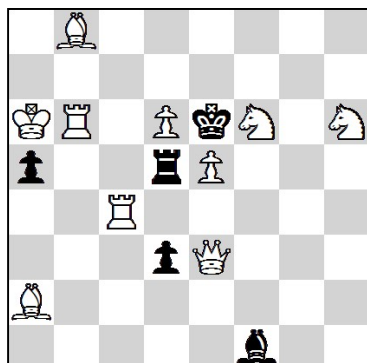


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1.



#2

10 + 5

Touw Hian Bwee, Neue Züricher Zeitung 1979-1980, 1st Pr.

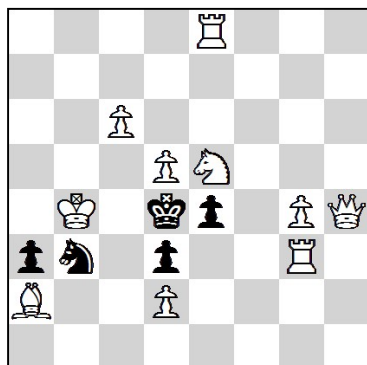
1. ♔c5? ♖g2!

1. ♔f4? ♖h3!

1. ♖b7! [5]

YACPDB:3684

2.



#2

10 + 5

Santi Pirrone, Thèmes-64, 1960

1. g5? ♔xd5!

1. ♔h1? ♖c1!

1. ♔h7? ♖c5!

1. ♔f6? e3!

1. ♔e7? e3!

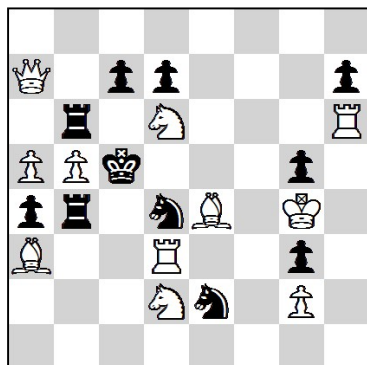
1. ♔d8? ♖c5!

1. ♖xb3? a2!

1. ♔g5! [5]

YACPDB:170595

3.



#2

11 + 11

Waclaw Gebelt, Hungary-Poland 1935, 1st Pl.

1. ... ♖d~ 2. ♖d5†

1. ... ♖xb5 2. ♖b7†

1. ♖f3! [5]

1. ... ♖d~+ 2. ♖2e4†

1. ... ♖xb5+ 2. ♖6e4†

1. ... ♖e~ 2. ♖c3†

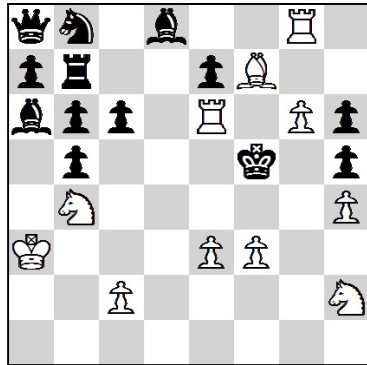
1. ... c6,cxd6 2. ♖xb6†

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4.



#3

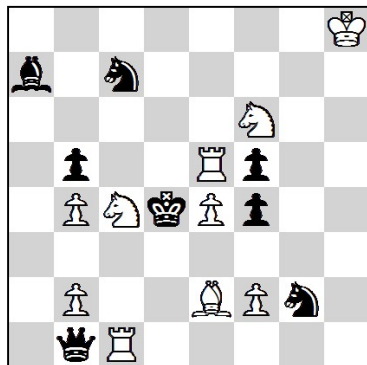
11 + 13

László Lindner, The Western Morning News and Daily Gazette 1934

1. ♖a2! ♜c7 (~) 2. ♘d3 [1] ~ 3. e4†
 1. ... c5 2. ♘d5 [1] ~ 3. e4†
 1. ... ♜d7 2. ♜f8 [1] ~ 3. ♜g8†
 1. ... ♜c7 2. ♘f1 [1] ~ 3. ♘g3†
 1. ... ♘d7 2. ♘xc6 [1] ~ 3. ♘d4†

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5.



