Rf7 30.Bb6 Qc6 31.d7  
 Bxd7 32.Rxd7 Rg8 33.g4 hxg4 34.h4  
 g3 35.R1d5 gxf2+ 36.Kxf2 Qg6  
 37.Ke2 Qg2+ 38.Bf2 Rg3 39.Rd3  
 Qe4+ 40.Kf1 Qh1+  
**0-1**



**A00**  
 1731  
 1900  
 MI Vladimir Naroditsky mem TNM: 1800+ (7.12)

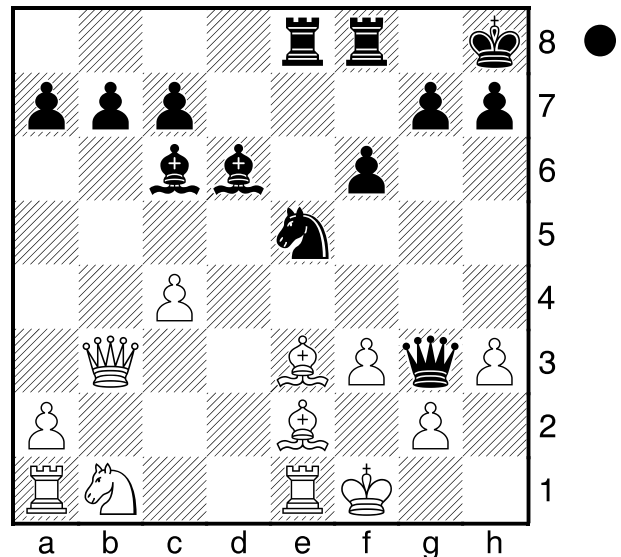
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 11.d4 a6 12.Nh4 Be4 13.Bd3 Qe7  
 14.Nf5 Qe6 15.Qg4 g6 16.Qxe4 Qxe4  
 17.Bxe4 Rxe4 18.Ng3 Ree8 19.e4  
 Nb6 20.a3 Bf8 21.d5 Na5 22.Nd2  
 Nac4 23.Nxc4 Nxc4 24.Bf6 Nxa3  
 25.e5 Nb5 26.Ne4 Rec8 27.Rfd1 Bg7  
 28.d6 cxd6 29.exd6 Bxf6 30.Nxf6+  
 Kg7 31.d7 Rd8 32.Ne4 b6 33.Rd3  
 Ra7 34.Rad1 h6 35.Rd5 f5 36.Nd6  
 Nc3 0-  
**0-1**

**D55**  
 1598  
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 MI Vladimir Naroditsky mem TNM: u1800 (7.13)  
 [Winslow,Elliott]

1.d4 d5 2.c4 e6 3.Nc3 Nf6 4.Bg5 Be7  
 5.Nf3 0-0 6.e3 b6 7.Bxf6 Bxf6 8.cxd5  
 exd5 9.Bd3 Bb7 10.0-0 c5 11.Rc1  
 Na6 12.a3 Nc7 13.g3 Ne6 14.h4 Bc8  
 15.Bf5 cxd4 16.exd4 Re8 17.Bb1 Nf8  
 18.Nb5 Re7 19.Nh2 Bh3 20.Re1  
 Rxe1+ 21.Qxe1 a6 22.Nc3 Bxd4  
 23.Rd1 Bc5 24.Nxd5 Qb8 25.Qc3 Ne6  
 26.b4 Bd6 27.Be4 Ra7 28.f4 h5  
 29.Rd2 a5 30.Nf3 axb4 31.axb4 f5  
 32.Bc2 Qa8 33.Bb3 Ra3 34.Nxb6 Qe4  
 35.Bxe6+ Qxe6 36.Qxa3 Bg4 37.--  
 (Both scoresheets give "Rd2") 37...Bc7  
 38.Qa8+ Kh7 39.Ng5+  
**1-0**

**C51**  
 1547  
 1582  
 MI Vladimir Naroditsky mem TNM: u1800 (7.14)  
 [Winslow,Elliott]

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bc4 Bc5 4.b4  
 Bxb4 5.c3 Be7 6.d4 Na5 7.Be2 exd4  
 8.Qxd4 Nf6 9.e5 Nc6 10.Qd3 Ng4  
 11.Bf4 d6 12.exd6 Bxd6 13.Bg5 f6  
 14.Bd2 0-0 15.Qc4+ Kh8 16.0-0 Qe8  
 17.Re1 Nce5 18.Nxe5 Nxe5 19.Qb3  
 Qg6 20.c4 Bd7 21.f3 Bc6 22.h3 Qg3  
 23.Kf1 Rae8 24.Be3



Nxf3 25.Bxf3 Bxf3 26.gxf3 Qxf3+  
 27.Kg1 Bc5 28.Nd2 Qg3+ 29.Kh1  
 Qxh3+ 30.Kg1 Rxe3  
**0-1**

**A03**  
 1522  
 1356  
 MI Vladimir Naroditsky mem TNM: u1800 (7.15)  
 [Winslow,Elliott]

1.f4 d5 2.Nf3 c5 3.b3 g6 4.Bb2 Nf6  
 5.e3 Bg7 6.Be2 0-0 7.0-0 Nc6 8.Ne5  
 Nxe5 9.fxe5 Ne4 10.d3 Nd6 11.Qc1  
 Nf5 12.g4 Nh4 13.d4 b6 14.c4 Bb7

15.Nd2 Bh6 16.Qc3 e6 17.Nf3 dxc4  
 18.bxc4 b5 19.d5 b4 20.Qd2 exd5  
 21.Nxh4 Qxh4 22.cxd5 Qg5 23.Rf4  
 Qd8 24.e4 Qb6 25.Bc4 Ba6 26.Bxa6  
 Qxa6 27.Qf2 Bxf4 28.Qxf4 Qe2  
 29.Rb1 Qc2 30.Qc1 Qxe4 31.Qd1 c4  
 32.Qe1 Qxg4+ 33.Kf2 c3 34.Ba1  
 Qd4+ 35.Qe3 Qxd5 36.Rxb4 Qxa2+  
 37.Bb2 cxb2 38.h4 b1Q+ (Here the  
 game went "39.Rxb1 Qxb1 40.Kg3 Qf5  
 and 0-1 in another move.)

0-1

□ Kingma, Karl Stuart

■ Chan, John

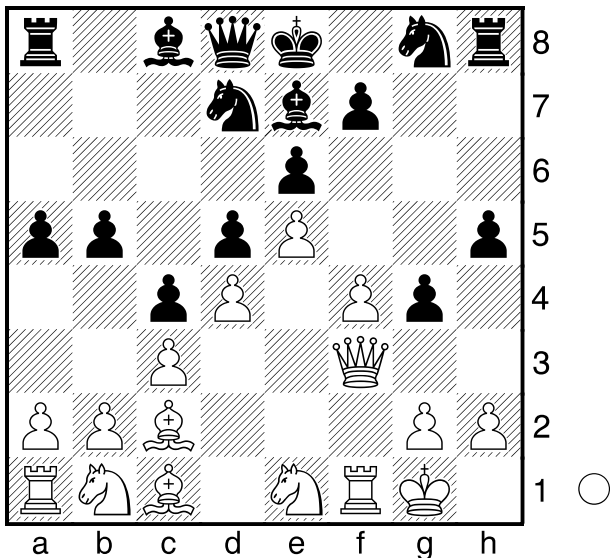
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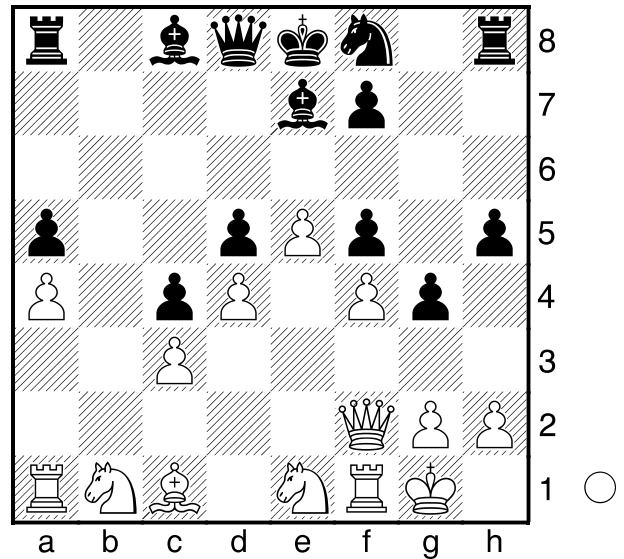
MI Vladimir Naroditsky mem TNM: u1800 (7.16)  
 [Winslow, Elliott]

