CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 411-A



14th "Chess Game with Living Pieces". 8.-9.9.1973 Marostica, Italy.
A: Machine slogan postmark, Marostica.
B: Special postmark, Marostica.
Souvenir covers cards.
These items also commemorate the 50th anniversary of the first production of this game in 1923.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 411-B



14th "Chess Game with Living Pieces". 8.-9.9.1973 Marostica, Italy.
A: Machine slogan postmark, Marostica.
B: Special postmark, Marostica.
Souvenir covers cards.
These items also commemorate the 50th anniversary of the first production of this game in 1923.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 412



"Centenary of Chess in Glauchau", East Germany.
A : Special postmark, Glauchau. Used : 14. – 23. 9. 1973.
Souvenir Cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 413 – A

3. MEMORIJAL BORE KOSTIĆA

3rd BORA KOSTIĆ MEMORIAL
CHESS TOURNAMENT



VRŠAC, 16. IX — 4. X 1973.

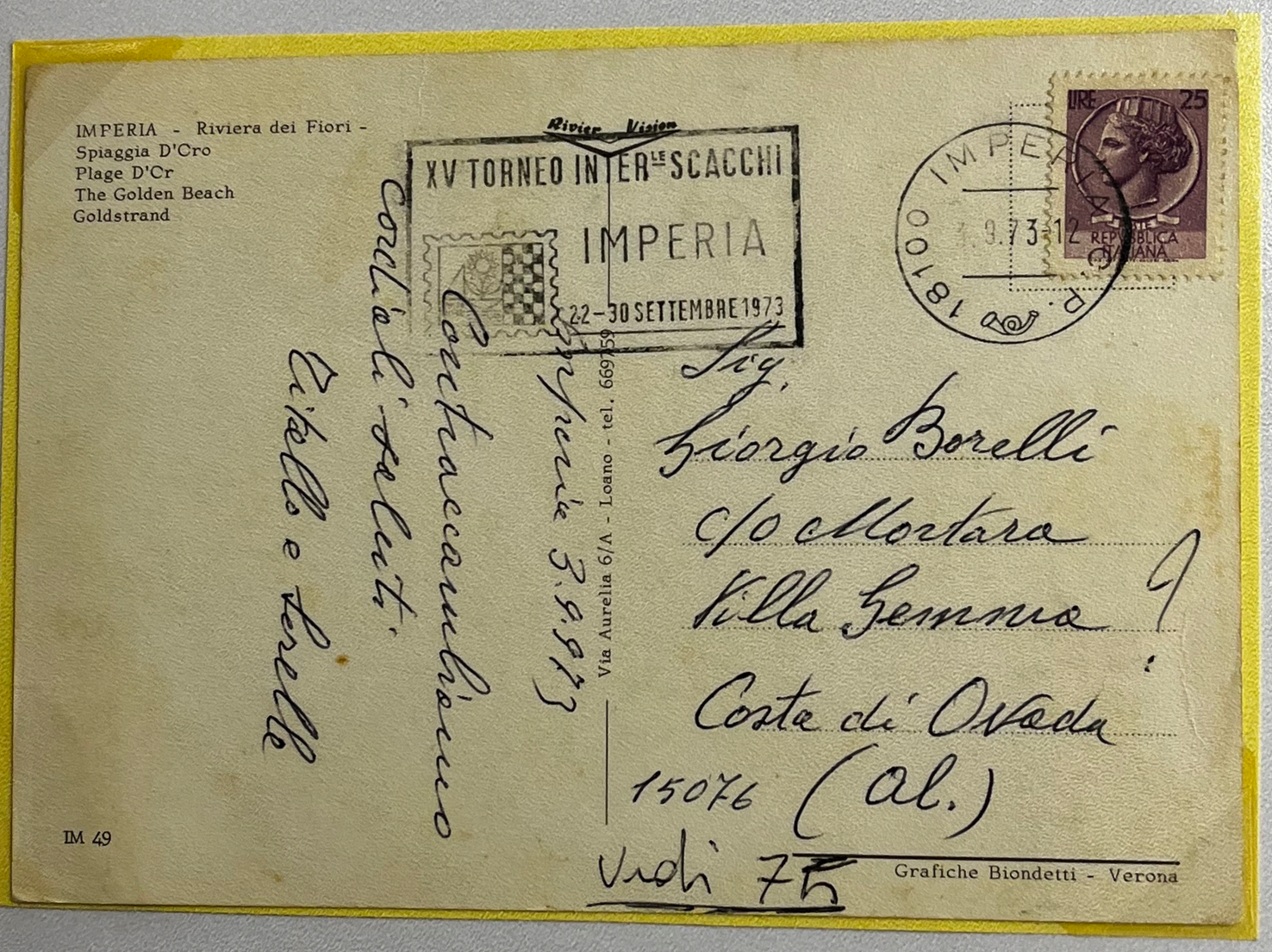




3rd International "Kostic Memorial" Tournament.
16.9.-4.-10.1973 Vrsac, Yogoslavia.
Winner: G. Tringov BG.
A: Special postmark, Vrsac.
Souvenir Cover

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 414 A



15 International Tournament. 22.-30.9.1973 Imperia, Italy.
Winner : Sergio Mariotti I.
A : Machine slogan postmark, Imperia.
B : Special Postmark, Imperia.
Souvenir Card.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 414 A



15 International Tournament. 22.-30.9.1973 Imperia, Italy.
Winner : Sergio Mariotti I.
A : Machine slogan postmark, Imperia.
B : Special Postmark, Imperia.
Souvenir Card.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 414 B



15 International Tournament. 22.-30.9.1973 Imperia, Italy.
