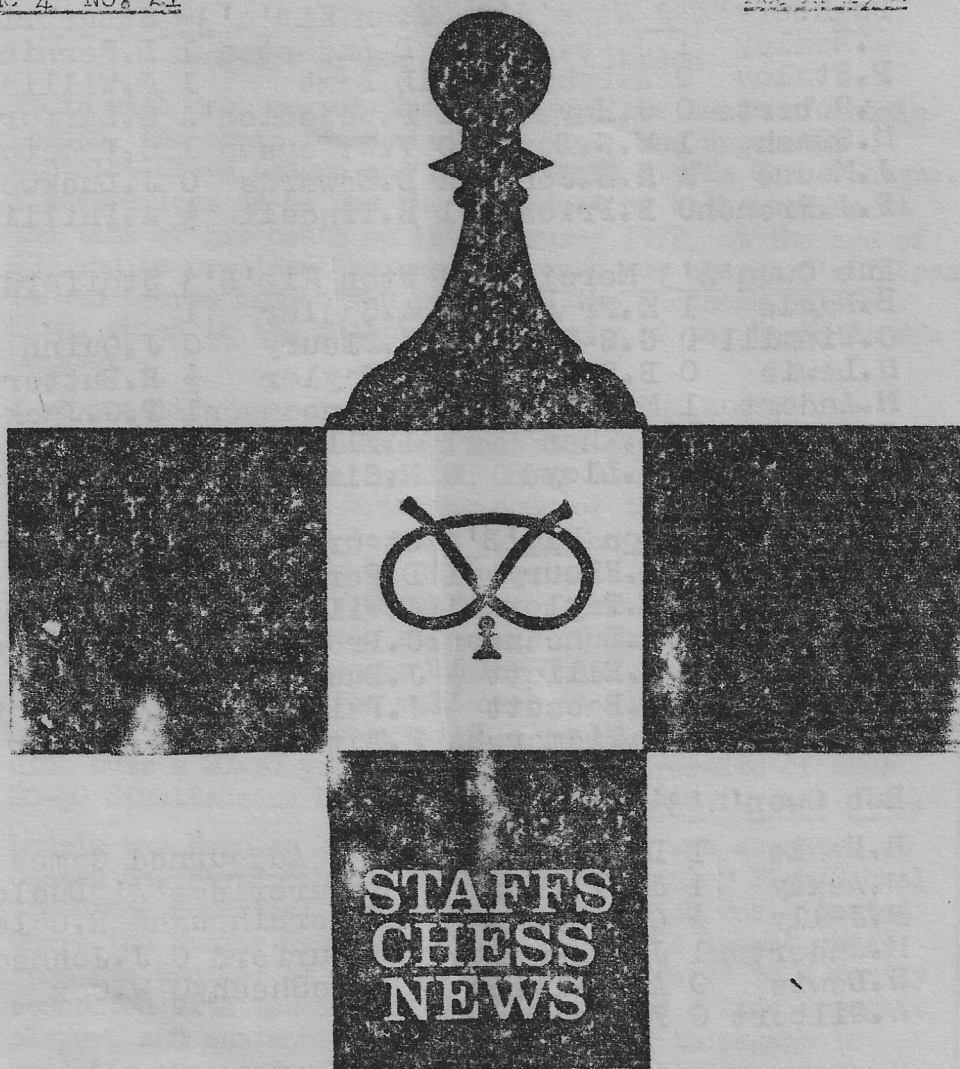


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Wolverhampton League Results Div. One

Bushbury 'A' 2 Wton 'A' 3 Wton Kip 'A' 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ Stourbridge 1 $\frac{1}{2}$
 A.Boxley 1 J.Fellows 0 D.Anderton 1 D.Fernihough 0
 P.Staley 0 A.Schroeder 1 D.Lomb 1 J.Williams 0
 A.Roberts 0 G.Haynes 1 P.Wojcicich 'A G.Burford A
 M.Swash 1 W.N.Boydon 0 V.G.Jenson 1 C.Proctor 0
 J.Moore A H.H.Jones A D.Edwards 0 J.Duckworth 1
 P.J.French 0 B.Priest 1 B.Tisdell $\frac{1}{2}$ A.Phillips $\frac{1}{2}$

Rub Owen 'A' 3 Mercia 'A' 3 Wton Kip 'B' 3 Stafford 3
 B.Nagle 1 K.Francis 0 A.Sadler 1 Def.
 C.Winmill 0 G.S-Roberts 1 I.Fleury 0 J.Quinn 1
 H.Lewis 0 B.Smith 1 W.Taylor $\frac{1}{2}$ R.Butters $\frac{1}{2}$
 M.Anderton 1 Mrs Lloyd 0 R.Duncanson 1 P.G.Jackson 0
 B.Jolly 0 A.Khan 1 J.Elliott 0 R.D.Picken 1
 A.Gilbert 1 F.Lloyd 0 N.Sims $\frac{1}{2}$ A.Leadbetter $\frac{1}{2}$

Mercia 'A' 1 Wton Kip 'B' 4 Stourbridge 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ Springvale 1 $\frac{1}{2}$
 K.Francis 0 I.Fleury 1 D.Fernihough 0 M.Bacon 1
 G.S-Roberts 0 W.Taylor 1 J.Williams 1 J.Holloway 0
 B.Smith 0 R.Duncanson 1 C.Proctor 1 R.Grainger 0
 Mrs Lloyd $\frac{1}{2}$ J.Elliott $\frac{1}{2}$ J.Duckworth $\frac{1}{2}$ H.New $\frac{1}{2}$
 F.Lloyd $\frac{1}{2}$ F.Bassett $\frac{1}{2}$ J.Phillips 1 L.Scarrott 0
 A.Khan A J.Tidmarsh A F.Tatler 1 A.Turner 0

Rub Owen 'A' 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ Stourbridge 2 $\frac{1}{2}$

B.Nagle 1 D.Fernihough 0
 W.Askey 1 J.Williams 0
 B.Jolly $\frac{1}{2}$ C.Proctor $\frac{1}{2}$
 M.Anderton 1 J.Duckworth 0
 H.Lewis 0 A.Phillips 1
 A.Gilbert 0 F.Tatler 1

Adjourned Games

Stourbridge 'A' 2 Dudley 4
 D.Fernihough $\frac{1}{2}$ R.Colston $\frac{1}{2}$
 G.Burford 0 J.Johnson 1
 N.McSheehy 0 W.Cox 1

Mercia v Bushbury

K.Francis 1 A.K.Boxley 0

Laurence Arthur ('Laurie') Landon

It is with deep regret that we record the death of Laurie Landon, the chief founder of the Stoke and Newcastle District Chess League and of the North Staffs Chess League. A severe loss as he was the President of both Leagues at the time of his death on 1st February 1972, at the age of 83, and as president he was very much our charge d'affaires. It was Laurie Landon who presented the handsome Silver King, which is the championship trophy of the North Staffs League.

A very active secretary of the Victory Chess Club and immensely proud of the fact that the club is a Corporate Vice-president of the British Chess Federation. He has been instrumental in bringing some of the finest chess players in the world to play exhibition matches in Stoke - grand masters like Konig of Yugoslavia and Koltanowski of Belgium, as well as William Winter, one-time British champion. He has been secretary of the Victory Chess Club and its predecessors Hanley Chess Club and Hanley Y.M.C.A. Chess Club for well over 50 years and boasted of having a record of every match a member has played for his club over a 20-30 year period, plus the results of some 20-30 Simultaneous Displays arranged by him for his club.

Laurie was born on 14th January 1889 and was educated at Cannon St. Boys' School, Hanley and at Hanley High School (then the Municipal Secondary School, which was situated where the Hanley Bus Station now is). He learnt chess from his brother at the age of 7 and belonged to a family connected with teaching. His father was a fine draughts player, and one school-master uncle used to engage to mate his opponent with any piece the latter selected. It was after an accident, while cross country running at Hartley University, Southampton (1908-10), that he took to chess seriously.

Chess was by no means the chief thing in his life - he won the D.C.M. in the first World War and received a 50 years Service Medal in the National Savings Movement. He has been a Local Preacher for over 60 years and a school-master for almost as many.