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.e5 Nd7 4.Nf3 h6  
 5.Bd3 c5 6.c3 c4 7.Bc2 b5 8.0-0 a5  
 9.Ne1 Be7 10.Qg4 g5 11.f4 h5 12.Qf3  
 g4

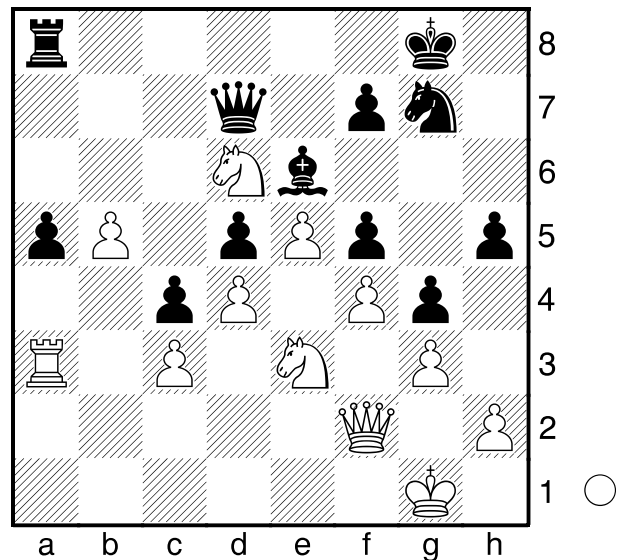


13.Qf2 Nf8 14.b3 Nh6 15.bxc4 bxc4  
 16.a4 Nf5 17.Bxf5 exf5

(Diagram)

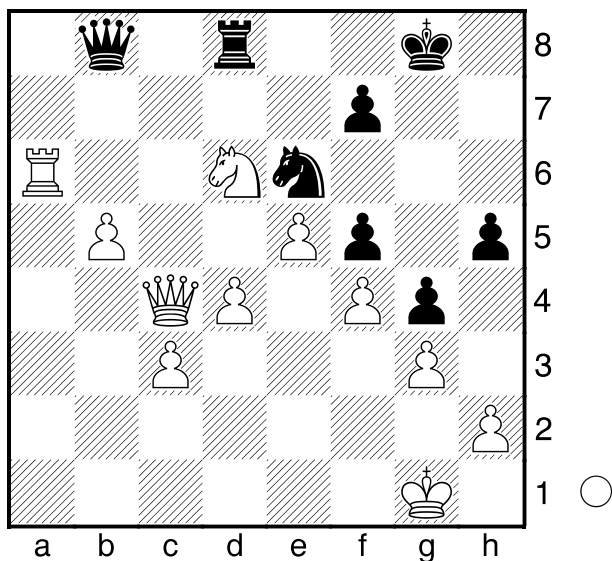


18.Na3 Ne6 19.Nec2 Bh4 20.g3 Be7  
 21.Ne3 Ng7 22.Nb5 Be6 23.Ba3 Bxa3  
 24.Rxa3 0-0 25.Nd6 Qd7 26.Rb1  
 Rab8 27.Rb5 Rxb5 28.axb5 Ra8



29.Qg2 Rb8 30.Nxd5 Bxd5 31.Qxd5  
 Ne6 32.Rxa5 Qc7 33.Ra6 Rd8  
 34.Qxc4 Qb8

(Diagram)



35.Nxf7 Re8 36.Ng5 Qc8 37.Qxc8  
Rxc8 38.Nxe6 Rxc3 39.b6 Rc1+  
40.Kf2 Rc2+ 41.Ke3 Rb2 42.Ra8+ Kf7  
43.b7  
**1-0**

□ Gu, Chunhui

■ Ayala, Nicholas

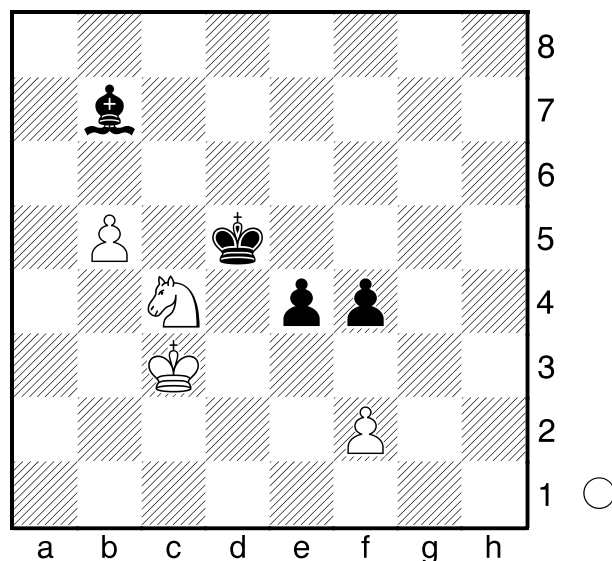
MI Vladimir Naroditsky mem TNM: u1800 (7.17)  
[Winslow, Elliott]

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.d4 cxd4 4.Nxd4  
e6 5.Nc3 Nf6 6.a3 Bc5 7.Be3 Qb6  
8.Na4 Qa5+ 9.c3 Bxd4 10.Bxd4 e5  
11.b4 Qc7 12.Be3 Nxe4 13.Bd3 d5  
14.Bxe4 dxe4 15.Bc5 b6 16.Bd6 Qd7  
17.c4 Qe6 18.Qd5 Qxd5 19.cxd5 Nd4  
20.Bxe5 Nc2+ 21.Kd2 Nxa1 22.Rxa1  
Bd7 23.Nc3 0-0 24.Bc7 Rfe8 25.Ke3  
f5 26.d6 Re6 27.g3 Kf8 28.Nd5 Ke8  
29.Bxb6 axb6 30.Nc7+ Kd8 31.Nxa8  
Rxd6 32.Rc1 Rd3+ 33.Ke2 Rxa3  
34.Nxb6 Bb5+ 35.Ke1 Ra2 36.Rd1+  
Bd3 37.Rd2 Ra1+ 38.Rd1 Ra6  
39.Nd5 Ra2 40.Rd2 Ra1+ 41.Rd1  
Rxd1+ 42.Kxd1 Kd7 43.Kd2 Kd6  
44.Nf4 Bb5 45.Kc3 Ke5 46.h4 Bf1  
47.Nh5 g6 48.Nf4 Bb5 49.Ng2 h6

**B45**

**50.Ne3 g5 51.hxg5 hxg5 52.Nc4+**

**Kd5 53.Ne3+ Ke5 54.Nc4+ Kd5**  
**55.Na3 Bc6 56.b5 Bb7 57.Nc4 f4**  
**58.gxf4 gxf4**



**59.b6??** Woops!  
[ 59.Na5 happens to be simply  
winning for White! ]  
**59...Kc5** (0.00)  
1/2-1/2

□ Zirbel, Dominic

■ Calvert, Sam

MI Vladimir Naroditsky mem TNM: u1800 (7.18)  
[Winslow, Elliott]

