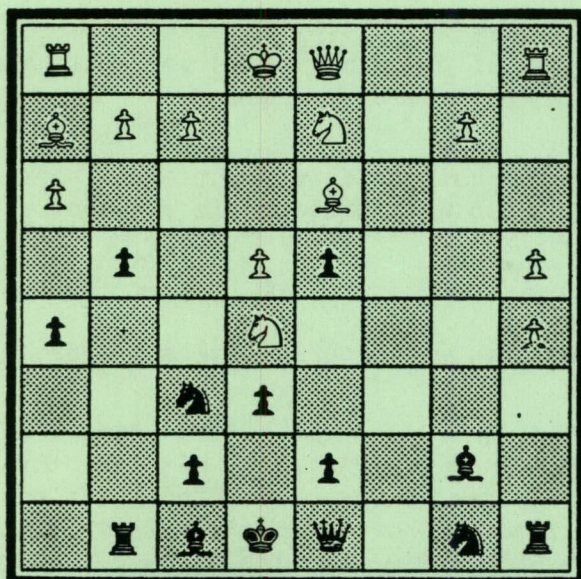


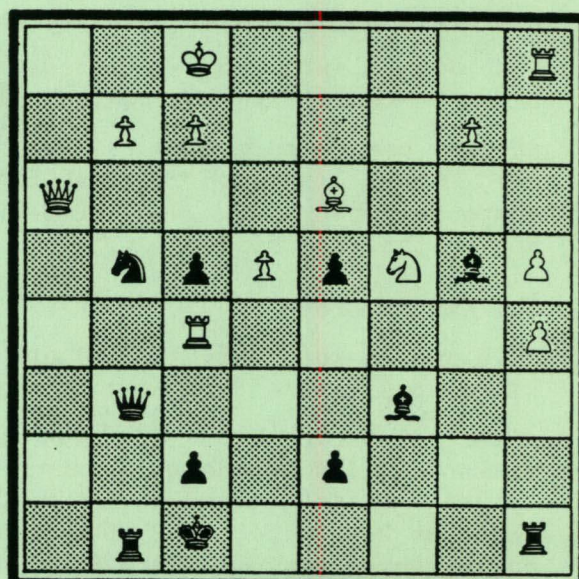
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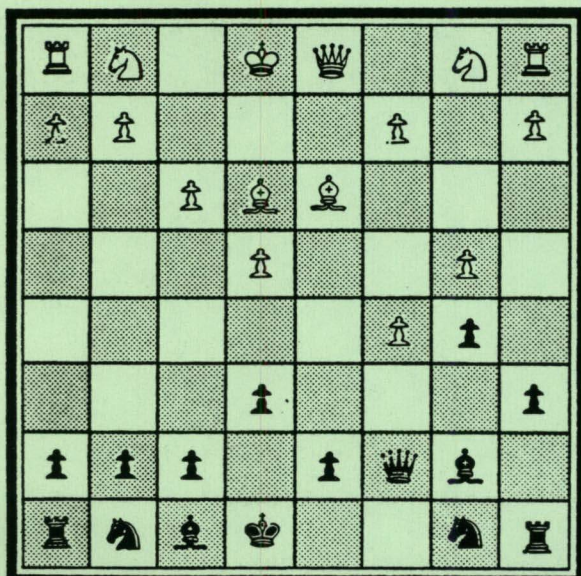
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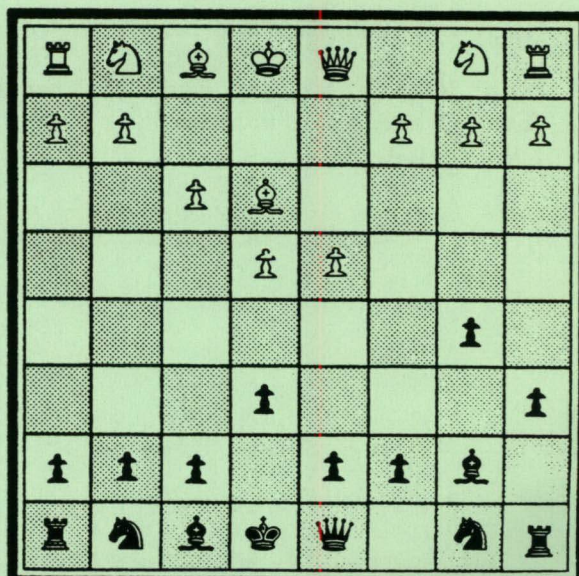
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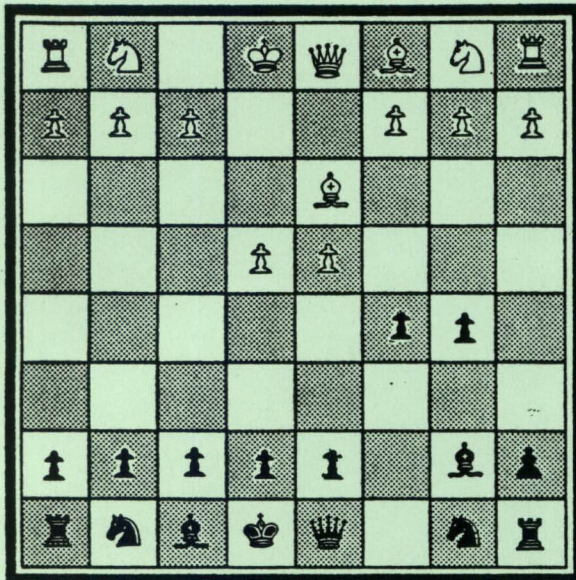
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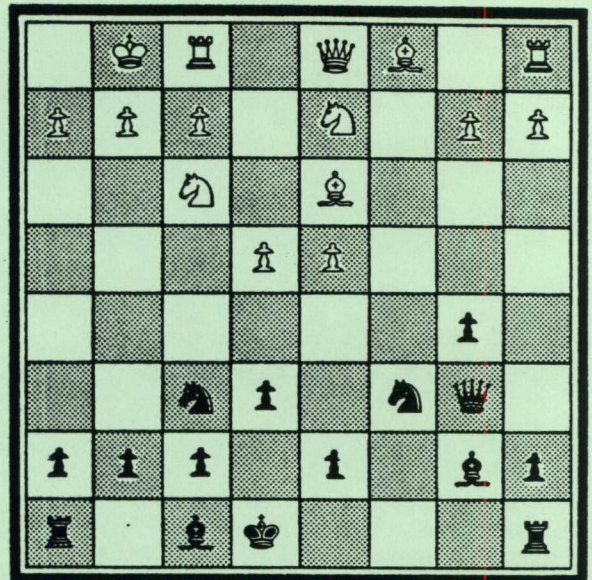
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KARPOV-MILES analysis: White can win the b pawn in a couple of ways.