Winner : Sergio Mariotti I.
A : Machine slogan postmark, Imperia.
B : Special Postmark, Imperia.
Souvenir Card.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 414 B



15 International Tournament. 22.-30.9.1973 Imperia, Italy.
Winner : Sergio Mariotti I.
A : Machine slogan postmark, Imperia.
B : Special Postmark, Imperia.
Souvenir Card.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 414 -B



15 International Tournament. 22.-30.9.1973 Imperia, Italy.
Winner : Sergio Mariotti I.
A : Machine slogan postmark, Imperia.
B : Special Postmark, Imperia.
Souvenir Card.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 415



Croatian Championship. 26.9.-5.10.1973 Virovitica, Yugoslavia.
Champion: Ivan Nemet.
A: Special postmark, Virovitica.
Souvenir cover.
This postmark was used on the last day of the championship, "Liberation Day", and it marks the 50th anniversary of the Virovitica chess club.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 416 –A



Chess Match East Germany Vs. Poland. 3.-10.10.1973 Zinnowitz, East Germany.
Men : 8 – 8. Women : 7 – 9. Total : 15-17.
East Germany : R. Knaak 3, B. Malich 2, A. Hennings $1\frac{1}{2}$, L. Vogt $1\frac{1}{2}$,
E. Nunchert $1\frac{1}{2}$, B. Hofmann 2, P. Feustel $1\frac{1}{2}$, Ch. Holzlein 1.
Poland : J. Kostro $1\frac{1}{2}$, K. Pytel 2, W. Schmidt 2, J. Adamski $1\frac{1}{2}$,
K. Radzikowska 3, K. Dembecka $1\frac{1}{2}$, B. Pytel 2, E. Lipska $1\frac{1}{2}$,
A : Special Postmark, Zinnowitz.
Souvenir Covers, Card.

CHECKMATE

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K. Radzikowska 3, K. Dembecka $1\frac{1}{2}$, B. Pytel 2, E. Lipska $1\frac{1}{2}$,
A : Special Postmark, Zinnowitz.

Souvenir Covers, Card.