	<u>J.A.Sutton</u>	<u>D.M.H.Everington</u>		(Caro-Kann, Panov Attack)	
1.	P-K4	P-QB3	15.	P-QR3	R-B1
2.	P-QB4	P-Q4	16.	B-Q2	P-N4
3.	KPxP	N-B3	17.	B-R2	P-N5
4.	N-QB3(a)	PxP	18.	N-N4(b)	P-N3
5.	PxP	NxP	19.	NxNch	BxN
6.	B-QB4	P-K3	20.	N-K4	B-N2(c)
7.	N-B3	B-K2	21.	PxP	Q-N3
8.	P-Q4	N-R3	22.	BxN	B-N4(d)
9.	O-O	QN-B2	23.	Q-KR3	PxB
10.	R-K1	O-O	24.	N-N5	P-KR3
11.	N-K4	N-B3	25.	NxP!	KxN
12.	Q-Q3	B-Q2	26.	RxPch!	K-N1
13.	N-K5	N/B2-Q4	27.	R(1)-K7	Resigns(e)
14.	N-N5	B-K1			

Notes

The strategy of this game revolves around White's isolated QP. While Black blockades it with his knights, and attempts to obtain some counterplay on the queen-side, White makes use of various squares on the semi-open king's file in order to attack and weaken Black's king-side, concluding with a pretty knight sacrifice.

- (a) After 4.PxP,NxP; 5.N-KB3,P-K4; 6.P-Q3,B-QB4, Black would have good compensation for his gambitted pawn.
- (b) 18.BxN,QxB; 19.PxP would merely leave White with weak pawns and Black with the two bishops. White correctly decides to continue his king-side attack instead. 18.N-N4 threatens 19.BxN,QxB; 20.NxNch,BxN; 21.QxPmate.
- (c) 20...PxP is answered by 21.NxBch,QxN; 22.B-R6 winning the exchange for a pawn.
- (d) After 22...PxB; 23.N-B5, White's position is much better than that which he would have obtained after 18.BxN,QxB; 19.PxP
- (e) 27...BxQP; 28.QxRP,RxBP; 29.R-N7ch! and 27...QxQP; 28.RxBch,QxR; 29.RxQch,KxR; 30.QxRPch and 27...B-KB3; 28.R(K7)-QN7,QxQp; 29.Q-K6ch are all hopeless for Black.

Played on Board 1 in the postal match Staffordshire v Cheshire

	<u>V.Knox</u>	<u>J.A.Sutton</u>		(French Defence)	53
1.	P-K4	P-K3	21.	P-B5?!(d)	KPxP
2.	P-Q4	P-Q4	22.	N-B4	R-B5
3.	N-QB3	N-KB3	23.	NxQP(e)	RxRP
4.	B-N5	B-N5	24.	R(1)-QN1	R-Q1(f)
5.	P-K5	P-KR3	25.	P-QB4	R-R7
6.	B-Q2	BxN	26.	R(1)-N2(g)	R-R6ch
7.	PxB	N-K5	27.	K-K2(h)	N-B1
8.	Q-N4	P-KN3	28.	N-N4	Q-N2
9.	B-Q3	NxB	29.	P-Q5	R-K1
10.	KxN	P-QB4	30.	N-B6	N-Q2
11.	Q-B4(a)	PxP	31.	K-B1	Q-R3(i)
12.	PxP	Q-R4ch	32.	Q-KB4	R-R8ch
13.	P-B3	N-Q2(b)	33.	K-B2(j)	R-Q8
14.	N-K2	P-QN3	34.	R-Q2	Q-R8
15.	KR-QN1	B-R3	35.	RxR	QxR
16.	P-QR4	BxB	36.	P-K6	N-B3
17.	KxB	QR-B1	37.	Q-Q4	QxQ
18.	R-N5	Q-R3	38.	NxQ	N-K5ch
19.	Q-B1!	K-B1(c)	39.	resigns(k)	
20.	P-KB4	K-N2			

Notes

- (a) This is recommended by Keres and Pachman, but the game continuation casts doubt on this. Wade played 11.Q-B4 in a 1970 British Championship game, but even after 11...N-B3; 12.N-B3, Q-K2; 13.PxP, N-QR4! black had enough play to draw and white of course went on to win the Championship.
- (b) This line is recommended in Barden's 'Guide to Chess Openings', but his continuation 13...Q-R6; 14.N-K2, N-Q2 does not seem quite so good as the line played, which is mentioned in 'Archives October 1968' with the note that 'no practical experience has been gained in this line!'
- (c) 19...0-0; 20.QxP, R-B5 looks good at first, but after 21.N-B4, KR-B1; 22.NxKP white gets too many pawns for the piece.

- (d) ⁵⁴ Black threatened R-B5 & RxRP as well as doubling on the B file with a tremendous position. The text is a desperate attempt to complicate matters, but Black wins a pawn.
- (e) White suddenly realises that 23.Q-R3 is answered by 23...NXPch
- (f) Threatening NXPch again.
- (g) If 26.R(5)-N2, then ...NXPch is again on.
- (h) Neither R can interpose, because of NXPch. Black's R Manoeuvre has also enabled the Q to move by blocking White's attack on it.
- (i) Not 31...NXP?; 32.R-K2
- (j) If 33.R-N1, Q-R7 wins another P
- (k) White's pawns are held and he must play 39.K-N1 or else he loses the QBP or if 39.K-K3, N-N4; 40.P-KR4, PXP!; 41.PxN, PXPdis ch; 42.K-Q3, PXPch; 43.KxP, PXP the N stands no chance against the 4 pawns. After 39.K-N1 one possibility is 39...N-Q3; 40.R-N4 (40.PxP, R-K5) PXP; 41.NXPch, K-B3; 42.P-B5, PXP; 43.NXP, R-K8ch; 44.K-B2, R-Q8.

Challenge Match

Electra Chess Club beat a team from the remainder of the Stoke and Newcastle Chess League 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ -4 $\frac{1}{2}$ in a challenge match at the Smallthorne Pioneer W.M.C.

Details. Electra names first - B.Hopewell 1, W.Armstrong (Willfield) 0; C.S.Barnard 1, P.Paskin (Sneyd Green) 0; R.A.Beach 1, M.Hancock (Willfield) 0; H.F.Harté 1, R.J.Edwards (Victory) 0; M.C.Wright 1, F.Saunders (Sneyd Green) 0; M.G.Smith $\frac{1}{2}$, R.A.Dodd (Michelin) $\frac{1}{2}$; G.R.Evans 1, F.Cooper (Victory) 0; P.Brackner 1, F.Rowley (Sneyd Green) 0; J.M.Futcher 0, W.Dale (Kidsgrove) 1; J.Hodgkinson 1, L.Grdanovich (Michelin) 0; J.K.Romanski 1, S.Griffin (Willfield) 0; R.Kiff 1, A.I.Sandbach (Smallthorne) 0; A.R.Harris 0, J.A.Scott (Blind SC) 1; A.Doust 0, F.Armit (Smallthorne) 1; J.R.Ludlam 0, A.Mayer (Smallthorne) 1.

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137 Charles J.H.	B.Steel Co.	141 Hatton J.S.	W.Bromwich
142 Chataway T.E.L.	Stourbridge	116 Haynes G.	Wolves.
139 Colston R.	Dudley	119 Hesbrook L.G.	Wolves.
138 Cooper F.	Victory	119 Hodgkinson R.	M.E.S.C.
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179 Dudley B.G.	Stourbridge	167 Horwill E.	Stourbridge
122 Edge R.	Sneyd Green	184 Hughes J.D.	Wolves.
151 Edwards R.J.	Stafford	118 Humphries J.R.	Stourbridge
139 Edwards R.J.	Victory	138 Hutchings A.M.J.	Electra
136 Elwell G.	Bushbury	119 Isbell F.	Leek
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151 Nicholson M.L.	Stourbridge	080 Walters B.	J.Thompson
140 Paskin P.	Sneyd Green	151 Ward D.	Penkhull C.
125 Phillips A.J.	Stourbridge	095 Watts L.	Hobsons
127 Phillips K.	Hobsons	174 Whitehouse F.	Hobsons
150 Picken D.R.	Stafford	156 Wiater W.	W.Bromwich
143 Pickering A.	W.Bromwich	116 Willder M.	Penkhull C.
130 Pittaway K.	W.Bromwich	143 Williams J.D.	Stourbridge
128 Priest B.	Wolves.	140 Williams L.D.	Wolves.
142 Pritchard D.J.	W' ton Kpg.	093 Windmill C.C.	Rubery Owen
136 Proctor C.L.	Stourbridge	176 Wojciechowski P.	W' ton Kpg.
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Stoke Chess League Individual Championship, 1971-2

