CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 361-A & B



World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

A: Stamp, Iceland. Issued: 2.7.1972 (When the match was meant to begin).

B: Special postmark, Reykjavik. Used for FDC's and during the match. Souvenir covers, cards. Some show Reykjavik's Exhibition Hall, where the match was held. Some show one of, or both, the players.

C: Special registration label, Reykjavik.

D: Special postmark Belgrade, Yugoslavia. Used: 2.7.1972. Souvenir cover, card. Originally the first half of this match was scheduled for Belgrade.

E: Postal stationery cover, USSR. Printing date: 19.6.1972.

F: Stamp, Niger. Issued: 16.2.1973. Semi-official varieties: Imperforate, De Luxe Sheet, Colour Proofs, Die Proof.

G: Special first day postmark, Niamey (Niger), Souvenir cover.

H: 2 stamps, Mali. Issued: 19.2.1973. Showing 1) a German 14th century bishop of ivory, 2) an Indian 18th century king of ivory. Semi-official varieties: Imperforates. De Luxe Sheets, Colour Proofs, Die Proofs.

Cancellation Date is : 02.07.1972

Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 361-B

World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

A: Stamp, Iceland. Issued: 2.7.1972 (When the match was meant to begin).
B: Special postmark, Reykjavik. Used for FDC's and during the match. Souvenir covers, cards. Some show Reykjavik's Exhibition Hall, where the match was held. Some show one of, or both, the players.
C: Special registration label, Reykjavik.
D: Special postmark Belgrade, Yugoslavia. Used: 2.7.1972. Souvenir cover, card. Originally the first half of this match was scheduled for Belgrade.
E: Postal stationery cover, USSR. Printing date: 19.6.1972.
F: Stamp, Niger. Issued: 16.2.1973. Semi-official varieties: Imperforate, De Luxe Sheet, Colour Proofs, Die Proof.
G: Special first day postmark, Niamey (Niger), Souvenir cover.
H: 2 stamps, Mali. Issued: 19.2.1973. Showing 1) a German 14th century bishop of ivory, 2) an Indian 18th century king of ivory. Semi-official varieties: Imperforates. De Luxe Sheets, Colour Proofs, Die Proofs.
Cancellation Date 3.8.1972

Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 361-A & B



World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

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Cancellation Date is : 02.07.1972

Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 361-A & B



World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

A: Stamp, Iceland. Issued: 2.7.1972 (When the match was meant to begin).

B: Special postmark, Reykjavik. Used for FDC's and during the match. Souvenir covers, cards. Some show Reykjavik's Exhibition Hall, where the match was held. Some show one of, or both, the players.

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E: Postal stationery cover, USSR. Printing date: 19.6.1972.

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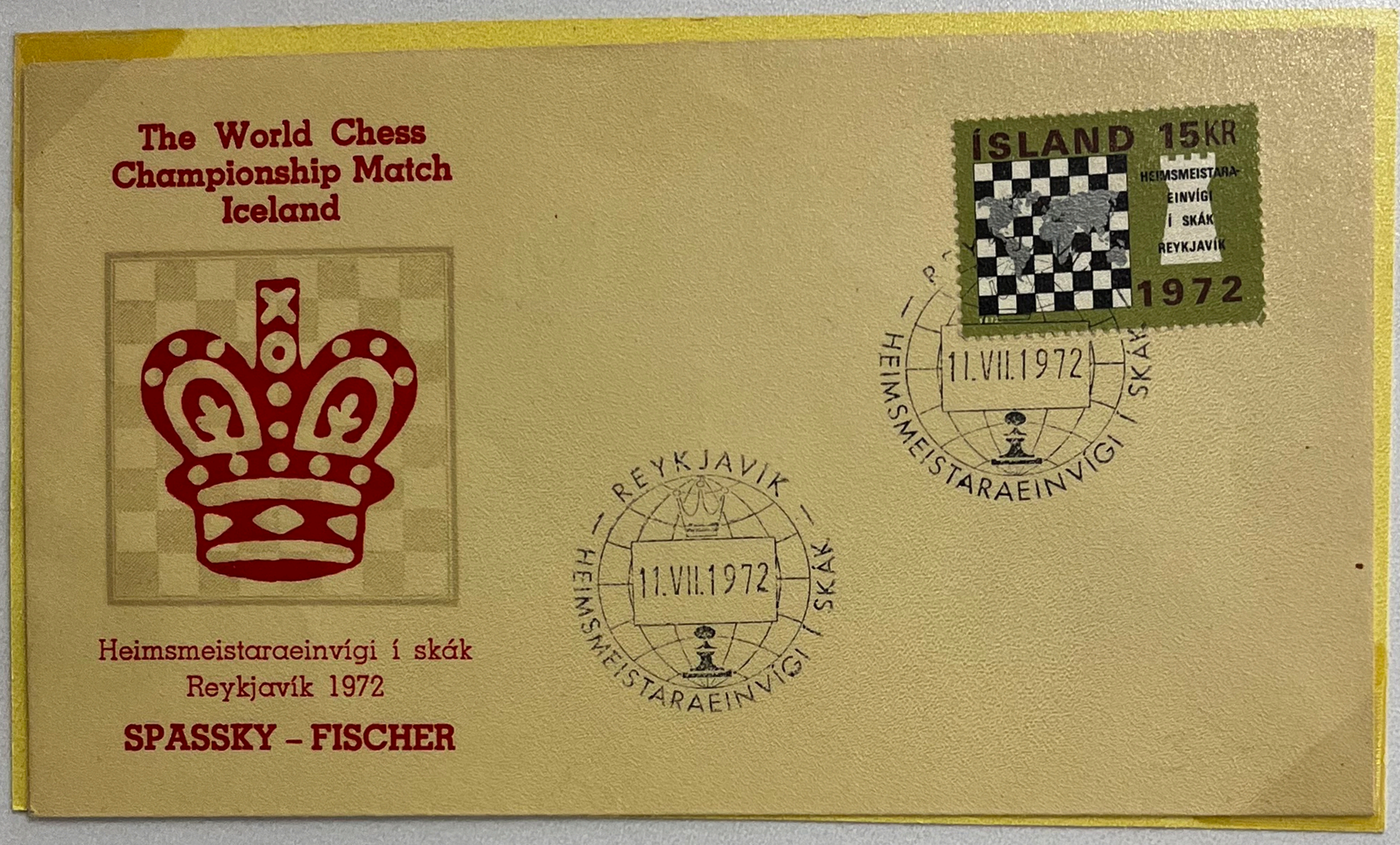
H: 2 stamps, Mali. Issued: 19.2.1973. Showing 1) a German 14th century bishop of ivory, 2) an Indian 18th century king of ivory. Semi-official varieties: Imperforates. De Luxe Sheets, Colour Proofs, Die Proofs.

Souvenir covers.

Cancellation Date is : 02-07-1972

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 361-A & B



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Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

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Cancellation Date is : 11.07.1972

Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 361-A & B



World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

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D: Special postmark Belgrade, Yugoslavia. Used: 2.7.1972. Souvenir cover, card. Originally the first half of this match was scheduled for Belgrade.

E: Postal stationery cover, USSR. Printing date: 19.6.1972.

F: Stamp, Niger. Issued: 16.2.1973. Semi-official varieties: Imperforate, De Luxe Sheet, Colour Proofs, Die Proof.

G: Special first day postmark, Niamey (Niger), Souvenir cover.

H: 2 stamps, Mali. Issued: 19.2.1973. Showing 1) a German 14th century bishop of ivory, 2) an Indian 18th century king of ivory. Semi-official varieties: Imperforates. De Luxe Sheets, Colour Proofs, Die Proofs.

Cancellation Date is : 12.07.1972

Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 361-A & B



World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

A: Stamp, Iceland. Issued: 2.7.1972 (When the match was meant to begin).

B: Special postmark, Reykjavik. Used for FDC's and during the match. Souvenir covers, cards. Some show Reykjavik's Exhibition Hall, where the match was held. Some show one of, or both, the players.

C: Special registration label, Reykjavik.

D: Special postmark Belgrade, Yugoslavia. Used: 2.7.1972. Souvenir cover, card. Originally the first half of this match was scheduled for Belgrade.

E: Postal stationery cover, USSR. Printing date: 19.6.1972.

F: Stamp, Niger. Issued: 16.2.1973. Semi-official varieties: Imperforate, De Luxe Sheet, Colour Proofs, Die Proof.

G: Special first day postmark, Niamey (Niger), Souvenir cover.

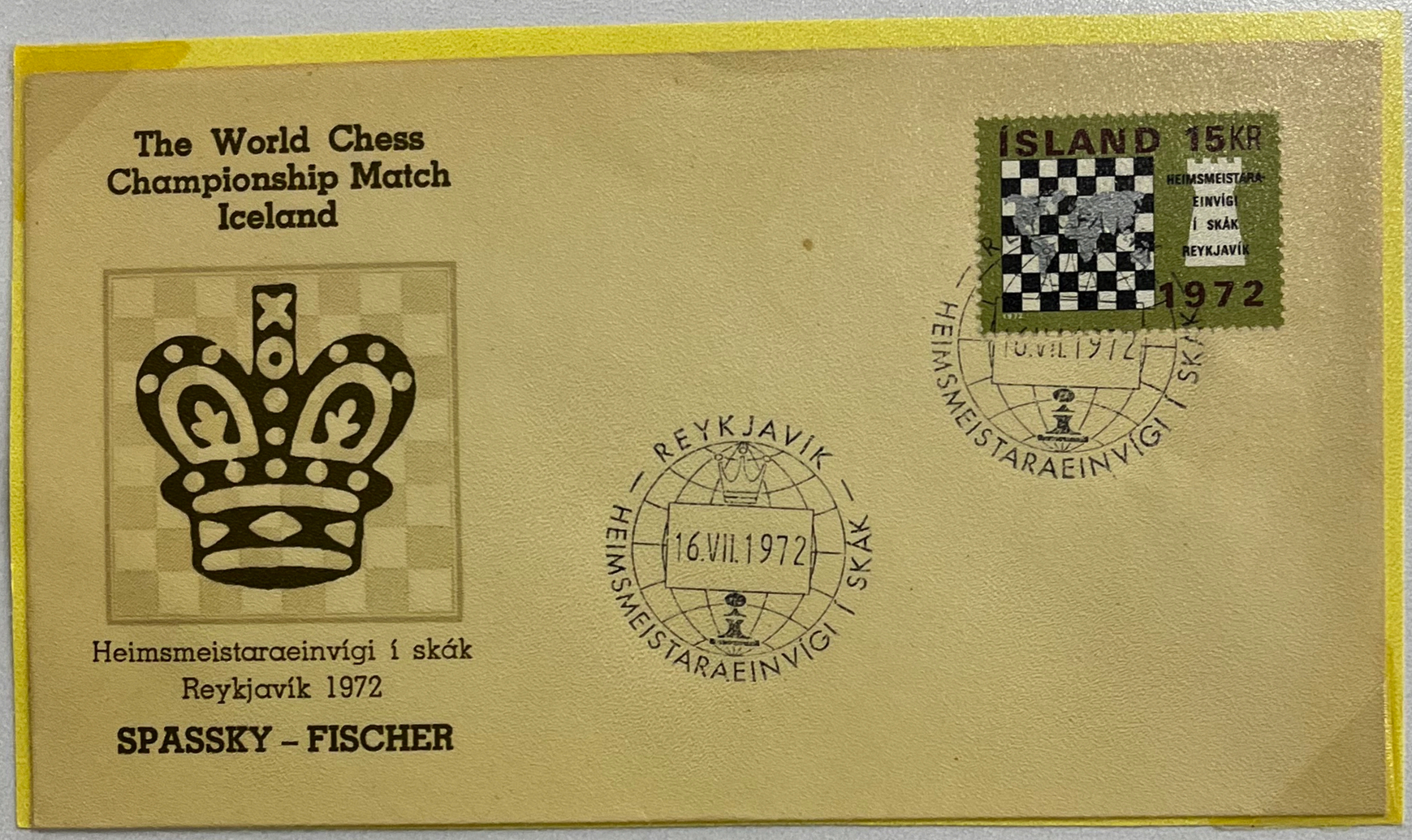
H: 2 stamps, Mali. Issued: 19.2.1973. Showing 1) a German 14th century bishop of ivory, 2) an Indian 18th century king of ivory. Semi-official varieties: Imperforates. De Luxe Sheets, Colour Proofs, Die Proofs.

Cancellation Date is : 13.07.1972

Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 361-A & B



World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

A: Stamp, Iceland. Issued: 2.7.1972 (When the match was meant to begin).

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E: Postal stationery cover, USSR. Printing date: 19.6.1972.

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G: Special first day postmark, Niamey (Niger), Souvenir cover.

H: 2 stamps, Mali. Issued: 19.2.1973. Showing 1) a German 14th century bishop of ivory, 2) an Indian 18th century king of ivory. Semi-official varieties: Imperforates. De Luxe Sheets, Colour Proofs, Die Proofs.

Cancellation Date is : 16.07.1972

Souvenir cover.

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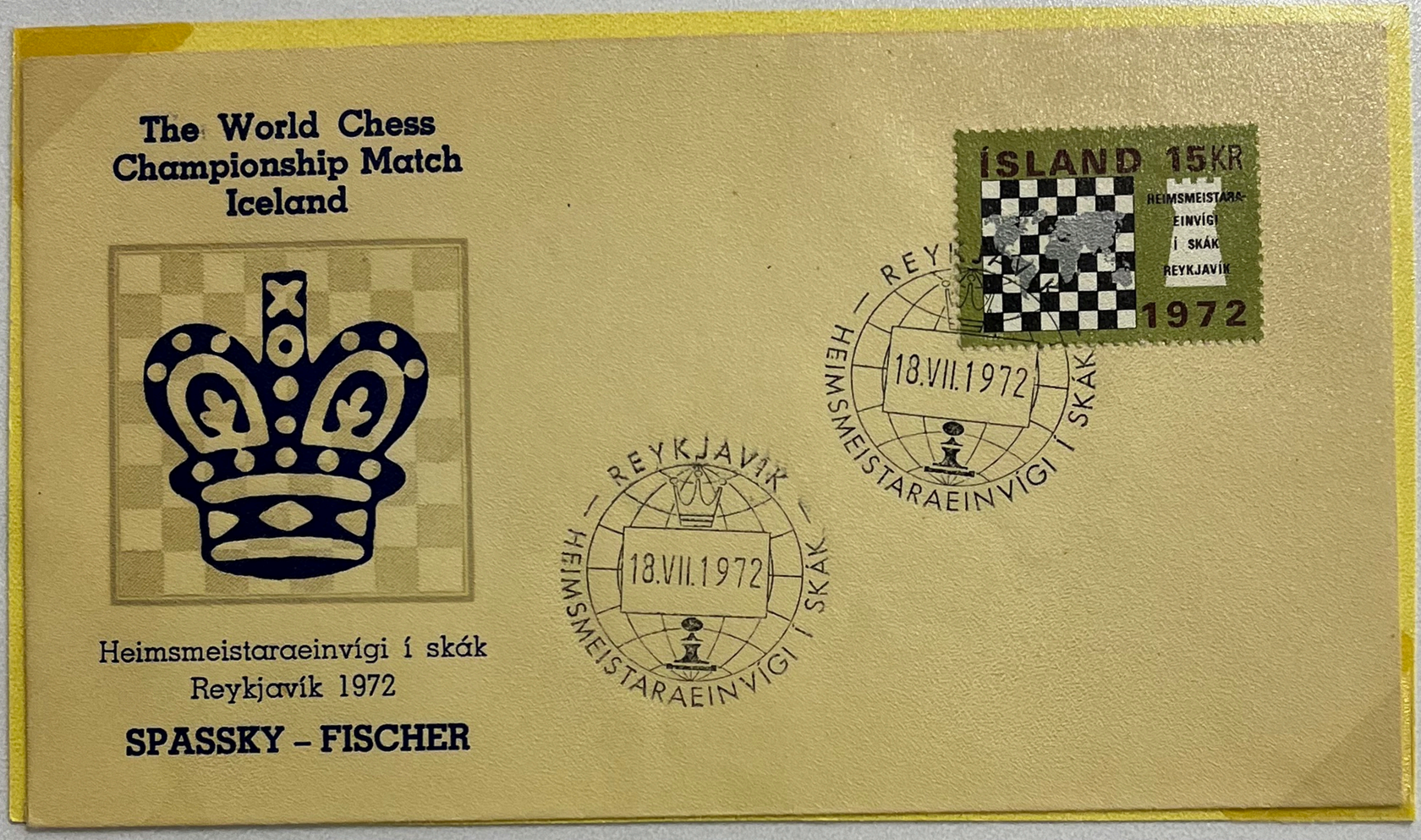

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Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

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D: Special postmark Belgrade, Yugoslavia. Used: 2.7.1972. Souvenir cover, card. Originally the first half of this match was scheduled for Belgrade.

