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WCCC Five days Composing Tourneys B
2016
1° Prize
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Ser-R#5

1.f6 2.Kd4 3.Rc3 4.Kd3 5.Be7 Be4#
(1.2.3. Kd3?)
1.Rd2 2.Kd5 3.Bd6 4.Ke5 5.Rc2
Re4# (1.2.3. Ke5?)

Judge Miodrag Mladenovic : Without a question the best problem participating at the tournament. The goal of white is to move King to e5 or d3 and to move wBb4 and wRc6 to open bR and bB lines. Then black mates either Re4 or Be4. White can do this in three moves but two extra moves are needed to avoid white mates to the bK. On the first move white closes one of the two white thematic pieces to allow unpinning. On the second move white King unpins the thematic piece and on the third move unpinned piece moves and allow unpinning of the second piece by closing it's line. Finally after white Kings plays to the final position the second thematic unpinned piece opens line and close another white line. Beautiful line opening and closing play. Amazing problem.

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1.Sa3? [2.Rxd6 Bxd6#]

1...e5 [a] 2.c3 Qb3#

1...Se5 [b] 2.c4 Sd3#

but 1...Ke5!

1.Rd7~?? [2.Sxd6 Bxd6#]

1.Re7? [2.Sxd6 Bxd6#] e5! [a]

Sxd6#

1.Rg7? [2.Sxd6 Bxd6#] Se5! [b]

Sxd6#

1.Rh7! [2.Sxd6 Bxd6#]

1...e5 [a] 2.Bxa4 Qxc4#

1...Se5 [b] 2.c3 Sd3#

1...Bxc4 2.Bxa4 Rxa4#

Changed continuations.

Black uses the threat Sxd6 in his own favor in the refutations and forces it as a mate.

White rook corrections.

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Royal Dynasty

1.Rxd1+ (Rxc2?) exd8=K (cxd8?)

2.Bg5 Bxf5#

2.Rxc2+ (Rxd1?) cxd8=K (exd8?)

2.Bf4 Bxh4#

Mutual captures of kings.

King promotion.

Dual avoidances.

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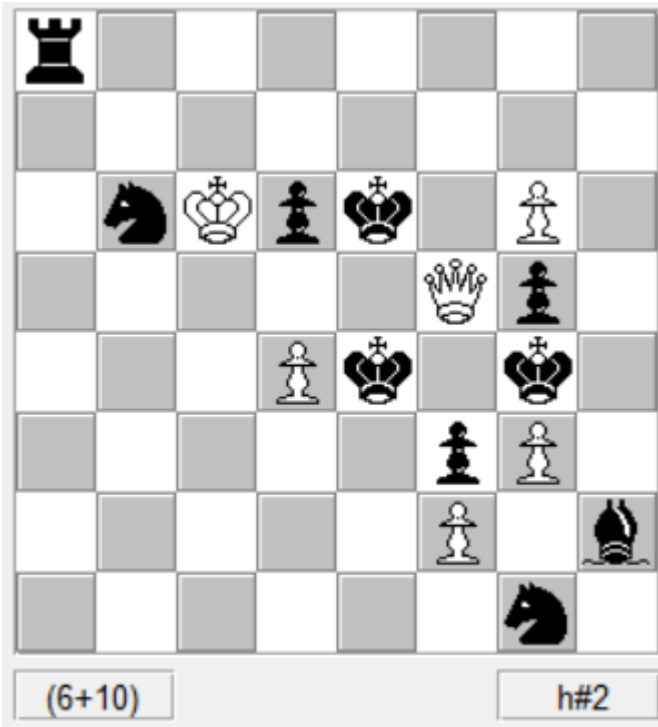
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1.Ra3 Qxe6 [A] 2.Rd3 Qxg4# [B]
1.Rf8 Qxg4 [B] 2.Rf6 Qxe4# [C]
1.Rh8 Qxe4 [C] 2.Rh5 Qxe6# [A]

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