CHECKMATE

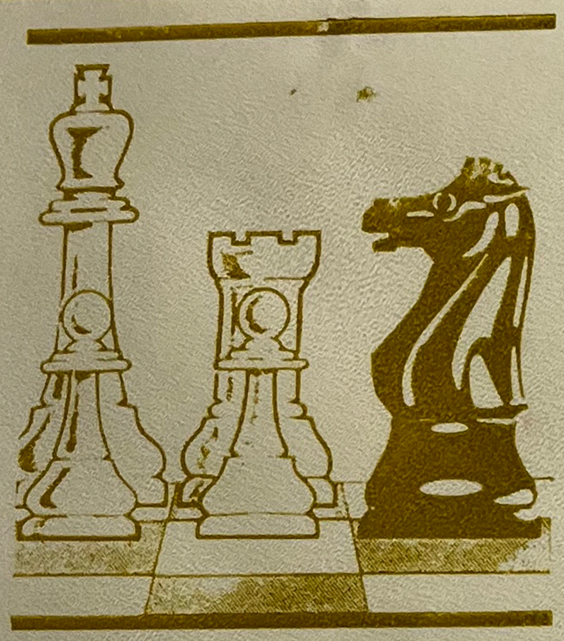
CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 417



Pan-Hellenic Postal Worker's Championship. October 1973 Athens, Greece.
Winner:
A: Special postmark, Athens. Used: 5.10.1973.
Souvenir covers.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 417



Α' ΠΑΝΕΛΛΗΝΙΟΙ ΣΚΑΚΙΣΤΙΚΟΙ
ΑΓΩΝΕΣ
ΤΑΧΥΔΡΟΜΙΚΩΝ ΥΠΑΛΛΗΛΩΝ
ΑΘΗΝΑΙ 5.10.1973

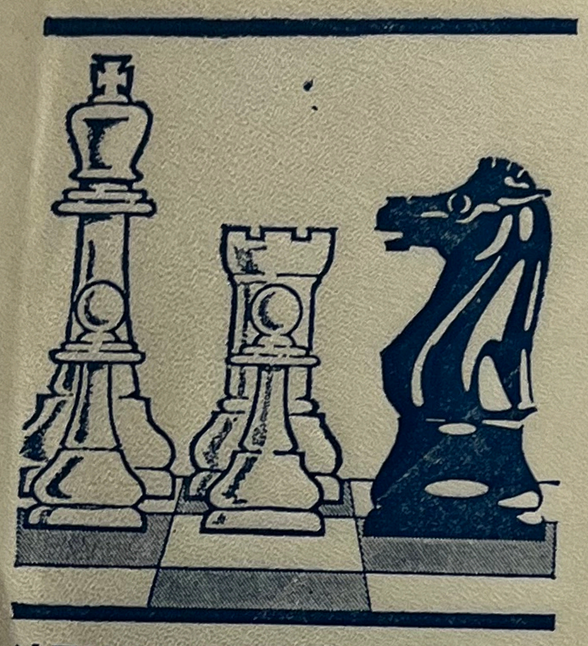




Pan-Hellenic Postal Worker's Championship. October 1973 Athens, Greece.
Winner:
A: Special postmark, Athens. Used: 5.10.1973.
Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 417



Α' ΠΑΝΕΛΛΗΝΙΟΙ ΑΓΩΝΕΣ ΣΚΑΚΙ
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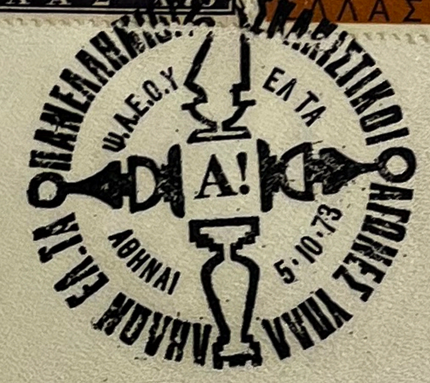
ΑΘΗΝΑΙ 5 - 10 - 1973





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Pan-Hellenic Postal Worker's Championship. October 1973 Athens, Greece.
Winner:
A: Special postmark, Athens. Used: 5.10.1973.
Souvenir covers.

