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a chess program written by [Lincoln Shannon](#)^[1] which played the [ACM 1976](#), running on a [Honeywell x16](#) 16-bit minicomputer^[2].

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1.d4 e5 2.dxe5 Nc6 3.e4 a5 4.Qd5 h6 5.a4 Qe7 6.h4 Qb4+ 7.c3 Qb6 8.Bc4
Bc5
9.Qxf7+ Kd8 10.Qxg7 d6 11.Qf8+ Kd7 12.e6# 1-0
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- ¹ [^] [Chess Becomes Mechanized](#), [Hays Daily News](#), October 31, 1976, pp. 12

2. [^ David Levy](#) (1977). *1976 US Computer Chess Championship*. Computer Science Press, Woodland Hills, CA
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