#3

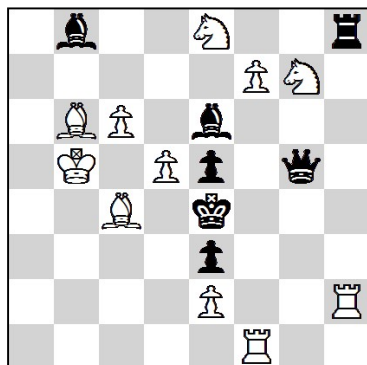
10 + 8

Touw Hian Bwee, British Chess Federation Tourney 1974-1975, 1st HM.

1. ♜e7! ~ 2. ♜d7+ [1] ♘d5 3. ♜xd5†
 1. ... ♜xe4 2. ♜xe4+ [1] ♜xe4 3. ♜d1†
 1. ... ♘e3 2. ♘d2 [1] ~ 3. ♘f3/♘b3†
 1. ... ♜c5 2. ♘a5 [1] ~ 3. ♘b3/♘c6†
 1. ... ♘d5 2. ♘e5 [1] ~ 3. ♘f3/♘c6†

YACPDB:229209

6.



#3

11 + 7

Tony Lewis, The Problemist 1997, 3rd Pr.

1. ♘b3! ~ 2. ♘c2+ @ ♜xd5 3. ♜d1†
 1. ... ♘f5 2. ♜c4 @ ~ 3. ♘c2†
 1. ... ♜f4 2. ♜a1 @ ~/♜xd5/♜d6 3. ♜a4/♜c2/♜xd6†
 1. ... ♜g6 2. ♜c5 @ ~/♜d6 3. ♘c2/♜xd6†
 1. ... ♜h4 2. ♜f8 ♜ @ ~ 3. ♜b4/♜f3†
 1. ... ♜h4 2. ♜xh4+ @ ♜g4 3. ♜f6, ♜xg4†
 1. ... ♜f5 2. ♜xf5 @ ~ 3. ♜f6, ♜g3†

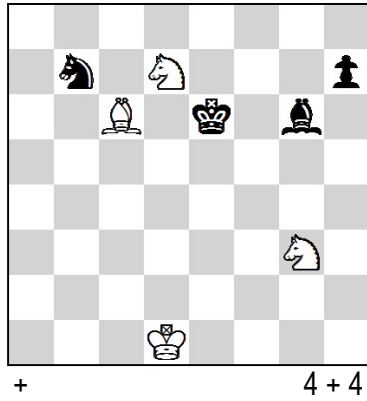
@	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Pts.	1	1,5	2	3	3,5	4	5

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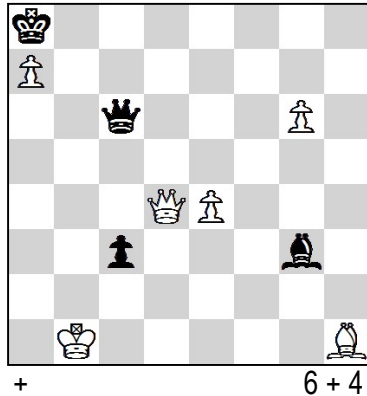
7.



Vladislav V. Tarasyuk, Peremoga-45 JT Sportiva Gazeta 1991, 2nd Pr.

1. ♖f8+ [1]
 1. ... ♜f7 2. ♘xg6 ♘d8! 3. ♘h8+ [1]
 3. ... ♜g7/♜g8 4. ♘h5+/♘d5+! [1]
 4. ... ♜xh8 5. ♘d5/♘h5 h6 6. ♜e2 [1]
 6. ... ♜h7 7. ♜f3 ♜g6 8. ♜g4 [1]
 8. ... ♘f7 9. ♘e4†
 3. ... ♜g7 4. ♘d5? h5! =
 if 3... ♜g7/♜g8 4. ♘d5+!? = minus 2 pts.