Results so far are :-

J.S.Sandhu	0	N.Bell	1	L.A.Woodward	0	T.E.Swain	1
R.Kiff	$\frac{1}{2}$	D.Pardoe	$\frac{1}{2}$	J.A.Scott	1	A.Doust	0
R.A.Dodd	$\frac{1}{2}$	R.J.Edwards	$\frac{1}{2}$	N.Bell	1	L.A.Woodward	0
T.E.Swain	1	R.Kiff	0	D.Pardoe	1	J.A.Scott	0
J.S.Sandhu	0	R.A.Dodd	1	R.Kiff	0	N.Bell	1
J.A.Scott	0	T.E.Swain	1	A.Doust	0	D.Pardoe	1
R.J.Edwardw	1	J.S.Sandhu	0	R.A.Dodd	1	L.A.Woodward	0
N.Bell	1	J.A.Scott	0	T.E.Swain	1	A.Doust	0
L.A.Woodward	0	R.J.Edwards	1	R.Kiff	1	R.A.Dodd	0
A.Doust	0	N.Bell	1	D.Pardoe	$\frac{1}{2}$	T.E.Swain	$\frac{1}{2}$
J.S.Sandhu	$\frac{1}{2}$	L.A.Woodward	$\frac{1}{2}$	R.A.Dodd	1	J.A.Scott	0
N.Bell	0	D.Pardoe	1	R.Kiff	1	J.S.Sandhu	0
A.Doust	0	R.A.Dodd	1	T.E.Swain	1	N.Bell	0

Scores with 7 rounds completed apart from 2 games :

T.E.Swain $5\frac{1}{2}/6$; N.Bell $5/7$; R.A.Dodd $4\frac{1}{2}/6$; D.Pardoe $4/5$;
 R.J.Edwards $2\frac{1}{2}/3$; R.Kiff $2\frac{1}{2}/5$; J.A.Scott $1/5$; J.S.Sandhu $\frac{1}{2}/5$;
 L.A.Woodward $\frac{1}{2}/5$; A.Doust $0/5$. A.J.Wilshaw defaulted his
 first 3 games and so is assumed to have withdrawn.

Midland Club Championship

In Round 1 Electra beat Golden Hillcock 4 - 2. Golden Hillcock are a Birmingham League 1st Division team, and their top board, Candidate Master M.J.Corden is at present a Postgraduate at Birmingham University. 1.B.Hopewell 0, M.J.Corden 1;
 2.R.A.Beach 1, P.C.Robertson 0; 3.C.S.Barnard 1, J.S.Hart 0;
 4.H.F.Harte 1, D.L.A.Nicolle 0; 5.G.R.Evans 1, Mrs.M.J.Corden 0;
 6.M.C.Wright 0, B.Nevin 1.

Simultaneous Displays

Frank Rowley and Frank Saunders both gave simul. against the Mount Methodist Primary School, Leek, on the same evening, taking on about 15 opponents each. This school is very keen on chess, and its team has so far won through 2 rounds of the Everyweek Trophy (a National Knock-Out for Primary School teams)

Later, R.A.Beach gave a simul. against the same school, and won all 27 games. R.A.Beach also gave a simul. against Hanley High School a fortnight earlier, winning all 13 games.

WORCESTERSHIRE I

v

STAFFORDSHIRE I

Played at Bilston 15.1.72

1.	N.L.Edwards	$\frac{1}{2}$	R.A.Beach	$\frac{1}{2}$
2.	B.G.Dudley	1	V.G.Jenson	0
3.	P.C.Robertson	1	D.Lamb	0
4.	M.J.Edwards	1	A.Sadler	0
5.	T.R.D.Grove	1	R.Keely	0
6.	R.I.C.Kirkwood	0	J.Montgomery	1
7.	C.L.Heathcock	$\frac{1}{2}$	J.M.Turner	$\frac{1}{2}$
8.	N.V.A.Hobbs	0	G.Homer	1
9.	J.Heath	$\frac{1}{2}$	J.H.Baines	$\frac{1}{2}$
10.	H.G.Billinge	0	R.Martin	1
11.	M.L.Nicholson	0	P.Wojchiechowski	1
12.	D.F.C.Fernihough	$\frac{1}{2}$	E.H.Goodwin	$\frac{1}{2}$
13.	J.E.Briggs	0	M.Reynolds	1
14.	C.A.Gray	0	J.Watson	1
15.	E.A.Copenan	0	H.F.Harte	1
16.	R.Skinner	$\frac{1}{2}$	W.P.Taylor	$\frac{1}{2}$
17.	E.R.Cox	0	S.G.Johnson	1
18.	R.Krakowski	0	M.C.Wright	1
19.	R.J.Bullock	$\frac{1}{2}$	J.Fellows	$\frac{1}{2}$
20.	S.M.Harris	0	P.G.Jackson	1
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Staffordshire I are Runners-up in the West Midland Section.

The Semi-Final versus Nottinghamshire will be played 4 Mar.

HEREFORDSHIRE

v

STAFFORDSHIRE II

Played at Hereford 4.12.71

1.	C.Burton	1	P.Wojchiechowski	0
2.	M.J.Proctor	1	S.G.Johnson	0
3.	L.P.Collard	1	W.P.Taylor	0
4.	S.Dibdin	1	R.J.Edwards	0
5.	P.Johnston	adj	A.T.Leadbetter	adj
6.	H.Bottonley	$\frac{1}{2}$	E.W.Lees	$\frac{1}{2}$
7.	B.Donaldson	$\frac{1}{2}$	H.F.Harte	$\frac{1}{2}$
8.	A.Ruffle	1	C.Tonlinson	0
9.	W.Davies	0	W.A.Clayton	1
10.	W.Sidorowicz	0	J.H.Charles	1
11.	A.Archer	1	K.A.J.Francis	0
12.	E.G.Shields	0	R.M.Ewan	1
13.	M.Davies	1	B.Nagle	0
14.	F.H.Neate	1	G.Stokes-Roberts	0
15.	G.Yevko	$\frac{1}{2}$	B.M.S.Jolly	$\frac{1}{2}$
16.	R.Porter	0	L.G.Hesbrook	1

 $9\frac{1}{2}$

 $5\frac{1}{2}$

Midland Club Championship

In Round 2 Electra have qualified for the semi-finals for the second time in 3 years by defeating Wigston (Leicester) 3 - 3 on board count, the match being played at Leicester on Saturday 19th February. Boards 4 and 6 were adjudicated.

1. A.J.Morley 0, R.A.Beach 1; 2. J.K.Robinson 1, C.S.Barnard 0;
 3. B.A.Foreman $\frac{1}{2}$, H.F.Harte $\frac{1}{2}$; 4. I.McLean 0, G.R.Evans 1;
 5. D.G.Chetwynd $\frac{1}{2}$, M.C.Wright $\frac{1}{2}$; 6. T.O.Marsden 1, J.Hodgkinson 0.

