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In order that you may be able to plan your future with certainty, visit a Medical Board as soon as possible and find out if you are liable to be selected. Your family and your employer are interested as well as yourself.

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Ruy Lopez.

White.	Black
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1. P-K4	1. P-K4
2. Kt-KB3	2. Kt-QB3
3. B-Kt5	3. P-B4 (a)
4. P-Q3	4. P-Q3
5. Kt-B3 (b)	5. Kt-B3
6. Castles (c)	6. B-K2
7. B-Q2 (d)	7. Castles
8. B-B4ch	8. K-Rsq
9. Kt-KKt5	9. Q-Ksq
10. Q-B3 (e)	10. P-B5!
11. Q-Qsq (f)	11. Kt-Q5
12. P-KKt3 (g)	12. Q-Kt3
13. Kt-B3	13. B-Kt5
14. Kt-KR4	14. Q-R4
15. P-B3 (h)	15. B-R6
16. Kt-Kt2 (i)	16. P-KKt4
17. P-KKt4	17. Q-Kt3 (j)
18. K-B2 (k)	18. P-KR4
19. Pxp	19. QxRP
20. Kt-Kt5	20. P-Kt5 (l)
21. KtxKt	21. P-Kt
22. BxP	22. Pxp
23. QxP (m)	23. QxQch
24. KxQ	24. Kt-R4
25. R-B2	25. BxKt
26. KxB	26. KtxBch
27. K-Rsq	27. Kt-R6
28. R-Kt2	28. P-B3
29. R-Kt3	29. Kt-B5
30. QR-KKtsq	30. QR-Qsq
31. B-K6	31. R-B3 (n)
32. B-Kt4 (o)	32. R-R3
33. R-KBsq	33. R-KBsq
34. R (Kt3)-B3	34. Kt-Kt3
35. B-B5	35. Kt-R5
36. R-B4	36. KtxB
37. P-Kt	37. B-B3
38. R-K4	38. B-K4
39. R-K2	39. K-Kt2
40. R-Kt2ch	40. K-B3

White resigned on the 46th move.

NOTES BY CHESS EDITOR.

(a) Schliemann's counter-attack, once widely advocated by Marshall. It leads to most difficult play and is almost sound.

(b) White can obtain the better game as follows: 5. Pxp, BxP; 6. P-Q4, Pxp (if 6... P-K5, then 7. P-Q5, P-Kt3; 8. QxP; 7. KtxP, B-Q2; 8. Castles, Kt-B3; 9. R-Ksqch, B-K2; 10. BxKt, PxB; 11. Q-K2, K-B2; 12. Kt-QB3, and if 12... R-Ksq or P-Q4, then 13. KtxQB, regaining the pieces immediately. If, instead, 5... Kt-B3, then 6. P-Q4, P-K5; 7. Kt-R4, B-K2; 8. P-KKt4, Castles; 9. R-Ktsq, P-Q4; 10. Kt-QB3, Kt-Ksq; 11. Kt-Kt2, with a pawn ahead and a promising game.

(c) More forcible would be 6. Q-K2 (threatening to continue 7. P-Q4), Pxp; 7. QKtP, B-Q2; 8. P-Q4, K-K2; 9. KtxKtch, P-Kt (if 9... QxKt, then 10. BxKt, BxB; 11. Pxp, BxKt; 12. P-Q4, BxQ; 13. Pxp, BxP; KxB and the King side pawns would win); 10. P-Q5, Kt-Q5; 11. BxBch, KxB! 12. Q-K4, KtxKt; 13. QxKt, R-Ksq; 14. Q-B5ch, K-Qsq; 15. B-K3, R-Ktsq; 16. Castles KR, Q-Kt2; 17. P-KKt3, P-QR3 (otherwise 18. BxP, P-QKt3; 19. P-QR4); 18. P-QR4 followed by P-QKt4 with strong attack.

(d) If 7. B-QB4, then 7... Kt-QR4.

(e) 10. P-KB4 is the obvious continuation. The text-move is a mistake.

(f) Black threatens B-Kt5, winning the Queen. If, to meet this 11. P-KR3 or P-KKt3, then 11... P-KR3; 12. Kt-K6, BxKt; 13. BxB, Kt-Q5, winning a piece.

(g) 12. Kt-K2 was the only move here. Now black obtains an irresistible attack.

(h) If 15. Q-Ksq, then 15... Kt-B6ch; 16. KtxKt, BxKt; 17. P-KR4, P-KKt4, etc.

(i) If 16. R-B2, of course black plays P-KKt4 and P-Kt5.

(j) Missing his opportunity. He should have continued 17... BxP; 18. PxB, KtxKtP; 19. P-KR4, P-B6, with an overwhelming position. 17... KtxKtP, will also win, but less quickly.

(k) There is no relief this way. The best seems Kt-Kt5 at once to dislodge the overbearing knight at Q5.

(l) 20... KtxKBP; 21. QxKt, B-Kt5; 22. KtxBP, KtPxKt; 23. Q-Rsq, Q-R5ch; 24. K-Ktsq, B-R6, followed by R-K Ktsqch was at Black's command. Now he has to go twice as far to victory.

(m) If 23. Kt-Ksq, then 23... BxR and 24... KtxKP with overwhelming attack. The text-move yields a piece.

(n) If KtxB, of course white mates in two.

(o) 32. B-B5 and if 32... R-R3; 33. R-Kt7 would have given drawing chances.

Ending by Janowski.

The following remarkably fine ending occurred in a game between Janowski and a strong amateur, at the Manhattan Chess Club, during July:

White: K at KKtsq; Q at KR4; Rs at Ksq, and K7; Kt at KR5; B at Q3; Ps at QR2, QKt2, QB3, Q4, KB2, KB5, KKt4 and KR2. Black: K at KKtsq; Q at Qsq; Rs at Q Rsq and Ksq; B at Q2; Kts at K5 and KB2; Ps at QR2, QKt2, QB3, Q4, KKt2 and KR2. White to play.

1. R(Ksq)xKt, PxR; 2. Kt-B6ch, P-Kt (a); 3. RxB, KxR; 4. QxRPch, K-Bsq; 5. B-B4, B-K3 (b); 6. PxB, RxB; 7. BxR, Q-Ksq; 8. B-Kt3, R-Qsq (c); 9. Q-Kt8ch, K-K2; 10. Q-K6ch, K-Bsq; 11. QxPch, Resigns.

(a) If 2... K-Bsq then 3. KtxPch, K-Ktsq; 4. Kt-B6ch, K-Bsq; 5. KtxBch, K-Ktsq; 6. Kt-B6ch, K-Bsq; 7. RxRch, etc.

(b) This and his next are necessary to avoid mate.

(c) The natural continuation, yet it leads to a forced mate. If 8... P-K6, White would capture both Black's pawns on the King's side, winning easily with four pawns to the good. Any attempt to bring the rook into play by advancing the rook's pawn and then the bishop's pawn, will be found unavailing.

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