7 e5 Nd5 8 axb5 axb5 9 Rxa8 Bxa8 10 Bxb5 if black now seeks to regain his pawn, he could try 10...Qa5 ch 11 c3 Nc7 followed by ...cxd4.

Another chance on move 8.

8 e5 Nd5 9 axb5 axb5 10 Rxa8 Bxa8 11 Bxb5 then black would need to seek compensation by 11...0-0 12 0-0 f6 and ...Nc6 with pressure in the centre and on the king side.

The Karpov Greek Gift;

This was an interesting point in the game where white could have shattered black's king's position at the cost of a piece.

After 19 Bxh7ch Kxh7 20 Ng5ch Kg6 21 Qg4 f5 22 Qg3 Qd4 23 h3 (otherwise black plays ...Qg4 to exchange queens) black must now try 23...Kh5, with the threat of ...Qh4. Pritchett and Kopec, in their book 'Best Games of the Young GMs', say that now 24 Rc7 Bd5 25 Nh7 is strong, though I haven't quite worked out the consequences of 25...Qh4 26 Qxg7 Rg8 27 Nf6ch Qxf6 28 exf6 Rxg7 29 fxg7 Bc6. Still, this particular end position is good for black. Also peculiar is 28 g4ch fxg4 29 Qxf6 gxf3ch 30 Kh2 Raf8.

THE COUNTERATTACK 1 d4 b5 2 e4 Bb7 3 Bd3 f5 is thumped by 4 exf5 Bxg2 5 Qh5c g6 6 fxg6 Bg7 7 gxh7ch Kf8 8 Nf3 Nf6 9 Qg6 Bxf3 10 Rg1 Rxb7 11 Qg3 Be4 12 Bxe4 Nxe4 13 Qf3ch Kg8 14 Qxe4 and white is winning. Or 9...Bxh1 10 Bh6 Rxb7 11 Ng5 and it's worse.

Incidental music by A.Basman.

