

GAMESHOW

An amazing **8-move** game experienced by Andy Davis against the Maven computer program.
No rack details are available although it's obvious what the racks were for most moves!

MAVEN				ANDY			
Word Played	Pos	Score		Word Played	Pos	Score	
WHARVE	C8a	38	38	HABIT	D8d	20	20
METIFS	I3d	34	72	POrTAGUE	F5a	70	90
OUTROOTS	B12a	59	131	EQUINIAS	L3d	86	176
NOTCHY	H10d	42	173	WINZE	K8a	51	227
EXERGUAL	O8d	104	277	DISPRAD	A6a	74	301
FRACK	F11d	38	315	IDIOCY	A14a	40	341
ADJOINT	A5d	45	360	EMBLEM	H3a	24	365
AVENTRE	B2a	76	436	DELEING	H1a	92	457
(RLT?OUE) left		-6	442			+6	463

A remarkable game, the brevity of which was clearly assisted by the high turnover on most plays and the abrupt finishing with a bonus from each player leaving the maximum number of unused tiles. As with any short game, the board is well used and looking aesthetically pleasing.

Some Definitions

- AVENTRE to thrust (old)
- DISPRAD a pt of dispread
- EXERGUAL relating to the exergue (part of a coin)
- FRACK prompt, eager
- PORTAGUE an old Portuguese gold coin
- WINZE a mining shaft for ventilation; a curse

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
1								D ₂	E ₁	L ₁	E ₁	I ₁	N ₁	G ₂	
2		A ₁	V ₁	E ₁	N ₁	T ₁	R ₁	E ₁							
3								E ₁	M ₃	B ₃	L ₁	E ₁	M ₃		
4								E ₁			Q ₁₀				
5	A ₁					P ₃	O ₁	R ₁	T ₁	A ₁	G ₁	U ₁	E ₁		
6	D ₂	I ₁	S ₃	P ₃	R ₁	A ₁	D ₂	I ₁		I ₁					
7	J ₈							F ₄			N ₁				
8	O ₁	W ₄	H ₄	A ₁	R ₁	V ₄	E ₁	S ₁		W ₁	I ₁	N ₁	Z ₁₀	E ₁	
9	I ₁		A ₁							A ₁				X ₈	
10	N ₁		B ₃				N ₁			S ₁				E ₁	
11	T ₁		I ₁	F ₄			O ₁							R ₁	
12		O ₁	U ₁	T ₁	R ₁	O ₁	O ₁	T ₁	S ₁					G ₂	
13				A ₁			C ₃							U ₁	
14	I ₁	D ₂	I ₁	O ₁	C ₃	Y ₄	H ₄							A ₁	
15				K ₅			Y ₄							L ₁	