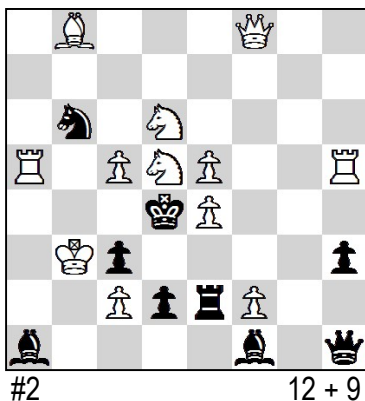


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1.



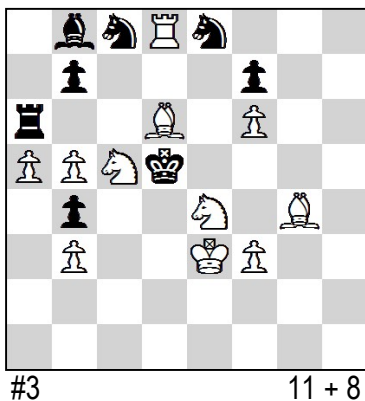
Wieland Bruch  
1st Prize, Phénix 2000

1. ♖b4! @ [2. ♖c6♯]  
 1... ♜xe4 2. ♖b5♯ 1... ♜xf2 2. ♜xf2♯ 1... ♜xe4 2. ♖f5♯
1. ♖c7? [2. ♖e6♯] but 1... ♜xe4!  
 1. ♖e7? [2. ♖c6♯] but 1... ♜xe4!  
 1. ♖f6? [2. ♖b5, ♖f5♯] but 1... ♜xf2!  
 1. ♖f4? [2. ♖e6♯] but 1... ♜xf2!

@	1
Pts.	5

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2.



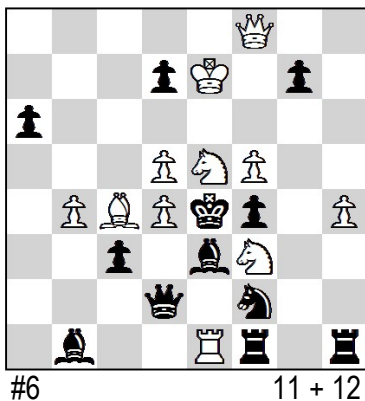
Leo Valve  
1st Honorable Mention, Schackvärlden 1943

- 1.f4! [2. ♖c3+ @ bxc3 3. ♕f3♯]  
 1... ♖exd6 2. ♕h5 @ [3. ♕xf7♯]  
 1... ♖cxd6 2. ♕e2 @ [3. ♕c4♯]  
 1... ♕xd6 2. ♖d3 @ [3. ♖xb4♯]  
 1... ♜xd6 2. ♕xc8 @ [3. ♕xb7♯]

@	1	2	3	4	5
Pts.	1	2	3	4	5

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3.



Mikhaïlo Marandyuk  
1st Prize, Shakhmatnaya Poeziya 2009

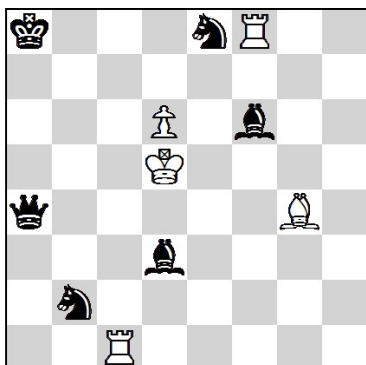
- 1.d6! [2. ♕d5+ ♜xd5 3. ♜a8♯]  
 1... ♜a2 2. ♖g5+ ♜xd4 3. ♖gf3+ ♜e4  
 4. ♜a8+ ♜xf5 5. ♖d4+ @ ♕xd4/♜xe5 6. ♜f8/♜d5♯  
 1... ♕a2 2. ♜a8+ ♜xf5 3. ♜f8+ ♜e4  
 4. ♖g5+ ♜xd4 5. ♜xf4+ @ ♖e4/♕xf4 6. ♜xe4/♖gf3♯

@	1	2
Pts.	2,5	5

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4.