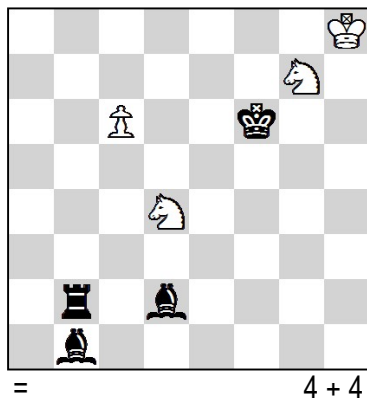
8.



Martin Minski, Original for Polish Chess Federation 2026

1. g7 [1]
 1. ... c2+ 2. ♜a2 [1]
 2. ... ♜e6+ 3. ♜b2 ♘e5 4. g8 ♜+ [1]
 4. ... ♜xg8 5. ♜xe5 ♜g7 6. ♜f6! [2]
 6. ... ♜xf6 7. e5+ ♜xa7 8. exf6 ±
 1. ... ♜b7 2. ♜c2 ♜b2+ 3. ♜d3 ±
 2. ... c1 ♘+ 3. ♜b1 ±
 6. ♜xg7? c1 ♜+ 7. ♜xc1 =
 1. ♜c2? ♜xg6! =

9.



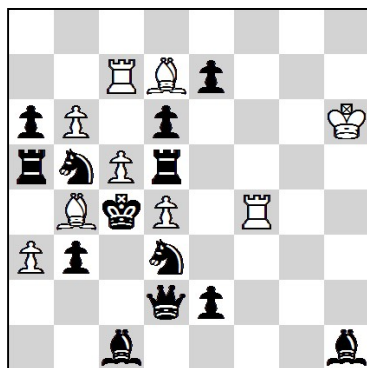
Nikolai G. Ryabinin, Valery Kirillov, Europa Rochade 1992-1993, Pr.

1. c7 ♘h6! 2. ♘e8+ [1]
 2. ... ♜f7 3. ♘d6+ [1]
 3. ... ♜g6 4. c8 ♜ [1]
 4. ... ♘g7+ 5. ♜g8 ♘a2+ 6. ♘e6! [1]
 6. ... ♜b8! 7. ♘e8! [1]
 7. ... ♜xc8 =
 3. ... ♜f6 4. ♘e8+
 5. ... ♜b8 6. ♜xb8 ♘a2+ 7. ♘b3
 7. ♜xb8? ♘xe6+ 8. ♘f7 ♘xf7†

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10.



H#2 3 Solutions 9 + 13

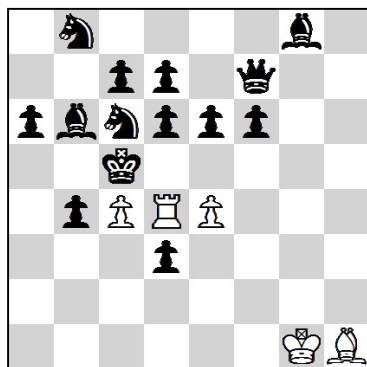
László Talabér, Tipográfia Testedző Egyesület, 3rd Pr.

1. ♖xc5 ♜g4 2. ♚xd4 ♜xe2† @
 1. ♖xd4 ♜c8 2. ♚axc5 ♜xa6† @
 1. ♚xd4 cxd6+ 2. ♜c6 ♜e6† @

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

YACPDB:44829

11.



H#3 5 + 14

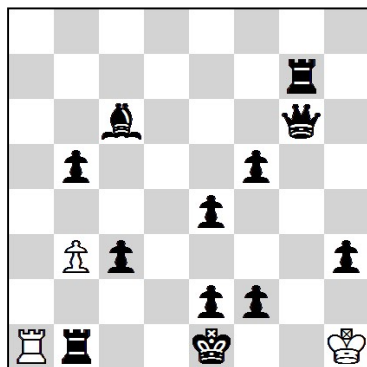
Christopher Jones, Original for WCSC 2026

- a) 1.f5 exf5 2.d5 fxe6 3.dxc4 ♜d5† @
 b) 1. ♜c6 c5 2.dxc5 ♜xd7 3. ♚xd7 e5† @

@	1	2
Pts.	2,5	5

- a) Diagram
 b) ♜c6⇒b5

12.