E: Postal stationery cover, USSR. Printing date: 19.6.1972.

F: Stamp, Niger. Issued: 16.2.1973. Semi-official varieties: Imperforate, De Luxe Sheet, Colour Proofs, Die Proof.

G: Special first day postmark, Niamey (Niger), Souvenir cover.

H: 2 stamps, Mali. Issued: 19.2.1973. Showing 1) a German 14th century bishop of ivory, 2) an Indian 18th century king of ivory. Semi-official varieties: Imperforates. De Luxe Sheets, Colour Proofs, Die Proofs.

Cancellation Date is : 18.07.1972

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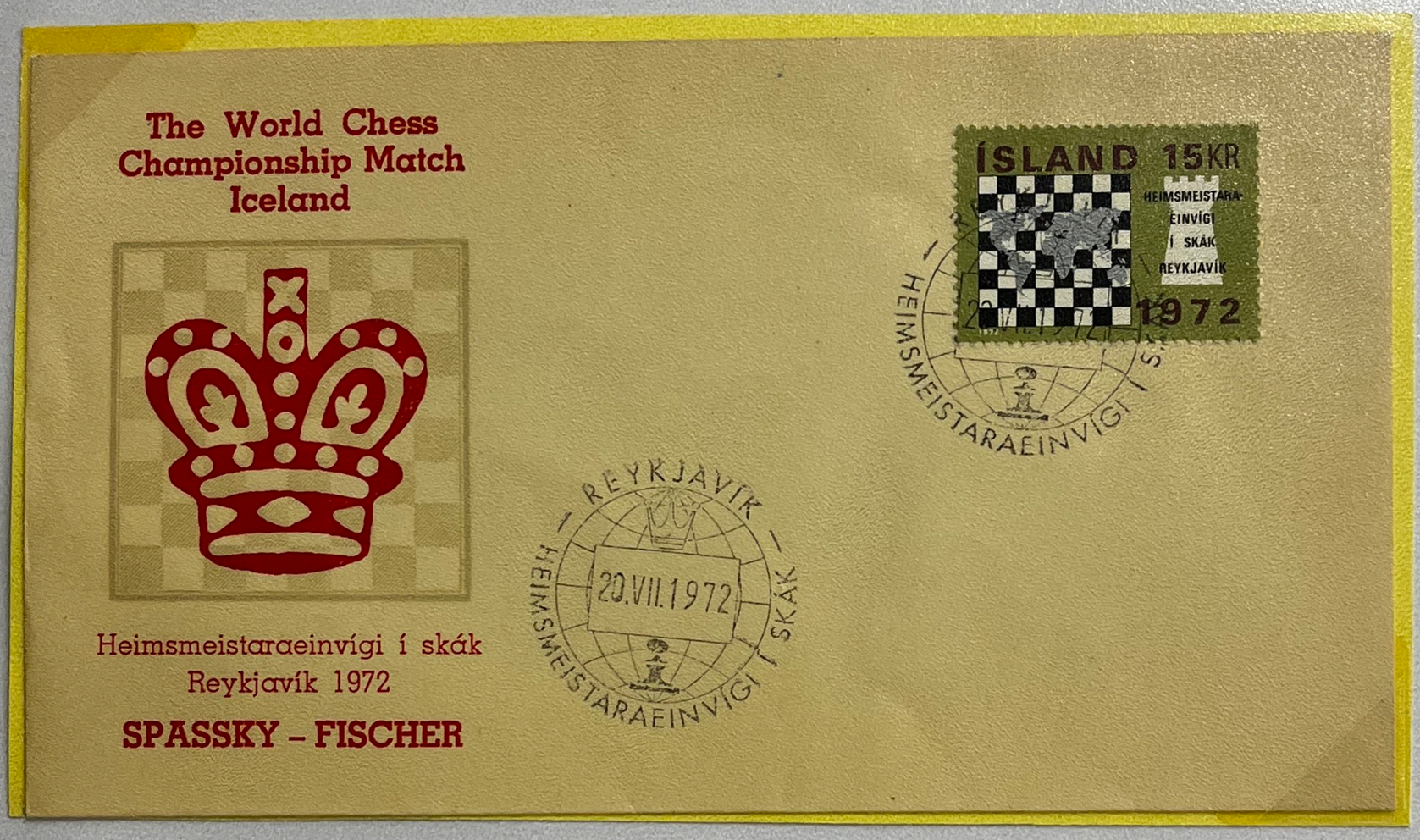
CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 361-A & B



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Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

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F: Stamp, Niger. Issued: 16.2.1973. Semi-official varieties: Imperforate, De Luxe Sheet, Colour Proofs, Die Proof.

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H: 2 stamps, Mali. Issued: 19.2.1973. Showing 1) a German 14th century bishop of ivory, 2) an Indian 18th century king of ivory. Semi-official varieties: Imperforates. De Luxe Sheets, Colour Proofs, Die Proofs.

Cancellation Date is : 20.07.1972

Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 361-A & B



World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

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H: 2 stamps, Mali. Issued: 19.2.1973. Showing 1) a German 14th century bishop of ivory, 2) an Indian 18th century king of ivory. Semi-official varieties: Imperforates. De Luxe Sheets, Colour Proofs, Die Proofs.

Cancellation Date 23.7.1972

Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 361-A & B



World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

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B: Special postmark, Reykjavik. Used for FDC's and during the match. Souvenir covers, cards. Some show Reykjavik's Exhibition Hall, where the match was held. Some show one of, or both, the players.
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D: Special postmark Belgrade, Yugoslavia. Used: 2.7.1972. Souvenir cover, card. Originally the first half of this match was scheduled for Belgrade.
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G: Special first day postmark, Niamey (Niger), Souvenir cover.
H: 2 stamps, Mali. Issued: 19.2.1973. Showing 1) a German 14th century bishop of ivory, 2) an Indian 18th century king of ivory. Semi-official varieties: Imperforates. De Luxe Sheets, Colour Proofs, Die Proofs.

Cancellation Date 25.7.1972

Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 361-A & B



World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

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B: Special postmark, Reykjavik. Used for FDC's and during the match. Souvenir covers, cards. Some show Reykjavik's Exhibition Hall, where the match was held. Some show one of, or both, the players.

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Cancellation Date 26.7.1972

Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 361-A & B



World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

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E: Postal stationery cover, USSR. Printing date: 19.6.1972.
F: Stamp, Niger. Issued: 16.2.1973. Semi-official varieties: Imperforate, De Luxe Sheet, Colour Proofs, Die Proof.
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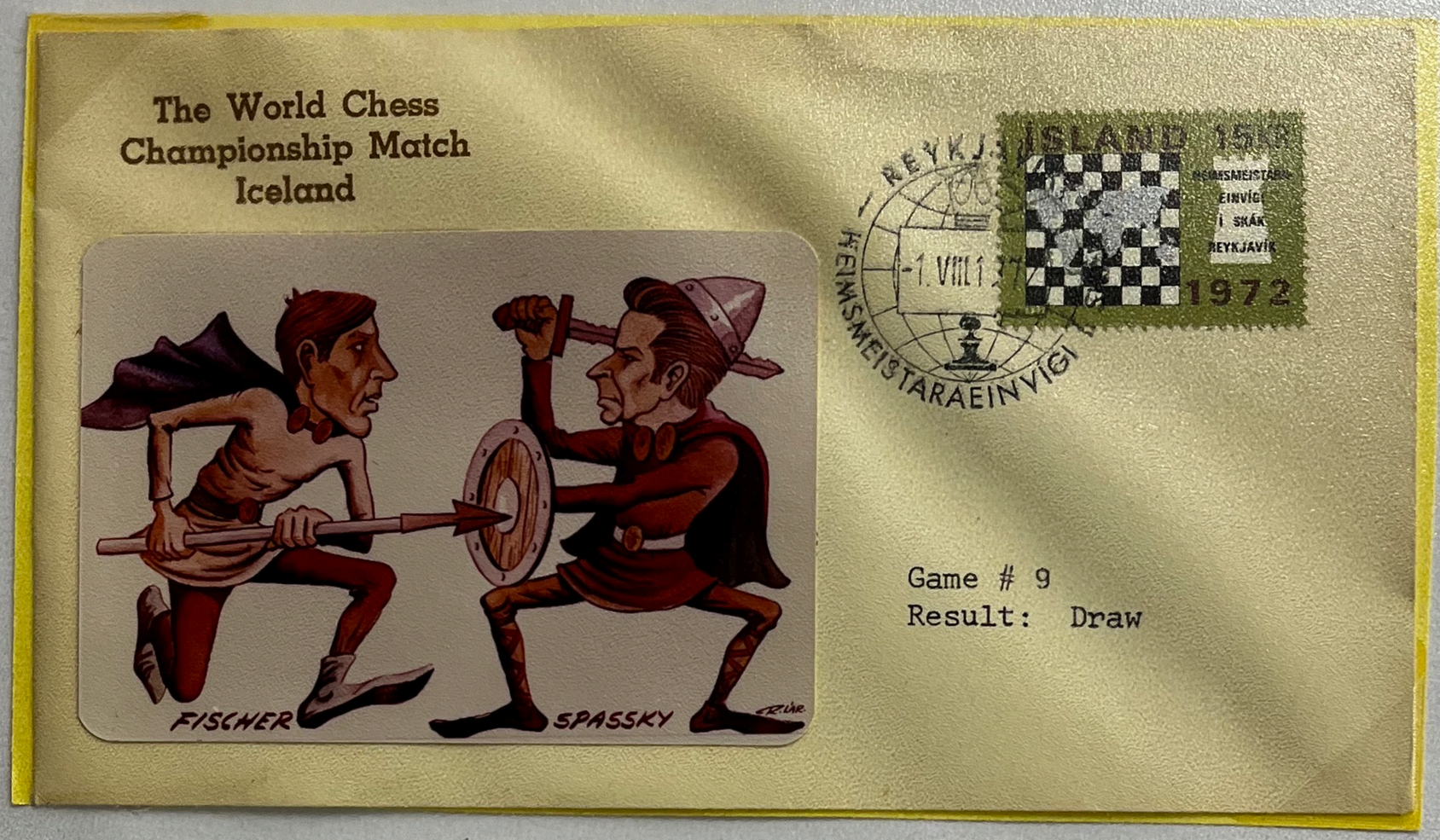
Cancellation Date 27.7.1972

Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 361-A & B



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Cancellation Date 1.8.1972

Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 361-A & B



World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

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Cancellation Date 01.8.1972

Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 361-A & B



World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
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Cancellation Date 03.08.1972

Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 361-A & B



World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

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Cancellation Date is : 04.08.1972

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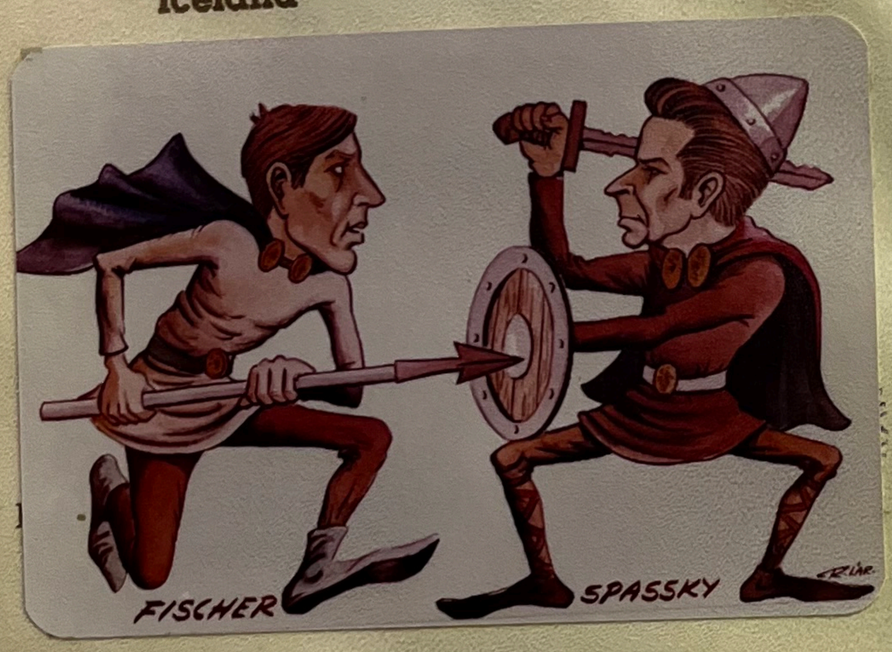
CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 361-A & B





Game # 11
Result: Spassky wins

World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

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Cancellation Date is : 6.08.1972

Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 361-A & B



World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

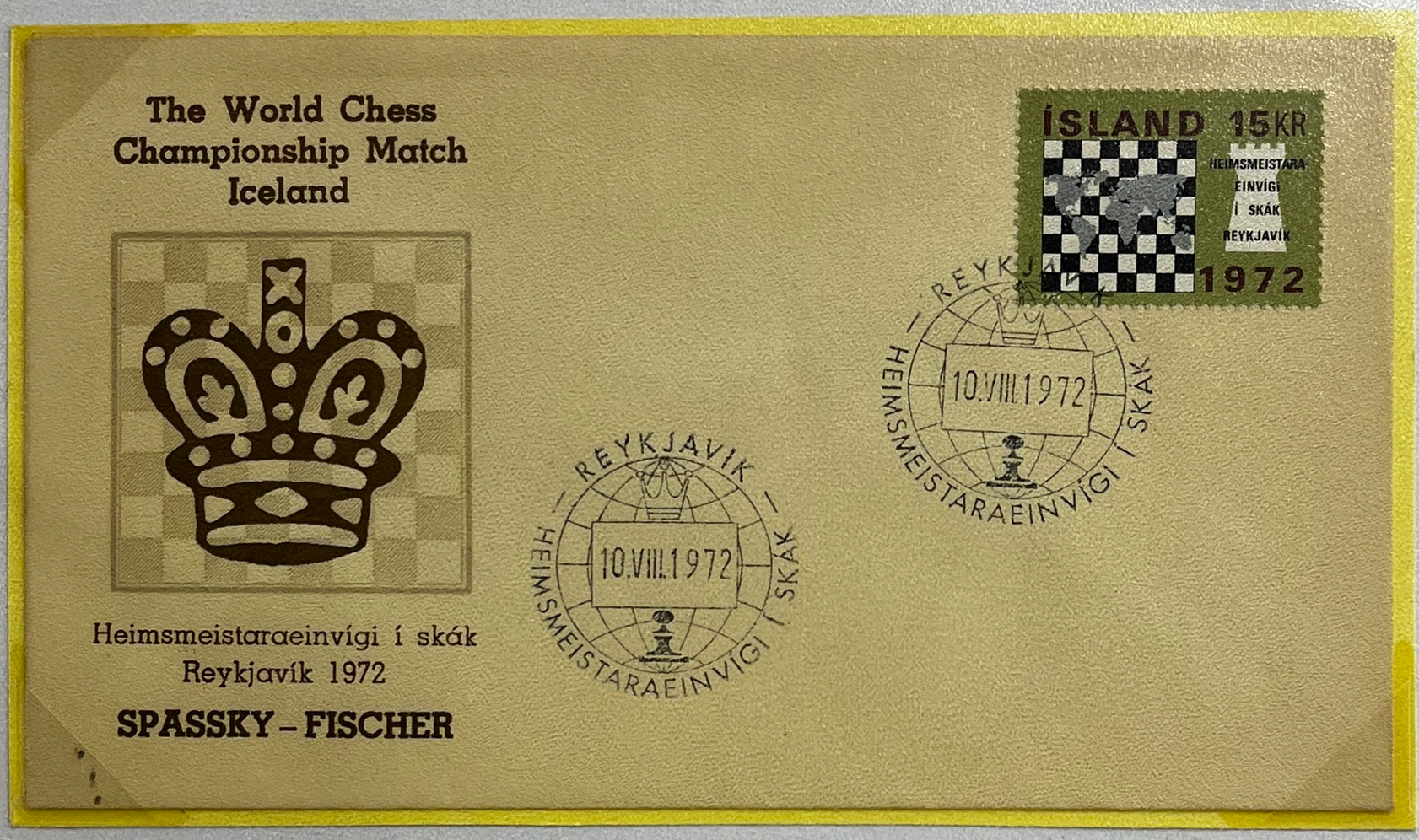
A: Stamp, Iceland. Issued: 2.7.1972 (When the match was meant to begin).
B: Special postmark, Reykjavik. Used for FDC's and during the match. Souvenir covers, cards. Some show Reykjavik's Exhibition Hall, where the match was held. Some show one of, or both, the players.
C: Special registration label, Reykjavik.
D: Special postmark Belgrade, Yugoslavia. Used: 2.7.1972. Souvenir cover, card. Originally the first half of this match was scheduled for Belgrade.
E: Postal stationery cover, USSR. Printing date: 19.6.1972.
F: Stamp, Niger. Issued: 16.2.1973. Semi-official varieties: Imperforate, De Luxe Sheet, Colour Proofs, Die Proof.
G: Special first day postmark, Niamey (Niger), Souvenir cover.
H: 2 stamps, Mali. Issued: 19.2.1973. Showing 1) a German 14th century bishop of ivory, 2) an Indian 18th century king of ivory. Semi-official varieties: Imperforates. De Luxe Sheets, Colour Proofs, Die Proofs.

Cancellation Date is : 08.08.1972

Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 361-A & B



World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

A: Stamp, Iceland. Issued: 2.7.1972 (When the match was meant to begin).

B: Special postmark, Reykjavik. Used for FDC's and during the match. Souvenir covers, cards. Some show Reykjavik's Exhibition Hall, where the match was held. Some show one of, or both, the players.

C: Special registration label, Reykjavik.

D: Special postmark Belgrade, Yugoslavia. Used: 2.7.1972. Souvenir cover, card. Originally the first half of this match was scheduled for Belgrade.

E: Postal stationery cover, USSR. Printing date: 19.6.1972.

F: Stamp, Niger. Issued: 16.2.1973. Semi-official varieties: Imperforate, De Luxe Sheet, Colour Proofs, Die Proof.

G: Special first day postmark, Niamey (Niger), Souvenir cover.

H: 2 stamps, Mali. Issued: 19.2.1973. Showing 1) a German 14th century bishop of ivory, 2) an Indian 18th century king of ivory. Semi-official varieties: Imperforates. De Luxe Sheets, Colour Proofs, Die Proofs.

Cancellation Date is : 10.08.1972

Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 361-A & B



World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

A: Stamp, Iceland. Issued: 2.7.1972 (When the match was meant to begin).
B: Special postmark, Reykjavik. Used for FDC's and during the match. Souvenir covers, cards. Some show Reykjavik's Exhibition Hall, where the match was held. Some show one of, or both, the players.
C: Special registration label, Reykjavik.
D: Special postmark Belgrade, Yugoslavia. Used: 2.7.1972. Souvenir cover, card. Originally the first half of this match was scheduled for Belgrade.
E: Postal stationery cover, USSR. Printing date: 19.6.1972.
F: Stamp, Niger. Issued: 16.2.1973. Semi-official varieties: Imperforate, De Luxe Sheet, Colour Proofs, Die Proof.
G: Special first day postmark, Niamey (Niger), Souvenir cover.
H: 2 stamps, Mali. Issued: 19.2.1973. Showing 1) a German 14th century bishop of ivory, 2) an Indian 18th century king of ivory. Semi-official varieties: Imperforates. De Luxe Sheets, Colour Proofs, Die Proofs.

Cancellation Date is : 11.08.1972

Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 361-A & B



World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

A: Stamp, Iceland. Issued: 2.7.1972 (When the match was meant to begin).

B: Special postmark, Reykjavik. Used for FDC's and during the match. Souvenir covers, cards. Some show Reykjavik's Exhibition Hall, where the match was held. Some show one of, or both, the players.

C: Special registration label, Reykjavik.

D: Special postmark Belgrade, Yugoslavia. Used: 2.7.1972. Souvenir cover, card. Originally the first half of this match was scheduled for Belgrade.

E: Postal stationery cover, USSR. Printing date: 19.6.1972.

F: Stamp, Niger. Issued: 16.2.1973. Semi-official varieties: Imperforate, De Luxe Sheet, Colour Proofs, Die Proof.

G: Special first day postmark, Niamey (Niger), Souvenir cover.

H: 2 stamps, Mali. Issued: 19.2.1973. Showing 1) a German 14th century bishop of ivory, 2) an Indian 18th century king of ivory. Semi-official varieties: Imperforates. De Luxe Sheets, Colour Proofs, Die Proofs.

Cancellation Date is : 15.08.1972

Souvenir cover.

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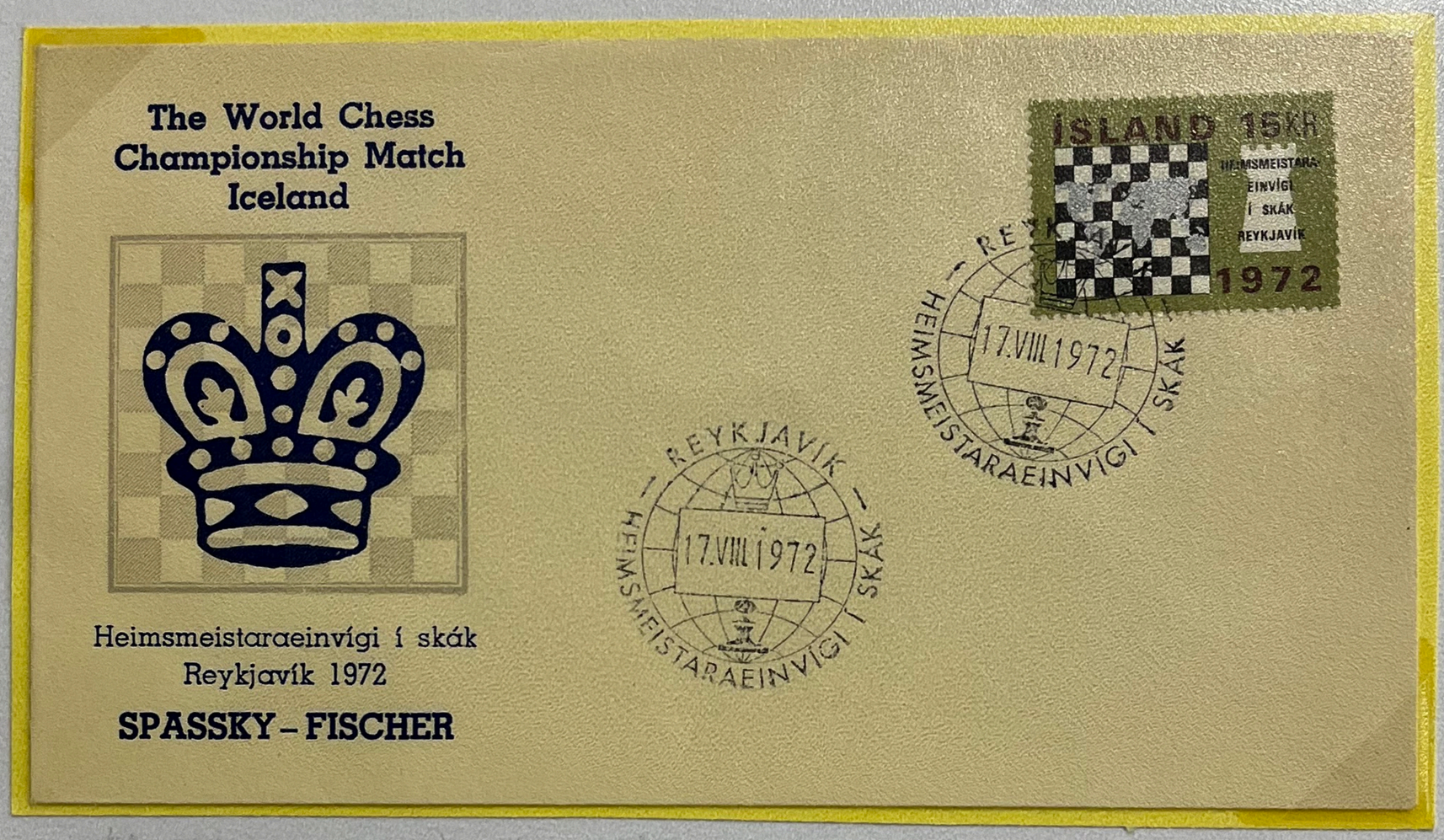

World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

A: Stamp, Iceland. Issued: 2.7.1972 (When the match was meant to begin).

B: Special postmark, Reykjavik. Used for FDC's and during the match. Souvenir covers, cards. Some show Reykjavik's Exhibition Hall, where the match was held. Some show one of, or both, the players.

C: Special registration label, Reykjavik.

D: Special postmark Belgrade, Yugoslavia. Used: 2.7.1972. Souvenir cover, card. Originally the first half of this match was scheduled for Belgrade.

E: Postal stationery cover, USSR. Printing date: 19.6.1972.

F: Stamp, Niger. Issued: 16.2.1973. Semi-official varieties: Imperforate, De Luxe Sheet, Colour Proofs, Die Proof.

G: Special first day postmark, Niamey (Niger), Souvenir cover.

H: 2 stamps, Mali. Issued: 19.2.1973. Showing 1) a German 14th century bishop of ivory, 2) an Indian 18th century king of ivory. Semi-official varieties: Imperforates. De Luxe Sheets, Colour Proofs, Die Proofs.

Cancellation Date is : 17.08.1972

Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

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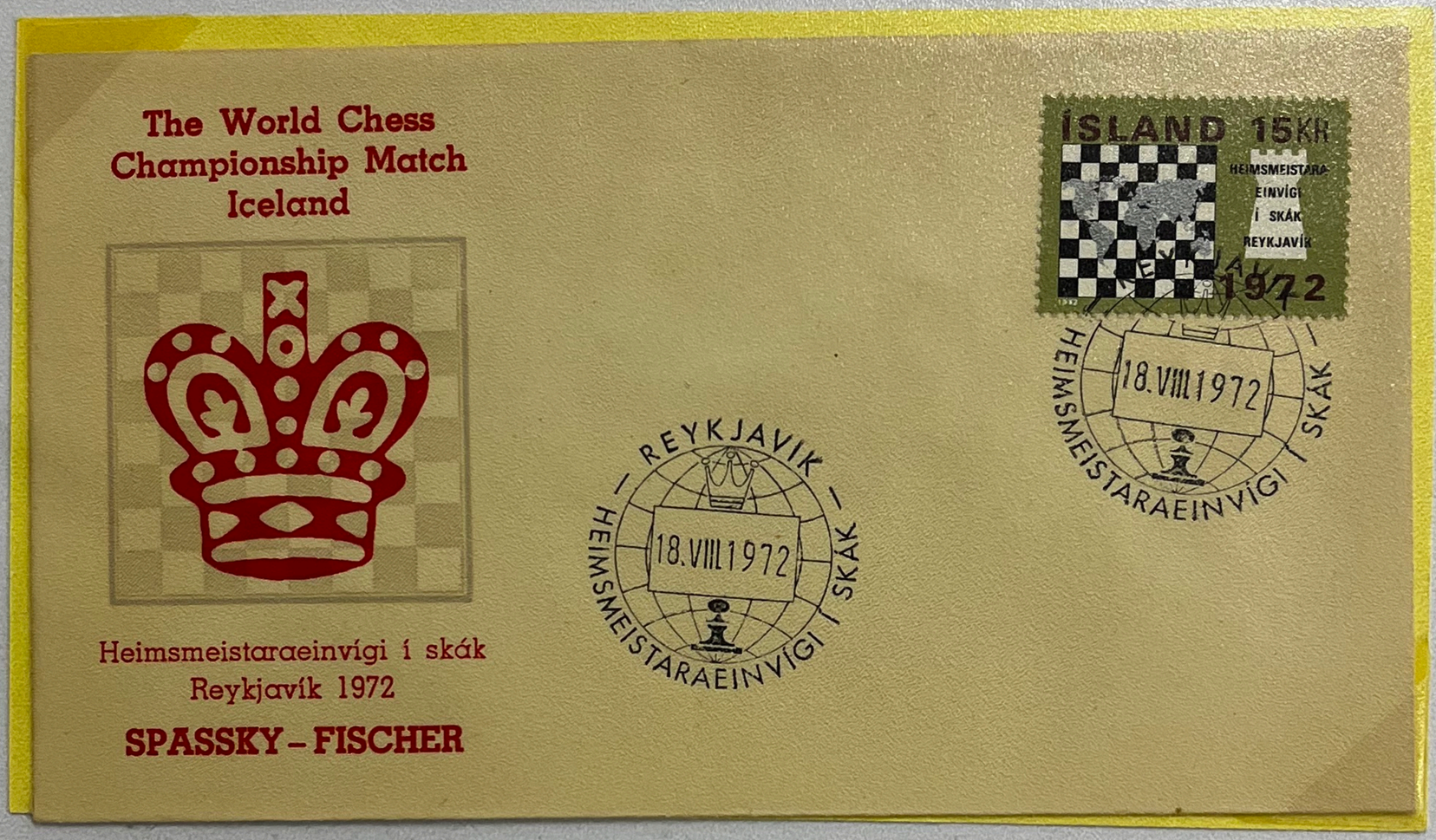

World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

A: Stamp, Iceland. Issued: 2.7.1972 (When the match was meant to begin).