Stoke League Division One - Results

<u>Victory 4½</u>	<u>Sneyd Grn'B' ½</u>	<u>Willfield'A' 1½</u>	<u>Electra 'A' 3½</u>
D.Pardoe 1	P.Paskin 0	W.Armstrong 0	C.S.Barnard 1
T.Galla 1	F.Saunders 0	P.Griffin 0	R.A.Beach 1
F.Cooper ½	F.Daniels ½	M.Hancock 1	M.C.Wright 0
N.Bell 1	P.Rawlins 0	S.Griffin 0	G.R.Evans 1
W.M.Liebeck 1	A.Humphreys 0	G.Morse ½	R.Kiff ½
<u>Kidsgrove 2½</u>	<u>Willfield'A' 2½</u>	<u>Electra 'B' 4</u>	<u>Victory 1</u>
A.Archer 0	W.Armstrong 1	B.Hopewell 1	D.Pardoe 0
W.Dale 1	D.Kidney 0	H.Harte 0	R.J.Edwards 1
S.Elliott ½	S.Griffin ½	M.G.Smith 1	M.W.Liebeck 0
A.Lippai 1	J.Kotis 0	P.Brackner 1	F.Cooper 0
F.Beveridge 0	P.Woodward 1	J.M.Futcher 1	R.Kirkland 0
<u>Leek 3</u>	<u>Sneyd Grn'A' 2</u>	<u>Sneyd Grn'B' 2½</u>	<u>Kidsgrove 1½</u>
A.Wood 1	R.Edge 0	P.Paskin 1	A.Archer 0
W.F.Isbell 0	F.Rowley 1	F.Saunders 0	W.Dale 1
J.Nicholas 1	G.Key 0	F.Daniels ½	A.Lippai ½
G.Price 0	W.Landon 1	P.Rawlins 1	P.Rolfe 0
G.Gunia 1	W.Simcock 0	A.Humphreys 1	F.Beveridge 0
<u>Willfield'A' 3½</u>	<u>Sneyd Grn'A' 1½</u>	<u>Electra 'A' 5</u>	<u>Leek 0</u>
F.Griffin 1	F.Rowley 0	C.S.Barnard 1	W.F.Isbell 0
W.Armstrong 1	W.Landon 0	R.A.Beach 1	G.Price 0
S.Griffin 1	G.Key 0	M.C.Wright 1	J.Nicholas 0
G.Morse ½	P.Paskin ½	G.R.Evans 1	G.Gunia 0
H.Deaville 0	F.Saunders 1	R.Kiff 1	default 0
<u>Sneyd Grn'B' 2</u>	<u>Electra 'B' 3</u>	<u>Leek 2</u>	<u>Kidsgrove 3</u>
P.Paskin 0	B.Hopewell 1	A.Wood 0	W.Dale 1
F.Saunders ½	P.Brackner ½	W.F.Isbell 1	S.Elliott 0
F.Daniels ½	J.M.Futcher ½	G.Price 0	P.Rolfe 1
P.Rawlins 0	J.Hodgkinson 1	J.Nicholas 1	F.Beveridge 0
W.Simcock 1	default 0	G.Gunia 0	J.Chadwick 1
<u>Sneyd Grn'B' 0</u>	<u>Electra 'A' 5</u>	<u>Electra 'B' 3½</u>	<u>Sneyd Grn'A' 1½</u>
P.Paskin 0	R.A.Beach 1	B.Hopewell 1	R.Edge 0
F.Saunders 0	G.R.Evans 1	M.Smith 1	F.Rowley 0
F.Daniels 0	M.C.Wright 1	P.Brackner ½	G.Key ½
P.Rawlins 0	R.Kiff 1	J.M.Futcher 1	F.Daniels 0
W.Simcock 0	J.K.Romanski 1	A.Coales 0	W.Simcock 1

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<u>Victory 1½</u>	<u>Willfield 'A' 3½</u>	<u>Electra 'A' 4</u>	<u>Victory 1</u>
T.Galla 1	P.Griffin 0	C.S.Barnard 1	R.J.Edwards 0
D.Pardoe 0	W.Armstrong 1	R.A.Beach 1	D.Pardoe 0
R.J.Edwards ½	M.Hancock ½	G.R.Evans 0	F.Cooper 1
F.Cooper 0	S.Griffin 1	M.C.Wright 1	M.W.Liebeck 0
L.A.Woodward 0	G.Morse 1	R.Kiff 1	L.A.Woodward 0
<u>Kidsgrove 3½</u>	<u>Sneyd Grn 'B' 1½</u>	<u>Electra 'B' 4½</u>	<u>Kidsgrove ½</u>
A.Archer 1	P.Laskin 0	B.Hopewell 1	W.Dale 0
W.Dale 1	F.Saunders 0	M.G.Smith 1	A.Archer 0
S.Elliott ½	F.Daniels ½	P.Brackner ½	A.Lippai ½
P.Rolfe 0	P.Rawlins 1	J.M.Futcher 1	F.Beveridge 0
A.Lippai 1	A.Humphreys 0	J.R.Ludlam 1	default 0
<u>Sneyd Grn 'B' 4</u>	<u>Leek C</u>	<u>Victory 4½</u>	<u>Sneyd Grn 'A' ½</u>
P.Laskin 1	J.Nicholas 0	T.Galla ½	R.Edge ½
F.Saunders 1	W.F.Isbell 0	D.Pardoe 1	F.Rowley 0
F.Daniels 1	I.Edge 0	R.J.Edwards 1	W.Landon 0
P.Rawlins 1	G.Gunia 0	F.Cooper 1	G.Key 0
default 0	default 0	M.W.Liebeck 1	W.Simcock 0
<u>Electra 'A' 5</u>	<u>Sneyd Grn 'A' 0</u>	<u>Kidsgrove 1</u>	<u>Victory 4</u>
G.S.Barnard 1	R.Edge 0	A.Archer 0	D.Pardoe 1
R.A.Beach 1	F.Rowley 0	W.Dale 0	R.J.Edwards 1
G.R.Evans 1	W.Landon 0	S.Elliott 0	M.W.Liebeck 1
M.C.Wright 1	G.Key 0	P.Rolfe 0	F.Cooper 1
R.Kiff 1	W.Simcock 0	A.Lippai 1	R.Kirkland 0

Stoke League Division Two - Results

<u>Sm'thorne 'B' 2</u>	<u>Michelin 'B' 3</u>	<u>Sm'thorne 'A' 2½</u>	<u>Willfield 'B' 2½</u>
T.Harp 1	W.Jones 0	A.Sandbach 1	H.Deaville 0
S.Newman 1	R.Sanger-Davies 0	T.Harp 1	E.Hancock 0
R.Mayer 0	F.Rose 1	R.Horne 0	P.Woodward 1
W.Bailey 0	M.Sowden 1	A.Mayer ½	F.Spicer ½
W.Bawden 0	R.Willshire 1	D.Hulse 0	G.Fowell 1
<u>Electra 'C' 1½</u>	<u>Penkhull 3½</u>	<u>Michelin 'A' 2½</u>	<u>Penkhull 2½</u>
J.K.Romanski 0	D.Ward 1	R.A.Dodd ½	D.J.Ward ½
J.R.Ludlam ½	T.E.Swain ½	L.Grdanovich 1	M.Willder 0
A.Doust 0	M.Willder 1	J.S.Reader 1	A.Hodson 0
A.Coates 1	A.Hodson 0	G.Langelier 0	G.Boulton 1
N.Bowman 0	W.G.Boulton 1	J.Erlah 0	G.Mills 1

