100 Polish threemovers (1893-1992)

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The collection shows, in my opinion, the best selected problems of Polish composers, which were published in the mentioned above period. In most cases the high quality of these compositions was earlier confirmed by publication in the FIDE Albums.
Past wars had an influence on emigration of many our composers. Nevertheless, each of them repeatedly spoke one's connection with the Polish chess composition. For this obvious reason, their outstanding compositions had to be considered too.
A few words are needed about Marian Wróbel (1907-1960) who was the mentor of many Polish composers. He was actively creating the basics of an interesting hybrid of the Bohemian and strategic schools. A large number of the selected problems arose thanks to his teaching. The collection is limited to a maximum of 7 threemovers per author.

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1. Edward POTEMPSKI
Kurier Warszawski 1893

#3 (9 + 5)
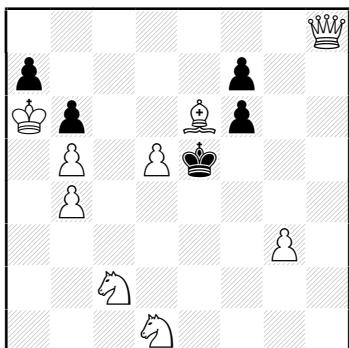
1.Bf5! zz
1...Kf5 2.Qh5+ Ke4 3.Sf2#
1...Kd5 2.Qf6 Kc4 3.Qf7#
1...Kd6 2.Qb8+ Kd5 3.Sde3#, 2...Ke7 3.d6#
model mate, flight-giving key, sacrifice key,
zugzwang

2. Wacław POTEMPSKI
1st Pr Kurier Warszawski 1894

#3 (7 + 6)
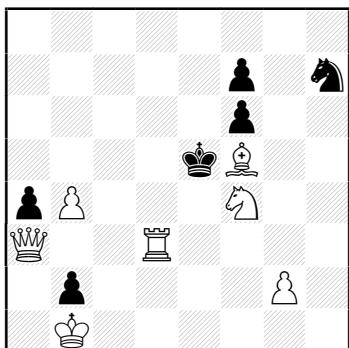
1.Rd4! zz
1...Kf5 2.Qf3 ~ 3.Rd5#
1...Kd4 2.Qb2+ Kc4 3.Bd3#, 2..Ke3 3.Sd5#
1...Sg5 2.Rd5+ Kf4 3.g3#
[1...Sf8 2.Qd3 ~ 3.Qe4#]
model mate, give-and-take key,
sacrifice key, zugzwang

3. Wacław POTEMPSKI
3rd Pr Kurier Warszawski 1895
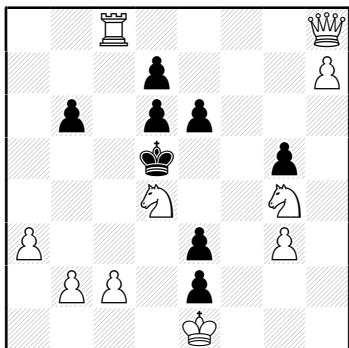
#3 (10 + 8)

1.Rc4! zz
1...Ke4 2.Qe5+ de5 3.Sf6#
1...Kc4 2.Se3+ Kc5 3.b4#
1...b5 2.Sb3 bc4 3.Qa8#
[1...e5 2.Qg8+ Ke4 3.Sf6#]
model mate, flight-giving key, sacrifice key,
zugzwang, sacrifice

4. Oswald JAROSZ
Kurier Warszawski 1896 (V.)

#3 (8 + 4)
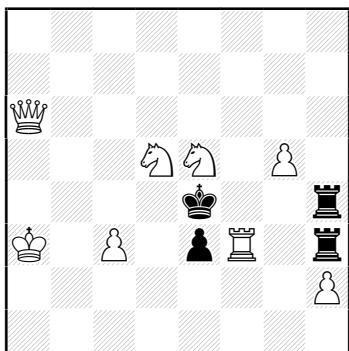
1.Sf7! ~ 2.Sf6+ Kf3 3.Qf1#
1...Rf3 2.Qc4+ Kf5 3.Se7#
1...Kd5 2.Rf5+ Ke4 3.Sd6#
1...Kf3 2.Qf1+ Ke4 3.Sf6#
[1...Rf4(h6) 2.Rf4+ Kd5 3.Qc4#]
model mate, give-and-take key, meredith

5. Wacław POTEMPSKI
1st Pr Tygodnik Ilustrowany 1897 (V.)

#3 (6 + 7)
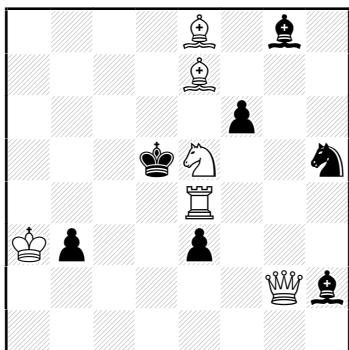
1.Bf8! ~ 2.Re3+ Ke6 3.Bd7#
1...Sf4 2.Sg4 Sg2 3.Sf6#
1...Sg3 2.Sc6 .Se4 3.Qg8#
[1...fe5 2.Rf4+ e4 3.Qe4#
1...Be5 2.Rf4+ Ke6 3.Qg8#
1...Ke6 2.Qg8+ Kf5 3.Qg4#]
model mate, battery, retreating key

6. Kazimierz GRABOWSKI
4th Pr Frankisches Volksblatt 1915

#3 (9 + 7)
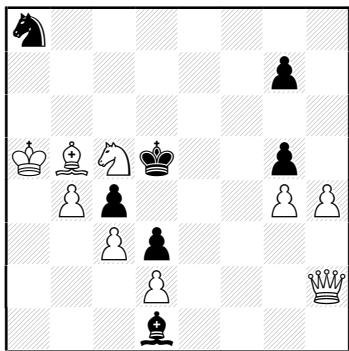
1.Bd7! zz
1...Bc2(b3,a4) 2.Bf5 ~ 3.Be4#
1...Be2(f3) 2.Bc8 Kc6 3.Bb7#
1...g6 2.Se4 ~ 3.Sf6#, 2...Ke4 3.Bc6#
[1...Sb6 2.Kb6, 1...Sc7 2.Qc7, 1...Bg4
 2.Bg4 1...gh4 2.Qf4]
model mate, zugzwang, focal point

7. Dawid PRZEPIÓRKA
Robert Sahlberg Ty. 1916

#3 (6 + 6)
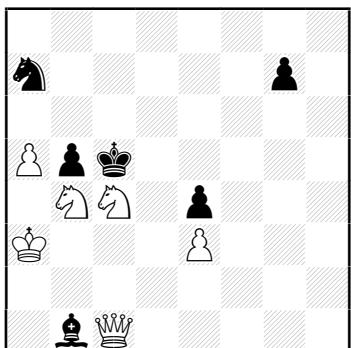
1.Qf1! ~ 2.Qf7 ~ 3.Qd5#
1...bc4 2.Qf8+ Kb5 3.Qf5#
1...Sc8 2.Qf5+ Kc4 3.Qc8#
1...Sc6 2.Sa6+ Kd5 3.Qf7#
model mate, battery-destroying key, echo,
meredith, manoeuvre

8. Dawid PRZEPIÓRKA
L'Italia Scacchistica 1916

#3 (7 + 9)
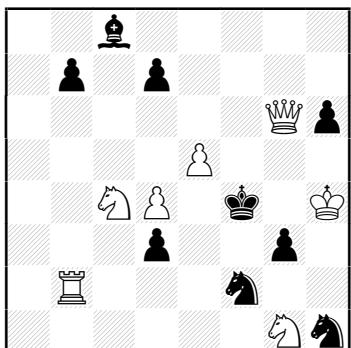
1.Rb4! ~ 2.Sd6 Ke3 3.Qh6#
1...d2 2.Sb6 Ke3 3.Sd5#
1...d5 2.Qh6+ Ke4 3.Sd6#
model mate, remote self-block, ambush key

9. Dawid PRZEPIÓRKA
De Maasbode 1916
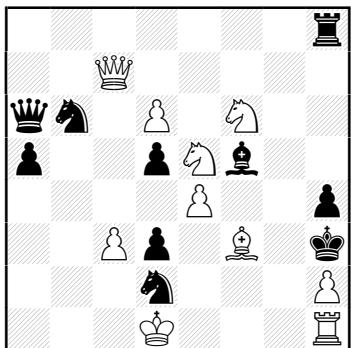
#3 (10 + 10)

1.Qc8! ~ (Sf3) 2.Qf5+ Kg2 3.Qf3#
1...Bc8 2.Sg6 Sf3 3.Sf4#
1...Qc8 2.Sd3 Sf3 3.Sf4#
1...Sc8 2.Sd5 Sf3 3.Sf4#
1...Rc8 2.Sh5 Sf3 3.Sf4#
model mate, sacrifice key

10. Dawid PRZEPIÓRKA
3rd Pr Algemeen Handelsblad 1917
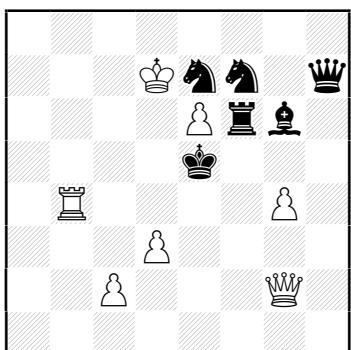
#3 (7 + 6)

1.Qd2! ~ (Bd3) 2.Qc3+ Kd5 3.Qd4#
1...Kd5 2.Rb5+ Kd4 3.c3#
1...Be4 2.d4+ Kd5 3.c4#
1...Sd5 2.Re4+ Be4 3.d4#
model mate, flight-giving key, self-block

11. Karol PILTZ
5th Pr Goeteborger Sch. 1920
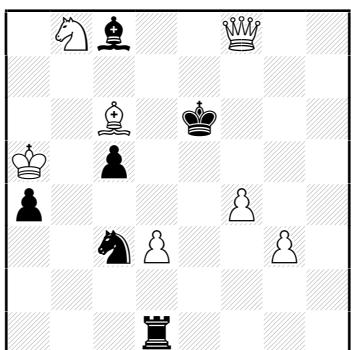
#3 (7 + 6)

1.Bf3! ~ (Rd3) 2.f5+ Ke5 3.Sc6#
1...Se4 2.de4 Rd5 3.ed5#
1...Bb7 2.Bg4+ Kd5 3.Qd8#
1...Bd7 2.Sa6 Bc6 3.Sc5#
model mate, retreating key

12. Dawid PRZEPIÓRKA
1st Pr Teplitz-Schonauer Anzeiger 1922
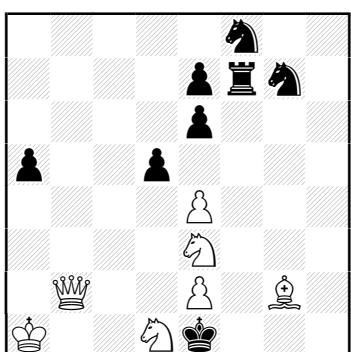
#3 (7 + 8)

1.Qc2! ~ 2.Qd3 ~ 3.Sc2#
1...de4 2.Bf1 ~ 3.Qc3#, 2...Rf1 3.Sg2#
1...Rf2 2.Sb2 Rg2 3.Sd3#
1...Sf5 2.Sf1 ~ 3.Qd2#
1...d4 2.Sc4 ~ 3.Qd2#
[1...Rf3 2.ef3 ~ 3.Qf2#]
model mate, self-block