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G. LANE -Basman STROUD 1980 Dec. 1 e6 e6 2 d4 a6 3 Nf3 b5 4 c3 c5 5 Bd3 Bb7 6 Qe2 Nf6 7 Bg5 h6 8 Bxf6 Qxf6 9 Nbd2 Nc6 10 d5 Ne5 11 Nxe5 Qxe5 12 dxe6 Qe6 13 0-0 c4 14 Bc2 Bc5 15 Khl 0-0 16 f4 f5 17 Qh5 Qc6 18 Rf3 Rae8 19 Rg3 Qd6 20 Nf3 fxe4 21 Ne5 Re6 22 Rd1 Rxf4 23 Ng6 Rf2 24 Nh4 Qf8 25 Rgl Rf1 26 Qxc5 Qxc5 27 Rxf1 Qh5! 28 Nf5 Rf6 29 Rxxg7ch Kh8 30 g4 e3ch 31 Kgl Qh3 0-1

D.Goodman-Basman 1 d4 b5 2 c3 e6 3 Nf3 Bb7 4 a4 b4 5 Bf4 Nf6 6 e3 h6 7 h3 a5 8 Nbd2 g5 9 Bh2 Rg8 10 Bd3 h5 11 e4 c5 12 cxb4 g4 13 Ne5 cxd4 14 ba45 Nc6 15 hxg4 Nxg4 16 Nxc6 Bxc6 17 Bf4 Bb4 18 Kf1 Qf6 19 Qf3 e5 20 Rxxh5 Ef4 21 Nc4 Kf8 22 Qh3 Qg6 23 Rf5 f3 24 Rxf3 Bxe4 25 Bxe4 Qxe4 26 Qh5 Qe6 27 g3 Qxc4mh 0-1

Jelen-Basman Ribnica 1979 1 Nf3 b5 2 e4 Bb7 3 Bxb5 Bxe4 4 d4 e6 5 0-0 Nf6 6 c4 Bb7 7 Rel Be7 8 Nc3 0-0 9 Bf4 c6 10 Ba4 d6 11 Qd3 Nbd7 12 Bc2 a5 13 Ng5 g6 14 Nf3 Ba6 15 Bh6 Re8 16 Qe2 d5 17 Bd3 Qb8 18 cxd5 Bxd3 19 Qxd3 cxd5 20 Qd2 a4 21 Ne5 Nxe5 22 dxe5 Nd7 23 Bf4 Qb4 24 Red1 Nb6 25 Ne2 Qxd2 26 Bxd2 Nc4 27 Bc3 Rab8 28 Rab1 Rec8 29 Rdcl Bg5 30 f4 Be7 31 Bd4 Bb4 32 Rc2 Bd2 33 Kf2 Ba5 34 b3 Nd2 35 Rxc8 Rxc8 36 Rcl Rxc1 37 Nxcl axb3 38 Nxb3 Ne4ch 39 Ke3 Bel 40 a4 Kf8 41 a5 1-0

Piggott-Basman Ramsgate 1979 (Nov) 1 d4 b5 2 e4 Bb7 3 Bxb5 Bxe4 4 Nf3 e6 5 0-0 Nf6 6 Rel Be7 7 c4 c6 8 Ba4 Qb6 9 Nbd2 Bg6 10 c5 Qb7 11 Nc4 Na6 12 Bg5 Nb4 13 Nfe5 Nbd5 14 Qf3 Qc7 15 a3 0-0 16 b4 Rab8 17 Bh4 Qd8 18 Bg3 Nh5 19 Nxg6 fxg6 20 Qd3 Nh4 21 Qc2 g5 22 Rab1 Bf6 23 Ne5 Qc7 24 Qc4 g6 25 b5 Bxe5 26 Rxe5 cxb5 27 Rxb5 Nb6 28 Qb3 Nxa4 29 Qxa4 Qc6 0-1

Chandler-Basman Lloyds Bank 1979(Aug) 1 d4 b5 2 e4 a6 3 a4 Bb7 4 axb5 axb5 5 Ra8 Ba8 6 Nd2 e6 7 Bxb5 f5 8 Qe2 Nf6 9 Bd3 c5 10 Nf3 c4 11 Bxc4 fxe4 12 Ne5 Bd6 13 c3 0-0 14 0-0 Qc7 15 f4 Nc6 16 Ba2 Qa7 17 Bbl Nxe5 18 fxe5 Bxe5 19 Khl Bd6 20 h3 Qb7 21 Rxf6 gxf6 22 Nxe4 Bb8 23 Bh6 Rf7 24 Kgl Qc7 25 Qg4ch Kh8 26 Qh5 Qh2ch 27 Kf1 Qhlch 28 Kf2 Qxb1 29 Qxf7 Qxb2ch 30 Nd2 1-0