B: Special postmark, Reykjavik. Used for FDC's and during the match. Souvenir covers, cards. Some show Reykjavik's Exhibition Hall, where the match was held. Some show one of, or both, the players.

C: Special registration label, Reykjavik.

D: Special postmark Belgrade, Yugoslavia. Used: 2.7.1972. Souvenir cover, card. Originally the first half of this match was scheduled for Belgrade.

E: Postal stationery cover, USSR. Printing date: 19.6.1972.

F: Stamp, Niger. Issued: 16.2.1973. Semi-official varieties: Imperforate, De Luxe Sheet, Colour Proofs, Die Proof.

G: Special first day postmark, Niamey (Niger), Souvenir cover.

H: 2 stamps, Mali. Issued: 19.2.1973. Showing 1) a German 14th century bishop of ivory, 2) an Indian 18th century king of ivory. Semi-official varieties: Imperforates. De Luxe Sheets, Colour Proofs, Die Proofs.

Cancellation Date is : 18.08.1972

Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 361-A & B



World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

A: Stamp, Iceland. Issued: 2.7.1972 (When the match was meant to begin).

B: Special postmark, Reykjavik. Used for FDC's and during the match. Souvenir covers, cards. Some show Reykjavik's Exhibition Hall, where the match was held. Some show one of, or both, the players.

C: Special registration label, Reykjavik.

D: Special postmark Belgrade, Yugoslavia. Used: 2.7.1972. Souvenir cover, card. Originally the first half of this match was scheduled for Belgrade.

E: Postal stationery cover, USSR. Printing date: 19.6.1972.

F: Stamp, Niger. Issued: 16.2.1973. Semi-official varieties: Imperforate, De Luxe Sheet, Colour Proofs, Die Proof.

G: Special first day postmark, Niamey (Niger), Souvenir cover.

H: 2 stamps, Mali. Issued: 19.2.1973. Showing 1) a German 14th century bishop of ivory, 2) an Indian 18th century king of ivory. Semi-official varieties: Imperforates. De Luxe Sheets, Colour Proofs, Die Proofs.

Souvenir covers.

Cancellation Date is : 20-08-1972

CHECKMATE

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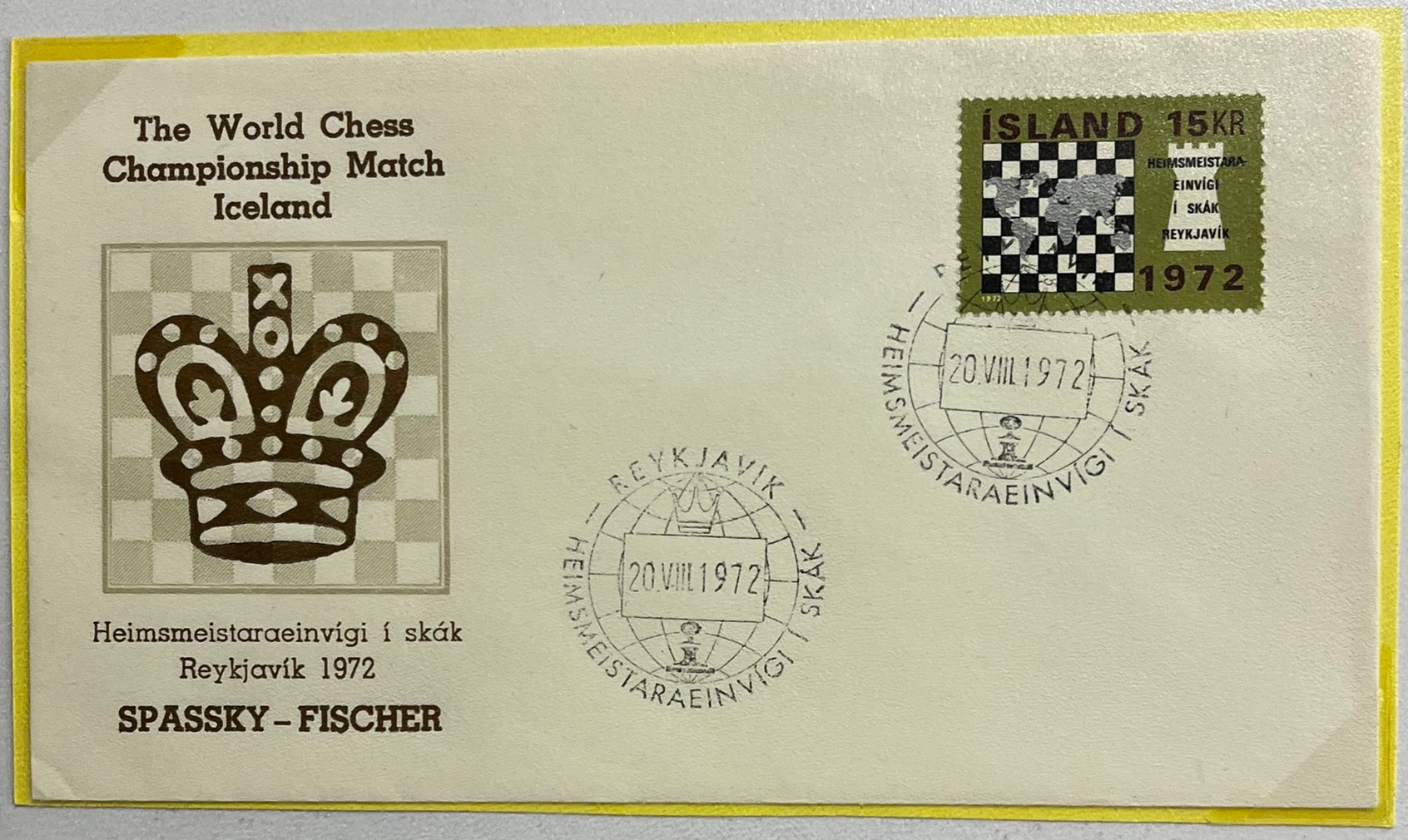

World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

A: Stamp, Iceland. Issued: 2.7.1972 (When the match was meant to begin).

B: Special postmark, Reykjavik. Used for FDC's and during the match. Souvenir covers, cards. Some show Reykjavik's Exhibition Hall, where the match was held. Some show one of, or both, the players.

C: Special registration label, Reykjavik.

D: Special postmark Belgrade, Yugoslavia. Used: 2.7.1972. Souvenir cover, card. Originally the first half of this match was scheduled for Belgrade.

E: Postal stationery cover, USSR. Printing date: 19.6.1972.

F: Stamp, Niger. Issued: 16.2.1973. Semi-official varieties: Imperforate, De Luxe Sheet, Colour Proofs, Die Proof.

G: Special first day postmark, Niamey (Niger), Souvenir cover.

H: 2 stamps, Mali. Issued: 19.2.1973. Showing 1) a German 14th century bishop of ivory, 2) an Indian 18th century king of ivory. Semi-official varieties: Imperforates. De Luxe Sheets, Colour Proofs, Die Proofs.

Cancellation Date is : 20.08.1972

Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

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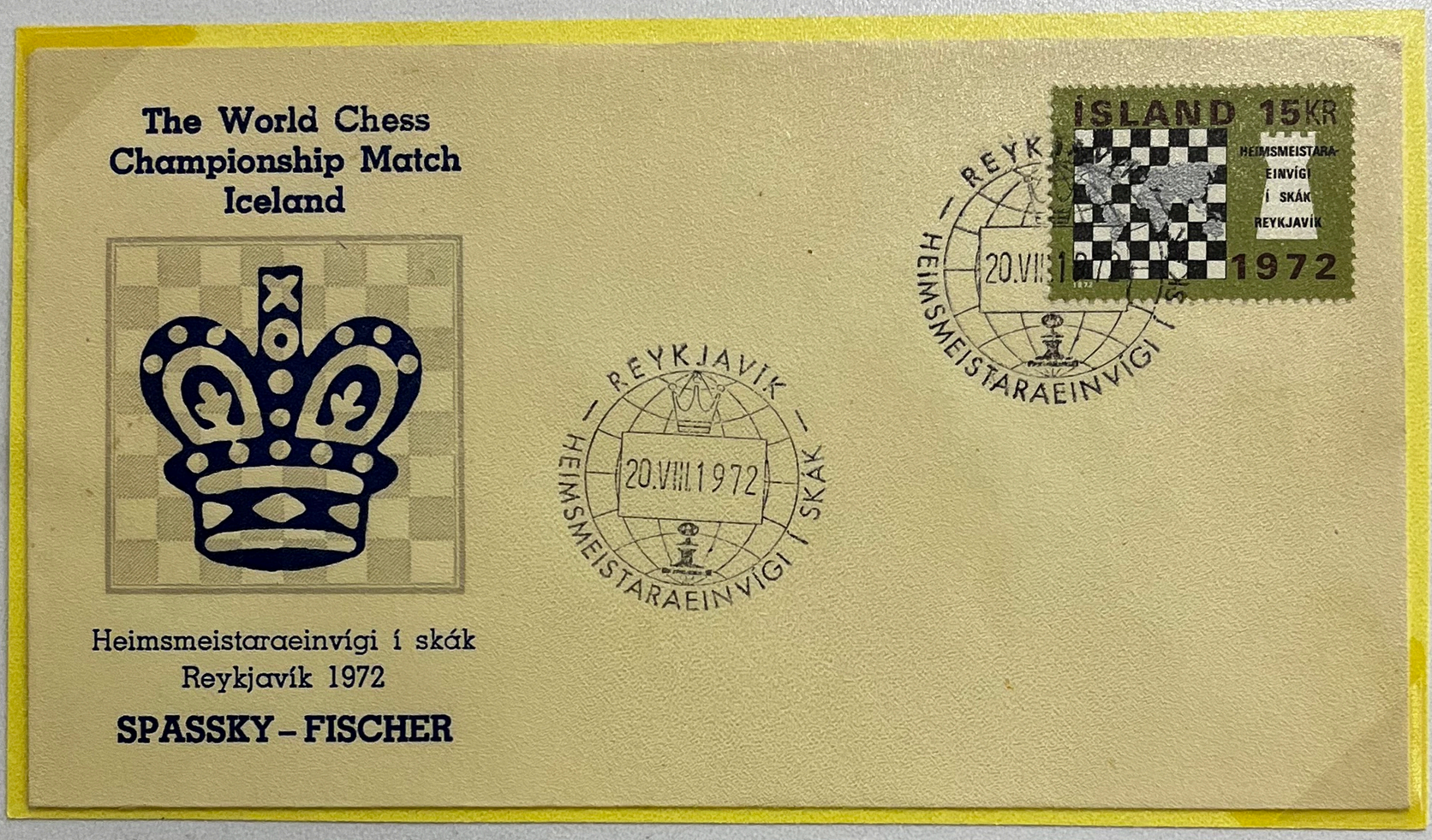

World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

A: Stamp, Iceland. Issued: 2.7.1972 (When the match was meant to begin).

B: Special postmark, Reykjavik. Used for FDC's and during the match. Souvenir covers, cards. Some show Reykjavik's Exhibition Hall, where the match was held. Some show one of, or both, the players.

C: Special registration label, Reykjavik.

D: Special postmark Belgrade, Yugoslavia. Used: 2.7.1972. Souvenir cover, card. Originally the first half of this match was scheduled for Belgrade.

E: Postal stationery cover, USSR. Printing date: 19.6.1972.

F: Stamp, Niger. Issued: 16.2.1973. Semi-official varieties: Imperforate, De Luxe Sheet, Colour Proofs, Die Proof.

G: Special first day postmark, Niamey (Niger), Souvenir cover.

H: 2 stamps, Mali. Issued: 19.2.1973. Showing 1) a German 14th century bishop of ivory, 2) an Indian 18th century king of ivory. Semi-official varieties: Imperforates. De Luxe Sheets, Colour Proofs, Die Proofs.

Cancellation Date is : 20.08.1972

Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 361-A & B



World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

A: Stamp, Iceland. Issued: 2.7.1972 (When the match was meant to begin).

B: Special postmark, Reykjavik. Used for FDC's and during the match. Souvenir covers, cards. Some show Reykjavik's Exhibition Hall, where the match was held. Some show one of, or both, the players.

C: Special registration label, Reykjavik.

D: Special postmark Belgrade, Yugoslavia. Used: 2.7.1972. Souvenir cover, card. Originally the first half of this match was scheduled for Belgrade.

E: Postal stationery cover, USSR. Printing date: 19.6.1972.

F: Stamp, Niger. Issued: 16.2.1973. Semi-official varieties: Imperforate, De Luxe Sheet, Colour Proofs, Die Proof.

G: Special first day postmark, Niamey (Niger), Souvenir cover.

H: 2 stamps, Mali. Issued: 19.2.1973. Showing 1) a German 14th century bishop of ivory, 2) an Indian 18th century king of ivory. Semi-official varieties: Imperforates. De Luxe Sheets, Colour Proofs, Die Proofs.

