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## **Chronicle of the chess society “Roland” Weißenfels a.d.S.**

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Anyone who wants to know where Weißenfels is located must turn to p. 351 of the latest local history work by the brothers Konrad and Markus Reiß. A comprehensive work of 502 pages, color print, numerous facsimiles, photos and various illustrations.

With this book, the Löberitz Chess Museum wants to make the handwritten documents accessible to a larger group of people as annotated and transcribed facsimiles and thus preserve their content more securely for posterity.

For the Löberitz Chess Museum, the minutes contain important documents for completing the chess history in Saxony-Anhalt, which is a stroke of luck. The Löberitz Chess Museum is committed to preserving the chess tradition in Central Germany.

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The two documents summarized here in this work [the minutes of the society and its chess competitions in the region] are presented chronologically and completely (!) as facsimiles. Each page of the “Chronik Roland” with the internal minutes of the society is transcribed from Sütterlin into Latin script on the opposite page. The “Chronik Roland” (18 x 22) provides information about the years 1919 - 1925. The minutes are accompanied by digressions with further details from various sources, and major events in the Saale-Schachbund are appropriately explained.

The pages selected here from the book give an excellent impression of the Reiß brothers' chosen method, especially the print quality and readability.

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