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 d6 3.Bb5+ Nc6 4.0-0  
Bd7 5.Re1 a6 6.Bf1 Bg4 7.h3 Bh5  
[ 7...Bxf3 8.Qxf3 g6 ]  
8.g4 Bg6 9.Nh4 e6 10.Nxg6 hxg6  
11.d3 Be7 12.Be3 Bh4 13.Nd2 Ne5  
14.Bg2 Ne7 15.Rf1 g5 16.f4 gxf4  
17.Bxf4 N7g6 18.Bh2 Qb6 19.Nc4  
Nxc4 20.dxc4 e5 21.Qd5 0-0 22.b3  
Bg5 23.Rf3 Nf4 24.Bxf4 Bxf4 25.Rd1  
Rad8 26.h4 g5 27.hxg5 Bxg5 28.Rf5  
Be3+ 29.Kh1 Kg7 30.Rd3 Rh8+  
31.Bh3 Rxh3+ 32.Kg2 Qc7 33.Kxh3  
Rh8+ 34.Kg2 Bf4 35.Rh5 Qd7 36.Rf5

**B51**

**1432**

**0**

Rh6 37.Rh3 Rg6 38.Kf3 f6 39.Qd1  
 Qd8 40.Qh1 Rh6 41.Rxh6 Bxh6  
 42.Rh5 Qa5 43.Qd1 Qc3+ 44.Qd3  
 Qe1 45.Qe2 Qc3+ 46.Kg2 Bf4  
 47.Rh3 Qa5 48.a4 Kg6 49.Rd3 Qc7  
 50.Qd1 Qh7 51.Qh1 Qd7 52.Qh5+  
 Kg7 53.Qf5 Qe7 54.Rh3 Bh6 55.Qh5  
 Qd7 56.Qxh6+ Kg8 57.Qh8+ Kf7  
 58.Rh7+  
 1-0

Wang, Frank **C02**  
**1046**  
 Toledo Guerrero, Fernando **0**  
 MI Vladimir Naroditsky mem TNM: u1800 (7.19)

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.Qe2 Ne7 12.Rd1 Nc6 13.Be3 Qxe5  
 14.f4 Qc7 15.Nxd5 Qd6 16.Bc4 exd5  
 17.Bc5+ Qe6 18.Qf2 Bxc5 19.Qxc5  
 Qe7 20.Qxd5 Be6 21.Qh5 g6 22.Qf3  
 Qc5+ 23.Kh1 Qxc4 24.Rac1 Qb5  
 25.Rd6 0-0 26.h4 Rad8 27.Rcd1 Rxd6  
 28.Rxd6 Rd8  
 0-1

Hule, Pratyush **C02**  
**1235**  
 Cooper, Lee **1587**  
 MI Vladimir Naroditsky mem TNM: u1800 (7.21)  
*[Winslow, Elliott]*

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.e5 c5 4.Nc3  
 [ 4.c3 ]  
 4...Nc6 5.Nf3 Bd7 6.Be2 cxd4 7.Nxd4  
 Nxe5 8.0-0 Nf6 9.Bg5 Be7 10.h3 0-0  
 11.f4 Ng6 12.g4 h6 13.Bxf6 Bxf6  
 14.f5 exf5 15.gxf5 Bxd4+ 16.Qxd4  
 Qg5+ 17.Qg4 Qe3+ 18.Rf2 Ne7  
 19.Qf3 Qg5+ 20.Kh2 Qf6 21.Nxd5  
 Nxd5 22.c3 Bc6 23.Qg3 Rfe8 24.Re1  
 Re3 25.Qg4 Rae8 26.Qd4 Qd6+

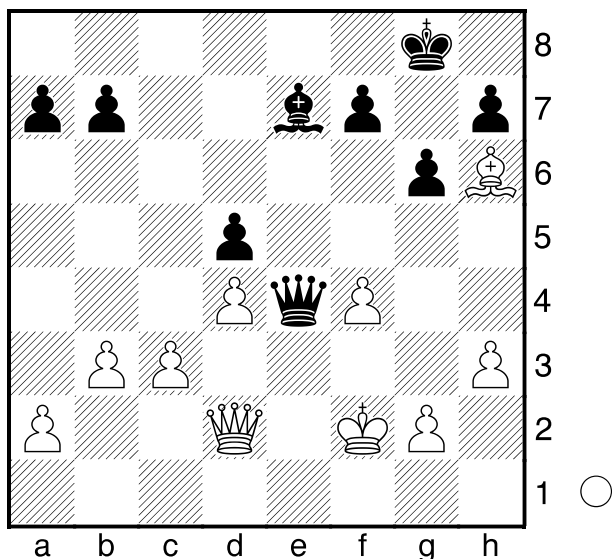
27.Kg1 Qg3+ 28.Kf1 Qxh3+ 29.Rg2  
 Nf6 30.Qxa7 Qxg2#  
 0-1

Tam, Hoa Long **C58**  
**1365**  
 Casares, Nick **1600**  
 MI Vladimir Naroditsky mem TNM: u1800 (7.22)

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bc4 Nf6 4.Ng5  
 d5 5.exd5 Na5 6.Bb5+ c6 7.dxc6  
 bxc6 8.Bd3 h6 9.Ne4 Be7 10.0-0 0-0  
 11.Nbc3 Nxe4 12.Bxe4 f5 13.Bf3 e4  
 14.Be2 Kh7 15.d3 Ba6 16.dxe4 Bxe2  
 17.Qxe2 f4 18.Rd1 Qc7 19.f3 Qe5  
 20.a3 Nb7 21.Bd2 Nd8 22.Be1 Nf7  
 23.Rd3 Qh5 24.Rad1 Ne5 25.R3d2  
 Bc5+ 26.Bf2 Bxf2+ 27.Qxf2 Nc4  
 28.Rd4 Ne3 29.R1d3 Qc5 30.b4 Qg5  
 31.Nd1 c5 32.bxc5 Qxc5 33.Nxe3 fxe3  
 34.Qxe3 Qxc2 35.Qd2 Qb1+ 36.Qd1  
 Qb6 37.Qb3 Qc5 38.Qc4 Qa5 39.Qb4  
 Qg5 40.Rd5 Qc1+ 41.Kf2 Rab8  
 42.Qc3 Rb2+ 43.Kg3 Qg5+?? 44.Rxg5  
 1-0

Gu, Thomas **C42**  
**1269**  
 Starr, Albert Martin **1500**  
 MI Vladimir Naroditsky mem TNM: u1800 (7.23)  
*[Winslow, Elliott]*

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nf6 3.Nxe5 d6 4.Nf3  
 Nxe4 5.Nc3 Nxc3 6.dxc3 Be7 7.Bd3  
 [ 7.Be3 intending Qd2, 0-0-0, Rg1, g2-  
 g4 ]  
 7...0-0 8.0-0 g6 9.Re1 Nc6 10.Nd4  
 Ne5 11.Bh6 Re8 12.Bb5 Bd7  
 13.Bxd7 Qxd7 14.h3 Bf6 15.f4 Nc4  
 16.b3 Ne3 17.Qd3 c5 18.Rxe3 Rxe3  
 19.Qxe3 Re8 20.Qd2 cxd4 21.cxd4  
 Re4 22.c3 d5 ±/± 23.Re1 Qe7  
 24.Rxe4 Qxe4 25.Kf2 Be7  
 (Diagram)