13. Kazimierz GRABOWSKI
4th Pr L'Italia Scacchistica 1922

#3 (7 + 8)
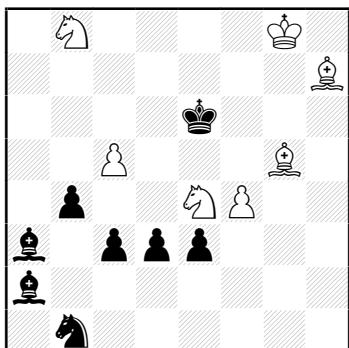
1.Sf6! ~ 2.Sc6 ~ 3.f5#
1...Ke7+ 2.Sd5+ Ke6 3.Sc7#
1...Bd5 2.Se8 Ba2 3.Sc7#
1...b3 2.f5+ Ke7 3.Sc6#, 2...Ke5 3.Sc6#
model mate, give-and-take key,
check-allowing key, manoeuvre

14. Franciszek RDUCH
1st Pr British Chess Problem Society 1923

#3 (8 + 7)
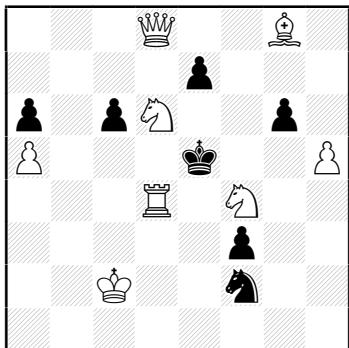
1.Bd5! zz
1...Kd4 2.Sc4 ~ 3.Se6#, 2...Kc5 3.Qb6#,
 2...cd5 3.Qd5#
1...ed6 2.Qg5+ Kd4 3.Se6#
1...c5 2.Sg6+ Kf6 3.Qe7#, 2...Kd4 3.Sf5#
1...cd5 2.Sg6+ Ke6 3.Qe7#, 2...Kf6 3.Qe7#,
 2...Kd4 3.Qb6#
1...Sf~ 2.Re4+ Kf6 3.Qe7#
1...Kf6 2.Qh8+ Kg5 3.Se6#
1...g~ 2.Qe7+ Kd4 3.Sf5#
1...e6 2.Sc4+ Kf5 3.Be6#, 2...Kd4 3.Se6#
model mate, self-block, zugzwang,
sacrifice key

15. Franciszek RDUCH
5th Pr Swedish Chess Federation 1923

#3 (5 + 8)
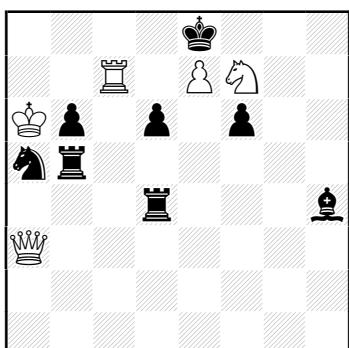
1.Qf3! ~ 2.Qa8+ Kf7 3.e8Q#
1...Rdd5 2.Qh5 Rh5 3.Sd6#
1...Rd5 2.Sd6+ Rd6 3.Qh5#
1...f5 2.Sg5 Bg5 3.Qh5#
1...Kf7 2.e8Q+ Ke8 3.Qa8#
[1...Sc6(b7) 2.Qc6+ Kf7 3.e8Q#]
model mate, Plachutta, sacrifice

16. Dawid PRZEPIÓRKA
1st Pr Good Companions 1924

#3 (7 + 9)
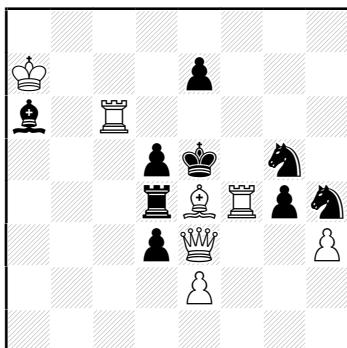
1.Qg3 ! ~ (Re4) 2.Rg4+ Kd4 3.e3#
1...de4 2.Rf5+ Kf5 3.hg4#
1...Se4 2.Rf6+ Sg3 3.Re6#
model mate, battery, self-block

17. Franciszek RDUCH
1st Pr Trollhattans Schacksallskap 1925
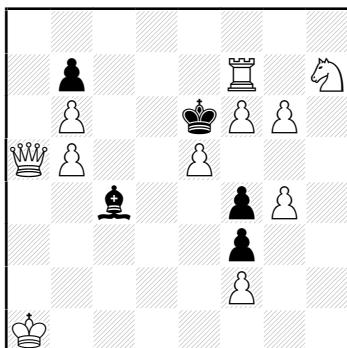
#3 (11 + 5)

1.Rd7! zz
1...Ba2(b3) 2.Qd2 Ke5 3.Qe1#
1...Bf1(e2) 2.Qa8 Ke5 3.Qe8#,
 2...Kd7 3.Sf8#
1...Bb5 2.Rd3 Ke5 3.Qe1#, 2...Bd3 3.Sf8#
1...Kd7 2.Sf8+ Kd8 3.Qa8#
1...Bd3 2.Rd3 Ke5 3.Qe1#
1...Ke5 2.Qc3+ Ke6 3.Sf8#
model mate, focal point, zugzwang,
give-and-take key, sacrifice key

18. Kazimierz GRABOWSKI
1st Pr Słowo Polskie 1925
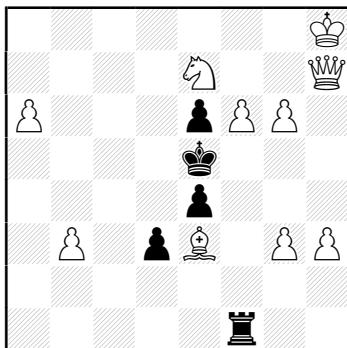
#3 (10 + 5)

1.Sf5! ~ (Kd5) 2.Bd4 ef5 3.Qd7#
1...Kf5 2.Qh5+ Kf6 3.Qg5#
1...Kf6 2.Qg7+ Kf5 3.g4#
1...ef5 2.Qd7 Kf6 3.Qd6#
1...Rf5 2.Qc7+ Kf6 3.Qg7#
model mate, sacrifice key, flight-giving key

19. Leon TUCHAN-BARANOWSKI
Świat Szachowy 1926

#3 (7 + 5)
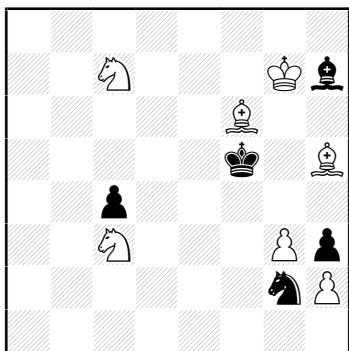
1.Be2! ~ 2.g4+ Kf4 3.Sd5#
1...Se3 2.S3b5 Ke4 3.Sd6#
1...Bg8 2.S7b5 ~ 3.Sd4#, 2...Ke6 3.Bg4#
model mate, meredith, retreating key

20. Karol SYPNIEWSKI
Chess Amateur 1927

#3 (7 + 8)
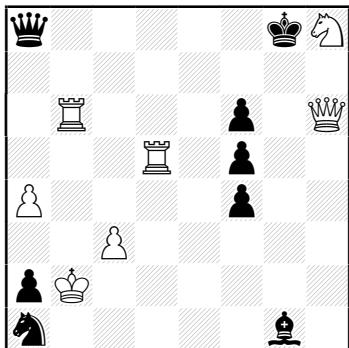
1.Rd2! zz
1...Sb3 2.Rb8+ Qb8 3.Rg2#
1...Sc2 2.Rg2+ Qg2 3.Rb8#
1...Bf2 2.Rd7 Qf8 3.Qh7#
[1...Bb6 2.Qg6+ Kh8 3.Rh2#]
zugzwang, focal point, sacrifice

21. Franciszek RDUCH
3rd Pr Świat Szachowy 1930

#3 (7 + 6)
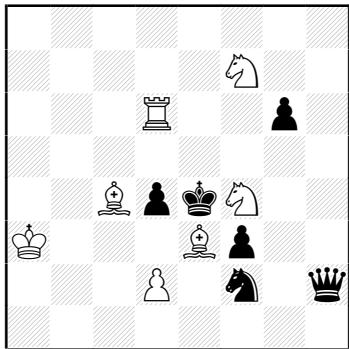
1.Sh5! ~ (gh5) 2.Re6+ Kf5 3.Sh6#
1...Qd6+ 2.Sd6+ Ke5 3.Bf4#
1...Qh5 2.Rd4+ Kf5 3.Rf4#
1...de3 2.d3+ Sd3 3.Bd3#, 2...Kf5 3.Be6#
[1...Qe5(f4) 2.Rd4+, 1...Kf5 2.Be6+]
model mate, sacrifice key,
check-allowing key

22. Tadeusz GLUZIŃSKI
Świat Szachowy 1930
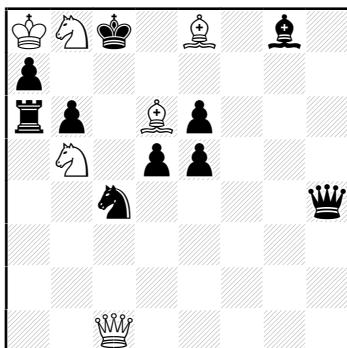
#3 (6 + 10)

1.Qh6! ~ (Sd6) 2.Bd7+ Kd8 3.Qh4#
1...Qd8 2.Qf8 ~ (Sd6) 3.Bd7#,
 2...Qe8 3.Qe8#
1...Qh6 2.Be7 ~ 3.Bd7#
[1...Kd8 2.Qh4+ Ke8 3.Qe7#, 2...Kc8
3.Bd7#]
model mate, unpinning key, sacrifice key

23. Marian WRÓBEL
1st Pr Sypniewski MT 1932
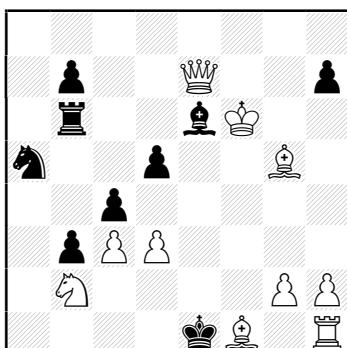
#3 (10 + 9)

1.Bh6? Sc6!, 1.Bf4? Rd6!
1.Bc1! ~ 2.Kg7 ~ 3.Qh4#
1...Sc6 2.Qh7 ~ 3.Qh4#
1...Rd6 2.Qd6 ~ 3.Qg3#
1...Rc6 2.Ke5 ~ 3.Qh4#
1...cd3 2.Sd1 ~ 3.Bd3#
[1...Rb4 2.Qe6+ (Qd6,Qc7)]
model mate, option key

24. Dawid PRZEPIÓRKA
2nd Pr Nederlandse Schaakbond 1932
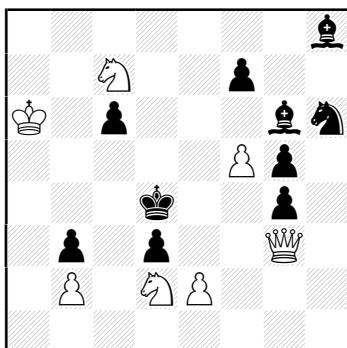
#3 (7 + 10)

1.Ka5! ~ 2.ed3 ~ 3.Sb3#
1...Bf5 2.Kb6 ~ 3.e3#, 2...de2 3.Qc3#
1...Sf5 2.Sb3+ Ke4 3.ed3#, 2...Kc4 3.Qd3#
1...f6 2.Se6+ Kd5 3.e4#
[1...Kc5 2.Sb3+ Kc4 3.Qd3#]
model mate, 3/4 albino