= 5 + 6

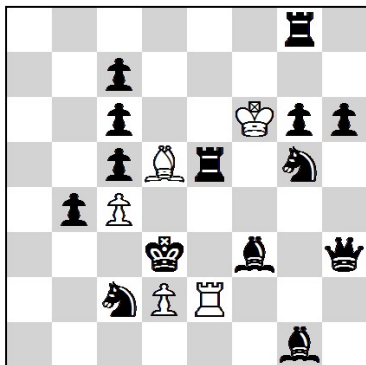
Charles Bent  
Magyar Sakkélet 1971

1. ♖c8+ ♔b7 2. ♖f7+ @ ♔b6 3. ♖b8+ ♔a5  
 4. ♖a7+ @ ♙a6 5. ♖xa6+ @ ♙xa6 6. ♖a8+  
 ♔b7 7. ♖xa4 ♘xa4 8. ♙d7 @ ♘b6+ 9. ♔e6  
 ♘xd7 10. ♔xd7 @ ♘g7 =  
 (4. ♖a8+? ♙a6 5. ♖xa6 ♙xa6 6. ♙c8 ♔a5 7. ♖a7+  
 ♔b4 8. ♖xa4+ ♘xa4 9. ♙d7 ♘b6+ 10. ♔e6 ♘xd7  
 11. ♔xd7 ♘g7 12. ♔c8 ♘e6-+)  
 (6... ♔b6 7. ♖xa4 ♘xa4 8. ♙d7 ♘c3+ 9. ♔e6=)

@	1	2	3	4	5
Pts.	1	2	3	4	5

YACPDB:565392

5.



H#3 2 Solutions 5 + 14

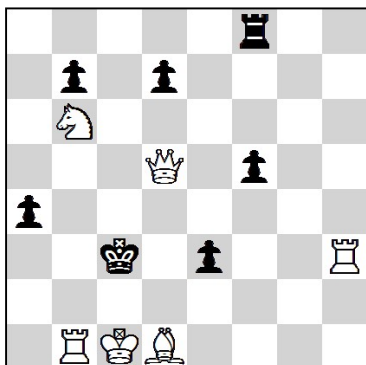
Fadil Abdurahmanovic  
3rd Prize, Mat 1979 (v)

1. ♙h1 ♙g2 2. ♙d4 ♙f1 3. ♙e4 ♙g2 † @  
 1. ♖ee8 ♖e7 2. ♔d4 ♖d7 3. ♖e4 ♙e6 † @

@	1	2
Pts.	2,5	5

YACPDB:60928

6.



S#5 6 + 7

Camillo Gamnitzer  
1st Prize, Schach-Aktiv 1997

1. ♙d6! [2. ♘xa4+ ♔c4 3. ♖h4+ f4  
 4. ♘b6+ ♔c3 5. ♙d2+ @ exd2 †]  
 1... ♖a8 2. ♖h8 [3. ♙d2+ exd2 †] e2 3. ♖c8+ ♖xc8  
 4. ♙e5+ ♔d3+ 5. ♙c2+ @ ♖xc2 †

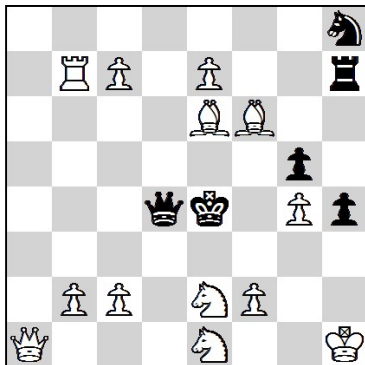
@	1	2
Pts.	2,5	5

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7.