26.Qe2?? Bh4+  
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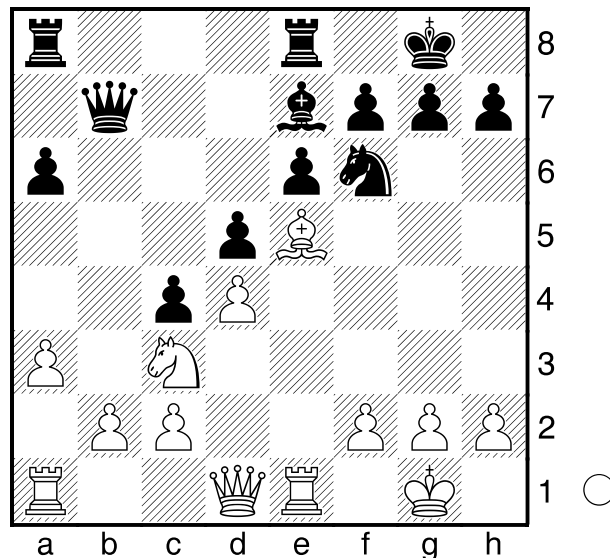
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 Thibault,William C 1187  
 MI Vladimir Naroditsky mem TNM: u1800 (7.24)

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 5.Nf3 Nbd7 6.e5 dxe5 7.fxe5 Ng8  
 8.e6 fxe6 9.Bd3 Ngf6 10.Qe2 Nb6  
 11.Bg5 0-0 12.0-0-0 Nbd5 13.Ne4  
 Nxe4 14.Qxe4 Nb4 15.Bc4 Qd7  
 16.Ne5 Bxe5 17.dxe5 Qe8 18.Bh6 Rf7  
 19.Rhf1 Qc6 20.Rd8+  
**1-0**

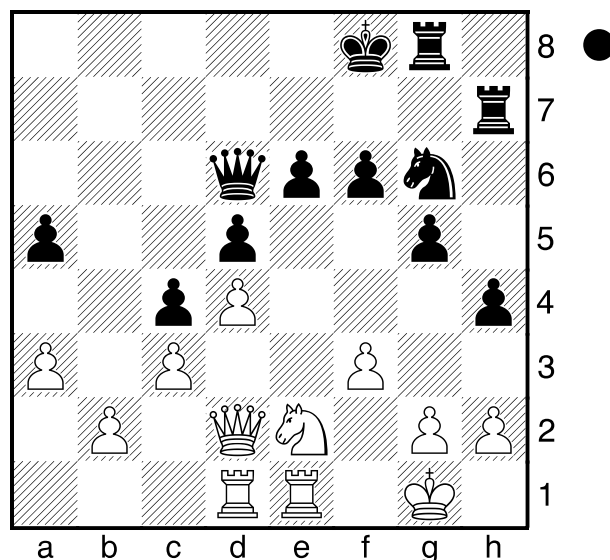
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 Hilliard,Michael R 1400  
 MI Vladimir Naroditsky mem TNM: u1800 (7.25)  
*[Winslow,Elliott]*

1.e4 c6 2.d4 d5 3.exd5 cxd5 4.Nc3  
 Nf6 5.Bb5+ Nc6 6.Nf3 a6 7.Ba4 b5  
 8.Bb3 e6 9.a3 Bd6 10.Be3 0-0 11.0-0  
 Bd7 12.Re1 Na5 13.Bg5 Nc4  
 14.Bxc4 bxc4 15.Ne5 Be7 16.Nxd7

Qxd7 17.Bf4 Rfe8 18.Be5 Qb7

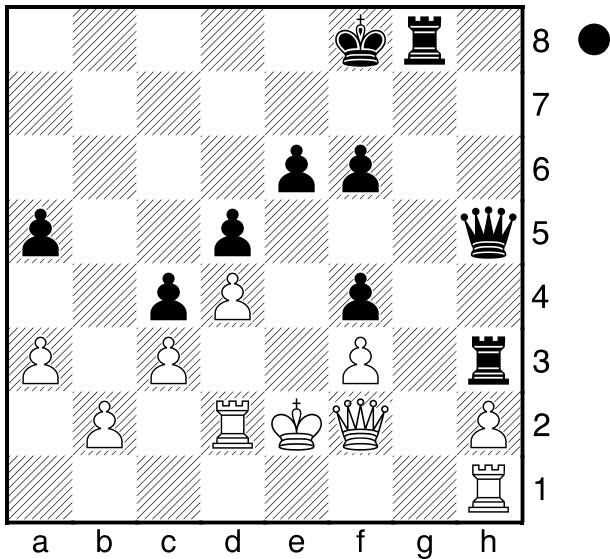


19.Rb1 Qc6 20.f3 Nd7 21.Bf4 Bd6  
 22.Bxd6 Qxd6 23.Ne2 f6 24.Ng3 g6  
 25.c3 Re7 26.Qc2 Rae8 27.Rbd1 Kg7  
 28.Qd2 h5 29.Ne2 g5 30.Nc1 h4  
 31.Na2 a5 32.Nc1 Nf8 33.Ne2 Ng6  
 34.Kh1 Rg8 35.Kg1 Kf8 36.Kh1 Rh7  
 37.Kg1



Nf4 38.Nxf4 gxf4 39.Kf1 h3 40.gxh3  
 Rxh3 41.Qf2 Qe7 42.Rd2 Qf7 43.Ke2  
 Qh5 44.Rh1

(Diagram)



**Qg6**

[ 44...Rxf3! ]

**45.Ke1 Qh5 46.Ke2 Rh8 47.Qg2 Kf7**

**48.Kf2 Rg8**

**0-1**

□ **Horde,Nicolas**

■ **Wei,Brian**

MI Vladimir Naroditsky mem TNM: u1800 (7.26)

[Horde,Nicolas]

**1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nf6 3.Nxe5 d6 4.Nf3**

**Nxe4 5.Nc3 Nxc3 6.dxc3 Be7 7.Be3**

**0-0 8.Qd2 Nd7 9.0-0-0 Nf6 10.h3**

Preventing Bg4 even though the pin is helping White starting the kingside pawn storm

[ 10.Bd3 Continuing development Bg4

11.h3 ]

**10...Be6 11.Kb1 Ne4 12.Qe1?!**

Completely hallucinated and thought that f2 was not protected

[ 12.Qd3! d5 13.Nd4 ]

**12...c6? 13.Bd3 f5** Too weakening and

now gives me a hook to open up the kingside. I debated between Nd4 and g4 for a very long time

**14.g4**

[ 14.Nd4! Bd7 15.g4 Much better

order f4 16.Bxe4 fxe3 17.Qxe3 d5 18.Bf5 ]

**14...Qa5**

[ 14...Bd5 White is still better but this is the "refutation" of g4 that I did not find 15.Nh2 b5 ]

**15.a3**

[ 15.c4 I did not want to exchange queens as I want to continue attacking Black's king. SF finds an advantage but I think what I played is much easier for a human Qxe1 16.Rhxex1 Rae8 17.Nd4 Bd7 18.Nxf5 Bxf5 19.gxf5 Nc5 20.Bf4 Bh4 SF gives +1.5 due to the positional advantage but I would rather play for the mate ]

**15...h6** After f5, this is too much and I knew it was time to start some tactics. I got the right ideas but the wrong "best" execution. SF gives +5 (!) due to Black's kingside weakness, lack of pieces harmony and the tactics that will flow. My opponent told me during our post-mortem that he calculated some variations where he takes on g4 and I have Bxh7 at the end but he forgot that I will be the one taking on f5 first.