H#4 2 Solutions 3 + 12

Yuri G. Fokin, Die Schwalbe 1983

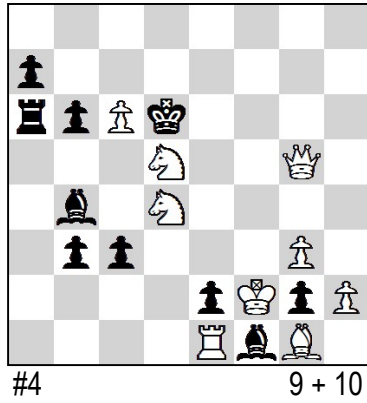
- 1.c2 ♜xb1+ 2.c1 ♜b2 3. ♚xb3 ♜c2 4. ♚d2 ♜c1† @
 1.f1 ♜a8 2. ♚e3 ♜h8 3. ♜f1 ♜h4 4. ♜e1 ♜f4† @

@	1	2
Pts.	2,5	5

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13.

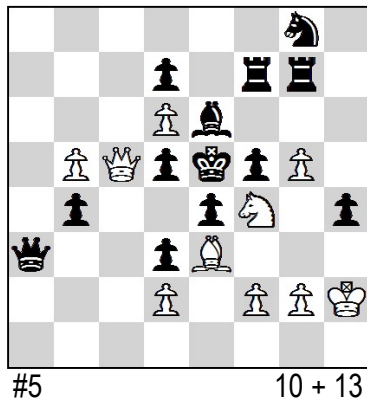


Samuel Loyd, The Mirror of American Sports 1885 (v)

1. ♖e3! ~ 2. ♔d8+ ♜e5 3. ♜f3 [1.0] ~ / ♜d6 4. ♜g4/ ♜h8†
 1. ... ♜a3 2. ♔d8+ ♜c5 3. ♔d5+ [0.5] ♜b4 4. ♜b5†
 1. ... b5 2. ♔d8+ ♜c5 3. ♜e6+ [0.5] ♜xc6 4. ♜c7†
 1. ... ♜a5 2. ♔g8 ~ 3. ♜f8+ [0.5] ♜e5/ ♜c7 4. ♜f4/ ♜d5†
 1. 2. ... ♜c5 3. ♜b5 [0.5] ~ / ♜xc6 4. ♜c4/ ♜d5†
 1. 2. ... ♜e5 3. ♜e6+ [0.5] ♜xd4 4. ♜d5†
 1. 2. ... ♜e7 3. ♜ef5+ [0.5] ♜f6 4. ♜g7†
 1. ... ♜c7 2. ♜b5+ ♜c8 3. ♜g8+ [1.0] ♜f8 4. ♜xf8†

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14.

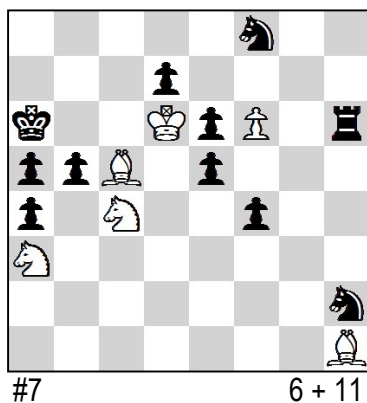


Mikhailo N. Marandiyuk, The Macedonian Problemist 2009, Pr.

1. ♜h3! ~ 2. ♜g6+ ♜xg6 3. f4+ exf3 e.p. 4. ♜f4+ @
 1. ... ♜a7 2. ♜xd3+ exd3 3. f4+ ♜e4 4. ♜xa7 @
 1. ... ♜xg5 2. ♜d4+ ♜xd6 3. ♜c5+ ♜e5 4. ♜d4+ @
 1. ... ♜e7 2. ♜d4+ ♜xf4 3. ♜e3+ ♜e5 4. ♜d4+ @

@	1	2	3	4
Pts.	1,25	2,5	3,75	5

15.



