

19th International Solving Contest 2023 Cat 2

29.01.2023 - Round 1. (120')

1. Andrzej Trzesowski, The Problemist 1963, Comm.

1. ♖g8! [5]

1. ... ♘b5 2. ♖g1‡
 1. ... ♘~ 2. ♖xc4‡
 1. ... ♖b5 2. ♖xc4‡
 1. ... ♗b~ 2. ♖d5‡
 1. ♖c2? ♖b5!
 1. ♖c3? ♖b5!
 1. ♖e8? ♗d5!

2. Comins Mansfield, The Problemist 1926-27 TT, 1.HM

1. ♖c5! [5]

1. ... ~ 2. ♖c8‡
 1. ... d5 2. ♘f5‡
 1. ... d6 2. ♘c6‡
 1. ... f5 2. ♘d5‡
 1. ... f6 2. ♘g6‡
 1. ... ♖e7 2. ♖e5‡
 1. ♖a5? ♖g3, ♖h2!

3. Gunnar Rehn, Arbejder-Skak 1946, 3. Pr.

1. ♘a7! ~ 2. ♘xg6 @ ~ 3. ♘d3‡
 ♗h8 2. ♘f3 @ ~ 3. ♘xd5‡
 ♗f8 2. ♖xa5 @ ~ 3. ♖b4‡
 ♗e7 2. ♖b5 @ ~ 3. ♖c5‡
 ♗e5 2. ♖b3 @ ~/d4 3. ♖c3/ ♖xd4‡
 ♗f4 2. ♗e4 @ ~/ ♗xe2/dxe4 3. ♗d2/ ♘xe2/ ♖d4‡
 ♗h4 2. ♘f7 @ ~ 3. ♘xd5‡

@	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Pts.	1	1,5	2	3	3,5	4	5

4. Isai Hillel Rozenfels, Shakhmaty v SSSR 1954

- 1.a4! b5 2. ♖g1 bxa4 3. ♖f1 a3 4. ♘e1 [2.5] ♖~ 5. ♘c3‡
 1. ... b6 2. ♖d1 b5 3. ♖e1 bxa4 4. ♖d2 [2.5] a3 5. ♘c3‡

5. Emil Melnichenko, NONA 2010, Comm.

1. ♘f5+ ♖h4 2. ♖xf2 [1]
 2. ... ♖f1+ 3. ♖xg2 [1]
 3. ... ♖xf5 4. ♗f3+ [1]
 4. ... ♖g4 5. ♗xf6+ [1]
 5. ... ♖f4 6. ♘c1‡ [1]

6. Gennady Chumakov, Original for ISC 2023

- 1.d3 ♖f6 2. ♖d4 ♖c4‡ [1]
 1.g4 ♖c5 2.g5 ♘f5‡ [1]
 1.h3 gxh3 2. ♖f3 ♘d5‡ [1]
 1. ♘d2 ♖xd2 2. ♖e5 ♖e2‡ [1]
 1. ♘f7 ♘xf7 2. ♖d3 ♘xg6‡ [1]

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7. Pavel Murashev, Schweizerische Schachzeitung 2015, 1. HM

1. ♖c1! [5]

1. ... ~ 2. ♗e3‡
 1. ... ♗xd5 2. ♗e5‡
 1. ... ♖xd5 2. ♗b4‡
 1. ... ♗xc5+ 2. ♗xc5‡
 1. ♗b4? ♗e3!
 1. ♗g8? ♗f6!
 1. ♗e3? ♗a5!
 1. ♗d7? ♗d6!
 1. ♗e3? ♗a5!

8. Gustaf Adolf Ekestubbe, Schackvärlden 1943, 1. Pr.

1. ♖g3! Zz.

1. ... ♖b5 2. ♖e3+ @ ♖c4 3. d3‡
 1. ... ♖c6 2. ♗a6+ @ ♗xa6 3. ♗b7‡
 1. ... ♗c4 2. ♗b7+ @ ♖b5 3. ♗d7‡
 1. ... ♗c6 2. ♗e6+ @ ♗xe6 3. ♗d7‡

@	1	2	3	4
Pts.	1,25	2,5	3,75	5

9. Vladimir Bron, Shakhmaty 1929, 4. HM

1. ♗d5! ~ 2. ♖e5+ @ ♖g6 3. ♖e4‡
 1. ... cxd5 2. ♖a6 @ ~ 3. ♖d3‡
 1. ... f3 2. ♗c4 @ ~ 3. ♗d3‡

@	1	2	3
Pts.	1,5	3,5	5

10. Helmut Zajic, Schach-Echo 1966, 2. HM

1. ♗e4! ~ 2. ♖c5+ ♖d7 3. ♗f6+ @ ♖c8, ♖d8 4. ♖f8‡
 1. ... ♗b3 2. ♖e6+ ♖b5 3. ♖a6+ @ ♖b4 4. c3‡
 1. ... ♗d3 2. ♖e8+ ♖d5 3. ♖e6+ @ ♖d4 4. c3‡

@	1	2	3
Pts.	1,5	3,5	5

11. Filipp S. Bondarenko, Alexandre S. Kakovin, Problem 1966-67, 1. Comm.

1. ♗b4 ♗f5+ 2. ♖h4 [1]
 b1 ♖ 3. ♗xb1 ♗xb1 4. ♗a4 [1]
 ♗d3 5. c4 [1]
 ♗xc4 6. ♗c2 [1]
 ♗g8 7. ♗a4 [1]
 ♗c4 8. ♗c2 = [1]

12. Gustaf Adolf Ekestubbe, Suomen Shakki 1936

1. ♖a8! ~ 2. ♖e4+ @ ♗xe4‡
 ♗c5 2. ♖f3+ @ ♗xf3‡
 exf5 2. ♖e8+ @ ♗e4‡
 ♗c3 2. ♗c2+ @ ♗xc2‡

@	1	2	3	4
Pts.	1,25	2,5	3,75	5