[ 15...Bf6 ]

[ 15...Rae8 16.Nd4 Bh4 17.gxf5 Bxf5 18.Nxf5 Qxf5 19.Bxa7 Qf3

With a balanced position ]

**16.Nd4!**

[ 16.gxf5 Bxf5 17.Nd4 Also good for White ]

**16...Bd7 17.gxf5**

[ 17.f3! Ng5 18.Bxf5 Bxf5 19.Nxf5 Rae8 Winning a clean pawn and keeping as many pieces as possible for the attack ]

**17...Bxf5**

[ 17...Nc5 18.Be2 ]

**18.Nxf5** Advantage went down from +8 (!! ) to +5, I don't think I can categorize this move as a blunder :)

[ 18.Bxh6! Nxc3+ 19.bxc3 Bxd3

20.Qxe7 Qe5 21.Qxe5 dxe5  
22.Rxd3 gxh6 23.Rg1+ ]

### 18...Qxf5 19.Bxh6

[ 19.f3! I saw that move but decided to go fancy instead Qxf3 ( 19...Qe5 )  
20.Rf1 Qxh3 21.Rxf8+ Bxf8  
22.Bxe4 ]

**19...gxh6** I thought I messed up as I thought I was forced to exchange queens. I spent 20 minutes but finally found the winning idea. This only works because my d3 bishop can put Black's king in check, preventing the queen exchange. So yeah, I got very lucky here...

[ 19...d5 20.Rg1 Rf7 21.Be3  
Still completely crushing for White but Black keeps some pieces ]

### 20.Bxe4

[ 20.Qxe4?? Qxe4 21.Bxe4 Rxf2  
White's advantage is all gone ]

**20...Qxf2 21.Bh7+!** The winning idea. It's not that I can exchange more pieces but it's more that I keep my queen on the board

[ 21.Qxf2?? Rxf2 Same ]  
[ 21.Bd5+!! cxd5 22.Qxe7 Creating more weaknesses in Black's position ]

### 21...Kxh7 22.Qxe7+ Rf7 23.Qxd6

Up a pawn but this is crushing because I have total board domination and Black's king is way too weak. **23...Qh4 24.Rhg1 Qe7 25.Qg6+ Kh8 26.Qxh6+ Rh7 27.Qd6 Re8?** Allowing me to exchange queens in an even more advantageous way

[ 27...Qxd6 28.Rxd6 Rxh3 29.Rd7  
The idea behind exchanging queens Rh7 30.Rgd1 ]

### 28.Qd4+

[ 28.Qxe7 Rxe7 ( 28...Rhxe7 )  
29.Rd8+ Re8 30.Rxe8# ]

### 28...Rg7 29.Rxg7 Qxg7 30.Qxg7+ Kxg7 31.Rd7+ Kf6 32.Rxb7

We went on to blitz the remaining moves in ~10 minutes **32...Re1+ 33.Ka2 Re2**

**34.Kb3 Rh2 35.Rxa7 Rxh3 36.Ra6 Ke5 37.Rxc6 Kd5 38.Rc4 Rh7 39.Rd4+ Kc5 40.a4 Rb7+ 41.Rb4 Ra7 42.Rb5+ Kc6 43.c4 Rg7 44.c3 Ra7 45.Kb4 Ra8 46.a5 Ra7 47.Rb6+ Kd7 48.Kb5** Black resigns. The story of the game is that Black created too many weaknesses on the kingside where the pawn storm happened leading to an untenable position. I saw the general tactical ideas but messed up a little bit in the execution. That was a fun tournament and I'll be back for the next one. :)

**1-0**

**A25**

**Hack, Richard** **1500**

**Clark, Drew H** **1318**

MI Vladimir Naroditsky mem TNM: u1800 (7.27)

[Hack, Richard]

1.c4 e5 2.g3 Nf6 3.Bg2 Bc5 4.Nc3 Nc6 This has become the Three Knights System of the English Opening with 4... Bc5. 5.a3 a6 6.e3 0-0 7.b4 Ba7 8.Nge2 d6 9.0-0 White is not tempted to give up the g2 bishop just to double the c-pawns and open the b-file for Black. The literature suggests ...Be6, then ... Qd7 with the idea of ...Bh3, among other things. 9...Bd7 10.Bb2 Qe7 11.Nd5 I wanted to drive the knight back to the first rank and try to improve my position a little. 11...Nxd5 12.cxd5 Nd8 13.Kh1 The machine wants a4 or Qb3 and lowered White's advantage by a couple of pawns. 13...c5 My energetic and optimistic opponent nearly won this donnybrook. 14.f4 f6 15.Nc3 Nf7 16.Rc1 b5 17.Qe2 Nh6 18.h3 Nf5 19.Kh2 c4 20.Be4 Qe8 21.g4 Ne7 22.f5 g6 23.Rg1 Kh8 24.Rcf1 g5 25.Bf3 Qd8 26.Qf2 Rf7 27.Be4 h6 28.h4 Rh7 29.Rh1 Qg8 30.Bf3 Be8

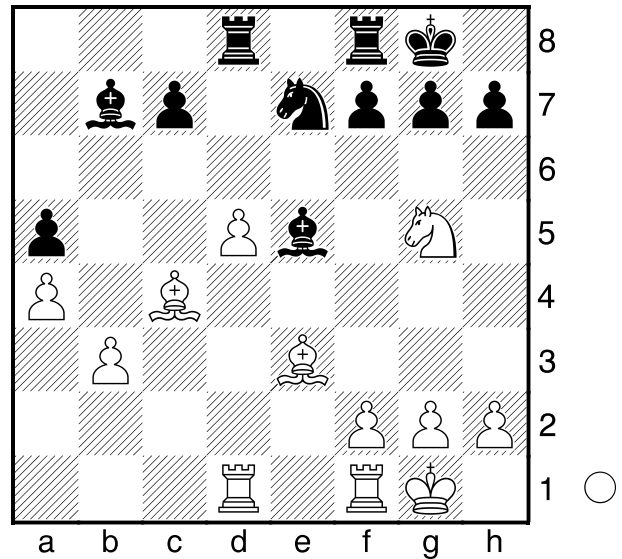
31.Ne4 Qf8 32.Nxd6 Bf7 33.Nxf7+ Qxf7 34.d6 Nd5 35.Qg2 Nxe3 36.dxe3 Rd8 37.hxg5 hxg5+ 38.Kg3 Bxe3 39.Rxh7+ Kxh7 40.Rh1+ Kg7 41.Bd5 This takes away White's imminent win. 41.Qh3 was much better on this move instead of the next. 41...Qa7 42.Qh3 Instead, 42.Bxe5 seems to promise a quick mate. 42...Bf2+ 43.Kg2 Bh4 44.Qf3 Rxd6 45.Rxh4 45.Rd1 or 45.Rf1 was better. Now the advantage flips to Black. 45...gxh4 46.g5 Qe7 46...Qd7 was much better! 47.gxf6+ Qxf6 48.Qg4+ Kh7 Alas, 48...Kf8 was much better. Now it's mate in three. 49.Qg8+ Kh6 50.Bc1+ Kh5 51.Bf3#

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Otterbach,Renate C41 1121  
 Bayaraa,Timothy 1438  
 MI Vladimir Naroditsky mem TNM: u1800 (7.30) [Winslow,Elliott]

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.d4 d6 [ 3...exd4! ]  
 4.dxe5 dxe5 5.Qxd8+ Nxd8 6.Nxe5 Bd6 7.Nf3 Nc6 8.Bb5 Bd7 9.Nc3 Nge7 10.Be3 0-0 11.0-0 Be6 12.Ng5 Bc8 13.Nd5 Nxd5 14.exd5 Ne7 15.c4 a6 16.Ba4 b5 17.Bb3 bxc4 18.Bxc4 Bb7 19.Rad1 a5 20.a4 Be5 21.b3 Rad8

(Diagram)