25. Franciszek RDUCH
2nd Pr White JT 1932

#3 (7 + 7)
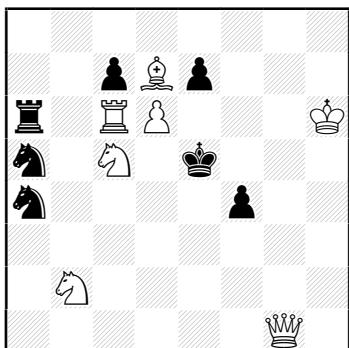
1.Bf5! ~ 2.Qg7+ Kd5 3.Be4#
1...Sc6 2.Sc4+ Kd5 3.Be6#
1...Rc6 2.Sd7+ Kd5 3.Qd1#
[1...Sb2 2.Sd7+, 1...Sc3 2.S5d3(d7)+,
1...Sc5 2.Rc5+, 1...f3 2.Qe3+,
1...Kd5 2.Be4+]
model mate, self-block, flight-giving key,
sacrifice key

26. Aleksander GOLDSTEIN
2nd Pr Els Escacs a Catalunya 1933
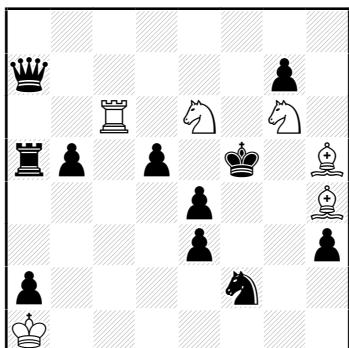
#3 (6 + 11)

1.Rd6! ~ 2.Rd5+ Ke6 3.Sf4#
1...Sd3 2.Rd7 Qd7 3.Sd4#
1...b4 2.Rb6 Qb6 3.Sg7#
model mate, focal point

27. Aleksander GOLDSTEIN
1st Pr Magasinet 1933
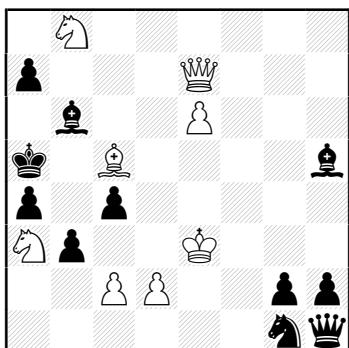
#3 (8 + 11)

1.Kd4! ~ 2.Sc4+ Kb5 3.Qd7#
1...Sf3+ 2.Kd5 ~ 3.Bb4#
1...Se2+ 2.Kc4 ~ 3.Bb4#
1...Be2 2.Kc3 ~ 3.Bb4#
1...Bf3 2.Ke5 ~ 3.Bb4#
model mate, obstruction, unpin,
check-allowing key

28. Janusz FUX
1st Pr British Chess Federation 1934

#3 (8 + 6)
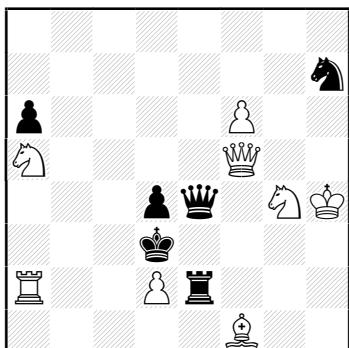
1.Qg6! zz
1...Sf6 2.Rb2 Qg6 3.Sf2#,
 2...S~ 3.Qa6#
1...Sg5 2.Kg3 Qg6 3.Sf2#
1...Sf8 2.Kh3 Qg6 3.Sf2#
model mate, unpin, zugzwang, retreating key

29. Wacław HEBELT
C Warszawski Klub Szachowy 1934
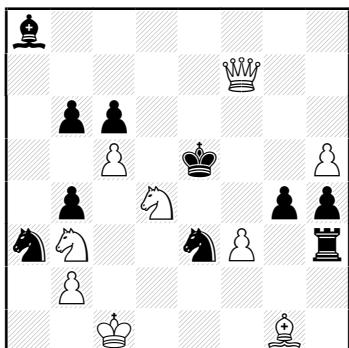
#3 (9 + 10)

1.Sd2! ~ (Rf3) 2.Qc7+ Kd4 3.Qd6#
1...Kd4 2.Qf4+ Kc5 3.Qe5#
1...bc5 2.f4+ Kd4 3.Qd7#
[1...Sac4(b5) 2.f4+ Kd4 3.Qc4#]
model mate, self-pin, flight-giving key,
sacrifice key

30. Janusz FUX
2nd Pr Warszawskie Klub Szachowy 1934
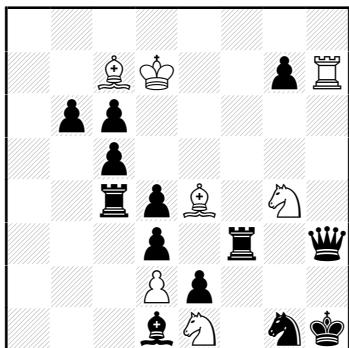
#3 (7 + 13)

1.Bd6! ~ 2.Kc7 ~ (Qh4) 3.Sf2#
1...Ra4 2.Kc6 ~ (Qh4) 3.Sf2#
1...g5 2.Kd8 ~ (Qh4) 3.Sf2#
1...g6 2.Ke8 ~ (Qh4) 3.Sf2#
model mate, unpin, bi-valve

31. Mieczysław PFEIFFER
2nd Hm Warszawski Klub Szachowy 1934
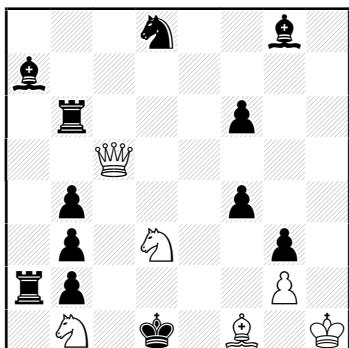
#3 (6 + 12)

1.Qg1! ~ 2.Be2+ Ke2 3.Sf4#
1...Bb8 2.Se5 ~ (fe5) 3.Bd3#
1...Se6 2.Sc5 ~ (Sc5) 3.Bd3#
model mate, battery, sacrifice,
flight-giving key

32. Franciszek RDUCH
3rd Pr Trollhattans Schacksallskap 1934
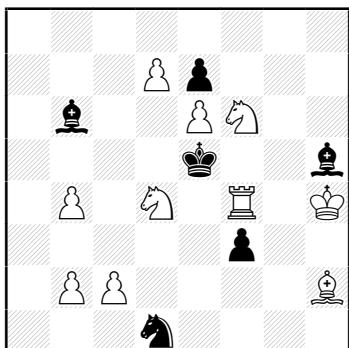
#3 (10 + 6)

1.b3! ~ (Bd4) 2.Rf3+ Ke6 3.d8S#
1...Se3 2.Rf5+ Kd4 3.Be5#
1...Bg6 2.Re4+ Kf6 3.Be5#
1...ef6 2.Rg4+ Kd5 3.c4#
model mate, self-block, cross, battery

33. Tadeusz CZARNECKI
C Warszawski Klub Szachowy 1934
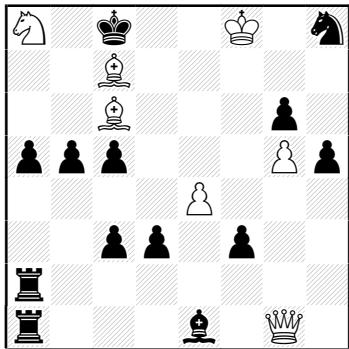
#3 (7 + 13)

1.Bd5! ~ 2.Qc5 ~ 3.Sb6#
1...Bf2 2.Qh2 Bg3 3.Qh3#
1...Rf2 2.Qg3 Rh2 3.Sb6#
1...f2 2.Qf1 ~ 3.Qh3#
model mate, Grimshaw, flight-giving key

34. Janusz FUX
1st Pr Els Escacs a Catalunya 1934
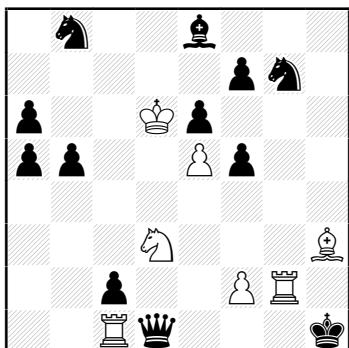
1.f3! ~ 2.Kc7 Qc1 3.Sf2#
1...Bc6 2.Ke7 Qc1 3.Sf2#
1...Bd7 2.Kc5 Qc1 3.Sf2#
model mate, obstruction, unpin

#3 (7 + 12)

35. Wacław HEBELT
C British Chess Federation 1935
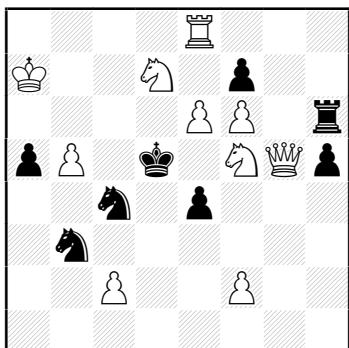
1.Qg3! ~ 2.Qc7 Sd4 3.Qc5#
1...Sd4 2.Qd6+ Sd6 3.Se3#
1...Sc5 2.Qe5+ Se5 3.Sb6#
1...Rf6 2.Se7+ Ke6 3.Sf8#
[1...Sc~ 2.Se3+]
model mate, self-block, sacrifice,
battery-destroying key

#3 (10 + 8)

36. Janusz FUX
1st Pr Gazeta Polska 1936
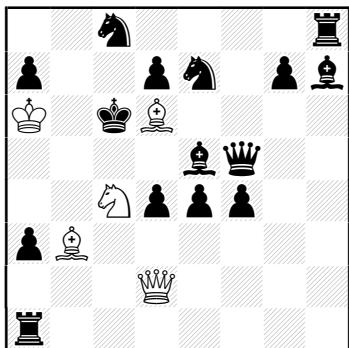
1.Qc2! ~ 2.Sa5+ Kd6 3.Sb7#
1...Bf6 2.Se5+ Kd6 3.Sf7#
1...Sg6 2.Se3+ Kd6 3.Sf5#
1...Sg8 2.Sb6+ Kd6 3.Sc8#
model mate, remote unblocking,
self-interference, battery

#3 (5 + 15)

37. Tadeusz PAWŁOWSKI
Wiadomości Szachowe 1937
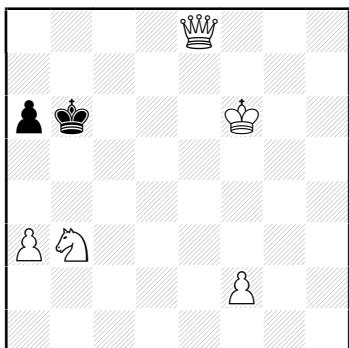
1.Sa5! ~ 2.Qe7 Ka5 3.Qb4#
1...Ka7 2.Qc6 ~ 3.Qb7#
1...Kc7 2.Qc6+ Kd8 3.Sb7#
1...Kc5 2.Qc6+ Kd4 3.Qc4#
1...Ka5 2.Qb8 ~ 3.Qb4#
model mate, miniature, star, flight-giving key,
sacrifice key

#3 (5 + 2)

38. Marian WÓJCIK
Arbeider Magasinet 1939
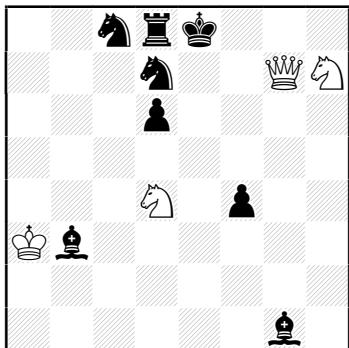
1.Sf5! ~ 2.Qe7+ Se7 3.Sd6#
1...Bc5+ 2.Kb3 ~ 3.Qg6#
1...Bf7 2.Qf8+ Sf8 3.Sf6#
model mate, meredith, sacrifice,
check-allowing key

