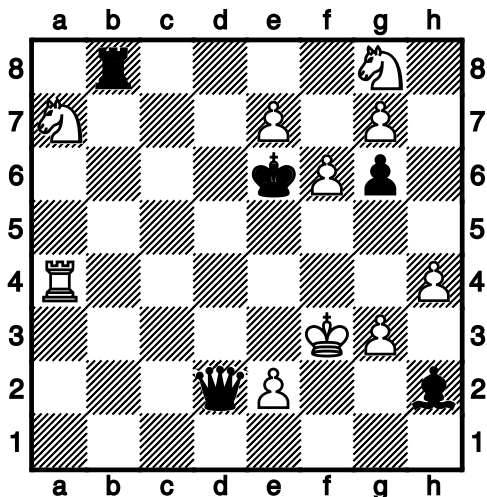


№1. E. Kopylov

(Russia)

Olympic ty, 2016, 2 prize



Win 10+5

1.Re4+ [1.e8Q+? Rxe8 2.Re4+ Kf7 3.Re7+ Rxe7 4.Nxe7 Qc3+=]

1...Kf7! [1...Kd5 2.e8Q Rxe8 3.Rxe8+-; 1...Kd7 2.f7 Rb3+ 3.Kg2+-]

2.Nh6+! [2.Nc6? Qc3+ 3.e3 Rxc8+-; 2.e8Q+? Rxe8 3.Re7+ Rxe7 4.Nxe7 Qc3+=]

2...Qxh6 [2...Kxf6 3.g8Q+-]

3.Nc6! [3.e8Q+? Rxe8 4.Rxe8 Qh5+ 5.Kg2 Qd5+ 6.Kxh2 Kxe8=]

3...Qh5+ [3...Re8 4.Ne5+ Kxf6 5.g8N+ Rxc8 6.Ng4+-]

4.g4 [4.Kg2? Re8+-]

4...Qxh4 [4...Qd5 5.Nxb8+-]

5.Nd8+ Rxd8 [5...Kxf6 6.e8N+!+-]

6.exd8N+! [6.exd8Q?? Qg3#]

6...Kxf6 [6...Kg8 7.Re8+-]

7.g5+! Qxg5 8.g8N+! [8.g8Q?? Qg3#]

8...Kf5 [8...Kg7 9.Ne6+-]

9.Re5+!! [9.Ne7+? Kf6 10.Re6+ Kg7 11.Rxc6+ Qxc6 12.Nxc6 Kxc6=]

9...Bxe5 [9...Kxe5 10.Nf7+ Kf5 11.e4+-]

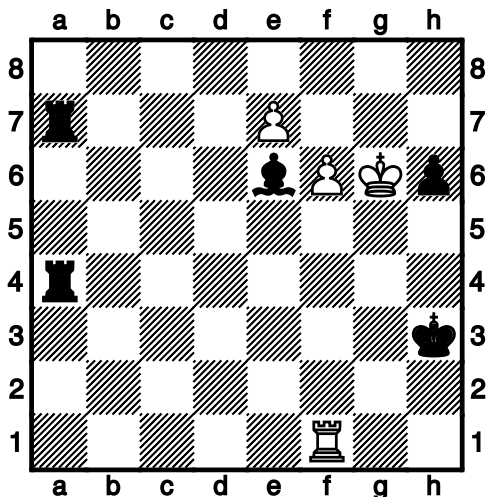
10.e4#!

Two Phoenix, ideal mate.

№2. E. Kopylov

(Russia)

MT M. Dvoretzky-70, 2017, 2 prize



Draw 4+5

1.Rf3+! [1.e8Q? Bf7+ 2.Qxf7 Rg4+ 3.Kh5 Rxf7 4.Rh1+ Kg2!—+]

1...Kh4! [1...Kg2 2.e8Q Bf7+ 3.Qxf7 Rxf7 4.Rf5! Raa7 5.Kxh6=; 1...Kg4 2.e8Q Bf7+ 3.Qxf7 Rxf7 4.Rf1 Raa7 5.Kxh6=]

2.e8Q Bf7+ 3.Qxf7 Rg4+ 4.Kh7!! [Thematic try 4.Kxh6? Rxf7—+ zz; 4.Kf5 Rxf7 5.Ke6 Rf8 6.Ke7 Rgg8—+]