22.Bc5 Bd6 23.Bxd6 Rxd6 24.Ne4 Rdd8 25.d6 cxd6 26.Nxd6 Rb8 27.Rfe1 Ng6 28.Rd2 h6 29.Rde2 Bc6 30.Nf5 Kh7 31.Ne7 Nxe7 32.Rxe7 f5 33.Ra7 Ra8 34.Rae7 Rad8 35.f3 Rd4 36.R7e5 Ra8 37.Rxf5 Bxa4 38.Bd5 Rd8 39.Be4 g6 40.Rxa5 Bxb3 41.h4 Kg7 42.Bc6 1/2-1/2

Sullivan,George T B16 960  
 Cao,Danny Du Uy 1048  
 MI Vladimir Naroditsky mem TNM: u1800 (7.31)

1.e4 c6 2.d4 d5 3.Nc3 dxe4 4.Nxe4 Nf6 5.Nxf6+ gxf6 6.Nf3 Bg4 7.Be2 e6 8.h3 Bxf3 9.Bxf3 Bd6 10.Be3 Nd7 11.Qd2 Qc7 12.0-0-0 [ 12.Ke2 0-0-0 ] 12...a5 13.g3 a4 14.a3 Nb6 [ 14...b5 ] 15.Be2 Nd5 16.f4 Ke7 17.c3 b5 18.Rhg1 f5 19.g4 Nxe3 20.gxf5 [ 20.Qxe3 Bxf4 21.Qxf4 Qxf4+ ] 20...Nxd1 [ 20...Nxf5 ] 21.Qxd1 Bxf4+ 22.Kc2 Rhg8 23.Bh5 Rxc1 24.Qxc1 exf5 25.Qg7 Rf8



26.Qxh7 Qc8 27.Qg7 Qe8 28.Qg1

[ 28.Qg2 Rg8 29.Qe2+ Kd8 ]

28...Kd7

[ 28...Rg8 29.Qe1+ Kd7 ]

29.Qf2 Qe4+ 30.Kd1 Qb1+

[ 30...Qh1+ ]

31.Ke2 Re8+

[ 31...Qc2+ 32.Kf1 Qxf2+ 33.Kxf2 ]

32.Kf3

[ 32.Qe3 Rxe3+ ]

32...Qe4#

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Albukerk,Eli

Booth,Kyle Ewart Coventry

MI Vladimir Naroditsky mem TNM: u1800 (7.32)

[Winslow,Elliott]

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 a6 3.Nc3 e6 4.d4 cxd4

5.Nxd4 e5?! 6.Nf3 Nc6 7.Bc4 Bb4

8.Qd5 Bxc3+ 9.bxc3 Qe7 10.Ng5 Nh6

11.0-0 0-0 12.Nf3 Ng4 13.Bg5 Nf6

14.Qd2 Nxe4 15.Bxe7 Nxd2 16.Bxf8

Nxf1 17.Bd6 e4 18.Ng5 Nd2 19.Bxf7+

Kh8 20.Bd5 Na5 21.Be5 h6 22.Nf7+

Kh7 23.Rd1 Ndc4 24.Bxe4+ g6

25.Rd3 d6 26.Nxd6 Be6 27.Nxc4

Nxc4 28.Bf6 Rf8 29.Bd4 Re8 30.Rg3

Bf5 31.f3 Bxe4 32.fxe4 Rxe4 33.Rf3

Nd6 34.Rf8 g5 35.Rd8 Re6 36.g4

Re1+ 37.Kf2 Re6 38.Rh8+ Kg6

39.Rg8+ Kf7 40.Rg7+ Ke8 41.Rg8+

Kf7 42.Rd8 Ke7 43.Rh8 Ne4+ 44.Kg2

Nd6 45.Kf3 Kd7 46.Bg7 Nf7 47.Rh7

Rc6 48.Bd4 Ke6 49.Rg7 Ne5+ 50.Kg3

Kd5 51.Rxb7 Ke4 52.Re7 Kd5

53.Rxe5+ Kc4 54.h4 gxh4+ 55.Kxh4

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Bakke,Erik

Ahrens,Richard William

MI Vladimir Naroditsky mem TNM: u1800 (7.34)

[Winslow,Elliott]

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Nc3 Nf6 4.d3

Bb4 5.Bg5 0-0 6.Be2 Bxc3+ 7.bxc3

d6 8.0-0 h6 9.Bxf6 Qxf6 10.d4 Bg4

11.d5 Bxf3 12.Bxf3 Ne7 13.Qb1

Rab8 14.Qb5 c6 15.Qa5 Rfc8

16.Qxa7 cxd5 17.exd5 Ng6 18.Rab1

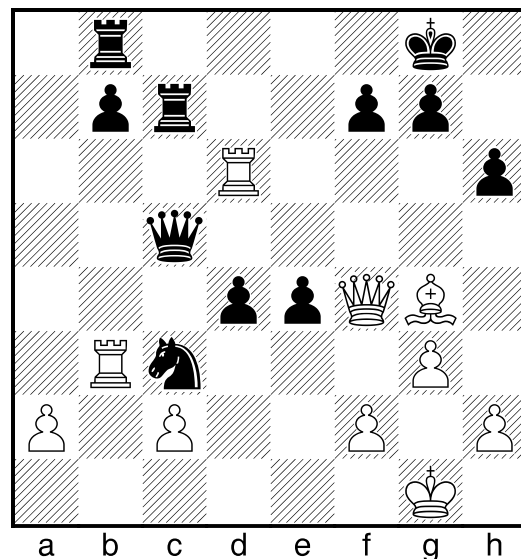
Qe7 19.Qe3 Qc7 20.Rb3 Qc4

21.Rfb1 Nf4 22.g3 Nxd5 23.Qd2

Nxc3 24.R1b2 d5 25.Rb4 Qc6

26.R2b3 e4 27.Bg4 Rc7 28.Rb6 Qc5

29.Qf4 d4!-+ 30.Rd6



f5 Still good for Black, but tricky.

[ 30...Rf8! ]

[ 30...Re8! ]

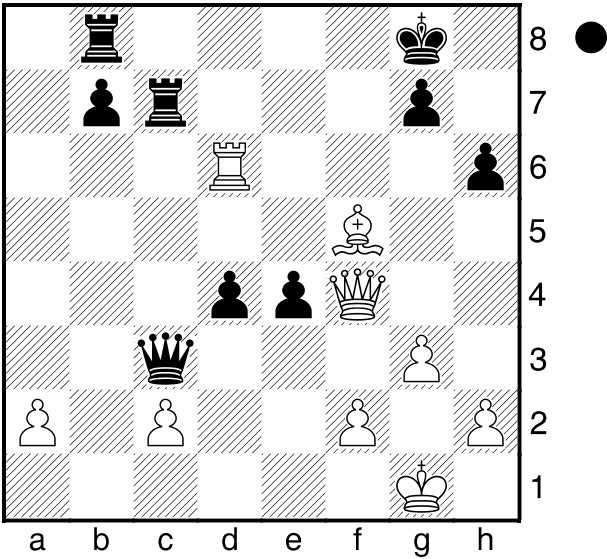
[ 30...Ra8! ]

31.Rxc3!? Interesting, but shouldn't work.