#3 (4 + 8)

39. Franciszek RDUCH
1st Pr Revista Romana de Sah 1940
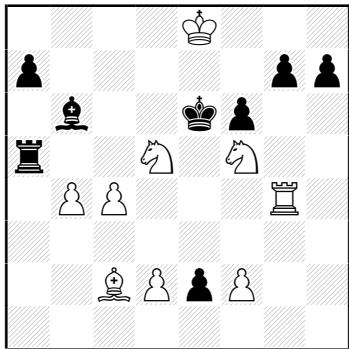
1.c5! ~ (Rc5) 2.Sf4# Ke5 3.d4#
1...Bc5 2.Sc7+ Ke5 3.f4#
1...Kd5 2.Se7+ Ke5 3.Re4#
1...Ke5 2.Sde3 Rc5 3.Re4#
1...g5 2.Re4+ Kf5 (Kd5) 3.Se7#
model mate, flight-giving key

#3 (9 + 8)

40. Aleksander GOLDSTEIN
1st/2nd Pr Shakhmaty 1940
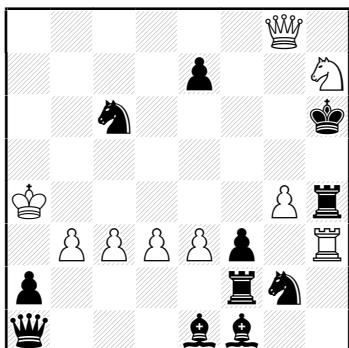
#3 (9 + 11)

1.Qf7! ~ 2.Rh4+ Sh4 3.g5#
1...Rb2 2.c4 ~ (Rh3) 3.g5#
1...Rc2 2.b4 ~ (Rh3) 3.g5#
1...Rd2 2.e4 ~ (Rh3) 3.g5#
1...Re2 2.d4 ~ (Rh3) 3.g5#
model mate, valve, unpin

41. Wacław POTEMPSKI
Szachista Polski 1946 (V.)

#3 (6 + 7)
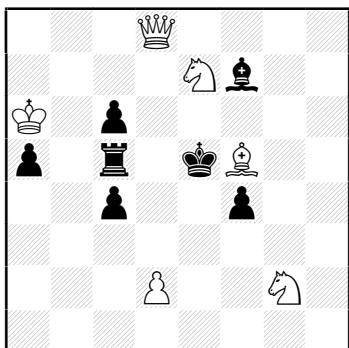
1.Sh4! ~ 2.Qd4+ Kd4 3.Sf3#
1...c3 2.Sg6+ Bg6 3.d4#
1...Bh5 2.Sc8 Rd5 3.Qh8#
[1...Kf6(Bd5) 2.Sg6+]
model mate, sacrifice

42. Tadeusz CZARNECKI
2nd Pr Głos Narodu 1946

#3 (4 + 5)
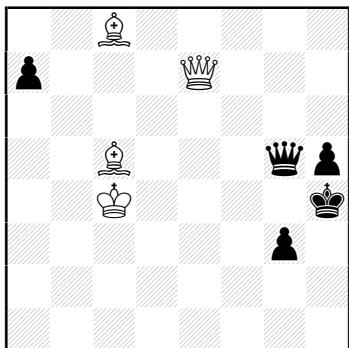
1.Kb5! ~ (a6+) 2.Ka6 zz g2 3.Bf2#
 2...Qe7 3.Be7#
1...g2 2.Qe1+ Qg3 3.Be7#
1...a5 2.Ka4 zz g2 3.Bf2#
 2...Qe7 3.Be7#
model mate, meredith, self-pinning key,
check-allowing key, unpin, zugzwang

43. Tadeusz CZARNECKI
1st/2nd Pr Przepórka MT 1946
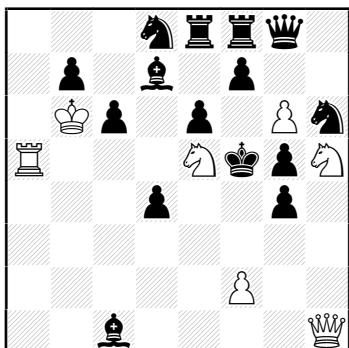
#3 (7 + 15)

1.Rc5! ~ (Qg7) 2.Qf1 ~ (Qe5) 3.Qd3#
1...fg6 2.Sc6+ (Sf3?) e5 3.Sd4#
1...Qg6 2.Sf3+ (Sc6?) e5 3.Sd4#,
 2...Ke4 3.Se1#
[1...Bc~ 2.Qb1+,1...g3 2.Qf3+]
model mate, dual avoidance, battery,
self-block, self-pin

44. Aleksander GOLDSTEIN
1st Pr Szachista Polski 1946

#3 (7 + 9)
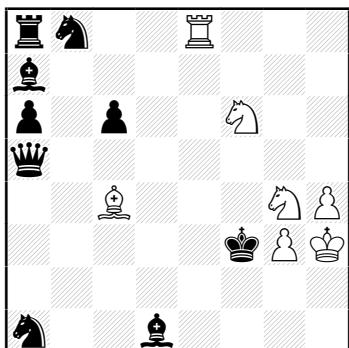
1.Se4! ~ 2.Rf8+ Ke4 3.Rf4#
1...Bd4 2.Re5 (Bb5?) Be5 3.Sg5#,
 2...Qe5 3.Sd2#
1...Sd7 2.Bb5 (Re5?) Re8 3.Sg5#,
 2...Qb5 3.Sd2#
model mate, focal point, self-interference,
dual avoidance

45. Marian WRÓBEL
1st Pr Action 1946
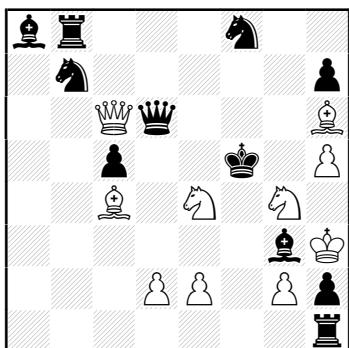
#3 (10 + 11)

1.Bf7? Qd3!
1.Bg8! ~ 2.Qd5+ Qd5 3.Sg3#
1...Bg~ 2.Qd6 Sd6 3.Sd6#
1...Bf4 2.Sg3+ Bg3 3.e4#
1...Sb~ 2.Sd6+ Bd6 3.e4#
[1...Qd3 2.Bh7+ (Qe6+)]
model mate, anti-junction point, sacrifice,
black correction, option key

46. Tadeusz CZARNECKI
Lidova Demokracie 1947

#3 (7 + 6)
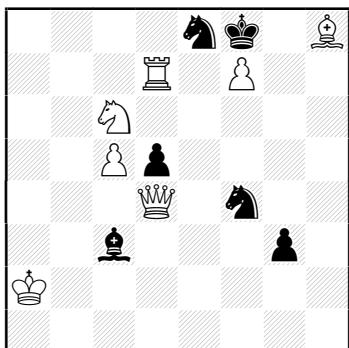
1.Se5! ~ (Bd4) 2.Rd8 Be5 3.fe8(Q)#
1...Se~ 2.Sg6+ Sg6 3.Bg7#
1...Sf6 2.Qf4 Sd7 3.Sg6#
model mate, black correction,
self-interference key

47. Wacław GRZANKOWSKI
1st Pr Szachy 1947
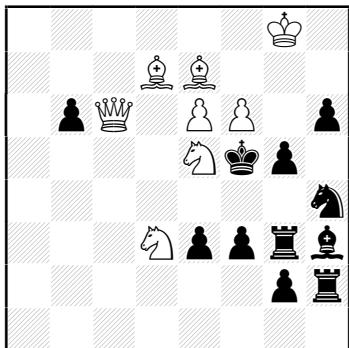
#3 (8 + 11)

1.Be8 ~ 2.Sg4 ~ 3.Sh6#
1...Rg4 2.Sf7 Rg~ 3.Sh6#
1...Bg4 2.Sc4 Bh3 3.Se3#
1...g4 2.Qd5 Kg5 3.Sf3#
model mate, Umnov, remote unblocking

48. Marian WRÓBEL
2nd Pr Shakhmaty 1948

#3 (8 + 9)
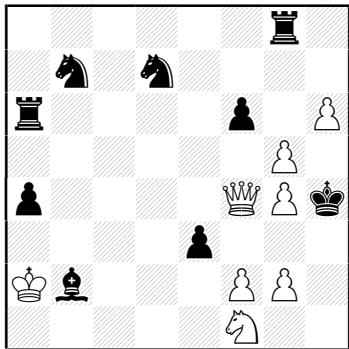
1.g6! ~ 2.Sg3 Sd6 3.g5#
1...Sd6 2.Sh2 Se5 3.Qf6#
1...Se5 2.Se3 Sg4 3.Qg4#,
 2...Sd6 3.Qf6#
1...Rg6 2.g5+ Kh5 3.Sg3#
1...f5 2.gf5+ Kh5 3.Sg3#
[1...Be5 2.Qf5, 1...Ra5 2.Sh2]
model mate, battery, self-interference

49. Aleksander GOLDSTEIN
1st Pr Szachy 1948
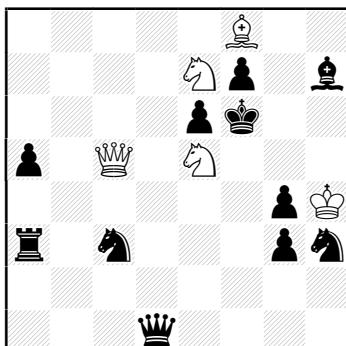
#3 (5 + 11)

1.Qe3! ~ 2.Qf3+ Qf3 3.Sd7#,
 2...gf3 3.Sg4#, 2...Ke5 3.Sc6#
1...Qa4 2.Qf4+ Sf4 3.Sg4#, 2...Qf4 3.Sd7#
1...Ra4 2.Qc3 Rd4 3.Sd7#
1...S(B)e4 2.Qd4 Qd4 3.Sg4#
model mate, focal point, sacrifice

50. Tadeusz CZARNECKI
2nd Pr Chess Correspondent 1948
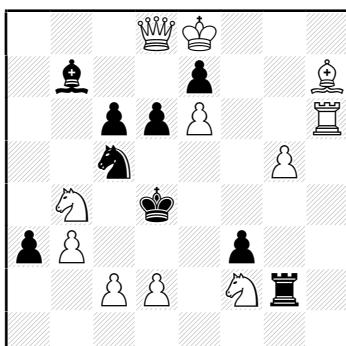
#3 (11 + 9)

1.Qa5! ~ (Rg5) 2.c3+ Ke5 3.Sfd3#
1...Rf2 2.Rh4+ Ke5 3.Re4#
1...Ba6 2.Sc6+ Kd5 3..Be4#
[1...Ke5 2.Sfd3+ Kd4 3.c3#]
model mate, self-pin, ambush key,
anticipatory pinning

51. Marian WRÓBEL
1st Pr Berner Tagwacht 1948
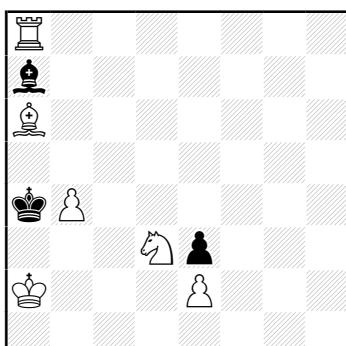
#3 (6 + 3)

1.Bc4??, 1.Ra7??, 1.Rc8? Bc5!,
1.Rd8? Bd4!, 1.Rf8? Bb8!
1.Re8! zz
1...Bb8 2.Re4 Ba7(d6) 3.Sb2#,
 2...Be5 3.Sc5#
1...Bd4 2.Re4 zz Ba1 3.Sc5#,
 2...Ba7 3.Sb2#
1...Bc5 2.Re5 zz Bb4 3.Sb2#,
 2...Bb6 3.Bb5#
1...Bb6 2.Rb8 zz Bd4 3.Bb5#
model mate, meredith, duel, zugzwang,
stalemate avoidance, option key, masked
unpinning key