Manfred Zucker, Schach 1984, 1st Pr.

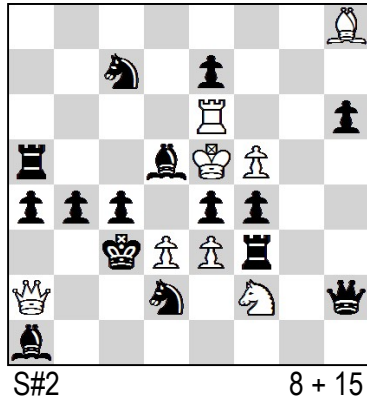
1. ♜a8! ~ 2. ♜c7
 1. ... ♜h7 2. f7 ♜xf7 3. ♜xb5 ♜xb5
 4. ♜a3+ ♜a6 5. ♜e4 ~ 6. ♜b5 [5] ♜xb5 7. ♜d3†

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16.

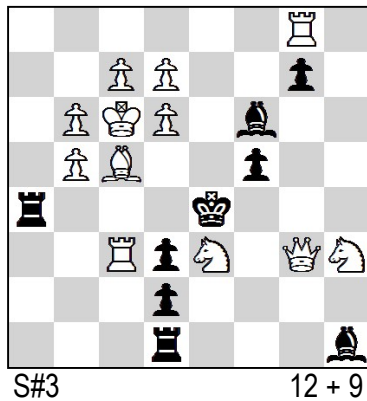


Constatin G. Pochtaryov, Yuri G. Fokin,
Revista Română de Șah 1983, 1st HM.

- 1.dxe4! ~ 2.♔c2+ [1] ♔xc2†
 1. ... ♖b2 2.♔xc4+ [1] ♔xc4, ♗xc4, ♘xc4†
 1. ... ♜g3 2.♔xf4+ [1] ♜g7†
 1. ... b3 2.♔xd2+ [1] ♔xd2†
 1. ... ♘b5 2.♔xd5+ [1] ♘d4†

YACPDB:88417

17.



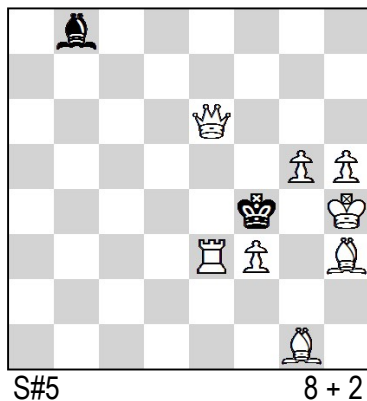
Zivko Janevski, Schach 1992, 1st-2nd HM.

- 1.♘f1! ~ 2.♔xd3+ ♔e5+ 3.♔d5+ @ ♔xd5†
 1. ... ♖f~ 2.♔e5+ ♔f3 3.♔e2+ @ ♔xe2†
 1. ... ♖d4 2.♘f2+ ♖xf2 3.♔f4+ @ ♔xf4†
 1. ... ♖xc3 2.♔e8+ ♖e5 3.♔xd3+ @ ♔xd3†
 1. ... ♖f3 2.♘g5+ ♖xg5 3.♔e5+ @ ♔xe5†
 1. ... ♜d4 2.♘xd2+ ♜xd2 3.♔e3+ @ ♔xe3†

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

YACPDB:379084

18.



Mirko Degenkolbe, Nikolaj Zujev, Original for Schach 2026

- 1.♜e1! ~ 2.♔c4+ ♔xf3 3.♔e2+ ♔f4
 4.♔h2+ ♔f3 5.♔g3+ @ ♔xg3†
 1. ... ♖e5 2.♔c4+ ♖d4 3.g6 ♔xf3
 4.♔c6+ ♔f4 5.♔f6+ @ ♔xf6†
 1. ... ♖a7 2.♔e5+ ♔xf3 3.♖b6 ♖xb6
 4.♔e2+ ♔f4 5.♔f2+ @ ♔xf2†

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