[ Same for 31.Rd7!? Rxd7 32.Qxb8+ Kh7 33.Bh5 g6 ]

31...Qxc3 32.Bxf5

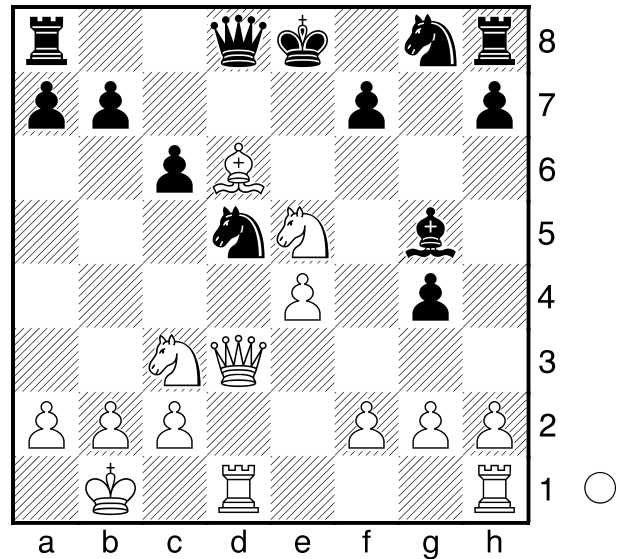
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Lyles, William  
 Myers, Steven Lee  
 MI Vladimir Naroditsky mem TNM: u1800 (7.35)  
*[Winslow, Elliott]*

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 d6 3.d4 Nc6 4.Bb5  
Bd7 5.dxe5 Nxe5 6.Bxd7+ Nxd7 7.Nc3  
c6 8.Bf4 Nb6 9.Qd3 Be7 10.0-0-0 g5  
11.Bxd6 g4 12.Ne5 Bg5+ 13.Kb1 Nd5



**Rf8?**

[ 32...e3! Alas, the only winner, and not all that easy to find. 33.Kg2

- A)** Not that 33...Re8 is bad;  
34.Be6+ Rxe6! 35.Rxe6 ( 35.Rd8+ Kh7 36.Qf5+ Rg6 ) 35...Qxc2-+;
- B)** 33...Re7! 34.Rxd4 ( 34.Rxh6 gxh6 35.Qxb8+ Kg7 ) 34...Rf8 35.Bh7+ Kxh7 36.Qxf8 e2!-+ runaway promoter! ]

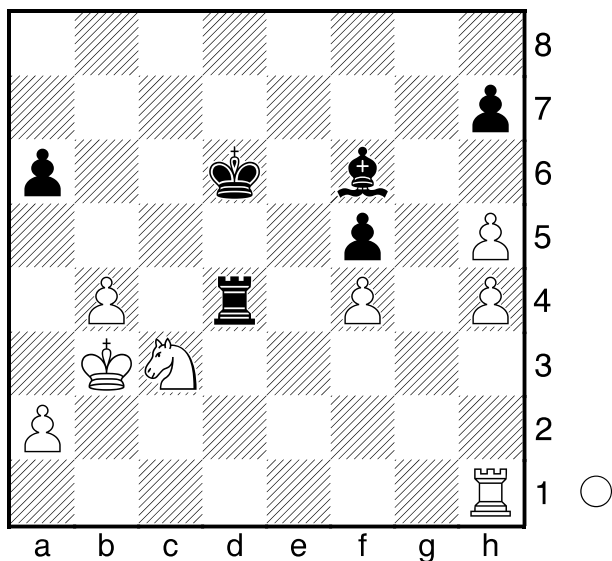
**33.Be6+** This is also complicated but White gets there first: **33...Kh8?**

[ 33...Rcf7 34.Bxf7+ Rxf7 ( 34...Kh8 35.Rxh6+ gxh6 36.Qxh6#; 34...Kh7 35.Qf5+ Kh8 36.Rxh6+ gxh6 37.Qf6+ Kh7 38.Qg6+ Kh8 39.Qxh6# ) 35.Rd8+ Kh7 36.Qxe4+ mates ( 36.Qxf7 of course wins, too ) 36...g6 37.Qe8 ]

**34.Qxf8+ Kh7 35.Bf5+ g6 36.Bxg6# 1-0**

14.exd5 Qxd6 15.Nxg4 0-0-0 16.dxc6 Qxd3 17.cxb7+ Kxb7 18.Rxd3 Rxd3 19.cxd3 Nf6 20.Ne5 Rf8 21.h3 Nh5 22.g3 f6 23.Nd7 Rc8 24.Rd1 Kc6 25.h4 Bh6 26.g4 Kxd7 27.gxh5 Kd6 28.d4 a6 29.Kc2 Bg7 30.b4 f5 31.f4 Bf6 32.Rh1 Rc4 33.Kb3 Rxd4

(Diagram)



34.Rd1 Rxd1 35.Nxd1 Bxh4 36.Ne3  
Ke6 37.a4 Be7 38.a5 Bd6 39.b5 Bxf4  
40.Ng2 Bd6 41.bxa6 Bc5 42.Kc4 Ba7  
43.Kb5 Kd5 44.h6 Ke4 45.Kc6 f4  
46.Nxf4 Kxf4 47.Kb7 Bc5 48.a7 Bxa7  
49.Kxa7 Kg5 50.Kb6 Kxh6 51.a6 Kg6  
52.a7 h5 53.a8Q Kg5 54.Qg2+ Kh6  
55.Kc5 Kh7 56.Qg5  
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■ Hao,Max

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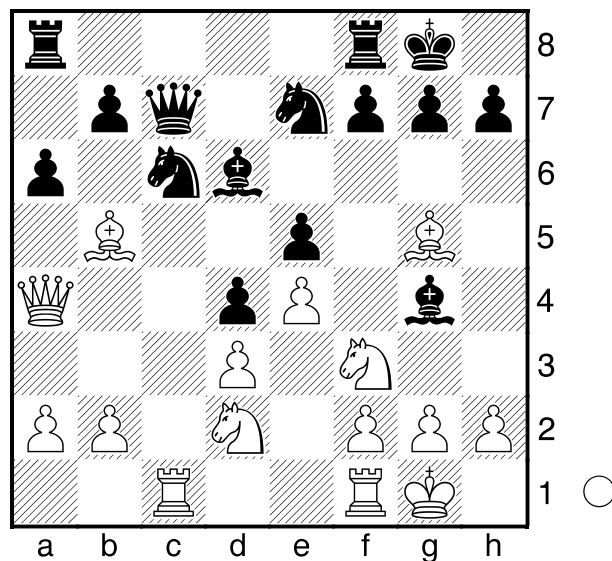
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MI Naroditsky mem TNM: Extra Games (7.38)

[Winslow,Elliott]

1.e4 c5 2.c3 d5 3.Bd3 d4 4.cxd4  
cxd4 5.Nf3 Nc6 6.0-0 e5 7.Bb5 Bd6  
8.d3 Bg4 9.Qa4 Nge7 10.Bg5 0-0  
11.Nbd2 Qc7 12.Rac1 a6

(Diagram)



**13.Bxe7 axb5**

[ 13...Qxe7 14.Bxc6 bxc6 15.Qxc6  
a5± ]

**14.Bxd6 Qxd6 15.Qxb5± Bxf3?!**

[ 15...Qe7 16.a3 Ra5 17.Qb3 Rfa8  
18.h3 Be6 19.Qd1± ]

**16.Nxf3± Rxa2**

[ 16...Qb4 17.Qxb4 Nxb4 18.Nxe5  
Rxa2 19.Rfd1 ]

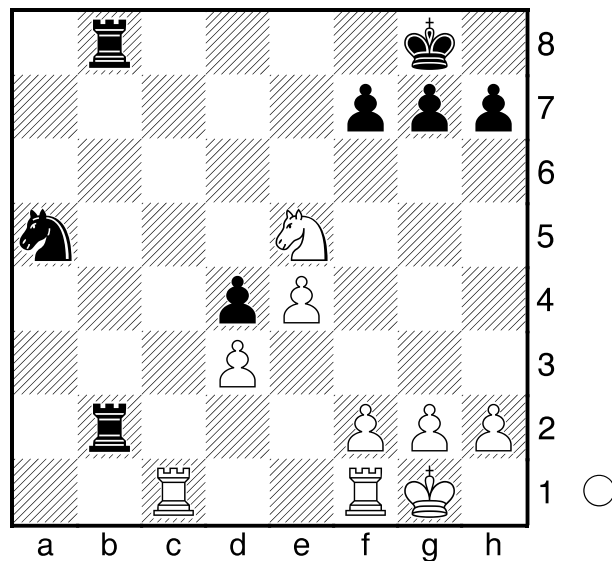
**17.Qxb7 Na5?! 18.Qb5**

[ 18.Qa7!+- ]