52. Aleksander GOLDSTEIN
2nd Pr Revista Romana de Sah 1949
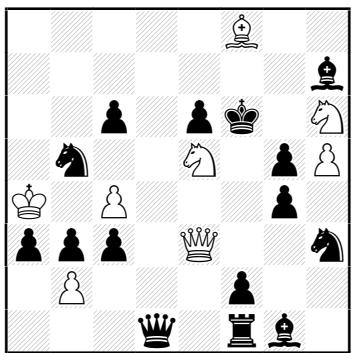
#3 (8 + 15)

1.c5! ~ 2.Qf3+ Qf3 3.Sd7#
1...Sf4 2.Qd3 Qd3 3.Seg4#
 2...Ke5 3.Bg7#
1...Be4 2.Qd2 Qd2 3.Seg4#
 2...Ke5 3.Bg7#
model mate, focal point, sacrifice,
remote self-block

53. Marian WRÓBEL
1st Pr British Chess Federation 1949

#3 (9 + 8)
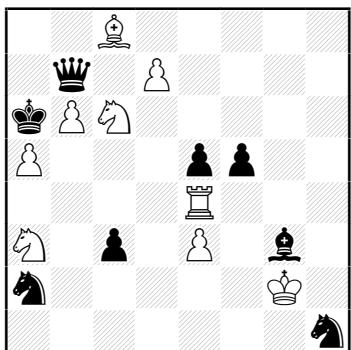
1.Ra4! ~ 2.e4 ~ 3.Sb8#
1...Sb4 2.d8S ~ 3.Bb7#, 2...Qc8 3.Sb4#
1...Bf2 2.Kh3 ~ 3.Sb8#
1...e4 2.Sd8 ~ 3.Bb7#
1...f4 2.Kf1 ~ 3.Sb8#
model mate, unpin, self-pinning key

54. T. SZKOP
Sp Pr Przepiórka MT 1950

#3 (6 + 3)
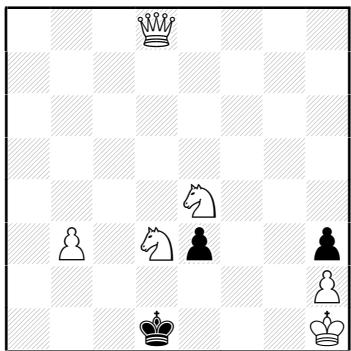
1.Qf6! ~ (Kc2) 2.Qb2+ Kd3 3.Sc5#
1...Ke2 2.Qf1+ Kf1 3.Sg3#
1...e2 2.Se1 ~ (Ke1) 3.Qa1#
model mate, sacrifice, meredith,
battery-destroying key

55. Włodzimierz SUCHODOLSKI
1st Pl Poland-Romenia 1950
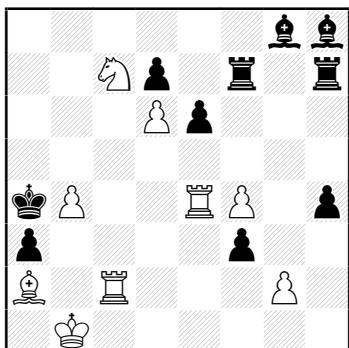
#3 (9 + 10)

1.Rcc4! ~ (Rf4) 2.Kc2 ~ (Re4) 3.Bb3#
1...Rfg7 2.Re3 (Rc3?) ~ 3.Bb3#
1...Rhg7 2.Rc3 (Re3?) ~ 3.Bb3#
1...Bc3 2.Rc3 ~ 3.Bb3#
model mate, self-interference, bi-valve,
dual avoidance

56. Saturnin LIMBACH
3rd Pr Arbejder Skak 1950

#3 (6 + 6)
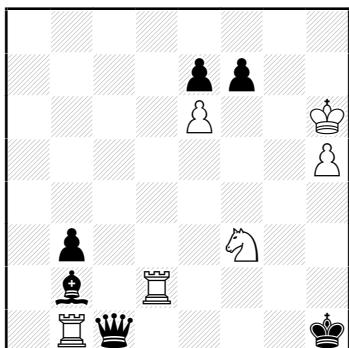
1.Kg5 ! zz
1...f5 2.Kg6 Qb1 3.Rh2#
1...f6+ 2.Kh4 Qb1 3.Rh2#
1...fe6 2.Kg4 Qb1 3.Rh2#
1...Bf6+ 2.Kg4 Qb1 3.Rh2#
1...Ba3 2.Kh4 Qb1 3.Rh2#
meredith, model mate, unpin, zugzwang,
3/4 pickeniny, check-allowing key

57. Włodzimierz SUCHODOLSKI
1st Pr Szachy 1951
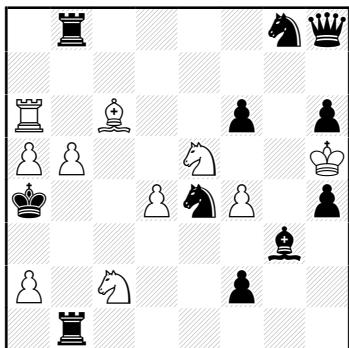
#3 (10 + 11)

1.Sc4! ~ 2.Sb6+ Rb6 3.ab6#
1...R1b5+ 2.f5 (d5?) ~ 3.Sb2#
1...R8b5+ 2.d5 (f5?) ~ 3.Sb6#
1...Sc5 2.b6+ Rb5 3.Sb2#
model mate, self-pin, dual avoidance,
check-allowing key

58. Wacław GRZANKOWSKI
1st Pr GKKF 1952
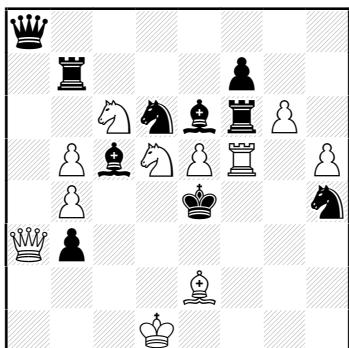
#3 (11 + 10)

1.Qc1! ~ (Bd7) 2.Sf6+ Kf5 3.Bg4#
1..Qd8 2.ed6 (2.ef6? Sdf5!) Rf5 3.Sc3#
1..Qh8 2.ef6 (2.ed6? Rf5!) Sdf5 3.Sc3#
[1..Kd5 2.Qd2+, 1..Sf3 2.Bf3, 1..Be3
2.Qe3+, 1..Rg6 2.Rf4+, 1..Se8 2.Qf4(c4)+]
model mate, dual avoidance

59. Wacław HEBELT
1st Pr Shakhmaty v SSSR 1952
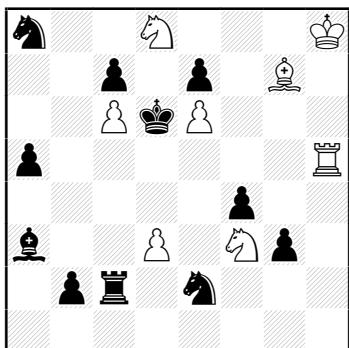
#3 (8 + 11)

1.Bc3! ~ 2.Se5 Kc5 3.Sc4#
1...Sb6 2.Sg5 Kc5 3.Se4#
1...Bb4 2.Be5+ Kc5 3.Bc7#
[1...Rc3 2.Sd2, 1...Sc3 2.Sd4]
model mate, sacrifice key, battery,
remote self-block

60. Tadeusz CZARNECKI
1st/2nd Pr Szachy 1954
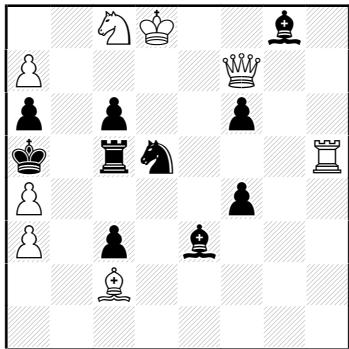
#3 (8 + 10)

1.Sd6! ~ (Bf7) 2.a8S ~ (Bh5) 3.Sb7#
1...Bc1 2.Sc4+ Rc4 3.Qc7#
1...Bh7 2.Qc7+ Sc7 3.Sc4#
model mate, half-pin, flight-giving key

61. Władysław ROSOLAK
C Szachy 1955

#3 (4 + 3)
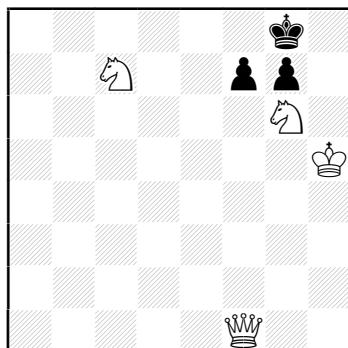
1.Se6! zz
1...f5 2.Sg5 ~ 3.Qc4#
1...f6 2.Qc4 Kh7 3.Sf8#, 2...Kf7 3.Sc7#
1...fe6 2.Qf8+ Kh7 3.Qf8#
1...fg6+ 2.Kg6 ~ 3.Qf8#
1...Kh7 2.Sg5+ Kg8 3.Qf7#
miniature, zugzwang, pickeniny,
sacrifice key

62. Mieczysław PFEIFFER
1st Pr Start 1955-56
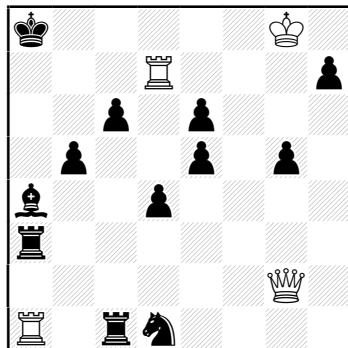
#3 (4 + 12)

1.Qg4! ~ 2.Qh5 Ra1 3.Qe8#
1...Rh3 2.Qe6 Ra1 3.Qe8#
1...Bc2 2.Qg5 Ra1 3.Qd8#
1...Rf3 2.Qf3 Ra1 3.Qf8#
model mate, half-pin

63. Marian WRÓBEL
2nd/3rd Pr Czarnecki JT 1955/56
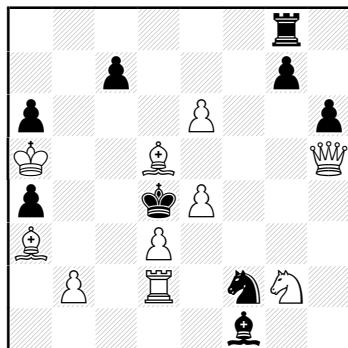
#3 (10 + 9)

1.Qh2! ~ (Bg2) 2.Bc5+ Kc5 3.d4#
1...Bd3 2.Se1 ~ 3.Sc2#
1...Sd3 2.Qc7 Bg2 3.Bc5#
[1...Se4 2.Qf4]
model mate, self-pin, retreating key

64. Wacław HEBELT
3rd Hm Shakhmaty v SSSR 1956

#3 (8 + 7)
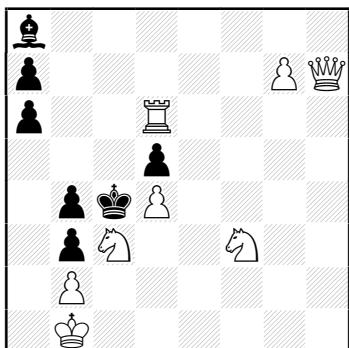
1.Sb5! ~ (Bb7) 2.Ra6 Ba6 3.Sd6#
1...a5 2.Rb6 ab6 3.Sd6#
1...ab5 2.Qe4 de4 3.Se5#
1...Bc6 2.Rd5 Bd5 3.Sd6#
[1...Kb5 2.Qd3+]
model mate, sacrifice key, flight-giving key,
sacrifice