Cancellation Date is : 22.08.1972

Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

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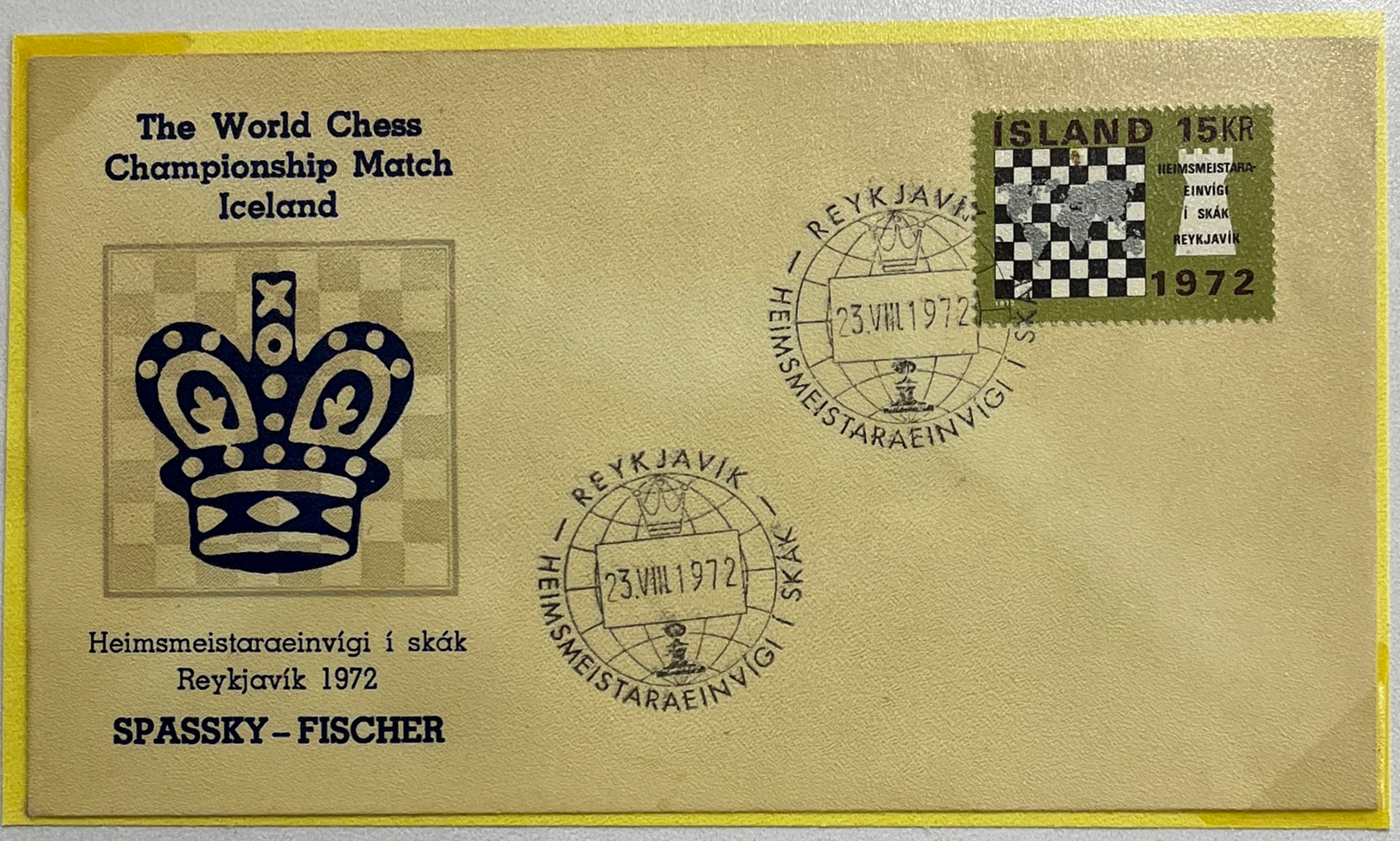


World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

A: Stamp, Iceland. Issued: 2.7.1972 (When the match was meant to begin).

B: Special postmark, Reykjavik. Used for FDC's and during the match. Souvenir covers, cards. Some show Reykjavik's Exhibition Hall, where the match was held. Some show one of, or both, the players.

C: Special registration label, Reykjavik.

D: Special postmark Belgrade, Yugoslavia. Used: 2.7.1972. Souvenir cover, card. Originally the first half of this match was scheduled for Belgrade.

E: Postal stationery cover, USSR. Printing date: 19.6.1972.

F: Stamp, Niger. Issued: 16.2.1973. Semi-official varieties: Imperforate, De Luxe Sheet, Colour Proofs, Die Proof.

G: Special first day postmark, Niamey (Niger), Souvenir cover.

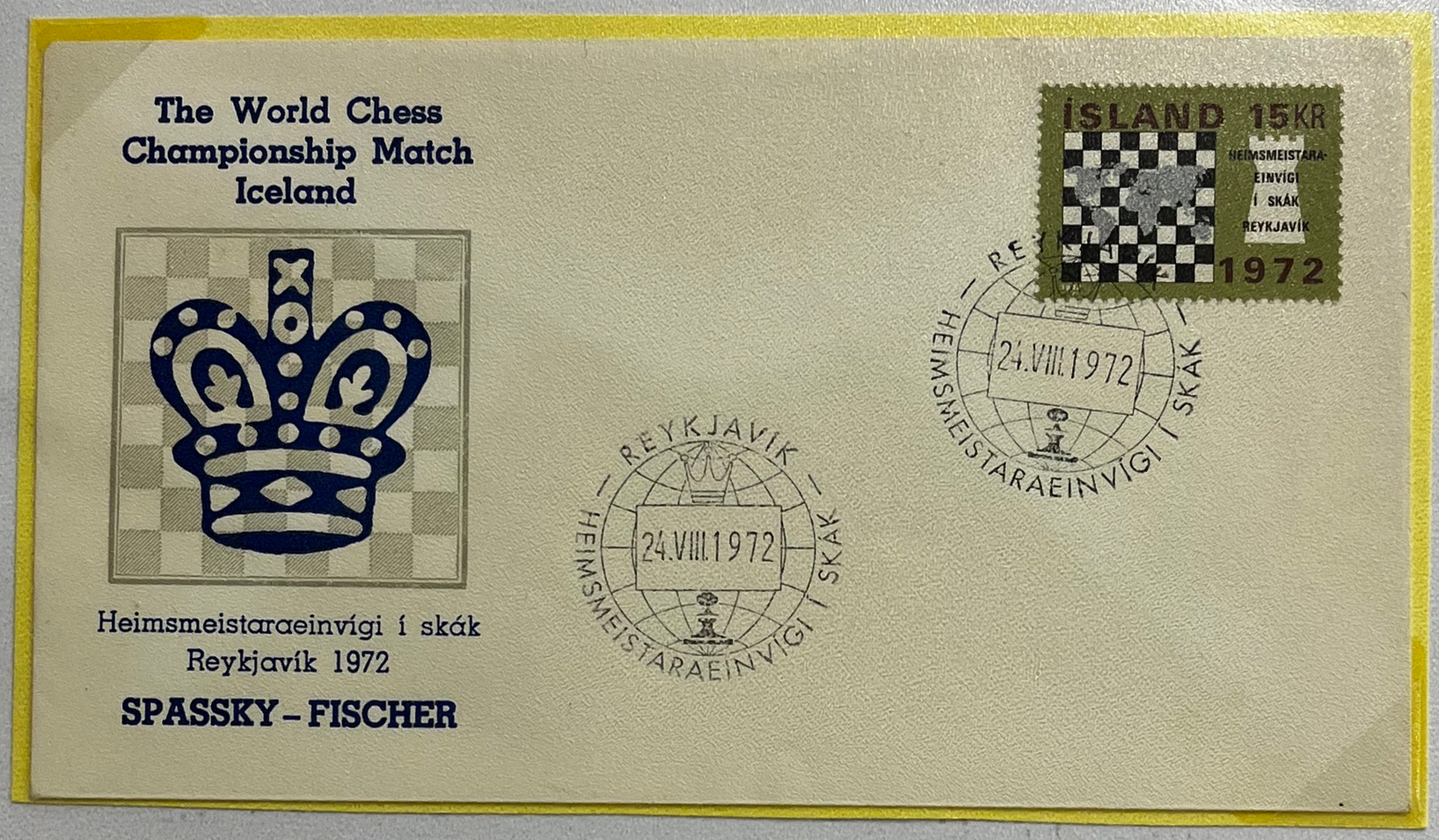
H: 2 stamps, Mali. Issued: 19.2.1973. Showing 1) a German 14th century bishop of ivory, 2) an Indian 18th century king of ivory. Semi-official varieties: Imperforates. De Luxe Sheets, Colour Proofs, Die Proofs.

Cancellation Date is : 23.08.1972

Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 361-A & B



World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

A: Stamp, Iceland. Issued: 2.7.1972 (When the match was meant to begin).

B: Special postmark, Reykjavik. Used for FDC's and during the match. Souvenir covers, cards. Some show Reykjavik's Exhibition Hall, where the match was held. Some show one of, or both, the players.

C: Special registration label, Reykjavik.

D: Special postmark Belgrade, Yugoslavia. Used: 2.7.1972. Souvenir cover, card. Originally the first half of this match was scheduled for Belgrade.

E: Postal stationery cover, USSR. Printing date: 19.6.1972.

F: Stamp, Niger. Issued: 16.2.1973. Semi-official varieties: Imperforate, De Luxe Sheet, Colour Proofs, Die Proof.

G: Special first day postmark, Niamey (Niger), Souvenir cover.

H: 2 stamps, Mali. Issued: 19.2.1973. Showing 1) a German 14th century bishop of ivory, 2) an Indian 18th century king of ivory. Semi-official varieties: Imperforates. De Luxe Sheets, Colour Proofs, Die Proofs.

Cancellation Date is : 24.08.1972

Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 361-A & B



World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

A: Stamp, Iceland. Issued: 2.7.1972 (When the match was meant to begin).

B: Special postmark, Reykjavik. Used for FDC's and during the match. Souvenir covers, cards. Some show Reykjavik's Exhibition Hall, where the match was held. Some show one of, or both, the players.

C: Special registration label, Reykjavik.

D: Special postmark Belgrade, Yugoslavia. Used: 2.7.1972. Souvenir cover, card. Originally the first half of this match was scheduled for Belgrade.

E: Postal stationery cover, USSR. Printing date: 19.6.1972.

F: Stamp, Niger. Issued: 16.2.1973. Semi-official varieties: Imperforate, De Luxe Sheet, Colour Proofs, Die Proof.

G: Special first day postmark, Niamey (Niger), Souvenir cover.

H: 2 stamps, Mali. Issued: 19.2.1973. Showing 1) a German 14th century bishop of ivory, 2) an Indian 18th century king of ivory. Semi-official varieties: Imperforates. De Luxe Sheets, Colour Proofs, Die Proofs.

Cancellation Date is : 25.08.1972

Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 361-A & B



World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

A: Stamp, Iceland. Issued: 2.7.1972 (When the match was meant to begin).

B: Special postmark, Reykjavik. Used for FDC's and during the match. Souvenir covers, cards. Some show Reykjavik's Exhibition Hall, where the match was held. Some show one of, or both, the players.

C: Special registration label, Reykjavik.

D: Special postmark Belgrade, Yugoslavia. Used: 2.7.1972. Souvenir cover, card. Originally the first half of this match was scheduled for Belgrade.

E: Postal stationery cover, USSR. Printing date: 19.6.1972.

F: Stamp, Niger. Issued: 16.2.1973. Semi-official varieties: Imperforate, De Luxe Sheet, Colour Proofs, Die Proof.

G: Special first day postmark, Niamey (Niger), Souvenir cover.

H: 2 stamps, Mali. Issued: 19.2.1973. Showing 1) a German 14th century bishop of ivory, 2) an Indian 18th century king of ivory. Semi-official varieties: Imperforates. De Luxe Sheets, Colour Proofs, Die Proofs.

Cancellation Date is : 27.08.1972

Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 361-A & B



World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

A: Stamp, Iceland. Issued: 2.7.1972 (When the match was meant to begin).

B: Special postmark, Reykjavik. Used for FDC's and during the match. Souvenir covers, cards. Some show Reykjavik's Exhibition Hall, where the match was held. Some show one of, or both, the players.

C: Special registration label, Reykjavik.

D: Special postmark Belgrade, Yugoslavia. Used: 2.7.1972. Souvenir cover, card. Originally the first half of this match was scheduled for Belgrade.

E: Postal stationery cover, USSR. Printing date: 19.6.1972.

F: Stamp, Niger. Issued: 16.2.1973. Semi-official varieties: Imperforate, De Luxe Sheet, Colour Proofs, Die Proof.

G: Special first day postmark, Niamey (Niger), Souvenir cover.

H: 2 stamps, Mali. Issued: 19.2.1973. Showing 1) a German 14th century bishop of ivory, 2) an Indian 18th century king of ivory. Semi-official varieties: Imperforates. De Luxe Sheets, Colour Proofs, Die Proofs.

Cancellation Date is : 29.08.1972

Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

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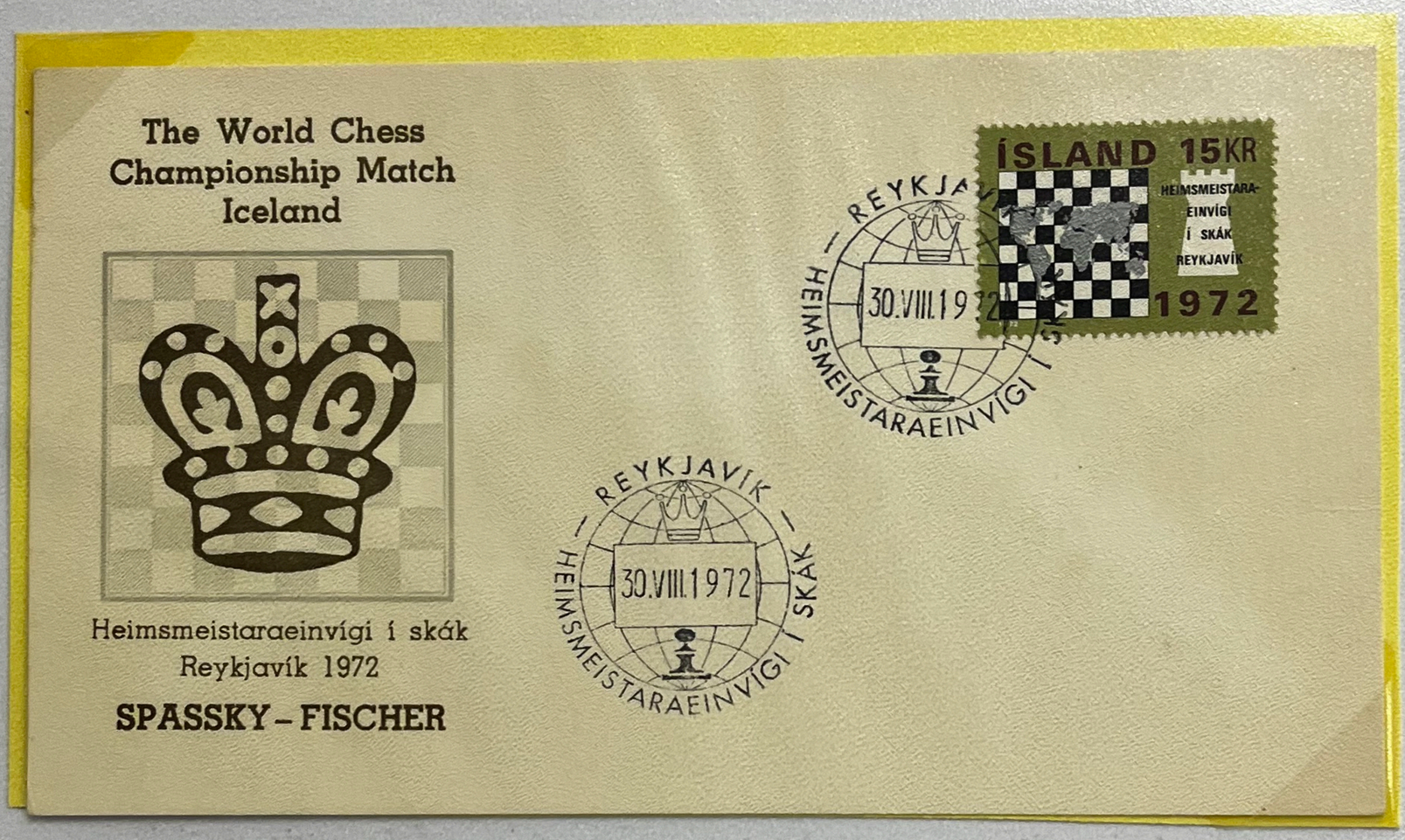

World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

A: Stamp, Iceland. Issued: 2.7.1972 (When the match was meant to begin).