4...Rxf7+ 5.Kxh6 [zz]

5...Rf8 6.Kh7 Rf7+ 7.Kh6 Rg1 8.Rf5! Rg4 9.Rf3! Rg8 10.Rf5 Kh3 [Or positional draw]

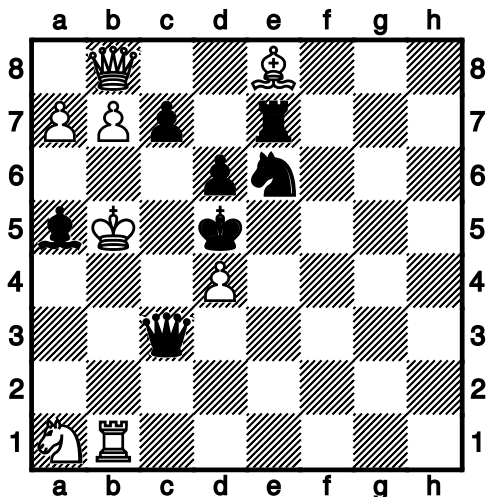
11.Rh5+ Kg4 12.Rg5+! Rxc5.

Stalemate. Synthesis of mutual zugzwang with thematic try, positional draw and stalemate.

№3. E. Kopylov

(Russia)

3-rd Azerbaijan Ty, 2016, Special prize



Win 8+7

1.Ka6! [1.Qa8? c6+! 2.Bxc6+ Qxc6+ 3.Kxa5 Qc7+ 4.Rb6 Qc3+ 5.Rb4 Qa3+ 6.Ra4 Qc3+=]

1...Bb6! [1...Bb4 2.Nb3! Qd3+ 3.Bb5 Qxb1 4.Na5! Bxa5 5.Qg8+--; 1...c6 2.Bxc6+! Kxc6 (2...Qxc6+ 3.Kxa5 Qc3+ 4.Rb4 Qa3+ 5.Kb5 Qd3+ 6.Kb6+--)] 3.Qc8+ Nc7+ 4.Qxc7+ Bxc7 5.b8N+! Bxb8 6.a8Q+ Kd7 7.Qxb8 Qc6+ 8.Ka5 Qc3+ 9.Qb4+--]

2.Rb5+ Nc5+! [2...Kxd4 3.Nb3+ Ke3 4.Qc8+--]

3.Rxc5+ Bxc5 [3...dxc5 4.Qd8+--+]

4.Nb3! [4.Bc6+? Kxc6 5.d5+ Kxd5 6.Qg8+ Ke4!]=]

4...Qxb3 [4...Bxa7 5.Kxa7 Qxb3 6.Qd8! Qb6+ 7.Kb8+--]

5.Bc6+! Kxc6 [5...Kxd4 6.Qh8+--+]

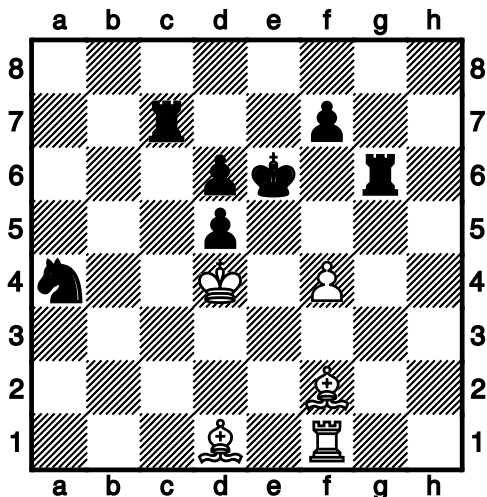
6.d5+! Qxd5 [6...Kxd5 7.Qg8+ Re6 8.b8Q Qa4+ 9.Kb7 Qxa7+ 10.Qxa7 Bxa7 11.Kxa7+--]

7.Qe8+! Rxe8 8.b8N+! Rxb8 9.axb8N#!

Double Phoenix. All type of White pieces (pawn, knight, bishop, rook and queen) were sacrificed!