Stoke League Division Two - Results

<u>Sm'thorne 'B'</u> 0	<u>Michelin 'A'</u> 5	<u>Blind S.C.</u> 1	<u>Michelin 'B'</u> 4
T.Harp 0	R.A.Dodd 1	J.Scott $\frac{1}{2}$	W.Jones $\frac{1}{2}$
G.Singer 0	L.Grdanovich 1	default 0	A.Morley 1
H.Cotton 0	J.S.Reader 1	W.Rees 0	M.Sowden 1
R.Horne 0	G.Langelier 1	default 0	F.Rose 1
W.Bailey 0	J.Erlah 1	J.Pickford $\frac{1}{2}$	R.Willshire $\frac{1}{2}$
<u>Michelin 'B'</u> 3	<u>Willfield 'B'</u> 2	<u>Penkhull</u> 3	<u>Sm'thorne 'A'</u> 2
W.Jones $\frac{1}{2}$	H.Deaville $\frac{1}{2}$	D.J.Ward 1	A.R.Sandbach 0
R.Sanger-Davies 1	E.Hancock 0	T.E.Swain $\frac{1}{2}$	F.Armit $\frac{1}{2}$
M.Sowden 1	F.Spicer 0	W.G.Boulton $\frac{1}{2}$	A.Mayer $\frac{1}{2}$
N.Davies 0	G.Fowell 1	A.Hodson 0	D.Hulse 1
R.Willshire $\frac{1}{2}$	G.B.Maitland $\frac{1}{2}$	B.Wagstaff 1	M.Stanford 0
<u>Electra 'C'</u> 4	<u>Sm'thorne 'B'</u> 1	<u>Sm'thorne 'A'</u> 0	<u>Michelin 'A'</u> 5
J.Hodgkinson 1	G.Singer 0	A.Mayer 0	R.A.Dodd 1
J.Romanski $\frac{1}{2}$	T.Harp $\frac{1}{2}$	S.Newman 0	L.Grdanovich 1
A.Doust 1	H.Cotton 0	R.Mayer 0	J.S.Reader 1
J.R.Ludlam $\frac{1}{2}$	R.Mayer $\frac{1}{2}$	D.Hulse 0	G.Langelier 1
S.Ellis 1	G.Bowden 0	R.Horne 0	W.C.Jones 1
<u>Willfield 'B'</u> 3	<u>Blind S.C.</u> 2	<u>Sm'thorne 'B'</u> 0	<u>Penkhull</u> 5
D.Salt 1	J.Scott 0	H.Cotton 0	D.J.Ward 1
P.Woodward 0	R.Hammersley 1	R.Mayer 0	T.E.Swain 1
G.Fowell 0	B.Foxall 1	W.Bailey 0	W.G.Boulton 1
F.Spicer 1	J.Pickford 0	G.Bawden 0	B.Wagstaff 1
M.C.Hancock 1	P.Arrowsmith 0	W.Bawden 0	J.W.Twigg 1
<u>Michelin 'B'</u> 1 $\frac{1}{2}$	<u>Electra 'C'</u> 3 $\frac{1}{2}$	<u>Blind S.C.</u> 2	<u>Sm'thorne 'A'</u> 3
W.Jones 0	J.Hodgkinson 1	R.Hammersley 1	A.Mayer 0
F.Sanger-Davies $\frac{1}{2}$	S.Ellis $\frac{1}{2}$	J.Pickford 0	R.Willis 1
F.Rose 0	J.R.Ludlam 1	W.Rees 1	M.Stanford 0
R.Willshire 1	A.Doust 0	B.Foxall 0	S.Newman 1
N.Davies 0	R.Lakin 1	P.Arrowsmith 0	P.Hancock 1
<u>Sm'thorne 'A'</u> 2	<u>Electra 'C'</u> 3	<u>Penkhull</u> 3 $\frac{1}{2}$	<u>Michelin 'B'</u> 1 $\frac{1}{2}$
F.Armit 0	J.Hodgkinson 1	D.J.Ward 1	W.Jones 0
A.Mayer 1	J.Romanski 0	T.E.Swain 1	R.Sanger-Davies 0
D.Hulse 0	J.R.Ludlam 1	W.G.Boulton $\frac{1}{2}$	A.Morley $\frac{1}{2}$
R.Willis 0	R.Lakin 1	B.Wagstaff 1	M.Sowden 0
S.Newman 1	A.Doust 0	A.Hodson 0	F.Rose 1

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<u>Electra 'C'</u> 1½	<u>Blind S.C.</u> 3½	<u>Michelin 'A'</u> 3	<u>Willfield 'B'</u> 2
J.K.Romanski 0	J.Scott 1	R.A.Dodd 1	E.Hancock 0
J.R.Ludlam 0	R.Hammersley 1	L.Grdanovich 1	H.Deaville 0
R.Lakin 1	B.Foxall 0	J.S.Reader 1	G.Fowell 0
J.J.Wood ½	W.Rees ½	W.C.Jones 0	F.Spicer 1
default 0	P.Arrowsmith 1	F.Rose 0	P.Woodward 1

<u>Michelin 'B'</u> 3	<u>Sm'thorne 'B'</u> 2	<u>Blind S.C.</u> 2	<u>Michelin 'A'</u> 3
W.Jones 0	T.Harp 1	J.A.Scott 1	R.A.Dodd 0
R.Sanger-Davies 0	R.Mayer 1	R.Hammersley 0	L.Grdanovich 1
R.Willshire 1	J.Glaze 0	B.Foxall 1	J.S.Reader 0
F.Rose 1	R.Willis 0	P.Arrowsmith 0	M.Sowden 1
N.Davies 1	default 0	W.Rees 0	J.Erlah 1

<u>Electra 'C'</u> 3½	<u>Michelin 'A'</u> 1½	<u>Penkhull</u> 3	<u>Blind S.C.</u> 2
J.Hodgkinson ½	R.A.Dodd ½	W.G.Boulton ½	J.Scott ½
J.K.Romanski ½	L.Grdanovich ½	A.Hodson ½	R.Hammersley ½
R.Lakin ½	J.S.Reader ½	T.E.Swain 1	B.Foxall 0
J.R.Ludlam 1	A.Morley 0	B.Wagstaff 1	P.Arrowsmith 0
A.Doust 1	F.Rose 0	J.Twigg 0	W.Rees 1

Stoke Knock Out - Round Two Results

<u>Willfield 'B'</u> 1½	<u>Sneyd Grn 'A'</u> 3½	<u>Electra 'B'</u> 5	<u>Sm'thorne 'B'</u> 0
H.Deaville ½	R.Edge ½	B.Hopewell 1	F.Armit 0
E.Hancock 0	F.Rowley 1	H.Harte 1	T.Harp 0
P.Woodward 0	G.Key 1	M.G.Smith 1	S.Newman 0
G.Fowell 1	W.Landon 0	P.Brackner 1	W.Bawden 0
J.Gillen 0	W.Simcock 1	J.M.Futcher 1	G.Bawden 0

Stoke Knock Out - Semi-Finals

<u>Electra 'B'</u> 5	<u>Michelin 'A'</u> 0	<u>Electra 'A'</u> 5	<u>Sneyd Grn 'A'</u> 0
B.Hopewell 1	R.A.Dodd 0	R.A.Beach 1	R.Edge 0
H.Harte 1	L.Grdanovich 0	C.S.Barnard 1	F.Rowley 0
M.G.Smith 1	J.S.Reader 0	G.R.Evans 1	default 0
P.Brackner 1	R.Willshire 0	M.C.Wright 1	default 0
J.M.Futcher 1	J.R.Jardine 0	R.Kiff 1	W.Simcock 0

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<u>Michelin 'B'</u> 2½	<u>Sm'thorne 'A'</u> 2½	<u>Leek</u> 3	<u>Blind S.C.</u> 1
A.Morley 0	A.Sandbach 1	W.F.Isbell 0	R.Hammersley 1
W.Jones 1	A.Mayer 0	J.Nicholas 1	B.Foxall 0
R.Sanger-Davies ½	R.Mayer ½	G.Price 1	W.Rees 0
F.Rose 0	D.Hulse 1	G.Gunia 1	default 0
M.Sowden 1	M.Stanford 0	default 0	default 0

W-Ton Chess League Results.

Division One.

Mercia 'A' 0	Wton Kip 'A' 3	W-ton 'A' 2½	Stourbridge 2½
G.S.-Roberts A	E.Goodwin A	L.Hesbrook ½	J.Williams ½
K.Francis A	B.H.Coop A	J.Fellows A	G.Burford A
Mrs Lloyd 0	V.Jenson 1	H.H.Jones ½	C.Proctor ½
B.Smith A	P.Wojcie: A	W.Boydon 0	J.Duckworth 1
F.Lloyd 0	G.Edwards 1	B.Priest 1	A.Wedgbury 0
A.Khan 0	R.Quinton 1	J.Holt ½	G.Moss ½
Dudley 'A' 1	W-ton Kip 'A' 2½	Stourbg: 4½	W-ton Kip B ½
T.Grove 1	A.Sadler 0	G.Harris ½	A.Sadler ½
R.Colston ½	I.Fleury ½	J.Heath 1	Default 0
C.Woodhall ½	W.Taylor ½	D.Fernih: A	W.Taylor A
G.Elwell ½	J.Elliott ½	J.Williams 1	R.Duncanson 0
W.Cox 0	D.Guest 1	C.Proctor 1	F.Bassett 0
J.Tromans 1	F.Bassett 0	J.Duckworth 1	J.Elliott 0
Stafford 6	Rub Owen 0	Springvale 2½	Bushbury A 3½
J.Montgy 1	B.Nagle 0	J.Charles ½	A.Boxley ½
R.Butters 1	H.Lewis 0	R.Grainger 0	P.Staley 1
P.Jackson 1	C.Winmillo 0	H.New 1	A.Roberts 0
R.D.Picken 1	A.Gilbert 0	D.Conway 0	G.HICKS 1
A.Leadbetter 1	C.Groves 0	M.Bacon 1	M.Swash 0
A.G.Lee 1	L.Terry 0	A.Joyce 0	J.Moore 1
W-ton 'A' 3	Walsall K 'B' 3	Dudley 'A' 5	Springvale 'A' 1
J.Fellows 1	T.Holling' 0	T.Grove ½	M.Bacon ½
L.Williams ½	W.Cooper ½	R.Colston 1	J.Holloway 0
H.H.Jones ½	A.Shrimpton ½	C.Woodall ½	R.Grainger ½
W.Boydon 0	P.Maddocks 1	G.Elwell 1	A.Joyce 0
B.Priest 1	A.Willis 0	J.Johnson 1	D.Conway 0
J.Holt 0	J.Freeman 1	C.Siviter 1	D.Gadd (Def) 0
Mercia 'A' 3	W-ton 'A' 3	Bushbury 'A' 1	Stafford 5
K.Francis 1	L.Williams Def	C.Rix 0	J.Montgomery 1
G.S.-Roberts ½	H.H.Jones ½	A.Boxley 0	J.Quinn 1
Mrs Lloyd 0	W.Boydon 1	P.Staley 0	R.Butters 1
B.Smith 0	G.Haynes 1	M.Swash 1	A.Leadbetter 0
F.Lloyd ½	J.Holt ½	G.Hicks 0	P.Jackson 1
A.Khan 1	B.Priest 0	J.Moore 0	G.De Visme 1