B: Special postmark, Reykjavik. Used for FDC's and during the match. Souvenir covers, cards. Some show Reykjavik's Exhibition Hall, where the match was held. Some show one of, or both, the players.

C: Special registration label, Reykjavik.

D: Special postmark Belgrade, Yugoslavia. Used: 2.7.1972. Souvenir cover, card. Originally the first half of this match was scheduled for Belgrade.

E: Postal stationery cover, USSR. Printing date: 19.6.1972.

F: Stamp, Niger. Issued: 16.2.1973. Semi-official varieties: Imperforate, De Luxe Sheet, Colour Proofs, Die Proof.

G: Special first day postmark, Niamey (Niger), Souvenir cover.

H: 2 stamps, Mali. Issued: 19.2.1973. Showing 1) a German 14th century bishop of ivory, 2) an Indian 18th century king of ivory. Semi-official varieties: Imperforates. De Luxe Sheets, Colour Proofs, Die Proofs.

Cancellation Date is : 30.08.1972

Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

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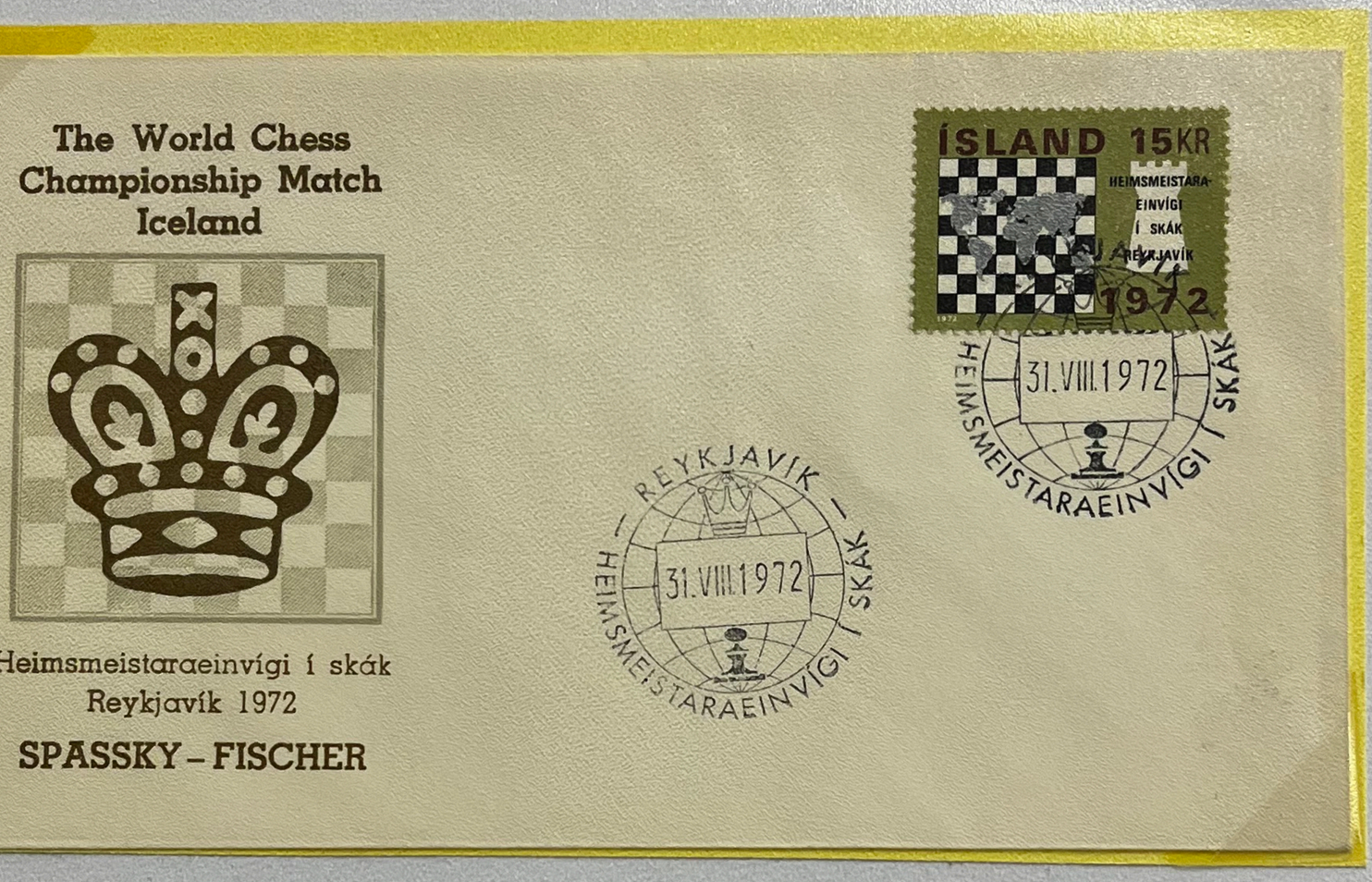

World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

A: Stamp, Iceland. Issued: 2.7.1972 (When the match was meant to begin).

B: Special postmark, Reykjavik. Used for FDC's and during the match. Souvenir covers, cards. Some show Reykjavik's Exhibition Hall, where the match was held. Some show one of, or both, the players.

C: Special registration label, Reykjavik.

D: Special postmark Belgrade, Yugoslavia. Used: 2.7.1972. Souvenir cover, card. Originally the first half of this match was scheduled for Belgrade.

E: Postal stationery cover, USSR. Printing date: 19.6.1972.

F: Stamp, Niger. Issued: 16.2.1973. Semi-official varieties: Imperforate, De Luxe Sheet, Colour Proofs, Die Proof.

G: Special first day postmark, Niamey (Niger), Souvenir cover.

H: 2 stamps, Mali. Issued: 19.2.1973. Showing 1) a German 14th century bishop of ivory, 2) an Indian 18th century king of ivory. Semi-official varieties: Imperforates. De Luxe Sheets, Colour Proofs, Die Proofs.

Cancellation Date is : 31.08.1972

Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 361-A & B



World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

A: Stamp, Iceland. Issued: 2.7.1972 (When the match was meant to begin).

B: Special postmark, Reykjavik. Used for FDC's and during the match. Souvenir covers, cards. Some show Reykjavik's Exhibition Hall, where the match was held. Some show one of, or both, the players.

C: Special registration label, Reykjavik.

D: Special postmark Belgrade, Yugoslavia. Used: 2.7.1972. Souvenir cover, card. Originally the first half of this match was scheduled for Belgrade.

E: Postal stationery cover, USSR. Printing date: 19.6.1972.

F: Stamp, Niger. Issued: 16.2.1973. Semi-official varieties: Imperforate, De Luxe Sheet, Colour Proofs, Die Proof.

G: Special first day postmark, Niamey (Niger), Souvenir cover.

H: 2 stamps, Mali. Issued: 19.2.1973. Showing 1) a German 14th century bishop of ivory, 2) an Indian 18th century king of ivory. Semi-official varieties: Imperforates. De Luxe Sheets, Colour Proofs, Die Proofs.

Cancellation Date is : 01.09.1972

Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 361-A & B



World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^{1}/_{2}$ - $12^{1}/_{2}$.

A: Stamp, Iceland. Issued: 2.7.1972 (When the match was meant to begin).

B: Special postmark, Reykjavik. Used for FDC's and during the match. Souvenir covers, cards. Some show Reykjavik's Exhibition Hall, where the match was held. Some show one of, or both, the players.

C: Special registration label, Reykjavik.

D: Special postmark Belgrade, Yugoslavia. Used: 2.7.1972. Souvenir cover, card. Originally the first half of this match was scheduled for Belgrade.

E: Postal stationery cover, USSR. Printing date: 19.6.1972.

F: Stamp, Niger. Issued: 16.2.1973. Semi-official varieties: Imperforate, De Luxe Sheet, Colour Proofs, Die Proof.

G: Special first day postmark, Niamey (Niger), Souvenir cover.

H: 2 stamps, Mali. Issued: 19.2.1973. Showing 1) a German 14th century bishop of ivory, 2) an Indian 18th century king of ivory. Semi-official varieties: Imperforates. De Luxe Sheets, Colour Proofs, Die Proofs.

Souvenir covers.

Cancellation Date is : 01-09-1972

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 361-A & B



World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

A: Stamp, Iceland. Issued: 2.7.1972 (When the match was meant to begin).

B: Special postmark, Reykjavik. Used for FDC's and during the match. Souvenir covers, cards. Some show Reykjavik's Exhibition Hall, where the match was held. Some show one of, or both, the players.

C: Special registration label, Reykjavik.

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Cancellation Date is : 03.09.1972

Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 361-A & B



World Championship Match. 11.7. -3.9.1972 Reykjavik, Iceland.
Boris Spassky SU vs. Robert Fischer USA, $8^1/_2$ - $12^1/_2$.

A: Stamp, Iceland. Issued: 2.7.1972 (When the match was meant to begin).

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D: Special postmark Belgrade, Yugoslavia. Used: 2.7.1972. Souvenir cover, card. Originally the first half of this match was scheduled for Belgrade.

E: Postal stationery cover, USSR. Printing date: 19.6.1972.

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Cancellation Date is : 06.09.1972

Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 476



Philatelic Exhibition, " the Miner and his Leisure".
12.-13.4.1975 Marles, France.
A: Special Postmark, Marles.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 477 A



International "Tournament of Peace".
28.4. -17.5.1975 Rovinj and Zagreb, Yugoslavia.
Winner: Gyula Sax H.
A: Special postmark, Rovinj. Used: 28.4.1975.
B: Special postmark, Zagreb. Used: 12.5.1975.
Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 477 -B



International "Tournament of Peace".
28.4. -17.5.1975 Rovinj and Zagreb, Yugoslavia.
Winner: Gyula Sax H.
A: Special postmark, Rovinj. Used: 28.4.1975.
B: Special postmark, Zagreb. Used: 12.5.1975.
Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 478



20th West German Correspondence Chess Meeting.
17.-25.5.1975 Bayrischzell, West Germany.
A : Special postmark, Bayrischzell. Used : 15.-31.5.1975.
Souvenir Cover, **Card.**

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 479



18 th International Team Competition. 20.-25.5.1975 Pula, Yugoslavia.
Winners: "Red Star" of Belgrade (Ljubomir Ljubojevic, Alexander Matanovic, Srdan Cvetkovic, Dragutin Sahovic, Goran Cabrilo, Alexander Velickovic)

A: Special postmark, hand, Pula. Used : 20.5.1975

B: Same as "A", but machine.

Souvenir covers, cards.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 480



50th Anniversary of the Schwandorf Chess Club, Schwandorf, West Germany.
24.5.1975: Team competition, won by the chess club of Roding.
25.5.1975: Simultaneous display by grandmaster Wolfgang Unzicker (+29,=11).
A: Special postmark, Schwandorf. Used: 25.5.1975,
Souvenir covers.

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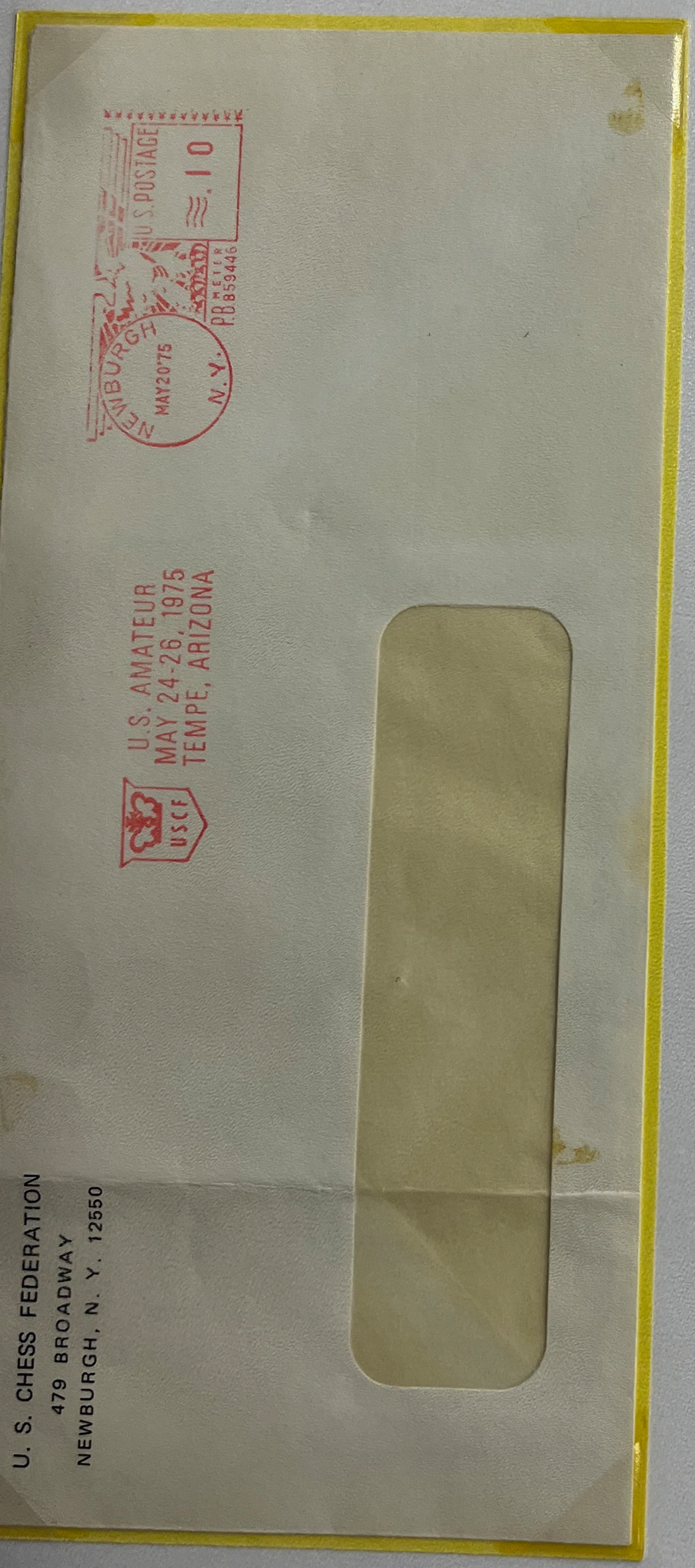


25th "U S Amateur Championship".
24.-26.5.1975 Tempe, USA.
Champions: Tom nelson, Frank Metz.
A: Meter Slogan postmark, red, Newburgh. Used by the U S Chess Federation.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 482



1st Chess-Philatelic Exhibition. 25.5.-2.6.1975 Gaeta, Italy
A: Special postmark, Gaeta.
Souvenir cover, cards.