65. Marian WRÓBEL
1st Pr British Chess Federation 1957-58
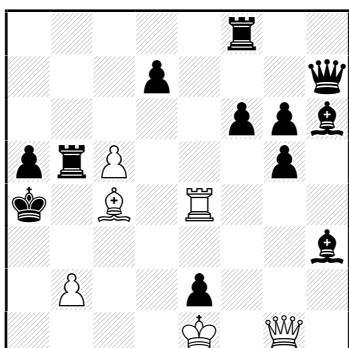
#3 (6 + 12)

1.Qd4! ~ 2.Qd3 Rb2 3.Bb5#
1...g4 2.Bf7+ Rb4 3.Qd7#
1...Bg7 2.Be6+ Rb4 3.Qd7#
1...Rb2 2.Qb2 Rb8 3.Bb5#
[1...Rb3 2.Be2+]
model mate, valve, self-pin, battery

66. Eugeniusz IWANOW
Prace 1958

#3 (5 + 2)
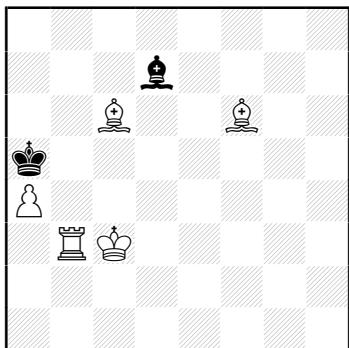
1.Rb7! zz
1...Bc8 2.Bb5 Bb7 3.Bd8#
1...Be8 2.Bd4 Bc6 3.Ra7#
1...Bc6 2.Ra7+ Kb6 3.Bd4#
1...Ka6 2.Bd4 Bc6 3.Ra7#
model mate, miniature, focal point, zugzwang

67. Waldemar TURA
3rd Pr Szachy 1958

#3 (6 + 2)
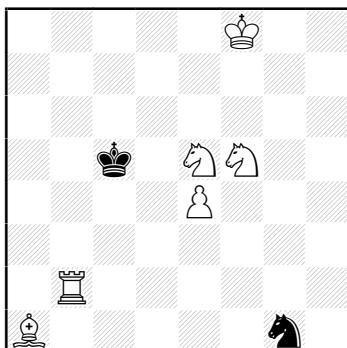
1.Sd6! ~ 2.Sb7+ Kd4 3.Re2#
1...Kd4 2.Rb3+ Kc5 3.Sb7#
1...Kd6 2.Rc2 ~ 3.Rc6#
model mate, battery, flight-giving key,
meredith

68. Leopold SZWEDOWSKI
1st Pr Die Schwalbe 1961
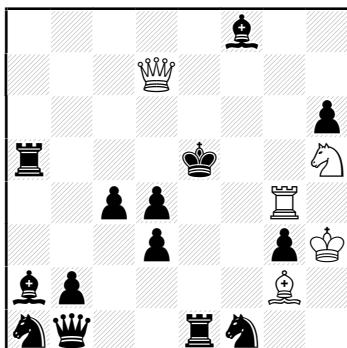
#3 (5 + 14)

1.Rf4? ~ 2.Rf5# but 1...d2 !
1.Rg6? ~ 2.Qe6# but 1...c3 !
1.Bc6 ! ~ 2.Qd4+ Kf5 3.Qf6#
 2...Ke6 3.Qf6#
1...Sc2 2.Rf4 ~ 3.Rf5#, 2...Sce3 3.Re4#
 2...Rd5 3.Qd5#
1...Sb3 2.Rg6 ~ 3.Qe6#, 2...Sc5 3.Qd5#
[1...Bd6 2.Qg7+]
logical play, self-interference, Dresden

69. Włodzimierz SUCHODOLSKI
4th Hm Wróbel MT 1961

#3 (9 + 9)
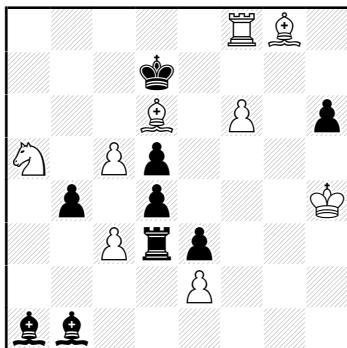
1.Bc7! ~ (Rc3) 2.Bb6 Rc5 3.Rd8#
1...Bc3 2.Bg3 ~ 3.c6#
1...dc3 2.Bf4 ~ 3.c6#
1...Rd1 2.Bh2 ~ 3.c6#
1...Kc7 2.Be6 ~ 3.Rc8#
model mate, obstruction, flight-giving key,
sacrifice key

70. Andrzej TRZĘSOWSKI
2nd Pr Wróbel MT 1961

#3 (7 + 8)
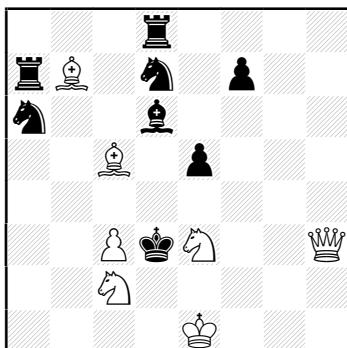
1.Sa1! ~ (Rb7) 2.Qf1+ Kc3 3.Sd1#
1...Sac5 2.Sf5+ (Sec2?) Kc4 3.Sd6#
1...Sdc5 2.Sec2+ (Sf5?) Kc4 3.Sa3#
1...Bc5 2.Sd1+ Kc4 3.Qf1#
[1...Kc3 2.Qg2(h2)]
model mate, Siers, battery, remote self-block,
dual avoidance, retreating key

71. Andrzej TRZĘSOWSKI
2nd Pr Wróbel MT 1965

#3 (8 + 8)
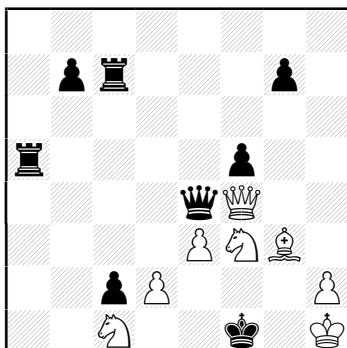
1.h4! ~ 2.Qe4 fe4 3.Sh2#
1...Qc6 2.Qc4+ Qc4 3.Sh2#
1...Qd5 2.Qf5 Qf5 3.Sh2#
model mate, Holzhauzen, unpin, sacrifice

72. Włodzimierz SUCHODOLSKI
2nd Pr Szachy 1966
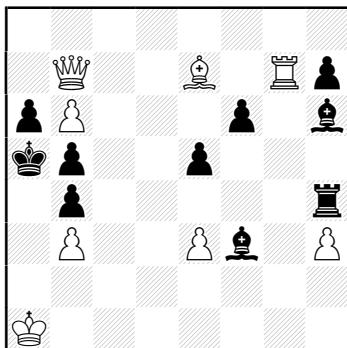
#3 (8 + 10)

1.Bd8! ~ 2.Qa6+ Ka6 3.Ra7#
1...Bb7 2.Rg2 Bg2 3.b7#
1...Bg7 2.Qe4 R(B)e4 3.b7#
model mate, sacrifice, Novotny

73. Jerzy KONIKOWSKI
1st Pr Vecherni Sverdlovsk 1967
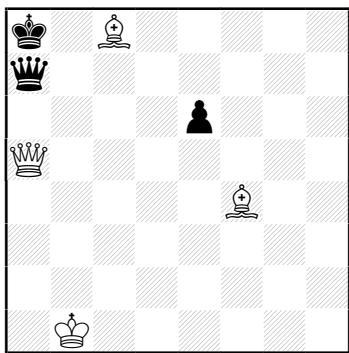
#3 (4 + 3)

1.Ba6! ~ 2.Qd8+ Qb8+ 3.Qb8#
1...Qg1+ 2.Bf1+ Qa7 3.Bg2#,
 2...Kb7 3.Qa6#
1...Qb7+ 2.Bb5+ Qa7 3.Bc6#
1...Qh7+ 2.Bd3+ Qa7 3.Be4#
 2...Kb7 3.Qa6#
1...Qb6+ 2.Qb6 e5 3.Qb7#
[1...e5 2.Qd5+]
model mate, self-pin, miniature, battery,
unpinning key, check-allowing key,
manoeuvre

74. Włodzimierz SUCHODOLSKI
1st Pr Problemista 1968
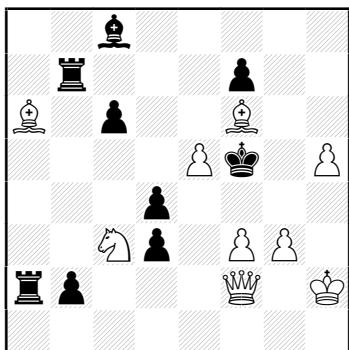

#3 (9 + 9)

1.Qc2! ~ 2.Bd3+ Ke6 3.Bf5#
1...Ra6 2.Qg2 Ke6 3.Qh3#
1...dc2 2.Bf1 Ke6 3.Bh3#
1...dc3 2.Qd3+ Ke6 3.Bc4#
1...Ke6 2.Qb3+ Kd7 3.Qf7#, 2...Kf5 3.Bd3#
 2...Rb3 3.Bc8#
model mate, sacrifice key, retreating key

75. Leopold SZWEDOWSKI
1st Pr Themes 64 1970
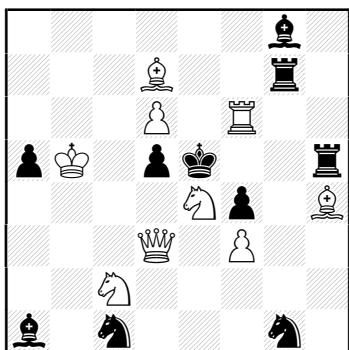
#3 (9 + 10)

1.Sf2? ~ 2.Qe3+ fe3 3.f4#
1...Rhg5 2.Sg4+ Rg4 3.Qf5#
1...Rgg5 2.Qf5+ Rf5 3.Sg4# but 1...Sf3 !
1.Se3! ~ (Sd3) 2.Re6+ Be6 3.Bf6#
1...Rhg5 2.Sg4+ Rg4 3.Rf5#
1...Rgg5 2.Rf5+ Rf5 3.Sg4#
[1...Rg6 2.Rg6]
Plachutta, change of continuation

76. Piotr RUSZCZYŃSKI
1st Pr De Waarheid 1970
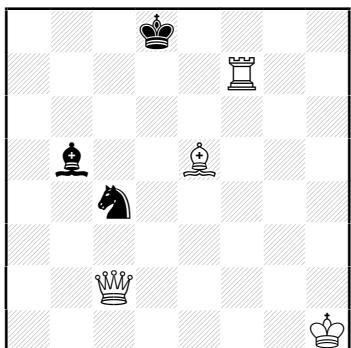
1.Qg6 ~ 2.Rf8+ Kd7 3.Qe8#
1 ... Be8 2.Bc7+ Kc8 3.Qa6#
1 ... Se5 2.Qd6+ Sd7 3.Rf8#
1 ... Bc6+ 2.Qc6 Se5 3.Qa8#
model mate, miniature

#3 (4 + 3)