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Walsall K'B'0 Stourbridge 2 Wton KipB 1½ Walsall A4½
 J.Sturrock A G.Harris A A.Sadler ½ H.Baines ½ ½
 B.CumberlidgeAD.FerihoughA I.Fleury ½ S.Johnson ½
 W.Cooper A J.Williams A P.Taylor O B.Marshall 1
 T.HollingtonO G.Burford 1 R.DuncansonO.Dr Young 1
 P.Maddocks O C.Procter 1 J.ElliottO C.Tomlinson1
 A.Shrimpton O J.Duckworth1 N.Sims ½ E.Lees ½

Wton Kip'A'2½ Wton 'A' 3½ Mercia'A'2 Bushbury'A'1
 D.Lamb ½ E.Williams½ K.Francis A Aboxley A
 E.Goodwin ½ J.Fellows ½ G.S-RobertsO P.Staley 1
 P.Wojciechow'1 H.Jones O Mrs Lloyd 1 A.Roberts O
 V.G.Jenson O N.Boydon 1 A.Khan 1 G.Hicks C
 B.Tisdell O B.Priest 1 F.Lloyd A M.Swash A
 R.Quinton ½ J.Holt ½ G.Sanders A J.Moore A

W-ton'A' 5½ Rub Owen'A' ½ Walsall KB O WtonK'A'6
 J.Fellows 1 B.Nagle O W.Cooper O D.Lamb 1
 A.Schroeder 1 H.Lewis O A.ShrimptonOE.Goodwin 1
 W.Boydon 1 C.Winmill O P.MaddocksCP.Wojciech'1
 B.Priest ½ B.M.Jolly ½ M.Groombr'gOV.Jenson 1
 H.H.Jones 1 C.Groves O E.Jones O K.Humphreys1
 J.Holt 1 A.Gilbert O K.Kitchen O G.Edwards 1

Springvale3½ Wton K'B'2½ Stourbridge 3 Walsall'A'3
 M.Bacon 1 A.Sadler O D.Ferihough1 S.JohnsonDef
 R.Grainger O I.Fleury 1 J.Williams O H.Baines 1
 J.Holloway 1 W.Taylor O G.Burford ½ B.Marshall½
 L.Scarrott O R.Duncanson1 C.Procter ½ Dr Young ½
 H.New 1 N.Sims O J.Duckworth1C.TomlinsonO
 D.Conway ½ J.Elliott ½ G.Moss O E.Lees 1

Stafford 4 Walsall K'A'2 Walsall KA4½ Springvale1½
 J.MontgomeryL H.Baines O H.Baines 1 M.Bacon O
 B.H.Coop ½ B.Marshall½ Dr N.Young1 J.HollowayO
 J.Watson O Dr N.Young1 C.Tomlinson½R.GraingerO
 P.Jackson 1 S.Wiggin O W.Clayton 1 H.New O
 R.D.Picken ½ C.Tomlinson½ E.Lees 1 L.ScarrottO
 A.Leadbetter1 E.Lees O M.Chester O A.Turner 1

Wolverhampton League Results Division Two

Penn. B. L. 'A' 5½ Mercia 'B' ½ W-ton K!C' 2½ Walsall 'C' 3½
 K. Phillips 1 K. Nicholls 0 W. Taylor ½ P. Maddocks ½
 H. Terry 1 P. Guest 0 D. Edwards 0 J. Freeman 1
 G. Carless 1 C. Powell Def J. Bargery 1 M. Groombridge 0
 F. Marston ½ G. Sanders ½ D. Guest ½ S. Glebocki ½
 D. Smith 1 H. Callow 0 R. Quinton ½ E. Jones ½
 Miss W. Terry 1 P. Atkinson 0 M. Kidd 0 K. Kitchin 1

Bushbury 'B' ½ Penn B. L. 'A' 5½ Rugeley 'A' 4 Gosford 'A' 2
 J. French 0 K. Phillips 1 D. Robinson 0 R. Porter 1
 J. Kenwick 0 H. Terry 1 J. Shaw 1 T. Sweeney 0
 W. French ½ G. Carless ½ D. Larden 1 B. Doherty 0
 N. Ashley 0 D. Smith 1 E. Heap 1 R. Rowe 0
 B. Farr 0 F. Marston 1 G. Edwards 0 J. Heckscher 1
 K. Norris 0 J. Gruglus 1 G. Leese 1 J. Groe 0

J. Thompson 'A' 3½ Dudley 'B' 7½ West Brom 4½ G. K. N. 'A' 1½
 K. Pittaway 1 W. Cox 0 R. Tarkowski ½ A. Evans ½
 Mrs Briscoe 0 J. Tromans 1 J. Ault ½ C. Szentmihaly ½
 R. Farmer 1 A. Cox 0 W. Wiater 1 W. Hammond 0
 R. Briscoe ½ A. Moore ½ T. Jones 1 M. Rees 0
 M. Dixon 1 N. Hipwell 0 D. Woodman ½ B. Marsh ½
 R. Evans 0 A. Timmins 1 C. Roberts 1 R. Johnson 0

Walsall K!C' 3½ W-ton 'B' 2½ W-ton Kip C Rugeley 'A' 4
 M. Groombridge 1 R. Stokes Def W. Taylor ½ R. Ewan ½
 S. Glebocki 1 G. Haynes Def D. Edwards ½ D. Robinson ½
 M. Chester 0 L. Hesbrook 1 J. Bargery ½ J. Shaw ½
 E. Jones 0 S. Chahal 1 R. Quinton ½ D. Larden ½
 K. Kitchin ½ N. P. Cook ½ M. Kidd 0 K. Morris 1
 W. Poxton 1 J. Wyer 0 B. Tisdell 0 E. Heap 1

Mercia 'B' 1 Weton K!C' 5 G. K. N. 'A' 2½ Rugeley 'A' 3½
 G. Sanders 0 K. Humphreys 1 C. Szentmi: 1 R. M. Ewan 0
 K. Nicholls 1 C. Hemmings Def K. Tabner 1 D. Larden 0
 H. Callow 0 D. Edwards 1 J. Doughty 0 J. Shaw 1
 P. Atkinson Def R. Quinton 1 A. Evans ½ T. Wheildon ½
 C. Powell Def M. W. Kidd 1 C. Hale 0 E. Heap 1
 N. Salt 0 B. Tisdell 1 R. Bestwick 0 G. Edwards 1

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Mercia 'B' 1 1/2 Bushbury 'B' 4 1/2 J. Thompson B 1 G.K.N.B 4
 P. Guest 1/2 J. French 1/2 A. Easton 0 W. Hammond 1
 K. Nicholls 0 W. French 1 J. Blewitt 0 B. Hammond 1
 G. Sanders 1 J. Kenwrick 0 J. Gower 0 H. Hartshorn 1
 C. Powell Def A. Black 1 R. Arthrell 1 R. Johnson 0
 N. Salt 0 N. Ashley 1 B. Walters 0 S. Atkinson 1
 P. Atkinson Def K. Noms 1