CHECKMATE

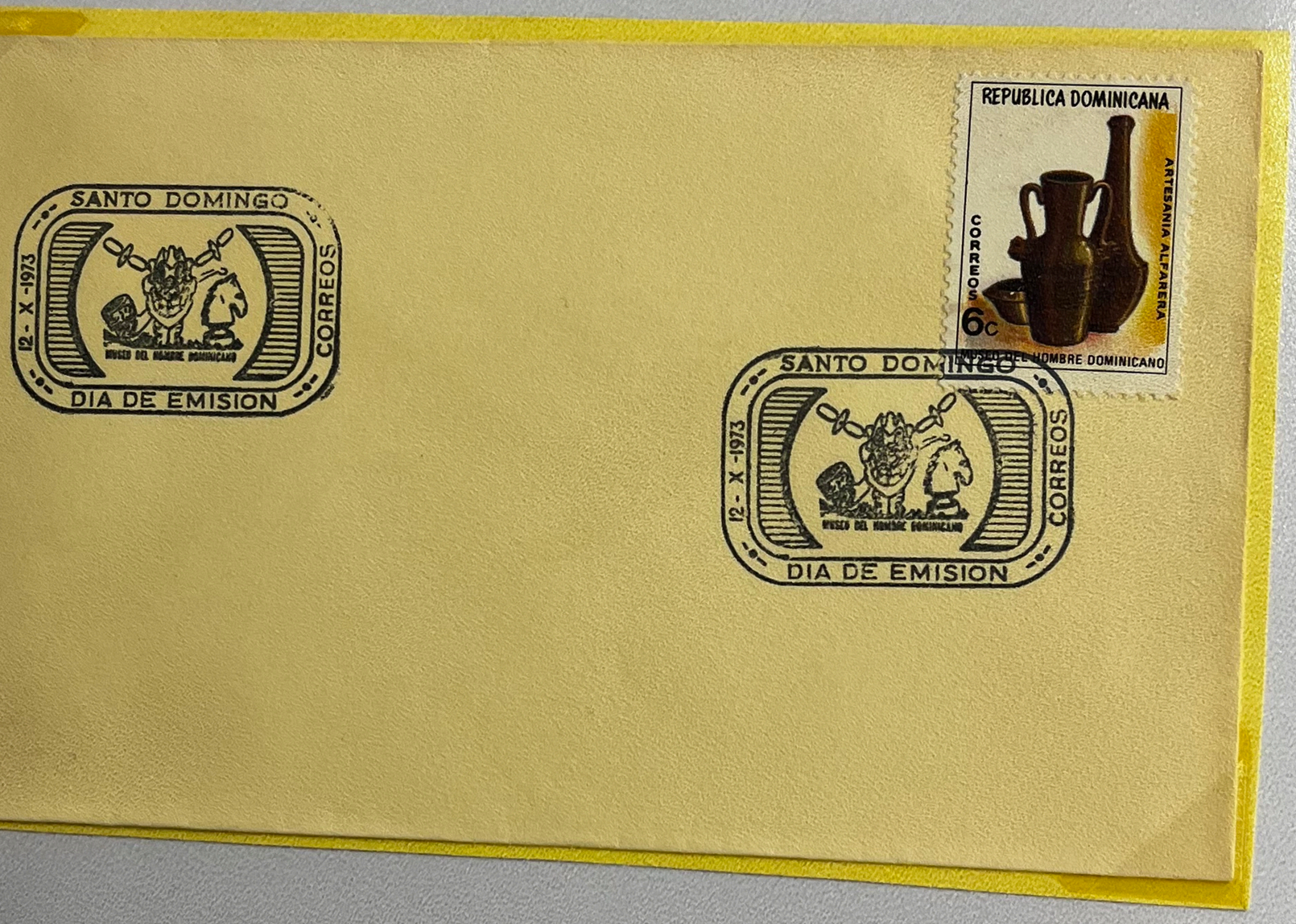
CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 418-A