77. Włodzimierz SUCHODOLSKI
1st/2nd Pr Szachy 1970
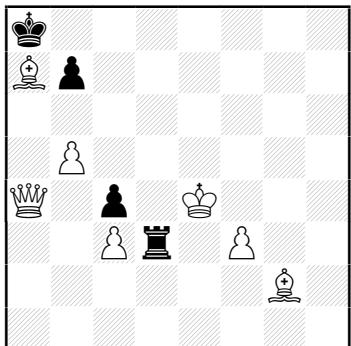
1...Rd4+ 2.Kd4 b6 3.f4#
1...Re3+ 2.Ke3 b6 3.f4#
1.Bh3! ~ 2.Bb6+ Kb8 3.Qa7#
1...Rd4+ 2.Bd4+ Kb8 3.Be5#
1...Re3+ 2.Be3+ Kb8 3.Bf4#
1...Rd7 2.Bd7 b6 3.Bc6#
model mate, change of continuation,
battery, meredith

#3 (7 + 4)

78. Piotr RUSZCZYŃSKI
2nd Pr Szachy 1972
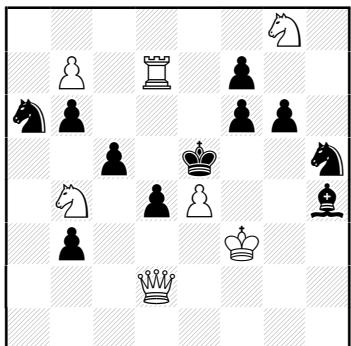
1.Qh6! ~ (Ke6) 2.Qf8 Kd7 3.Qe7#
1...f5 2.Rd5+ Ke6 3.ef5#
1...g5 2.Re7+ Kd6 3.e5#
model mate, remote half-pin, ambush key

#3 (7 + 11)

79. Piotr RUSZCZYŃSKI
4th Pr Chess Life 1972
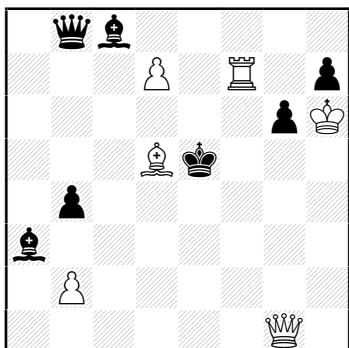
1.Bh1! ~ (Bb7) 2.Qc5+ Bd5 3.Qd5#
1...b3 2.Qg3+ Ke6 3.d8S#
1...Qa7 2.Re7+ Kd6 3.dc8S#
1...Qc7 2.Qe3+ Kd6 3.Qe7#
1...Qb6 2.Qb6 ~ 3.Qf6#
model mate, under-promotion,
chameleon-echo, retreating key,
give-and-take key

#3　(6 + 7)

80. Waldemar TURA
1st Pr Szachy 1973
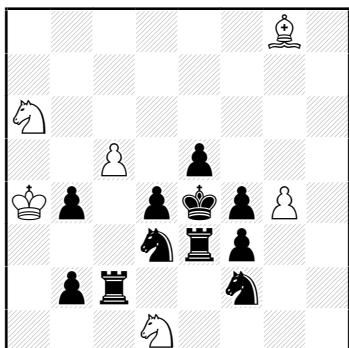
1...Rc5 2.Sf2+ Sf2 3.Sc5#
1...Sc5+ 2.Sc5+ Rc5 3.Sf2#
1.Kb5! ~ (Sd1) 2.Bh7+ Kd5 3.Sc7#
1...Rc5+ 2.Sc5+ Sc5 3.Sf2#
1...Sc5 2.Sf2+ Rf2 3.Sc5#
model mate, Tura, check-allowing key

#3　(6 + 11)

81. M. ZALEWSKI
5th Hm Szachy 1974
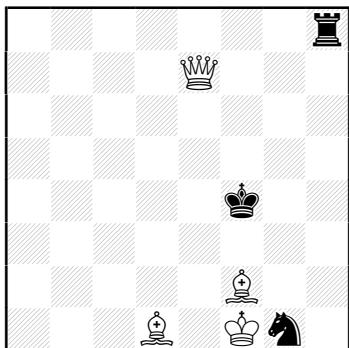
1.Bc2! ~ 2.Qf6+ Kg4 3.Qf5#
1...Rf8 2.Qe4+ Kg5 3.Qh4#
1...Rh5 2.Qe3+ Kg4 3.Qg3#
1...Rh6 2.Qe4+ Kg5 3.Qf5#
1...Kg4 2.Qg7+ Kh5 3.Qg6#
model mate, miniature, flight-giving key,
chameleon-echo, self-block

#3　(4 + 3)

82. Leopold SZWEDOWSKI
2nd Pr Czarnecki MT 1974
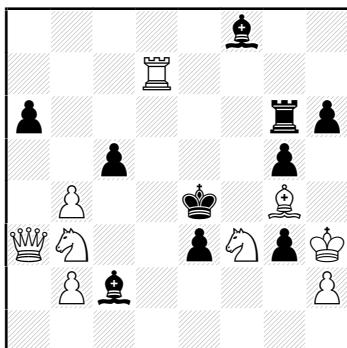
#3 (9 + 10)

1.Qa4! ~ (Bb3) 2.bc5+ (Ba4) 3.Rd4#
1...Rd6 2.Sc5+ Kd5 3.Be6#
1...Bd6 2.Qc6+ Kd3 3.Se5#
model mate, Grimshaw, self-pin

83. Waldemar TURA
2nd Pl WCCT 1972-75

#3 (9 + 9)
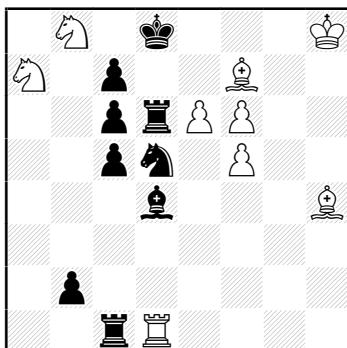
1...Bf6+ 2.Bf6+ Sf6 3.Sbc6#
1...Sf6 2.Sbc6+ Rc6 3.Bf6#
1.Kg8! (1.Kh7? Re6!)
1...Rd1 2.e7+ Se7+ 3.fe7#
1...Bf6 2.Sbc6+ Rc6 3.Bf6#
1...Sf6+ 2.Bf6+ Bf6 3.Sbc6#
model mate, Tura, masked half-pin,
option key

84. Piotr RUSZCZYŃSKI
1st Pr UV CSTV 1975
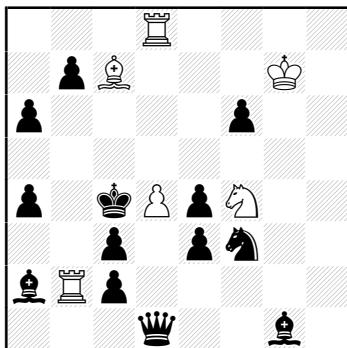
#3 (6 + 13)

1.Rc8! ~ 2.Bb6/Be5#
1...Qd4 2.Ba5+ (Bd6+?) Qc5 3.Rb4#
1...Sd4 2.Bd6+ (Ba5+?) Sc6 3.Rb4#
1...cb2 2.Ba5+ Kd4 3. Bc3#
1...Kd4 2 Kf6 Kc5 3.Be5#
model mate, self-pin, self-block, battery,
dual avoidance, flight-giving key

85. M. ZALEWSKI
3rd Pr Szachy 1975

#3 (8 + 5)
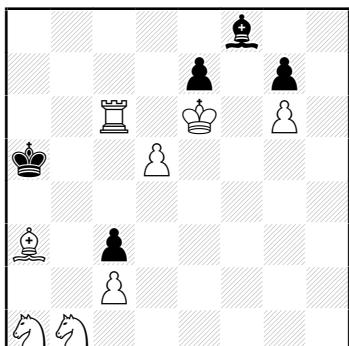
1...Ka4 2.Sb3 Kb5 3.Sc3#
1...Kb5 2.Sc3+ Ka5 3.Sb3#
1.Bc5! ~ 2.Sa3 Ka4 3.Ra6#
1...Ka4 2.Sc3+ Ka5 3.Sb3#
1...Kb5 2.Sb3 Ka4 3.Sc3#
Tura, white to play

86. Piotr RUSZCZYŃSKI
Sachowe umeni 1976
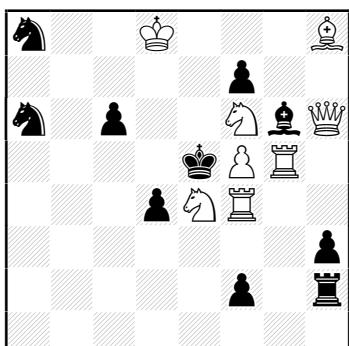
#3 (8 + 10)

1.Sd2! ~ 2.Re4+ Kd6 3.Qf8#
1...Kf4 2.Rh5+ Ke5 3.Sc4#
1...Sc5 2.Sg4+ Kf4 3.Be5#
1...c5 2.Ke7 Kf4 3.Sd5#
[1...Kd6 2.Qf8+]
model mate, battery, flight-giving key

87. Wacław HEBELT
2nd Pr Szachy 1978

#3 (7 + 9)
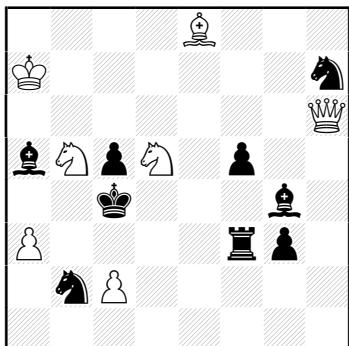
1.Qe3! ~ 2.Qf3 Bf3 3.Se3#
1...Sd1(a4) Qe2+ Kd5 3.c4#
1...Kd5 2.Bf7+ Kc6 3.Qe8#
1...Bc7 2.Qf4+ Rf4 3.Se3#,2...Kd5 3.Sc7#
 2...Bf4 3.Sb6#
model mate, sacrifice

88. Ryszard KAPICA
1st Pr Gazeta Częstochowska 1981
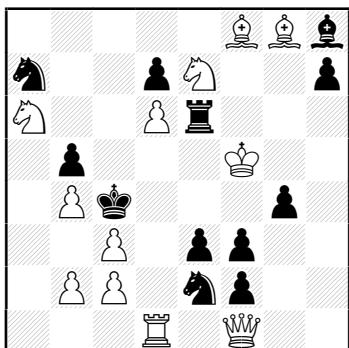
#3　(12 + 12)

1.Rd5? Rf6+!, 1.Sd5? Re5+!, 1.Rd3? Sg3+!
1.Bh6! zz
1...Be5 2.Sd5 Rf6+ 3.Sf6#
1...Bf6 2.Rd5 Re5+ 3.Re5#
1...g3 2.Rd3 Sd4+ 3.Rd4#
[1...Sc6 2.Sc6, 1...Sc8 2.Sc8, 1..Bg7 2.Bg7]
zugzwang, battery, unpin, logical play

89. Leopold SZWEDOWSKI
1st Pr Szachy 1982
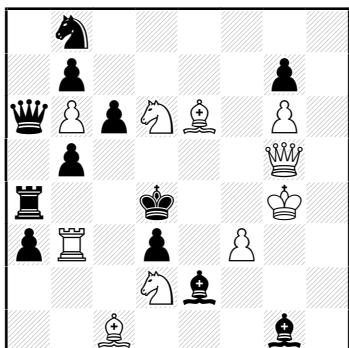
#3　(10 + 12)

1.Qe7! ~ 2.Sf5+ Ke5+ 3.Bc4#
1...Bf3+ 2.Sf3+ Kc5+ 3.Sc4#
1...Kc5+ 2.Sc4+ Kd4 3.Qd6#
1...Ke5+ 2.Bc4+ Kd4 3.Sf5#
1...Ke3+ 2.Se4+ Kd4 3.Qg7#
battery, cross check, flight-giving key,
ambush key, check-allowing key