**18...Rb8?**

[ 18...f6 ]

**19.Qxe5 Qxe5 20.Nxe5 Raxb2**



**21.Rc5**

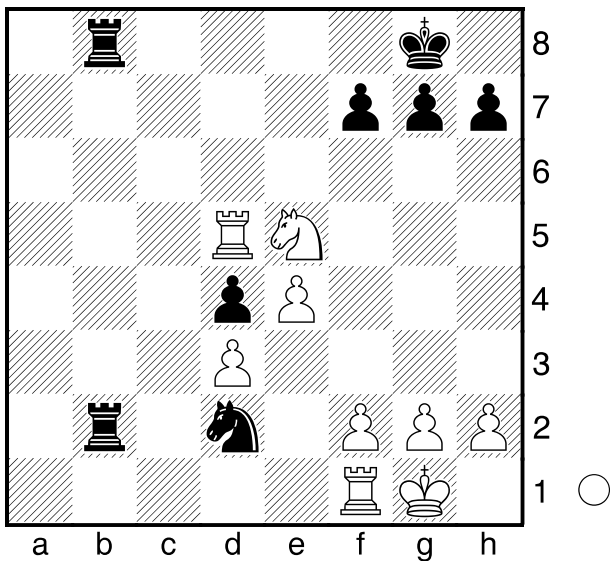
[ 21.h4! ]

**21...Nb3 22.Rd5±**

[ 22.Rc7! ]

**22...Nd2**

[ 22...Rd2 23.Rb1 f6 24.Nf3 Rxd3  
25.Nxd4± ]



**23.Nf3??**

[ 23.Nc6! Rb1 ( 23...Ra8 24.Re1!+- )  
24.Rd8+! Rxd8 25.Rxb1+- ]

**23...Nxf1-+ 24.Kxf1 Rb1+ 25.Ke2?**

[ 25.Ne1 f6 26.Rxd4-+ ]

**25...R1b2+?**

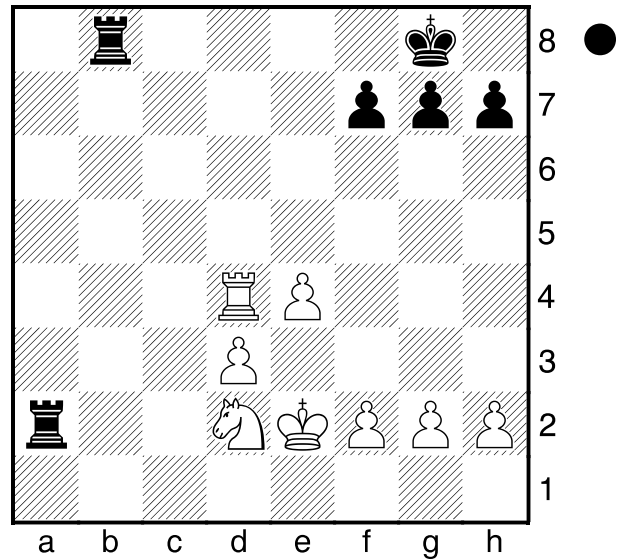
[ 25...R8b2+ 26.Nd2 g6 27.Rxd4  
Ra1 wins the knight (!). ]

**26.Nd2?!**

[ 26.Kf1 Rb1+ 27.Ne1 ]

**26...Ra2 27.Rxd4**

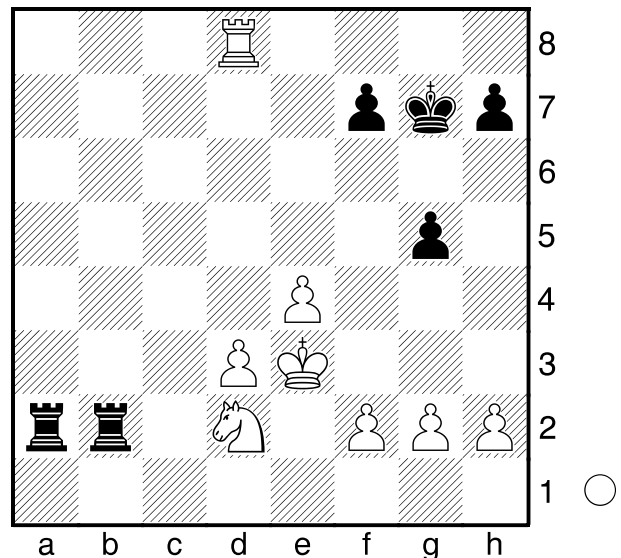
(Diagram)



**g5?** Played quickly, but it's the worst of all the "lufts"!

[ 27...f5! is actually the best! 28.Ke3  
( 28.exf5 Rbb2 ) 28...f4+ 29.Kxf4  
Rxd2 ]

**28.Ke3 Rbb2 29.Rd8+ Kg7**



**30.Nc4?!**

[ 30.Nf3 Re2+ ( 30...Rxf2 31.Nxg5± )  
31.Kd4 Ra4+ 32.Kc3 Rxf2 33.Nxg5  
Rxc2 34.h4!± and White has some  
pesky counterplay (but is still worse). ]

**30...Rxf2 31.d4 Rxc2 32.d5 Ra4**

[ 32...Rxc2! ]

**33.Kd3 Rg1 34.Rc8 Rd1+ 35.Nd2**

**Ra2 36.Rc2 Rxc2 37.Kxc2 Ra1**  
[ 37...Rh1! ]  
**38.Kc3 Kf6 39.Nc4 h5 40.e5+ Ke7**  
**41.Kd4 g4 42.Ne3 Rh1 43.Nf5+ Kd7**  
**44.d6 Rxh2 45.Kd5 h4 46.Nh6 g3**  
**47.Nxf7 Rd2+ 48.Ke4 g2 49.Kf5 Rf2+**  
**50.Kg6 g1Q+ 51.Ng5 Rg2 52.Kf7**  
**Rxg5 53.e6+ Kxd6 54.e7 Qf2+**  
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**Aldenderfer,Kris** **1024**  
 **Pagan Griso,Simone** **1353**  
MI Naroditsky mem TNM: Extra Games (7.39)

1.e4 c6 2.Nc3 d5 3.Qf3 d4 4.Bc4 e6  
5.Nce2 b5 6.Bb3 c5 7.e5 Qc7 8.c3  
Bb7 9.Qg3 c4 10.Bd1 d3 11.Nd4 a6  
12.a4 Nc6 13.Ngf3 Nge7 14.axb5  
Nxd4 15.Nxd4 a5 16.b3 g6 17.bxc4  
Bg7 18.f4 Qxc4 19.Ra4 Qd5 20.Bf3  
Qd7 21.0-0 Nf5 22.Nxf5 exf5 23.Bxb7  
Qxb7 24.Ba3 Qxb5 25.Rd4 Bf8 26.Qf3  
Rb8 27.Bxf8 Kxf8 28.Qxd3 Qb6  
29.Qc4 Kg7 30.Ra1 Rhd8 31.Kf1  
Rbc8 32.Qa4 Rc5 33.Rxd8 Qxd8  
34.Ke2 Qd5 35.Rg1 Rc4 36.Qa3 Rxf4  
37.Qd6 Qe4+ 38.Kd1 Qb1+ 39.Ke2  
Qxg1 40.Kd3 Qb1+ 41.Ke2 Re4+  
42.Kf3 Qd1+ 43.Kf2 Qe2+ 44.Kg3  
Qg4+ 45.Kf2 Re2+ 46.Kf1 Qxg2#  
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