Inauguration of the People's Museum in Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic.
A: Stamp, Dominican Republic. Issued: 12.10.1973, in a set of 6 stamps.
It features 3 specimens of amber carvings, one being a chess knight.
B: Special first day postmark, Santo Domingo.
Souvenir covers.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 418-B



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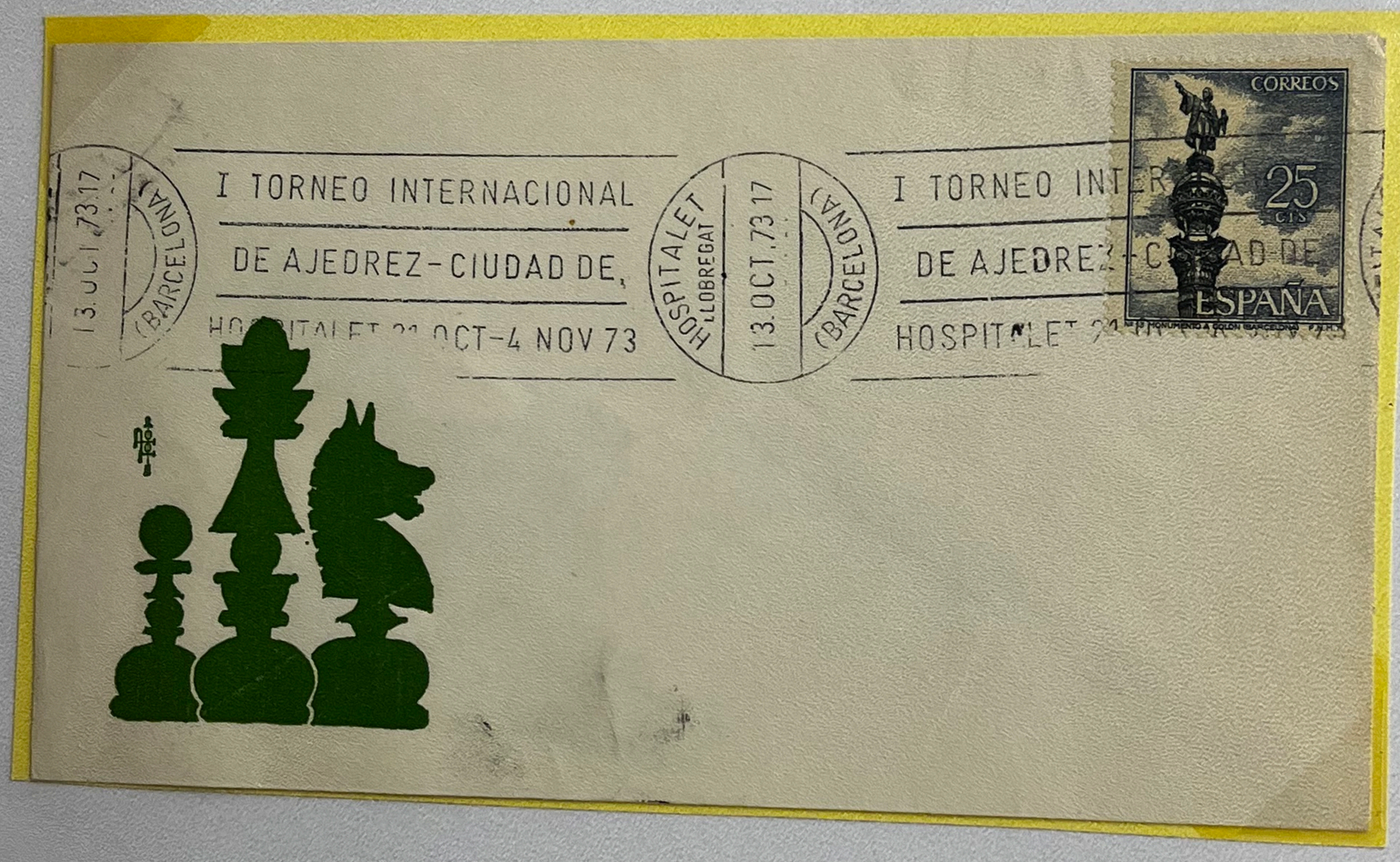
A: Stamp, Dominican Republic. Issued: 12.10.1973, in a set of 6 stamps.
It features 3 specimens of amber carvings, one being a chess knight.
B: Special first day postmark, Santo Domingo.
Souvenir covers.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 419