90. Piotr RUSZCZYŃSKI
2nd Pr Szachy 1983
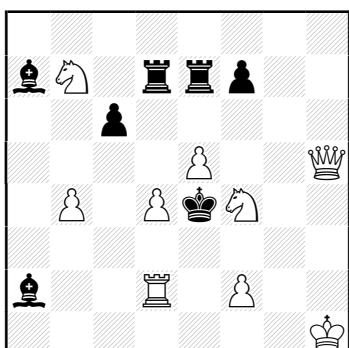
#3　(9 + 7)

1.Sg2! ~ 2.Qg4+ Kd5 3.Se3#
1...Bd4 2.Sc5+ Kd5 3.Se3#, 2...Bc5 3.f3#
1...Rd4 2.Sd6+ Kd5 3.Sf4#, 2...Rd6 3.f3#
1...c5 2.d5 Rb7 3.f3#
model mate, sacrifice, clearance, self-pin,
give-and-take key

91. Waldemar TURA
3rd Pr Suchodolski JT 1984
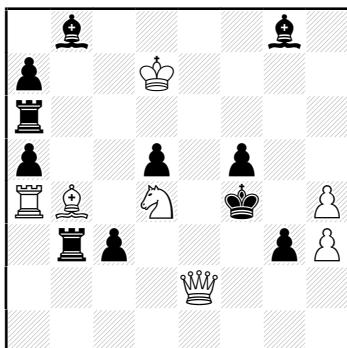
#3 (7 + 11)

1...Rd6+ 2.Bd6+ Bd6 3.Se6#
1...Be6+ 2.Se6+ Re6 3.Bd6#
1.Ke7! ~ 2.Qf3+ Ke5 3.Qe3#
1...Bd6+ 2.Bd6+ Rd6 3.Se6#
1...Re6+ 2.Se6+ Be6 3.Bd6#
[1...c2 2.Bd2+]
half-battery, Ruchlis, check-allowing key

92. Jan RUSINEK
1st Pr Szachy 1986
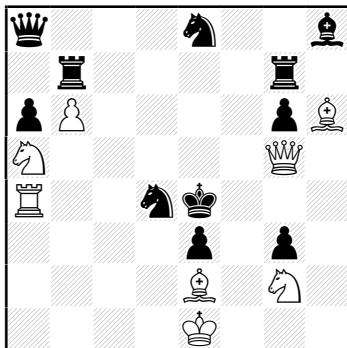
#3 (8 + 11)

1.Se3? ~ 2.Qf4/Qd5#   but 1...Rbf7!
1.Sb3? ~ 2.Rd4/Sc5# but 1...Rgc7!
1.Rc4! ~ 2.Bd3+ Kf3 3.Sh4#,
 2...Kd3 3.Qe3#
1...Rbe7 2.Sb3 Qd5 3.Qf4#
1...Rge7 2.Se3 Be5 3.Qg6#
logical play, Dresden, self-interference,
line-opening, self-block

93. Piotr RUSZCZYŃSKI
1st Pr Polish Chess Federation 1986
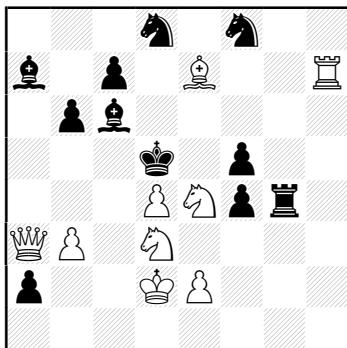
#3 (9 + 11)

1.Qa6! ~ (a1Q) 2.Qc4+ Ke4 3.Sf2#
1...b5 2.Sf6+ Ke6 3.d5#
1...Bb5 2.Sc3+ Ke6 3.Sc5#
1...Ke6 2.d5+ Bd5 3.Sec5#
model mate, remote half-pin, ambush key

94. Jan RUSINEK
2nd Pr Die Schwalbe 1987
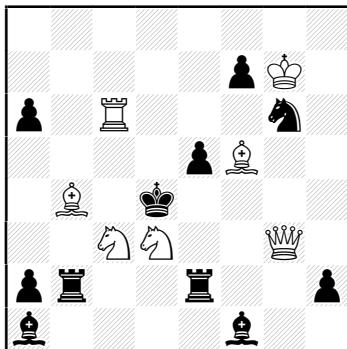
1.Sb2? but 1...Rb2!
1.Se2+? but 1...Re2!
1.Rc5! ~ 2.Sb5+ ab5 3.Bc3#
1...Rbc2 2.Sb2 Bb2 3.Qd3#
 2...Rb2 3.Qd3#, 2...Rc3 3.Qc3#
1...Rec2 2.Se2+ Be2 3.Qf2#
 2...Re2 3.Bc3#
[1...Rbd2 2.Sc1 Rb2 3.Qd3#
1...Rb1 (b3,b4) 2.Se2+]
logical play, self-interference, Umnov

#3 (7 + 11)

95. Marek KWIATKOWSKI
1st Pr Szachy 1988
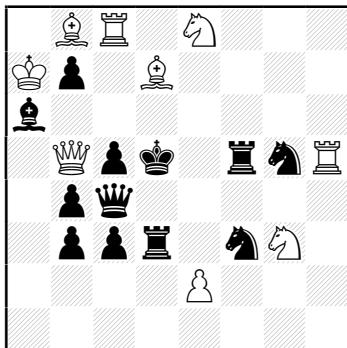
1...Kd4 2.Sf5+ Kd5(e4) 3.Sf6#
1.Rc6! ~ 2.Rd6+ Ke5 3.Rd3#
1..Rd4 2.Be6+ (Sf6+?,e4+?) Se6 3.Sf6#
1..Sd4 2.Sf6+ (e4+?,Be6+?) Rf6 3.e4#
1..Qd4 2.e4+ (Be6+?,Sf6+?) Se4 3.Be6#
[1...Se4 2.Be6+, 1...Sf7 2.Sf6+]
cyclic Stocchi, half-pin, masked interfernce,
cycle AB-BC-CA

#3 (9 + 12)

96. Jan RUSINEK
4th Hm The Problemist 1989
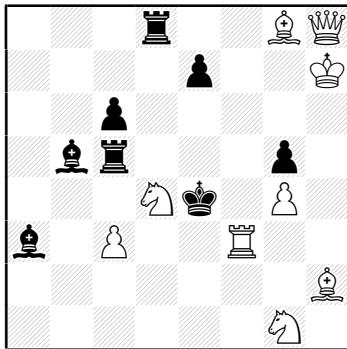
1...Rcd5 2.Sh3 Rd4 3.Sg5#
1...Rdd5 2.Sf5 Rf5 3.Qd4#
1.Sb3? ~ 2.Sc5+ Bc5 3.Qe5#
1...Rcd5 2.Sd2+ Rd2 3.Qe5#
1...Rdd5 2.Qe5+ Re5 3.Sd2# but 1...Rf5!
1.Se6! ~ 2.Sc5+ Bc5 3.Qe5#
1...Rcd5 2.Qd4+ Rd4 3.Sg5#
1...Rdd5 2.Sg5+ Rg5 3.Qd4#
[1...Rf5 2.gf5]
Zagorujko, Plachutta, flight-giving key

#3 (9 + 8)

97. Marek KWIATKOWSKI
2nd Pr Schweizerische Schachzeitung 1990
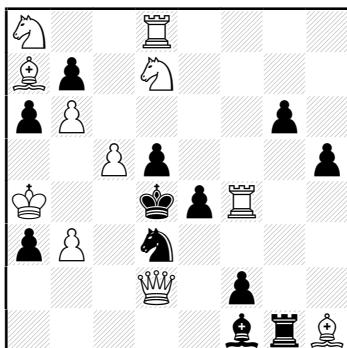
#3 (11 + 12)

1.Bb8? but 1..Rg5!
1.Sc7? but 1..Bh3!
1.Bg2?
1..Rg2 2.Sc7 ~ 3.Se6#
1..Bg2 2.Bb8 ~ 3.Be5 but 1..a2!
1.Sf8! ~ 2.Re4+ Kc5 3.Qc3(c2)#
1..Rg2 2.Bb8 (~ 3.Se6#) Kc5 3.Qc3#
1..Bg2 2.Sc7 (~ 3.Rd5#) Kc5 3.Qc3#
reciprocal change, Grimshaw, Novotny,
logical play, flight-giving key

## 98. Leopold SZWEDOWSKI
3rd Hm Probleemblad 1990
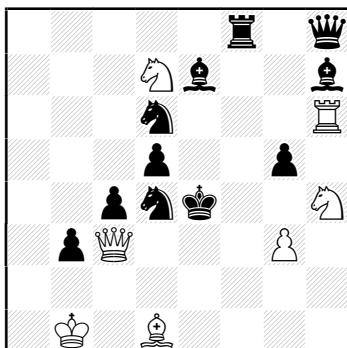
#3 (7 + 11)

1.Sf5! ~ 2.Qe3+ Kf5 3.g4#
1...Sdf5 2.Re6+ Se6 3.Bf3#
1...Bf5 2.Bf3+ Sf3 3.Sc5#
1...Rf5 2.Sc5+ Ke5 3.Re6#
cycle AB-BC-CA, flight-giving key,
sacrifice key, cyclic Stocchi

99. Marek KWIATKOWSKI
1st Pr 3rd TT Phenix 1991
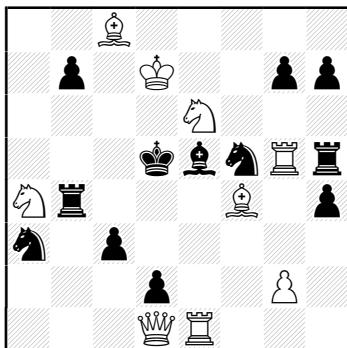
#3 (9 + 12)

1.Re4! ~ 2.Qf3 Re4 3.Sb6#
1..Bd4 2.Sb6+ (Qb3+?) Bb6/Rb6/Ke4
 3.Bb7/Rd4/Qf3#
1..Sd4 2.Qb3+ (Sb6+?) Sb3/Rb3/Ke4
 3.Sc3/Rd4/Sac5#
1..Rd4 2.Qe2 (Qb3+,Sb6+?) Rb4 3.Re5#
1..Sc4 2.Rd4+ Bd4/Sd4 3.Qf3/Sc3#
Keller paradox, half-pin, dual avoidance,
give-and-take key, sacrifice key

100. Marek KWIATKOWSKI
5th Pl 4th WCCT 1989-92
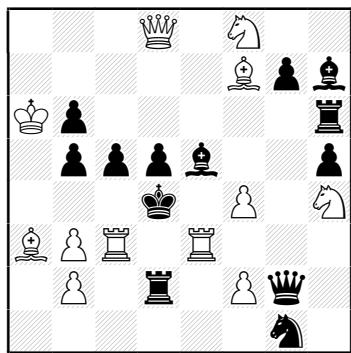
#3 (12 + 13)

1..Bg6 2.Se6#, 1..Rg6 2.Sf5#,
1..Qg6 2.Qd5#
1.Sfg6? Bg6!, 1.Shg6? Rg6!, 1.Bg6? Qg6!
1.Bb4! ~ 2.Rc4+ bc4 3.Bc3#
1..cb4 2.Sfg6 Bg6/Rg6/Qg6
 3.Qb6/Sf5/Qd5#
1..Rc2 2.Shg6 Bg6/Rg6/Qg6
 3.Se6/Rcd3/Qd5#
1..Se2 2.Bg6 Bg6/Rg6/Qg6
 3.Se6/Sf5/Sf3#
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