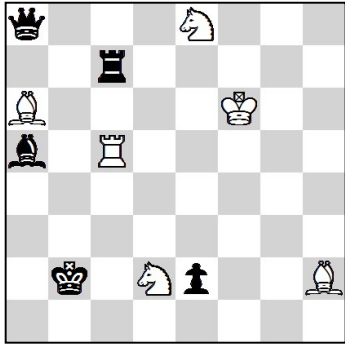


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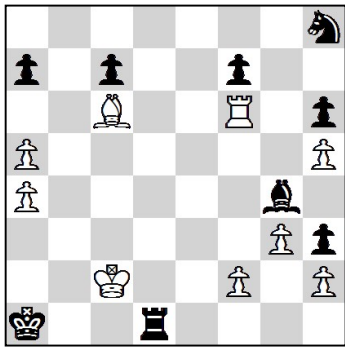


Costeff, Gady
2nd Prize, The Problemist 2002

1. ♖e5+ ♘c3 2. ♖xc3+ ♜c2 3. ♗xc7 ♝f8+ 4. ♜e5 (1)
 4... ♜xc5+ 5. ♗d5 (1)
 5... e1=♙+ 6. ♗e4 (1)
 6... ♝ee3 7. ♗f1 (1)
 7... ♜b3 8. ♗a6 (1)
 8... ♜a4 9. ♗f1 = positional draw

1... ♜a3 2. ♗xa5+ ♜b4 3. ♗xc7 e1=♙ 4. ♗b5+ ♜a4 5. ♗a5+ =
 2. ♗xc7 ♝f8+ 3. ♜e6 ♝xc5 -+
 4. ♜g6 ♝xc5 5. ♗e4 ♝xc7 ♜f4 -+
 4. ♜e6 e1=♙+ 5. ♜d5 ♝h1+ 6. ♜c4 ♝h4+ 7. ♜b5 ♝b8+
 8. ♜a5 ♝e7 9. ♗e6 ♝bd8+ 10. ♗xd8 ♝xc5+ 11. ♜a4 ♝xc3 12. ♗c4 ♝f6 -+

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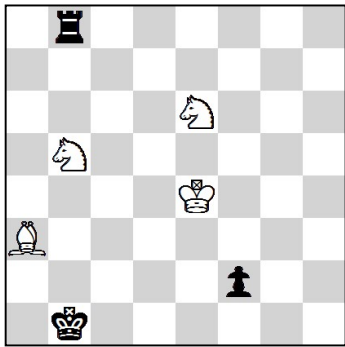


A.Rusz
1st hm, Paul Joita-80 MT 2018

1. ♗f3! ♜d4 2. ♜c3! [1]
 2... ♗xa4 3. ♜b3 ♗d7! 4. ♗c6! [1]
 4... ♗d4 5. ♜c3! [1]
 5... ♗d1 6. ♜c2 [1]
 6... ♗g4 7. ♗f4! ~ / ♗d6 8. ♗a4‡ [1]

2. ♗xg4? ♗xg4 3. ♗xh6 ♗g8 4. ♗a6 ♗a8 =
 3... ♗d4 4. ♗xg4 ♗xg4 5. ♗c6 ♜b1 6. ♗xc7 ±
 5. ♗xd7? ♗xd7 6. ♗xh6 ♗d8 =
 6... ♗d4 7. ♗xd7 ♗xd7 8. ♗f4! ±

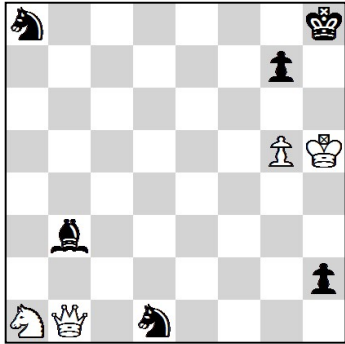
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D. Gurgenidze
Shakhmaty v SSSR, 1980
5th Prize

1. ♗c3+ ♜a1! 2. ♗d4 [1]
 2... ♗e8+ 3. ♜d5 [1]
 3... ♗d8+ 4. ♜e4! [1]
 4... ♗xd4+ 5. ♜e3! [1]
 5... f1=♙ 6. ♜xd4 ♙a6! 7. ♗c1! [1]
 7... ♙f1 8. ♗a3 =

4.

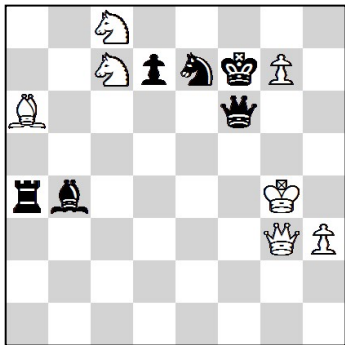


Дидух, Сергій Ігорович
6th Prize
Olympic ty Sochy 2014

1. ♖e4 ♜f2 2. ♜h4 [1]
 2... ♗h1 ♜:h1 ♙f7+ 4.g6 ♙:g6+ 5. ♚g5+ [1]
 5... ♘xh1 6. ♚xg6 ♘c7 7. ♘b3 (or 6... ♘g3 7. ♘c2) [1]
 7... ♘g3/ ♘c7 8. ♘d4 [1]
 8.. ♚g8 9. ♘e6! ♘xe6 stalemate [1]

- (2.Qb7? ♙f7+ 3.g6 ♙g8 4. ♚:a8 ♗h1 ♚+ -+;
 2. ♚:a8+? ♙g8 3. ♘c2 ♗h1 ♚+ -+)
 (5.K:g6+? ♘:h1 zz 6. ♘c2(b3) ♘g3 7. ♘d4 ♘c7 zz
 8. ♚g5 ♘e4+ 9. ♚g6 ♘d6 -+)

5.



A. Belenky
MT L. Loshinsky, 64 1981-82 4th Prize

1. ♙c4+! d5 2. ♘xd5 [1]
 2... ♚f5+ 3. ♚h4 ♘g6+ 4. ♚xg6+ [1]
 4... ♚xg6 5.g8=♚+ [1]
 5... ♚xg8 6. ♘ce7+ [1]
 6... ♙xe7+ 7. ♘f6+ ♚g7 ♘ stalemate [1]
 (5. ♘f4+ ♚xg7 6. ♘xg6 ♚xg6 7. ♙d3+ ♚f6
 8. ♚g4 ♙c5+ 9. ♚f3 ♚a8-+)
 (6. ♘de7+? ♚g7 7. ♘xg6 ♚xg6-+)
 (6... ♚g7 7. ♘xg6 ♚xg6 8. ♙d3+ ♚h6 9. ♚g4=)

This problem is unsolvable because black wins after
 2...Qxg7+ 3. Kf3 Qxg3+ 4. Kxg3 Ra3+ by the 7-man tablebases