

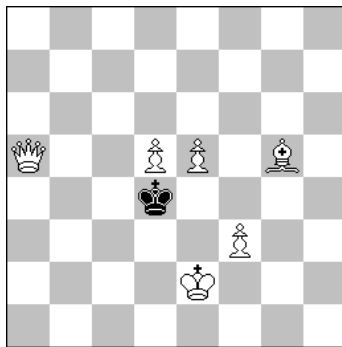
Tetragon 2016-2017

Themes of 2nd Quarter [May 1, 2016 – July 31, 2016]

Section: **Direct #3**

Povenets theme: "In a threemover White gives mates with two or more pieces on same square".

Stephan DEMIDYUK
Kareliya Sportivnaya 1995
1st Honourable Mention



EXAMPLE

Solution *

1.Qb5! [zugzwang]

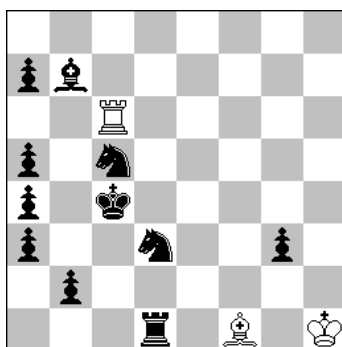
1... Kc3; 2.Bc1, Kc2/Kd4; 3.Qb2/Bb2#
1... Kxe5; 2.Qc6, Kf5/Kd4; 3.Qf6/Bf6#

2x2 squares

Section: **Helpmate 3**

Mate on initial King's square: "White gives at least two or more mates on the square that was occupied by black King in the initial problem position".

Živko JANEVSKI
Sahkhmatna misl 1990



EXAMPLE

Solution 1

1.Kb4 Kg1 2.Se1 Ba6 3.Sb3 Rc4#

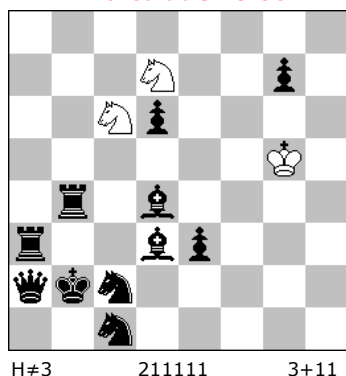
Solution 2

1.Kb3 Kg2 2.Se4 Rc1 3.Sb4 Bc4#

Section: **Fairy**

Fairy condition - **Tibetan chess**: "A black man which captures a white man of other kind than itself, changes colour. If the captured man is of same kind, it retains its colour. Conditions apply neither to Kings nor to white men. Problems $\neq 3$, or $H \neq 3$, or $S \neq 3$ ".

Bernd ELLINGHOVEN
In memoriam E. Kelly - Feenschach 1991
7th Honourable Mention



EXAMPLE

Fairy condition: **Tibetan Chess**

Solution 1

1.Be5 Sd4 2.Rxd4(w) Sf6 3.Bxf6(w) Rb4#

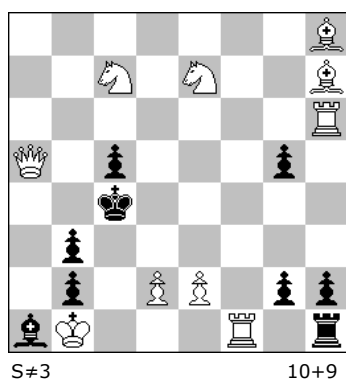
Solution 2

1.Rb7 Sb6 2.Bxb6(w) Sb8 3.Rxb8(w) Bd4#

Section: **Selfmate 3**

Prytz theme: "In a Selfmate White forces Black to open his mating batteries both by way of decoying his front pieces with check and by way of putting him in Zugzwang".

Rud PRYTZ
Skakblade7 1937



EXAMPLE

Solution

1.S-b5! [2.Rc1+, bxc1S/B; 3.Bd3+/Sa3+, Sxd3/Bxa3#]

1... g1S; 2.Rf4+, gxf4; 3.Rh4, S ~#

1... g1B; 2.Rf2, g4; 3.Rh4, Bxf2#

1... gxf1S; 2.Sf5, ~ ; 3.Se3+, Sxe3#

1... gxf1B; 2.e3, ~ ; 3.d3+, Bxd3#

Ogni Sezione avrà una classifica a parte e gli Autori potranno partecipare anche a tutte e 4 le sezioni presentate (con un problema per ciascuna). Sono ammesse posizioni gemellari, problemi con Gioco Apparente, duplex e zeropositions.

Inviare gli inediti [max. un problema per Autore (no joint) in ciascuna delle sezioni] unicamente al seguente indirizzo e-mail: valerio.agostini@gmail.com entro e non oltre le ore 24.00 del 31 luglio 2016. Per consultare il bando basta andare nel sito, seguendo il percorso ARCHIVIO-BANDI-PROBLEMI-2016 etc.