

N° 1

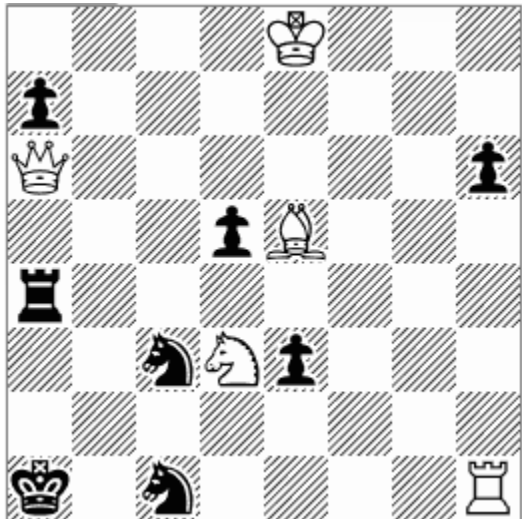
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4K3/p7/Q6p/3pB3/r7/2nNp3/8/k1n4R

H=3.5

5+8 C+ Popeye Windows-32Bit v4.75

3 solutions

1...Lf4 2.Sb1 **A** Lxe3 3.Sa2 **B** Lxh6 4.Td4 **C** Lg7 =
1...Txb6 2.S1a2 **B** Th3 3.Td4 **C** Txe3 4.Sb1 **A** Te1 =
1...Dxb6 2.Td4 **C** Dxe3 3.Sb1 **A** Dh6 4.Sa2 **B** Da6 =

Themes and comment:

Cycle of black moves **ABC-BCA-CAB**

Cyclic pin restoration

Pin restoration: A black piece pinned in the initial position is pinned by another white piece along a different line.

N° 2

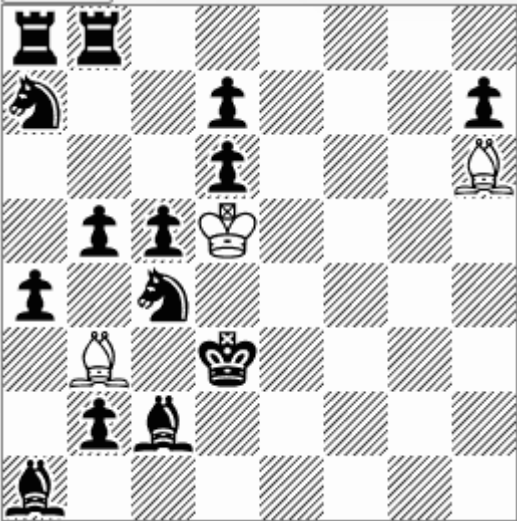
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rr6/n2p3p/3p3B/1ppK4/p1n5/1v3B1k4/1pb5/b7

H=7,5

3+14 C+ Popeye Windows-64Bit v4.83 option intelligent

1... Lb3xa4	2.Lb3 La4xb5	3.Kc2 Lb5xc4	4.Kb1 Lc4xb3	1st rundlauf of Lb3
5.c4 Lb3xc4	6.Sb5 Lc4xb5	7.Ta4 Lb5xa4	8.Tb3 La4xb3 =	2nd rundlauf of Lb3

Themes and comment:

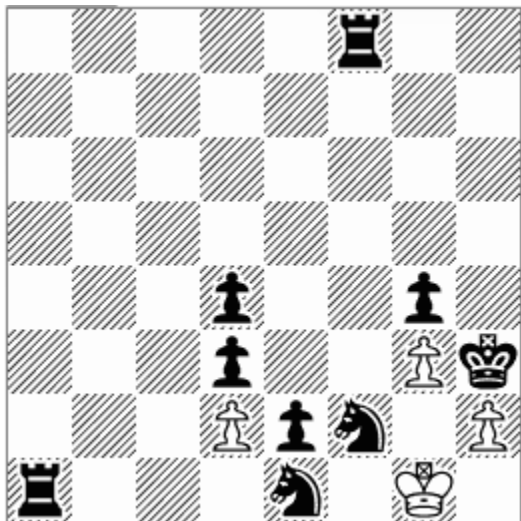
Rundlauf or Switchback? Why no both, Rundlauf & Switchback?

Two rundlauf of Lb3, one after the other first Lb3→a4→b5→c4→b3 & second Lb3→c4→b5→a4→b3, the second in reverse strip of the first, so rundlauf b3-a4-b5-c4-b3 + rundaluf b3-c4-b5-a4-b3 = switchback of Lb3.

N° 3

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Problem 4676



5r2/8/8/8/3p2p1/3p2Pk/3Ppn1P/r3n1

H=6

4+9 C+ Popeye Windows-32Bit v4.75 option intelligent

1.Sf3 + Kg1xf2 2.e1=L+ Kf2-f1 3.Sg1+ Kf1xg1 1st rundlauf of wK
4.Tf1 + Kg1xf1 5.Lf2+ Kf1xf2 6.Tg1 Kf2xg1 = 2nd rundlauf of wK

Themes and comment:

Rundlauf or Switchback? Why no both, Rundlauf & Switchback?