Piggott-Basman Islington open 1980(Dec) 1 d4 b5 2 e4 Bb7 3 Bd3 c5 4 c3 cxd4 5 cxd4 f5 6 Nd2 Nf6 7 f3 Nc6 8 Ne2 Qb6 9 ef5 Nxd4 10 Nxd4 Qxd4 11 Qe2 g6 12 fxg hg 13 Bxg6ch Kd8 14 Nb3 Qc4 15 Bd3 Qh4ch 16 Qf2 Qh5 17 Be3 Nd5 18 Bra7 Bh6 19 Be4 Rc8 20 Rd1 e6 21 g3 Rf8 22 Qe2 Ba8 23 Qxb5 Rxf3 24 Qe2 Nb4 25 Qxf3 Qxf3 26 Bxf3 Bxf3 27 0-0 Bxd1 28 Rxd1 Nd5! 29 Bd4 Rc2 30 a4 and white won

Macdonald-Ross - Basman Islington Open Round 6 Dec 1980 1 d4 b5 2 e4 Bb7 3 Nd2 Nf6 4 Bd3 c5 5 c3 (5dxc5 is good here) cxd 6 cxd Nc6 7 Nf3 Nb4 8 Bbl (black's manouvre Nc6-b4 is based uneasily, because his pawn is on a7, not a6! hence black cannot play 8...Rc8 9 A3 Qc7 10 axb4 Qxcl because of Rxa7!) 8...g5 9 a3 g4 10 Ne5 Nc6 11 Nx66 Bxc6 12 b3 Rg8 13 Bb2 e6 14 Qe2 Bh6 15 d5 Bxd2ch 16 Kxd2 Nxd5 17 exd5 Qg5ch 18 Qe3 Qxd5ch 19 Bd3 f5 20 Rgl Qxb3 21 Qd4 Qd5 22 Qxd5 Bxd5 23 Bxb5 Ke7 24 Bd3 Rc8 25 g3 Rab8 26 Bc3 Rb3 27 Rgcl Kf7 28 Bb4 Rb2ch 29 Ke3 Bc6 30 Rab1 Rxb1 31 Bxb1 Kf6 32 Bd6 a5 33 Rc5 a4 34 Bd3 Ra8 35 Bb5 Bxb5 36 Rxb5 Ra6 37 Be5ch Kg6 38 Bd4 Rc6 39 Rb6 Rcl 40 Ra6 Relch 41 Kd2 Re4 42 Rd6 h5 43 Bc3 h4 44 Kd3 hxg 45 hxg 1-0

Karpov-Miles Skara 1980(Jan) 1 p-k4 P-QR3 2 P-Q4 P-QN4 3 N-KB3 B-N2 4 B-Q3 N-KB3 5 Q-K2 P-K3 6 P-QR4 P-B4 7 QPxP BxBP 8 QN-Q2 P-N5 9 P-K5 N-Q4 10 N-K4 B-K2 11 0-0 N-QB3 12 B-Q2 Q-B2 13 P-B4 PxP ep 14 NxP NxN 15 BxN N-N5 16 BxN BxB 17 QR-B1 Q-N3 18 B-K4 0-0 19 N-N5 P-R3 20 B-R7ch K-R1 21 B-N1 B-K2 22 N-K4 QR-B1 23 Q-Q3 RxR 24 RxR QxNP 25 R-K1 QxKP 26 QxQP B-N5 27 R-K3 Q-Q4 28 QxQ BxQ 29 N-B3 R-B1 30 N-K2 P-N4 31 P-R4 K-N2 32 PxP PxP 33 B-Q3 P-R4 34 R-N3 K-B3 35 R-N4 B-Q3 36 K-B1 B-K4 37 K-K1 R-KR1 38 P-B4 PxP 39 NxP B-B3 40 N-K2 R-R8 41 K-Q2 R-R7 42 P-N3 B-KB6 43 R-N8 R-N7 44 K-K1 BxN 45 BxB RxP 46 R-QR8 B-B2 0-1