№4. E. Kopylov
(Russia)

A. Selivanov-50, 2017, 4 comm.



Draw 5+7

1.f5+! Kxf5 2.Bh4+! Ke6 3.Re1+ Kd7 4.Bxa4+ Kc8 5.Bb5! [5.Re8+? Kb7 6.Bb5 Rg4+ 7.Kxd5 Rc5+ 8.Kxd6 Rxb5—+]

5...Rg4+ 6.Kxd5 Rxb5 [6...Kb7 7.Bf6 Rc5+ 8.Kxd6 Rxb5 9.Ke7=; 6...Rc5+ 7.Kxd6 Rxb5 8.Kc6!]=]

7.Re8+ Kb7 8.Bc6+! Rxc6 [8...Kb6 9.Rb8+ Ka6 10.Kxd6 Ra7 11.Rb1 Rh6+ 12.Kc5=]

9.Re7+ Kb6 [Main 9...Rc7 10.Rxc7+ Kxc7= Model stalemate]

10.Rb7+ Ka6 11.Rb6+! [11.Kxc6? Rc4+—+]

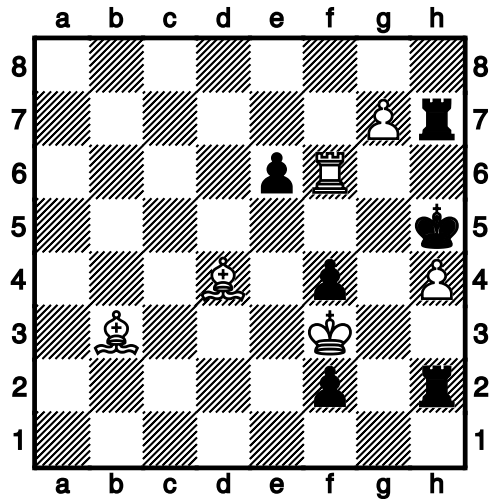
11...Rxb6= [Model stalemate]

Two model stalemates.

№5. E. Kopylov

(Russia)

«64», 2018, no award yet



Win 6+6

1.Rf5+! [1.Bxf2? Rxc7 2.Bxe6 Rxf2+ 3.Kxf2 Kxh4=]

1...exf5 2.Bf7+ Kxh4 [2...Kh6 3.g8N#! Model mate by promoted knight]

3.Bf6+ Kh3 4.Bc4 Rxc7 5.Bf1+ Rgg2 [5...Rhg2 6.Bxc7+-]

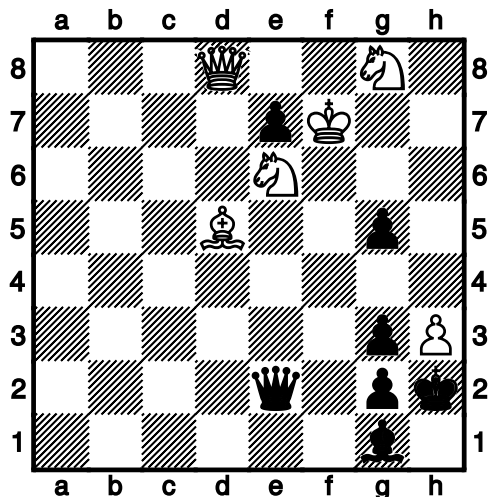
6.Bg5! [zz]

6...Rh1 7.Bxc2+ Kh2 8.Kxf2 Ra1 9.Bxf4# [Mate by bishop]

№6. E. Kopylov

(Russia)

«64», 2018, no award yet



Win 6+7

1.Nh6 Be3! [1...Bb6 2.Qh8! Qh5+ (2...g1Q 3.Ng4+ Qxg4 4.hxg4#) 3.Kf8! Qxh6+ 4.Qxh6 g1Q 5.Nxg5 Qf2+ 6.Nf3+ Kg2 7.Qe6+-; 1...Qh5+ 2.Kg7+-]
2.Ng4+ [2.Qh8? Qh5+ 3.Kxe7 Qxh6! 4.Qxh6 g1Q 5.h4 g4 6.Qg6 Qf2 7.Qxg4 g2=]
2...Kxh3 3.Nxe3 Qh5+! [3...Qxe3 4.Kg6! g1Q 5.Qh8+ Kg4 6.Qh5#]
4.Kxe7 g1Q 5.Qh8!! Qxh8 6.Nxg5+ Kh4 [Main 6...Kh2 7.Ng4# — 1-st model mate with Queen blocked]
7.Nf3+ Kh5 8.Bf7+ Kh6 9.Nf5+ Kh7 10.Ng5# [2-nd model mate with another Queen blocked]