Penn B.L.A 2 1/2 West Brom 3 1/2 W-ton Kip C 2 1/2 Dudley 'B' 3 1/2
 G. Carless 1/2 J. Ault 1/2 K. Humphreys 1 W. Cox 0
 K. Phillips 1/2 R. Tarkowski 1/2 J. Bargery 1 J. Tromans 0
 D. Smith 0 W. Wiater 1 R. Quinton 1/2 A. Cox 1/2
 H. Terry 1/2 T. Jones 1/2 J. Tidmarsh 0 G. Thomas 1
 D. Cunning' 1 C. Roberts 0 M. Kidd 0 M. Musty 1
 T. Mills 0 S. Smith 1 B. Tisdell 0 S. Jukes 1

West Brom 4 1/2 Bushbury B 1 1/2 Rugeley A 3 Penn B.L.A 3
 R. Tarkowski 1 J. French 0 R. M. Ewan 1 K. Phillips 0
 W. Wiater 1/2 W. French 1/2 D. Robinson 1/2 G. Carless 1/2
 T. Jones 1 A. Black 0 J. Shaw 1/2 H. Terry 1/2
 D. Woodman 1 N. Ashley 0 D. Larden 0 D. Smith 1
 C. Roberts 1 S. Swinburne 0 M. Page 0 J. Gruculus 1
 S. Towsoki 0 K. Noms 1 E. Heap 1 F. Marston 0

J. Thompson A 3 G.K.N.A 2 W-ton Kip C 3 1/2 W-ton B 2 1/2
 R. Jones 1 J. Doughty 0 K. Humphreys 1 L. Hesbrook 0
 Mrs Briscoe A C. Sentmih' A J. Bargery 1 G. Haynes 0
 K. Pittaway 1 H. Hartshorn 0 R. Quinton 1/2 S. Chahal 1/2
 R. Briscoe 0 C. Hale 1 J. Tidmarsh 0 N. P. Cook 1
 R. Farmer 1 R. Bestwick 0 B. Tisdell 0 R. Stokes 1
 R. Evans Def W. Hammond 1 M. Kidd 1 J. Wyer 0

Dudley 'B' 3 W-ton 'B' 3 Bushbury 'B' 0 Rugeley 'A' 6
 W. Cox 1 L. Hesbrook Def J. French 0 R. M. Ewan 1
 A. Cox 0 G. Haynes 1 J. Kenwrick 0 T. Wheildon 1
 J. Tromans 1 N. P. Cook 0 W. French 0 J. Shaw 1
 J. Flatley 0 S. Chahal 1 N. Ashley 0 D. Larden 1
 M. Musty 1 R. Stokes 0 S. Swinburne 0 D. Robinson 1
 N. Hipwell 0 J. Wyer 1 K. Norris 0 E. Heap 1

W-ton 'B' 6 Mercia 'B' 0

(Wolverhampton win by default)

Wolverhampton League Results Division Three

Springvale B 1 Stourbridge 4 W-ton 6 5 Cosford B 0

A. Joyce	0	N. Meshechy	1	H. Geher	1	E. Grove	0
A. Turner	$\frac{1}{2}$	G. Moss	$\frac{1}{2}$	L. Rose	1	J. Stocks	0
D. Conway	0	I. Manley	1	S. McDonald	1	T. Leyland	0
H. Payne	$\frac{1}{2}$	W. J. Wray	$\frac{1}{2}$	C. Laughler	1	K. Lettan	0
L. Scarrott	0	J. Soley	1	M. Jarockil	1	W. Long	0

Penn B.L.C $\frac{1}{2}$ Rub. Owen B $4\frac{1}{2}$ Dudley C $3\frac{1}{2}$ J. Thompson $1\frac{1}{2}$

D. Hodson	$\frac{1}{2}$	C. Groves	$\frac{1}{2}$	C. Siviter	$\frac{1}{2}$	A. Easton	$\frac{1}{2}$
A. Ash	0	W. Staitte	1	A. Timmins	1	J. Gower	0
J. McNally	0	W. Askey	1	G. Thomas	1	R. Arthrell	0
D. Ash	0	L. J. Terry	1	S. Jukes	0	J. Blewitt	1
G. Taggart	0	J. Williams	1	R. Burton	1	C. Gower	0

Penn B.L.B $2\frac{1}{2}$ Dudley C $2\frac{1}{2}$ Rub. Owen B $1\frac{1}{2}$ Dudley $3\frac{1}{2}$

Miss Terry	$\frac{1}{2}$	C. Siviter	$\frac{1}{2}$	C. Groves	0	C. Siviter	1
J. Grugulis	1	A. Timmins	0	W. Staitte	$\frac{1}{2}$	K. Fradgley	$\frac{1}{2}$
G. Robb	$\frac{1}{2}$	J. Flatley	$\frac{1}{2}$	W. Askey	0	J. Flatley	1
S. Klymko	0	S. Jukes	1	L. Terry	0	A. Timmins	1
P. Terry	$\frac{1}{2}$	R. Burton	$\frac{1}{2}$	A. Staitte	1	S. Jukes	0

W-ton C 1 Penn B.L.B 4 Dudley Coll $3\frac{1}{2}$ Penn B.L. $1\frac{1}{2}$

H. Geher	0	J. Grugulis	1	R. Gardener	0	D. Hodson	1
L. Rose	0	Miss Terry	1	D. Phillips	1	A. Ash	0
S. McDonald	1	P. Terry	0	C. Powell	$\frac{1}{2}$	M. Horrigan	$\frac{1}{2}$
J. Laughler	0	G. Robb	1	R. Ryall	1	P. Ash	Def
M. Jarocki	0	D. Edwards	1	K. Turley	1	G. Taggart	Def

Penn B.L.C 1 Stourbridge 4 Stourbridge 3 Rugeley B 2

D. Hodson	1	G. Moss	0	G. Moss	1	K. Norris	0
A. Ash	0	R. J. Wray	1	I. Manley	1	M. Page	0
E. Ireland	0	I. Manley	1	T. Aldworth	0	G. Leese	1
P. Bowdler	0	L. Soley	1	R. J. Wray	Def	G. Edwards	1
M. Horrigan	0	F. Pickett	1	J. Soley	1	E. Crothers	0

Rugeley B 4 Cosford B 1 Penn B.L.B 4 J. Thompson B 1

K. Morris	0	N. Pollock	1	Miss Terry	0	J. Gower	1
G. Leese	1	H. Leyland	0	J. Grugulis	1	M. Dixon	0
M. Page	1	J. Stocks	0	G. Robb	1	J. Blewitt	0
S. Minshall	1	P. Long	0	S. Klymko	1	B. Arthrell	0
G. Edwards	1	P. Hall	0	P. Terry	1	C. Gower	0

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G.K.N.'B' 2 Rub.Owen'B'3 Dudley'C'5 Dudley Coll.0
 B.Hammond 0 C.Groves 1 C.Siviter 1 D.Phillips0
 H.Hartshorn0 W.Staite 1 J.Flatley 1 R.Gardiner0
 S.Atkinson 1 R.Bleasdale0 G.Thomas 1 C.Powell 0
 G.Joynes 1 L.Terry 0 A.Timmins 1 D.Carrol 0
 G.Williams 0 A.Staite 1 R.Burton 1 Def

Rub.Owen'B'4½ J.Thompson½ W-ton'C' 3 Rugeley'B' 2
 C.Groves 1 B.Walters 0 L.Rose 1 G.Leece 0
 W.Staite ½ A.Easton ½ S.McDonaldl M.Page 0
 W.Askey 1 J.Gower 0 M.Jarocki 0 K.Morris 1
 L.Terry 1 C.Gower 0 C.Laughter 0 G.Edwards 1
 A.Staite 1 F.Wagstaff0 A.McDonaldl E.Crothers0

Rugeley'B'5 Dudley Coll.0 Stourbridge 3 DudleyC 2
 G.Edwards 1 D.Phillips 0 G.Moss 1 C.Siviter 0
 S.Minshall 1 A.Ryall 0 I.Manley 0 G.THOMAS 1
 M.Page 1 D.Carroll 0 T.Aldworth 0 J.Flatley 1
 E.Crothers 1 E.Grainger0 J.Soley 1 A.Timmins 0
 G.Leece 1 K.Bartram 0 R.J.Wray 1 R.Burton 0