CHECKMATE

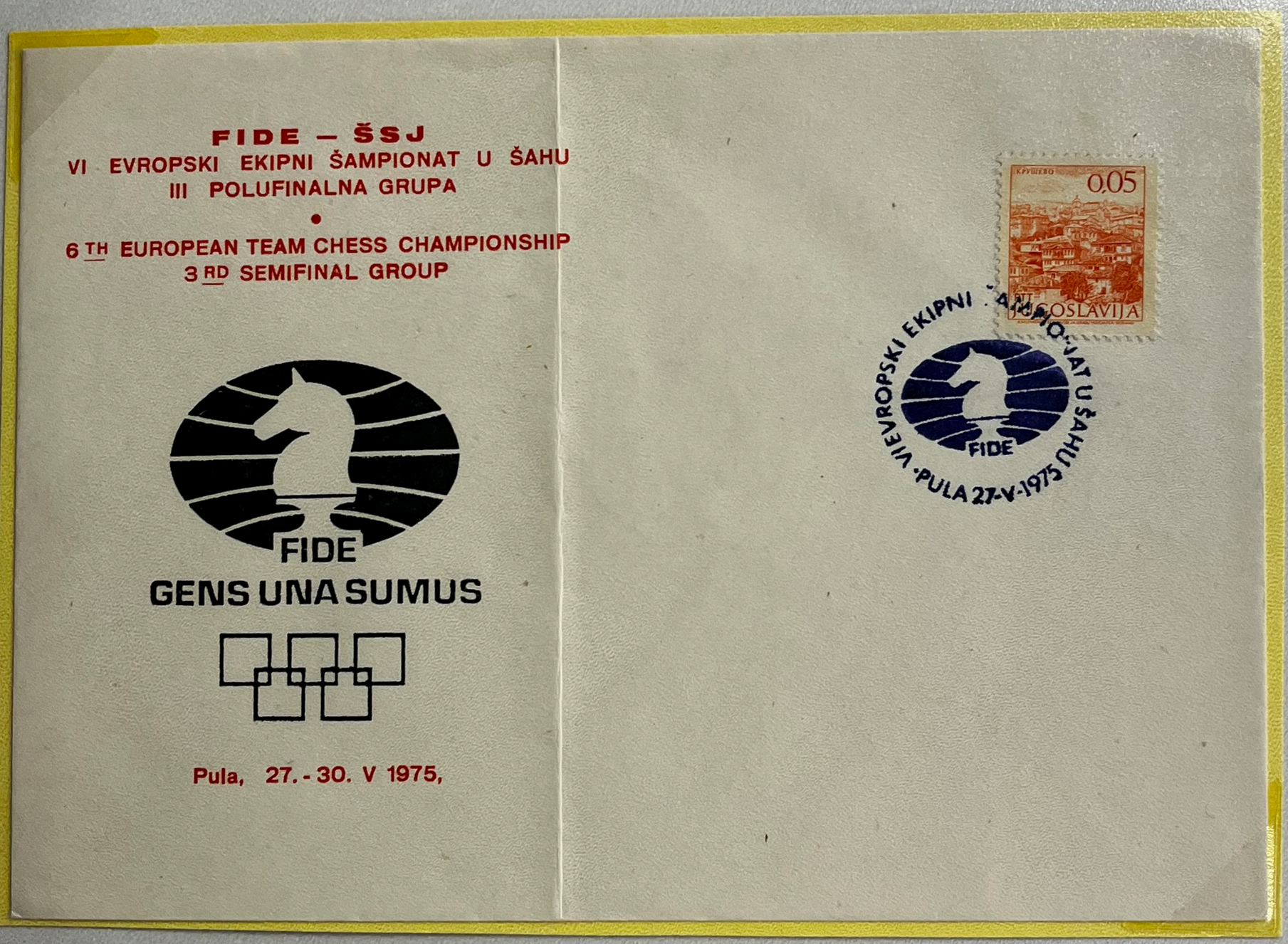
CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 483-A & B



3rd Qualifying Group for the 6th European Team Championship.
26.-31.5.1975 Pula, Yugoslavia.
Qualified : 1) Yugoslavia (Ljubomir Ljubojevic, Albin Planinc, Bojan Kurajica, Enver Bukic, Milan Vukic, Vlado Kovacevic, Vladimir Raicevic, Krunoslav Hulak, Janez Barle, Jovan Sofrevski).
2) Bulgaria (Ivan Radulov, Nikolaj Padevski, Georgij Tringov, Nion Kirov, Ljuben Popov, Ljuben Spassov, Evgeni Ermenkov, Nikolaj Minev).
A : Special postmark, hand, Pula. Used : 26. 5. 1975 (+Violet).
B : Same as "A", but machine.
C : Special postmark, Pula. Used : 27. 5. 1975 (+ Bluish).
Souvenir Cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 483-C



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A : Special postmark, hand, Pula. Used : 26. 5. 1975 (+Violet).
B : Same as “A”, but machine.
C : Special postmark, Pula. Used : 27. 5. 1975 (+ Bluish).
Souvenir Cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 484



26th Belgian Lightning Chess Championship. 1.6.1975 Hoboken, Belgium.
Champion : Weemaes.
B: Special postmark, Hoboken. Used : 1.6.1975.

Souvenir Covers, Cards.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 485 B



3rd International "Vidmar Memorial" Tournament.
2. – 21.6.1975 Portoroz and Ljubljana, Yugoslavia.
Winner: Anatoly Karpov SU.
A: Special postmark, Portoroz. Used: 2.6.1975.
B: Special postmark, Ljubljana. Used: 13.6.1975.
Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 486-A



"Hanukka" (a Jewish festival of lights), by Moritz Daniel Oppenheim (1800-1882), a German Jew.

A: Stamp, Issued: 17.6.1975, in a set of 3 stamps featuring paintings. It snows the interior of a Jewish home, with two men playing chess. The background colour shades from yellow-green to red-brown.

The tab of the stamp bears a text giving the name and whereabouts of the painting: "Hanukka / The Israel Museum, Jerusalem".

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 487-A



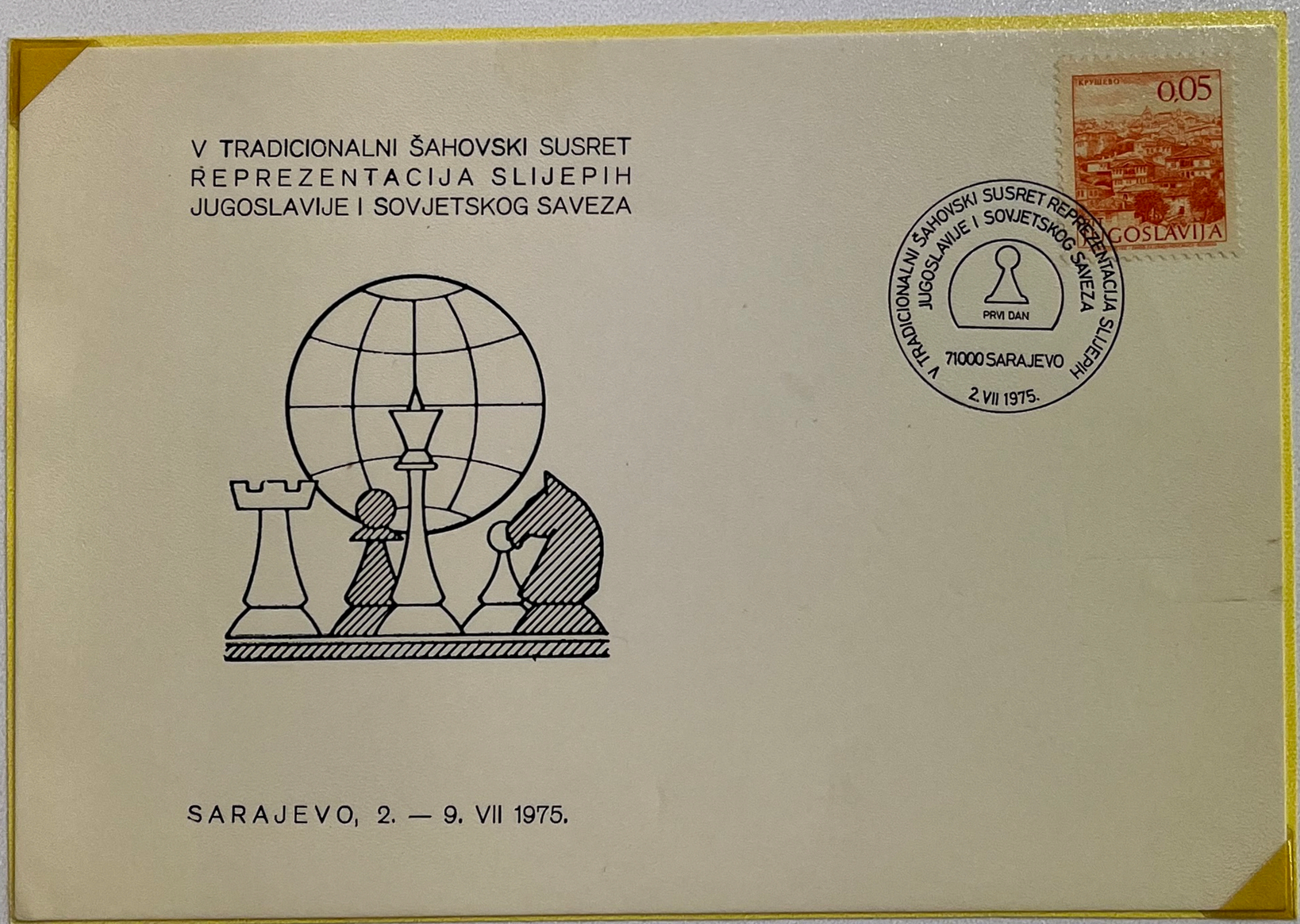
5th Chess Match for the Blind, Yugoslavia vs. USSR: 23½ - 12½.
2. –9.7.1975 Sarajevo, Yugoslavia.
Yugoslavia: Cabarkapa, Mehidic, Djukanovic, Dragun, Mirkovic, Baretic.
USSR: Arsanin, Rudensky, Turukin, Guzinjin, Klohusko, Strohov.

A: Special postmark, hand, Sarajevo. “First day”.
B: Same as “A”, but machine.
C: Special postmark, hand, Sarajevo. “Last day”.
D: Same as “C”, but machine

Souvenir covers, cards.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 487-B



5th Chess Match for the Blind, Yugoslavia vs. USSR: 23½ - 12½.
2. –9.7.1975 Sarajevo, Yugoslavia.
Yugoslavia: Cabarkapa, Mehidic, Djukanovic, Dragun, Mirkovic, Baretic.
USSR: Arsanin, Rudensky, Turukin, Guzinjin, Klohusko, Strohov.

A: Special postmark, hand, Sarajevo. “First day”.
B: Same as “A”, but machine.
C: Special postmark, hand, Sarajevo. “Last day”.
D: Same as “C”, but machine

Souvenir covers, cards.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 487-C



5th Chess Match for the Blind, Yugoslavia vs. USSR: 23½ - 12½.
2. –9.7.1975 Sarajevo, Yugoslavia.
Yugoslavia: Cabarkapa, Mehidic, Djukanovic, Dragun, Mirkovic, Baretic.
USSR: Arsanin, Rudensky, Turukin, Guzinjin, Klohusko, Strohov.

A: Special postmark, hand, Sarajevo. “First day”.
B: Same as “A”, but machine.
C: Special postmark, hand, Sarajevo. “Last day”.
D: Same as “C”, but machine

Souvenir covers, cards.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 487-D



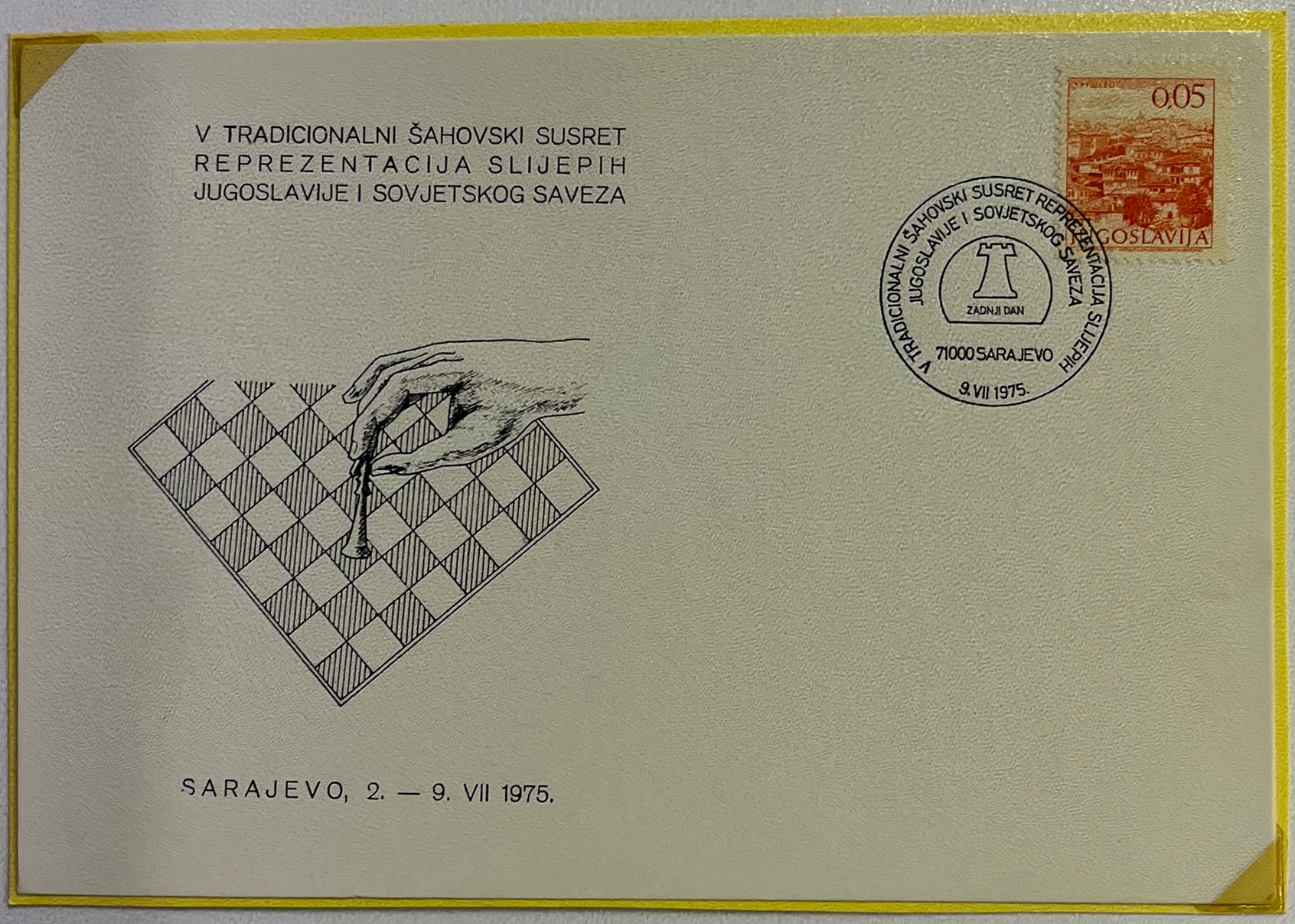
5th Chess Match for the Blind, Yugoslavia vs. USSR: 23½ - 12½.
2. –9.7.1975 Sarajevo, Yugoslavia.
Yugoslavia: Cabarkapa, Mehidic, Djukanovic, Dragun, Mirkovic, Baretic.
USSR: Arsanin, Rudensky, Turukin, Guzinjin, Klohusko, Strohov.