Two rundlauf of white K, one after the other: first Kg1→f2→f1→g1 & second Kg1→f1→f2→g1, the second in reverse strip of the first, so rundlauf g1-f2-f1-g1 + rundlauf g1-f1-f2-g1 = switchback of white K.

N° 4

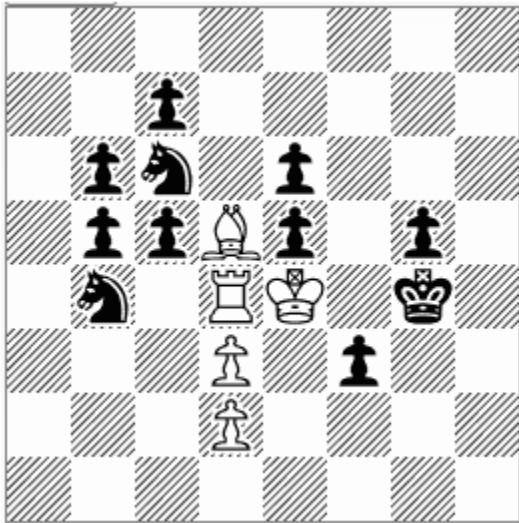
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8/2p5/1pn1p3/1ppBp1p1/1n1RK1k1/3P1p2/3P4/8

H=6,5

5+11 C+ Popeye Windows-32Bit v4.75 option intelligent

1...Ke3+ 2.Kf5 Kxf3 3.c4 Kg3 4.cxd3 Tc4 5.Sd4 Lc6 6.Sd5 Tb4 7.Ke4 Kg4 =

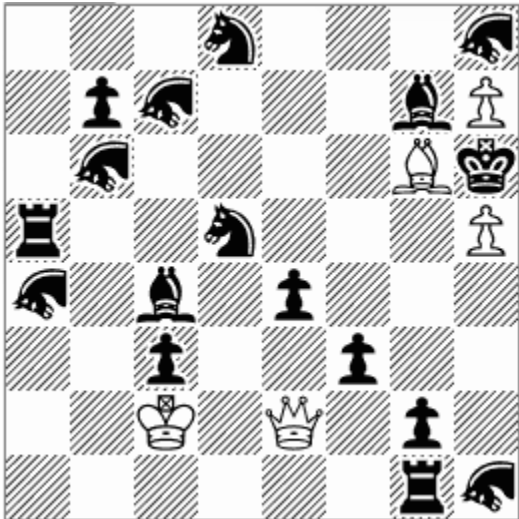
Themes and comment:

Reciprocal Platzwechsel Ke4-Kg4 + Cyclic Platzwechsel Ld5-Sb4-Td4-Sc6

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Problem 4473



H#2 3.1.1.1 5+17 C+ Popeye Windows-32Bit v4.75

Camelriders a4 b6 c7 h1 h8 CR (1,3) rider
Moves like a Nightrider but on Camel's lines only.
Camelrider h8 can move to g5, to f2 or to e7.
Camelrider h1 can move to g4, to f7 or to e2(CrxDe2)

- 1.Sf4 Dxc2 **A!** (**B?**/**C?**) 2.Lg8 hxc8=S #
1.Se7 Dxf3 **B!** (**C?**/**A?**) 2.Txh5 Dxh5 #
1.Sf6 Dxe4 **C!** (**A?**/**B?**) 2.Cra4xc6 Dxc6 #

Theme and comment:

Cyclic Dual Avoidance

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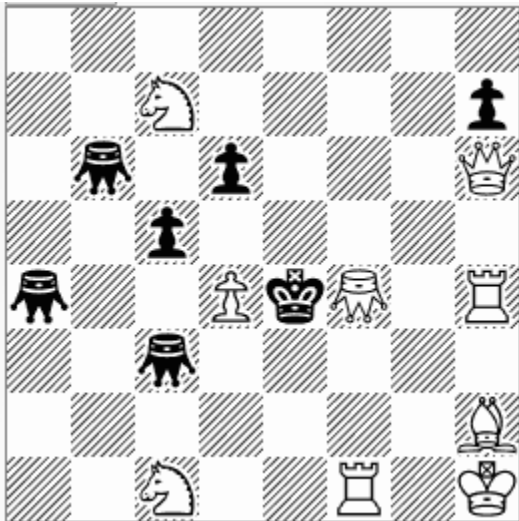
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Problem F1156



#2

9+7

C+ Popeye Windows-32Bit v4.75

Grasshopper f4 a4 b6 c3

G

Moves along queen-lines over another unit of either colour to the square immediately beyond that unit. A capture may be made on arrival, but the hurdle is not affected.

1.Tf2? [2.Gf1 #] Ke3!

1.Tg4? [2.Gh4 #] Kf5!

1.d4xc5? [2.Gd4 #] Kd4!

1.Lg3? [2.Gh2 #] Gh3!

1.Dg5? [2.Gh6 #] Gd8!

1.d5! [2.Gd4 #]

1...Ke3 2.Gd2 #

1...Kf5 2.Gf6 #

1...Kd4 2.Gc4 #

1...Ke5 2.Gxd6 #

1...Gxf4 2.Dxf4 #

Theme and comment:

G-batteries

sK Y-flights in refutations: Ke3! - Kf5! - Kd4!

Key grants another flight

Gf4 jumps in all 8 directions