Penn B.L.B2 Rub.Owen B 2 Dudley Coll 3½ G.K.N.1½
 S.Klymko 0 C.Groves 1 D.Phillips 1 W.Hammond 0
 D.Edwards 0 W.Staite 1 C.Powell ½ S.Atkinson½
 Miss Terry 1 W.Askey 0 R.Gardiner 1 R.Johnson 0
 J.Grugulis A L.Terry A D.Carroll 0 G.Joynes 1
 P.Terry 1 A.Staite 0 A.Ryall 1 I.Robinson0

Division Two

Penn B.L.A4½ J.Thompson½ MerciaBl½ West Brom 4½
 G.Carless 1 Mrs Briscoe0 P.Guest ½ R.Tarkows'½
 K.Phillips 0 K.Pittawayl G.Sanders 0 C.Southalll
 D.Smith 1 R.Briscoe 0 H.Callow ½ W.Wiater ½
 H.Terry 1 R.Farmer 0 K.Nickolls ½ D.Woodman ½
 J.Grugulis 1 J.Blewitt 0 N.Salt 0 C.Roberts 1
 F.Marston ½ M.Dixon ½ J.Rowley 0 S.Smith 1

G.K.N.'A'2½ Walsall Kip.'C'3½
 B.Hammond 0 J.Freeman 1
 K.Tabner 1 S.Glebocki 0
 C.Hale ½ A.Willis ½
 H.Hartshorne 0 T.Jones 1
 J.Doughty ½ M.Chester ½
 R.Bestwick ½ W.Poxton ½

STOKE LEAGUE TABLES

<u>Division One</u>	<u>P</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>D</u>	<u>Pts.</u>
Electra 'A'	11	10	1	0	20
Electra 'B'	11	8	1	2	18
Willfield Y.A. 'A'	9	6	1	2	14
Victory C.C.	11	5	6	0	10
Sneyd Green 'B'	11	4	7	0	8
Kidsgrove	10	3	6	1	7
Leek Arts Club	11	3	8	0	6
Sneyd Green 'A'	10	0	9	1	1
<u>Division Two</u>					
Michelin T.C. 'A'	11	9	1	1	19
Penkhull Church	10	8	0	2	18
Michelin T.C. 'B'	11	6	4	1	13
Electra 'C'	10	6	4	0	12
Smallthorne Pioneer 'A'	9	3	5	1	7
Willfield Y.A. 'B'	8	2	5	1	5
Smallthorne Pioneer 'B'	9	2	7	0	4
Blind S.C.	12	1	11	0	2

Stoke K.O. Subsidiary - Semi-Finals

<u>Kidsgrove 2½</u>	<u>Leek 2½</u>	<u>Victory 4½</u>	<u>Sm'thorne 'A' ½</u>
A.Archer 0	J.Nicholas 1	T.Galla 1	A.R.Sandbach 0
W.Dale ½	G.Price ½	D.Pardoe 1	A.Mayer 0
A.Lippai 1	G.Gunia 0	R.J.Edwards ½	R.Mayer ½
P.Rolfe 1	A.T.Waite 0	M.W.Liebeck 1	D.Hulse 0
J.Chadwick 0	A.Wood 1	N.Bell 1	R.Willis 0

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<u>Leek 2½</u>	<u>Kidsgrove 2½</u>	<u>Sm'thorne 'A' 3½</u>	<u>Michelin 'B' 1½</u>
W.F.Isbell ½	A.Archer ½	A.R.Sandbach 1	W.Jones 0
J.Nicholas 0	S.Elliott 1	R.Mayer 0	A.Morley 1
G.Gunia 1	J.Chadwick 0	A.Mayer 1	R.Sanger-Davies 0
G.Price 1	F.Beveridge 0	D.Hulse 1	M.Sowden 0
A.T.Waite 0	W.Dale 1	R.Horne ½	F.Rose ½

New Club Secretary of Victory Chess Club.

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Forrest Cup Here are some of the results :-

County Stage Round 1.

R.A.Beach 1, G.R.Evans 0; B.Hopewell 1, M.C.Wright;

County Stage Round 2.

R.A.Beach 1, B.Hopewell 0.

Zonal Stage Round 1. 4 Staffordshire players qualified.

A.J.Miles beat Derek Lamb and R.A.Beach beat A.Sadler.

Quarter-Finals.

A.J.Miles beat R.A.Beach and will meet either D.W.Anderton or R.S.McFarland in the Semi-Final.

Stafford and District School's Chess League 1970-1 Season

<u>Under 16's</u>	P	W	L	D	Pts.
King Edward VI Stafford	10	9	0	1	9½
Alleyes Stoke	10	6	2	2	7
Rising Brook Stafford	10	5	4	1	5½
Graham Balfour "	10	3	5	2	4
Walton "	10	2	8	0	2
Fair Oak Rugeley	10	2	8	0	2
<u>Under 14's</u>					
Fair Oak Rugeley	12	8	3	1	8½
Alleyes Stone	12	7	4	1	7½
Graham Balfour Stafford	12	7	4	1	7½
King Edward "	12	5	5	2	6
Walton "	12	6	6	0	6
High School "	12	4	8	0	4
Rising Brook "	12	2	9	1	2½

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Dudley 'B' 3	Rugeley A 2	Cosford 'A' 4 $\frac{1}{2}$	J. Thompson A 1 $\frac{1}{2}$
R. Colston 1	R. Ewan 0	R. Porter 1	R. Jones 0
J. Tromans A	D. Robinson A	T. Sweeney 1	K. Pittaway 0
A. Cox 1	J. Shaw 0	R. Rowe 1	Mrs Briscoe 0
A. Moore 0	D. Larden 1	B. Doherty 1	R. Farmer 0
M. Musty 1	E. Heap 0	J. Heckscher $\frac{1}{2}$	R. Briscoe $\frac{1}{2}$
N. Hipwell 0	M. Page 1	N. Pollock 0	R. Evans 1

Wton 'B' 3	Cosford 'A' 3	Dudley B 2 $\frac{1}{2}$	Walsall Kip 'C' 2 $\frac{1}{2}$
L. Hesbrook 1	R. Porter 0	W. Cox 1	J. Freeman 0
G. Haynes 0	T. Sweeney 1	A. Cox 0	S. Glebocki 1
N. P. Cook 1	R. Rowe 0	J. Tromans 0	M. Groombridge 1
H. Geher 0	J. Heckscher 1	C. Siviter 1	K. Kitchen 0
J. Wyer 1	N. Pollock 0	A. Timmins A	E. Jones A
C. Bennett 0	B. Corbell 1	N. Hipwell $\frac{1}{2}$	W. Poxton $\frac{1}{2}$

Walsall K 1 $\frac{1}{2}$	Cosford $\frac{1}{2}$	Cosford 'A' 2 $\frac{1}{2}$	West Brom 2 $\frac{1}{2}$
J. Freeman $\frac{1}{2}$	R. Porter $\frac{1}{2}$	R. Porter 1	R. Tarkowski Def
A. Willis 1	T. Sweeney 0	T. Sweeney A	W. Winter A
S. Glebocki A	B. Doherty A	B. Doherty 0	T. Jones 1
M. Groombridge A	J. Heckscher A	R. Rowe 1	D. Woodman 0
E. Jones A	C. Dryburgh A	J. Heckscher $\frac{1}{2}$	C. Roberts $\frac{1}{2}$
W. Poxton A	C. Dryburgh A	D. Grove 0	S. Smith 1

Division Three

Cosford 'B' 2	Penn B. L. B 3	Stourbridge B 4 $\frac{1}{2}$	J. Thompson $\frac{1}{2}$
B. Doherty 1	P. Terry 0	N. McSheehy 1	A. Easton 0
N. Pollock 1	W. Terry 0	G. Moss 1	J. Gower 0
H. Ward Def	G. Robb 1	T. Aldsworth $\frac{1}{2}$	J. Blewitt $\frac{1}{2}$
J. Grove 0	J. Grugulis 1	J. Solcy 1	F. Wagstaff 0

Penn B. L. 'B' 0 G. K. N 'B' 5

Miss W. Terry 0	W. Hammond 1
P. Terry 0	B. Hammond 1
J. Grugulis 0	B. Johnson 1
S. Klymko 0	S. Atkinson 1
D. Edwards 0	G. Joynes 1