#2 13 + 6

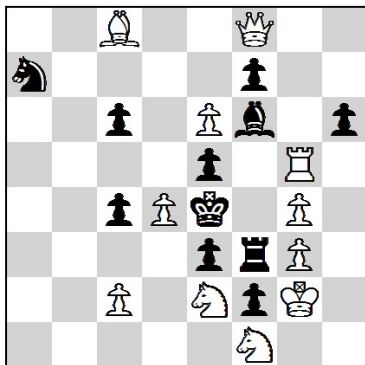
**Anatoly Slesarenko**  
1st Prize, Schach-Aktiv 2000

1. ♖a8! @ [2. ♜b4♯]  
 1... ♗b6 2. ♜xb6♯ 1... ♗xf2 2. ♜b3♯ 1... ♗xf6 2. ♜b5♯
1. ♖a3? [2.f3, ♗f3♯] 1... ♗xf2 2. ♖d3♯ but 1... ♖c3!  
 1. ♜b3? [2.f3♯] 1... ♗xf2 2. ♖a8♯ 1... ♗xf6 2. ♜e3♯ but 1... ♖c3!  
 1. ♜b5? [2. ♙f5♯] 1... ♗xf2 2. ♜e5♯ 1... ♗xf6 2. ♖a8♯ but 1... ♗c5!  
 1. ♖c1? [2.f3♯] 1... ♗xf2 2. ♙c3♯ 1... ♗xf6 2. ♖e3♯ but 1... ♖d2!  
 1. ♖a5? [2. ♙f5, ♗f5♯] 1... ♗xf2 2. ♖e5♯ 1... ♗xf6 2. ♖d5♯ but 1... ♖c5!

@	1
Pts.	5

YACPDDB:195289

8.



#3 11 + 11

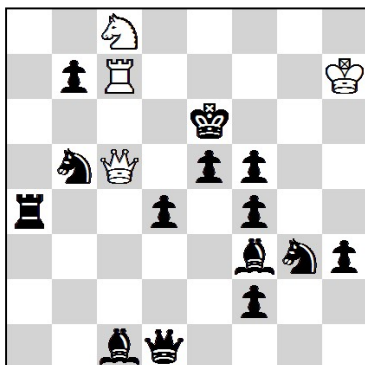
**Veikko Tamminen**  
2nd Prize, Schackvärlden 1944

1. ♖a3! [2. ♙d2+ @ exd2/♖d5] 3. ♖xf3/♖c5♯  
 1... ♜f5 2. ♖c5 @ [3. ♙c3♯] exd4/♙b5 3. ♖xf5/♖xc6♯  
 1... ♜f4 2. ♖d6 @ [3. ♙c3♯] exd4/♙b5 3. ♖xf4/♖xc6♯  
 1... ♜xg3+ 2. ♙fxg3+ @ ♖d5 3. ♖c5♯  
 1... ♙xc8 2. ♖c5 @ [3. ♖xc6, ♙c3♯] ♜xg3+ 3. ♙fxg3♯  
 1... c3 2. ♙xc3+ @ ♖xd4 3. ♖b4♯  
 1... ♖d5 2. ♖c5+ @ ♖e4 3. ♙c3♯

@	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Pts.	1	1,5	2	3	3,5	4	5

YACPDDB:493909

9.



#4 4 + 14

**Dieter Muller & Siegfried Brehmer**  
3rd Honorable Mention, Schach 1987

1. ♖h6! [2. ♜e7+ ♖f6 3. ♖xe5♯]  
 1... ♖e1 2. ♖g6 ♙h5+ 3. ♖g7 @ ♙xc7 4. ♖d6♯  
 1... ♖e2 2. ♖g7 ♙h5+ 3. ♖g6 @ ♙xc7 4. ♖d6♯  
 1... ♙xc7 2. ♖d6+ ♖f7 3. ♖e7+ @ ♖g8 4. ♖g7♯
1. ♖g6? [2. ♜e7♯] but 1... ♙h5+!  
 1. ♖g7? [2. ♜e7♯] but 1... ♙h5+!

@	1	2	3
Pts.	1,5	3,5	5

YACPDDB:228364

