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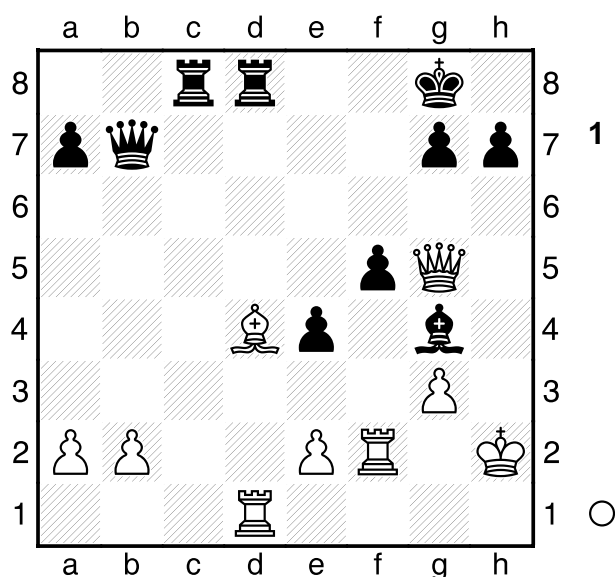
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1.c4 e6 2.Nc3 d5 3.d4 c5 4.cxd5
exd5 5.Nf3 Nc6 6.g3 Nf6 7.Bg2
cxd4 8.Nxd4 Bc5 9.Nxc6 bxc6
10.Qa4 Qb6 11.0-0 0-0 12.h3 Be6
13.Qc2 Qb7 14.Nxd5 Bxf2+ 15.Rxf2
cxd5 16.Be3 Ne4 17.Bxe4 dxe4
18.Kh2 Rac8 19.Qd2 Rfd8 20.Bd4
Bxh3 21.Rd1 Bg4 22.Qg5 f5

Diagram

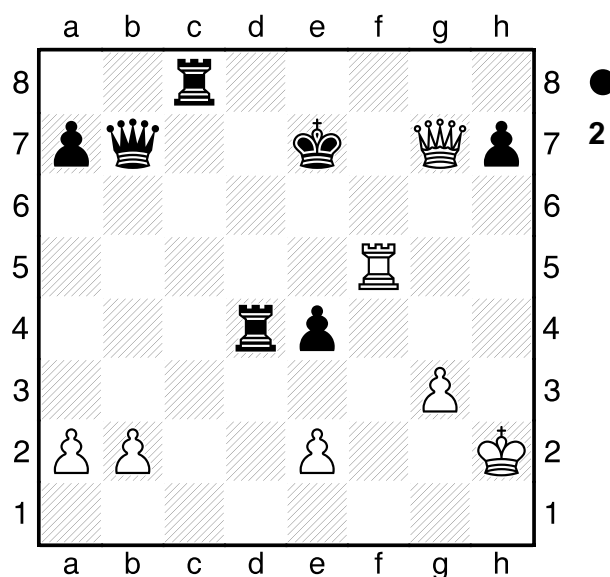


23.Bxg7 Rxd1 24.Be5+

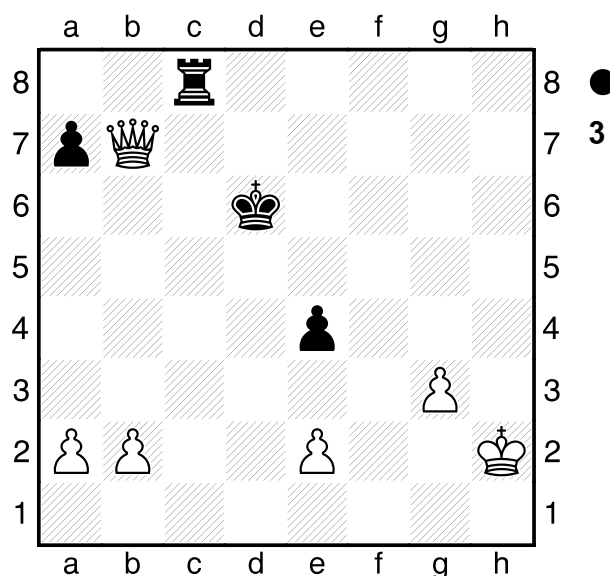
[24.Bd4+!! is Houdini's strong preference: I like it because, although the bishop is en prise, it stops Rc5, defending f5, and both Rd5, defending the same, and Rd7 defending the LPDO queen. Kf7 (24...Kf8) 25.Qxg4 Rxd4 26.Rxf5+ Ke8 (26...Ke7 27.Qg7+- Diagram

(Diagram 2)

; 26...Ke6 27.Rb5+-) 27.Qg8+ Kd7
28.Qxh7+ Kc6 29.Rf6+ Rd6



30.Rxd6+ Kxd6 31.Qxb7 Diagram



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[24.Bh6+ Kh8 25.Qf6+ Kg8
26.Qg5+= repetition]

