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Shovelboard



Do you know the board games:

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- Go

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In England of Shakespeare's time, it was an immensely popular game. It was called shove-board, shove-ha'penny, shove-ha'penny, shove-ha'penny, shove-ha'penny. Today it's called shove-ha'penny because the ha'penny (pronunciation for half a penny) was what it was all about.

Today it's only known in pubs, used to be played in the royal court.

For instructions on how to play it, see PDF file.

Go

"Go" is fairly unknown in the West, though it is often referred to as the most ancient game.

"Go" has an impressive ancient history. About 2000 years ago, it appeared in Chinese literature and spread across all walks of life.

"Go" is superior to chess in terms of its unadorned simplicity and its logic. "Go" is more modern despite its age.

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