A: Special postmark, hand, Sarajevo. “First day”.
B: Same as “A”, but machine.
C: Special postmark, hand, Sarajevo. “Last day”.
D: Same as “C”, but machine

Souvenir covers, cards.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 487-D



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2. –9.7.1975 Sarajevo, Yugoslavia.
Yugoslavia: Cabarkapa, Mehidic, Djukanovic, Dragun, Mirkovic, Baretic.
USSR: Arsanin, Rudensky, Turukin, Guzinjin, Klohusko, Strohov.

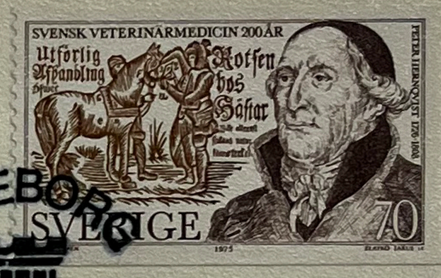
A: Special postmark, hand, Sarajevo. “First day”.
B: Same as “A”, but machine.
C: Special postmark, hand, Sarajevo. “Last day”.
D: Same as “C”, but machine

Souvenir covers, cards.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 488







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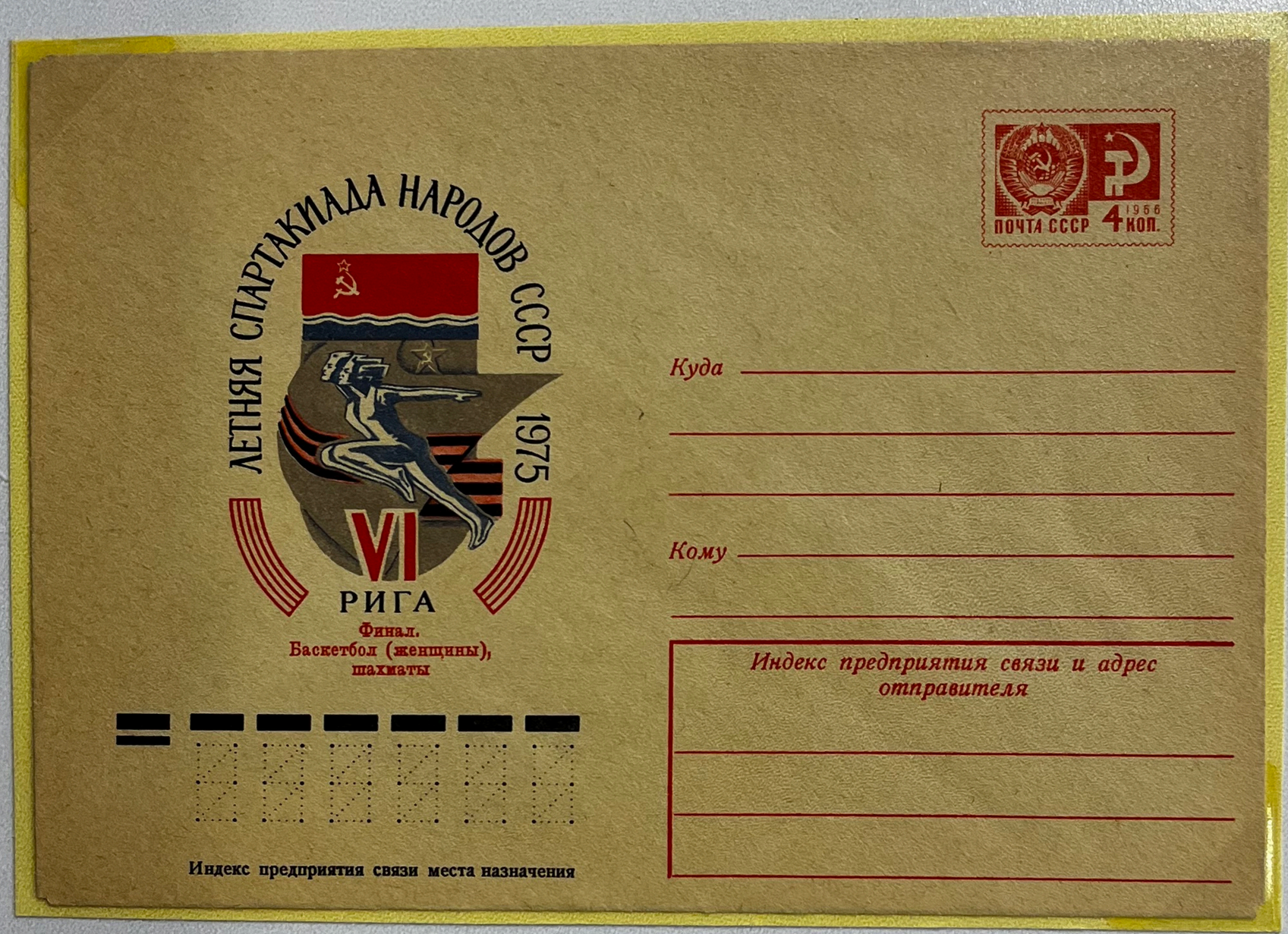
Swedish Championship. 6.-20.7.1975 Gothenburg, Sweden.
Champion: Axel Ornstein.
A: Special postmark, Gothenburg. Used: 12.-20.7.1975
Souvenir cover, cards.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 489-A



6th Summer Spartakiad of the Peoples of the USSR. 14.-27.7.1975 Riga, USSR. Winners : RSFSR (Boris Spassky, Lev Polugajevsky, Efim Geller, Nikolaj Krogius, Ratmir Kholmov, Alexej Suetin, Evgeni Sveschnikov, Vitaly Tseshkovsky, Vera Koslovskaya, Alexandra Kislova).

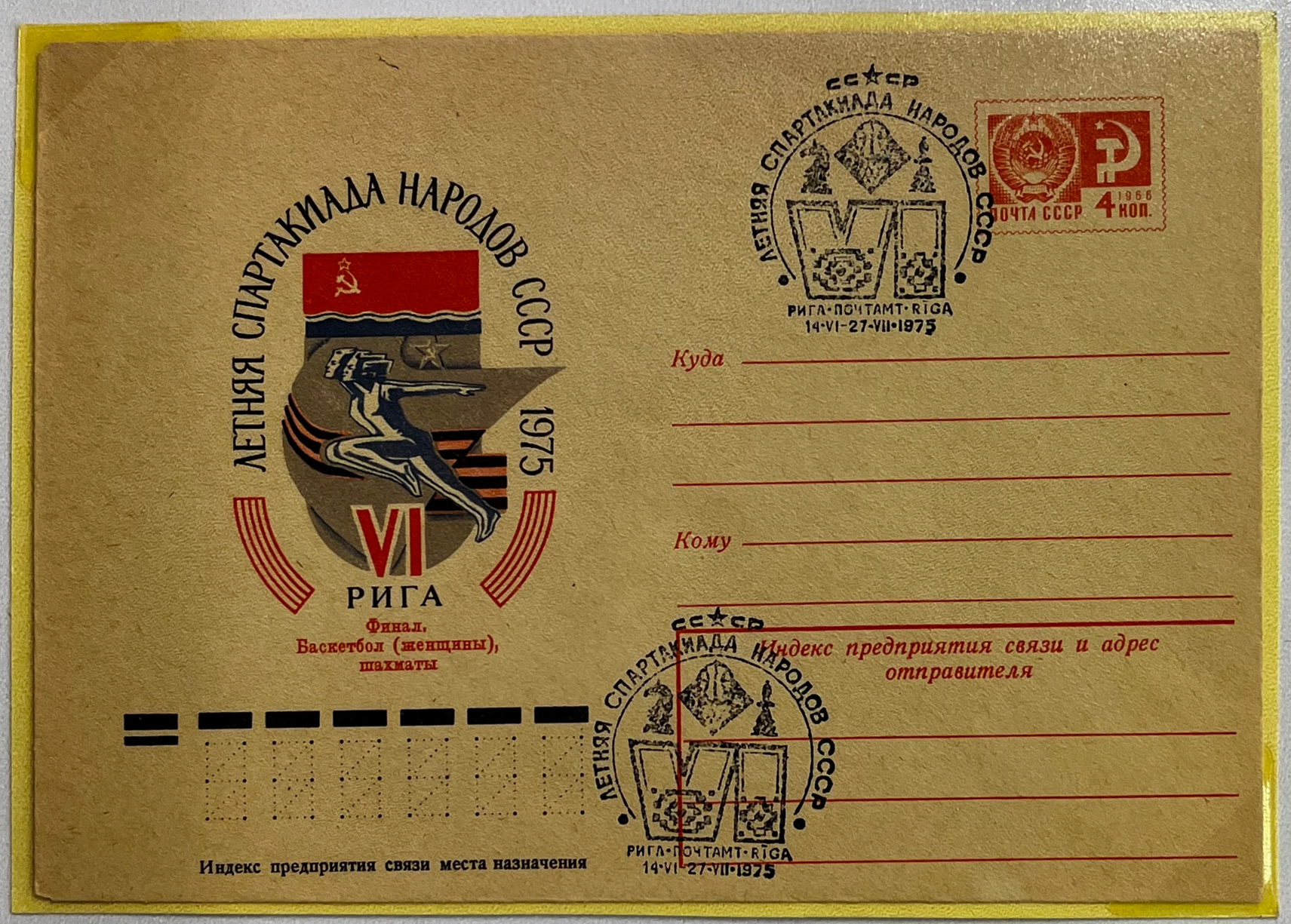
A : Postal stationery cover, USSR. Issued : 5.2.1975. The red text under the cachet reads : "Final / Basketball (women) / Chess"

B : Special postmark, Riga. (+ Violet)

The Spartakiad, a kind of National Olympic Games, took place between 14.6.-27.7.1975, as indicated by the postmark. The chess team tourney, however, was only contested during the final two weeks of the event.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 489-A & B



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26th Yugoslav Women's Championship. 3.-23.8.1975 Medulin, Yugoslavia.
Champion: Milunka Lazarevic.
A: Special postmark, hand, medulin. Used: 3.8.1975.
B: Same as "A", but machine.
Souvenir Cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 490





26th Yugoslav Women's Championship. 3.-23.8.1975 Medulin, Yugoslavia.
Champion: Milunka Lazarevic.
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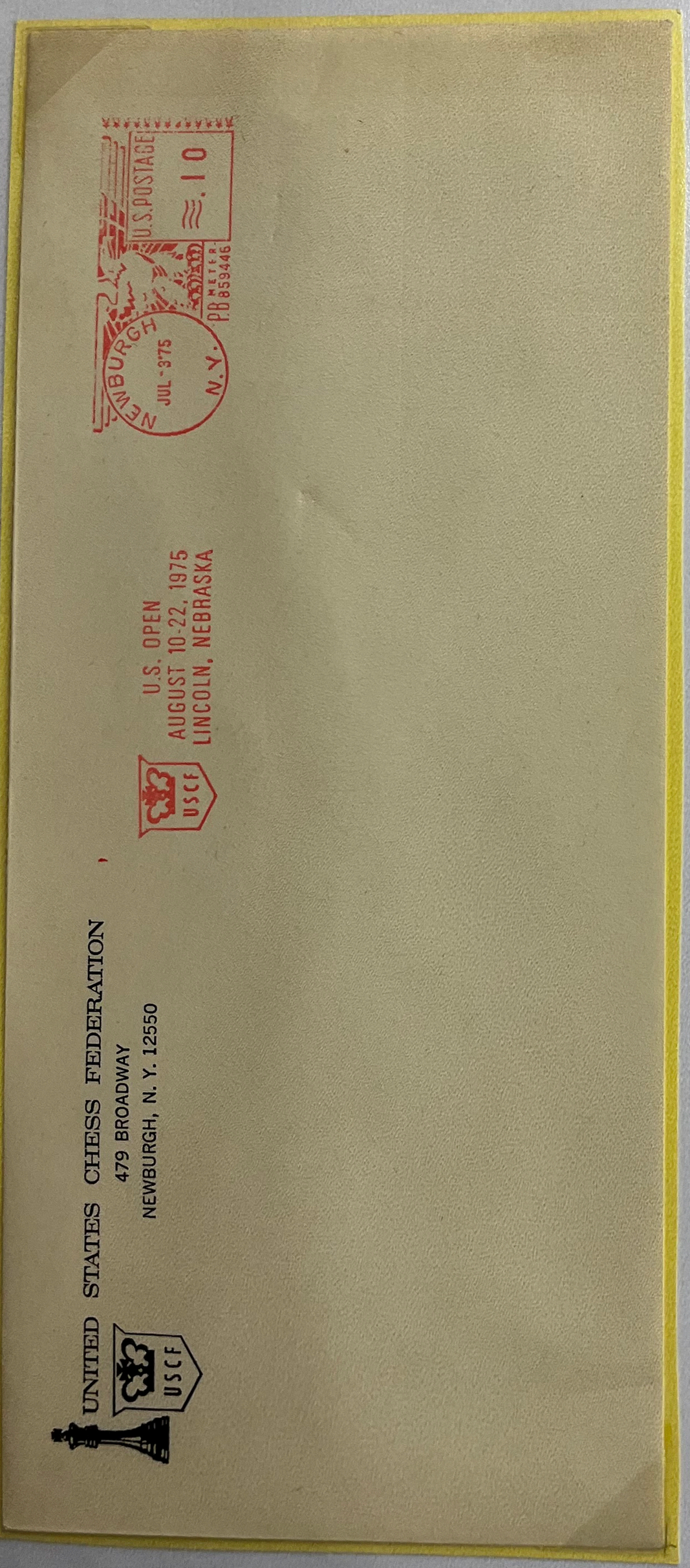
B: Same as "A", but machine.
Souvenir Cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 491



76th International "U S Open" Tournament.
10.-22.8.1975 Lincoln, USA.
Winners: Pal Benko USA, William Lombardy USA.
A: Meter Slogan postmark, red, Newburgh.
Used by the U S Chess Federation.