[24.Bc3+?! Kf8 25.Qxg4 Rc5
26.Rxf5+ Rxf5 27.Qxf5+=

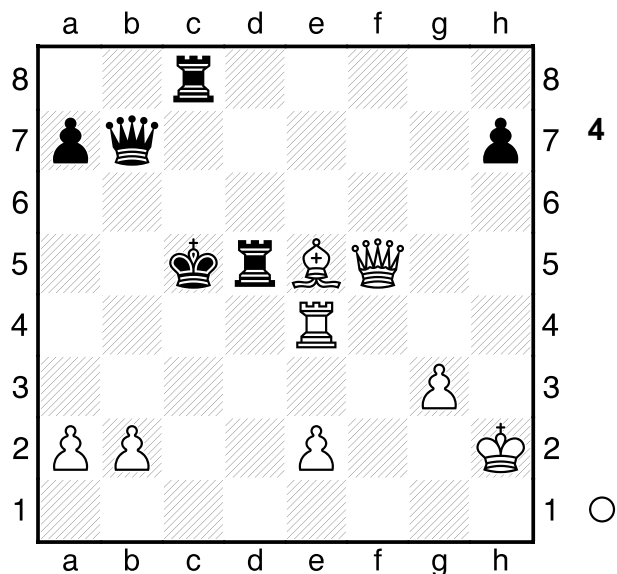
Neither of black's LPDOs can be double attacked, so white will have to eke out a draw.]

24...Kf7 25.Qxg4

[25.Qg7+? Ke6 26.Qxb7 Rcc1
27.Rf4 (27.Rxf5! Bxf5 28.Bf4+-)
27...Kxe5±]

25...Ke6 26.Qxf5+ Kd5 27.Rf4

[27.Bc3+! Houdini: the point of this move is very nice: Kc4 (27...Kc6 28.Qxe4+ Rd5 29.Rf6+ Kc7 30.Rf7+-) 28.Qa5!! -- Δ29.b3+-]
27...Kc5 28.Rxe4 Rd5 Diagram



29.Bd6+ Cordingley gives this move a !!, but it is Houdini's fifth choice, with other moves far stronger.

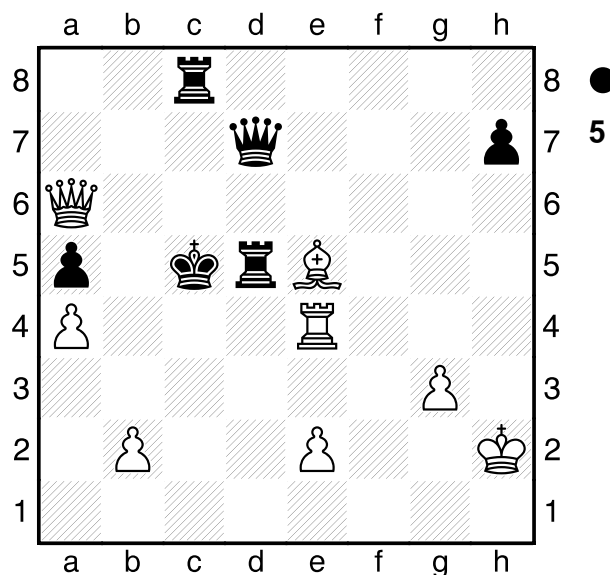
[29.a4!! A very odd, but Houdini says very strong move. Houdini says it is +16. It is not obvious to me, even having seen the move, why it is so strong: after a while, I appreciate that it takes away b5 (sorry, it is clear to me that this is the intention, but why is b5 important); but it also prepares a mating net, with Qf6 and b4+. Qd7 30.Qf6 a5 31.Qa6+- Diagram

(Diagram 5)

Here we see that a4 both prevents Kb5, but also protects Qb5, should black eg play Qd8 to defend his a5 pawn.]

[29.Re3!! is also stronger than Bd6; threatens the skewering check on c3.]

[29.Qf6!! Re8 30.Bd6+!! Rxd6



(30...Kb6 31.Bf4+ Qc6 32.Be3+ Kb7 33.Qf7+-) 31.Qc3+ Kb6 32.Rb4+ Ka6 33.Qa3#]

29...Kb5

[29...Kxd6 30.Re6+ Kc7 (30...Kc5 31.Qc2+ Kb5 32.Qb3+-) 31.Re7+ Kb6 32.Rxb7+ Kxb7 33.Qxd5+-]

30.Rb4+ Ka6 31.Qf3 Rb5

[31...Qc6 32.Qa3+ Ra5 33.Qd3+ Rb5 34.a4+-]

32.Ra4+ Kb6 33.Qe3+

[Δ33.Qf2+ Kc6 34.Rc4+ Kxd6 35.Qf6+ Kd7 (35...Kd5 36.Rd4+ Kc5 37.Qd6#) 36.Rd4+-]

33...Kc6 34.Rxa7

[Δ34.Qe6]

34...Qb6 35.Bc5 Qd8

[35...Qxc5 36.Qe6+]

[35...Rxc5 36.Qe6+ Kb5 37.a4+]

36.b4 Diagram

(Diagram 6)

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