1st International Tournament.
21.10.-4.11.1973 Hospetalet, Spain.
Winner: Jan Smejkal CS.
A: Roller type machine slogan postmark, Hospetalet.
Souvenir covers.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 420



13th Italian Team Championship. 31.10.-4.11.1973 Tivoli, Italy.
Champions: "Accademia Scacchistica Romana" of Rome (Sergio Mariotti, Alvise Zichichi, Giuseppe Primavera, Roberto Primavera, Alberto Giustolisi, Jean Fricker).
A: Special postmark, Tivoli
Souvenir cards.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 420



13th Italian Team Championship. 31.10.-4.11.1973 Tivoli, Italy.
Champions: "Accademia Scacchistica Romana" of Rome (Sergio Mariotti, Alvise Zichichi, Giuseppe Primavera, Roberto Primavera, Alberto Giustolisi, Jean Fricker).
A: Special postmark, Tivoli
Souvenir cards.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 421



25th "Christmas" Tournament. 125.11. -17.12.1973 La Coruna, Spain.
Winner: Domingo Merino.
A: Special postmark, La Coruna.
Souvenir covers.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 422

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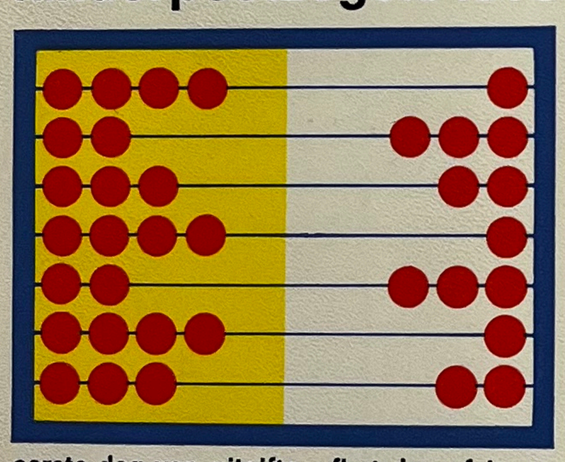

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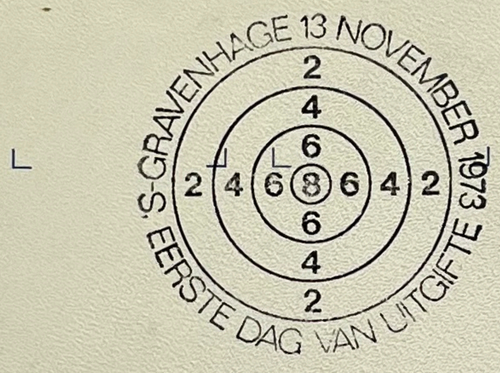

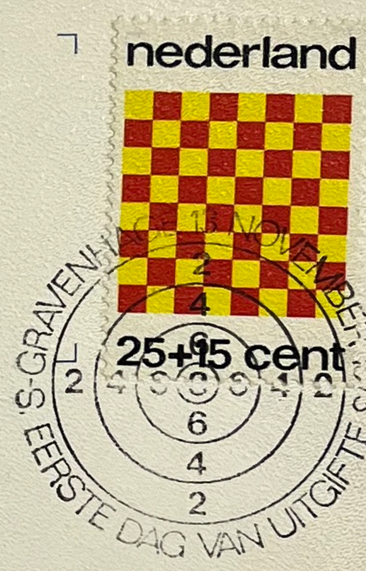

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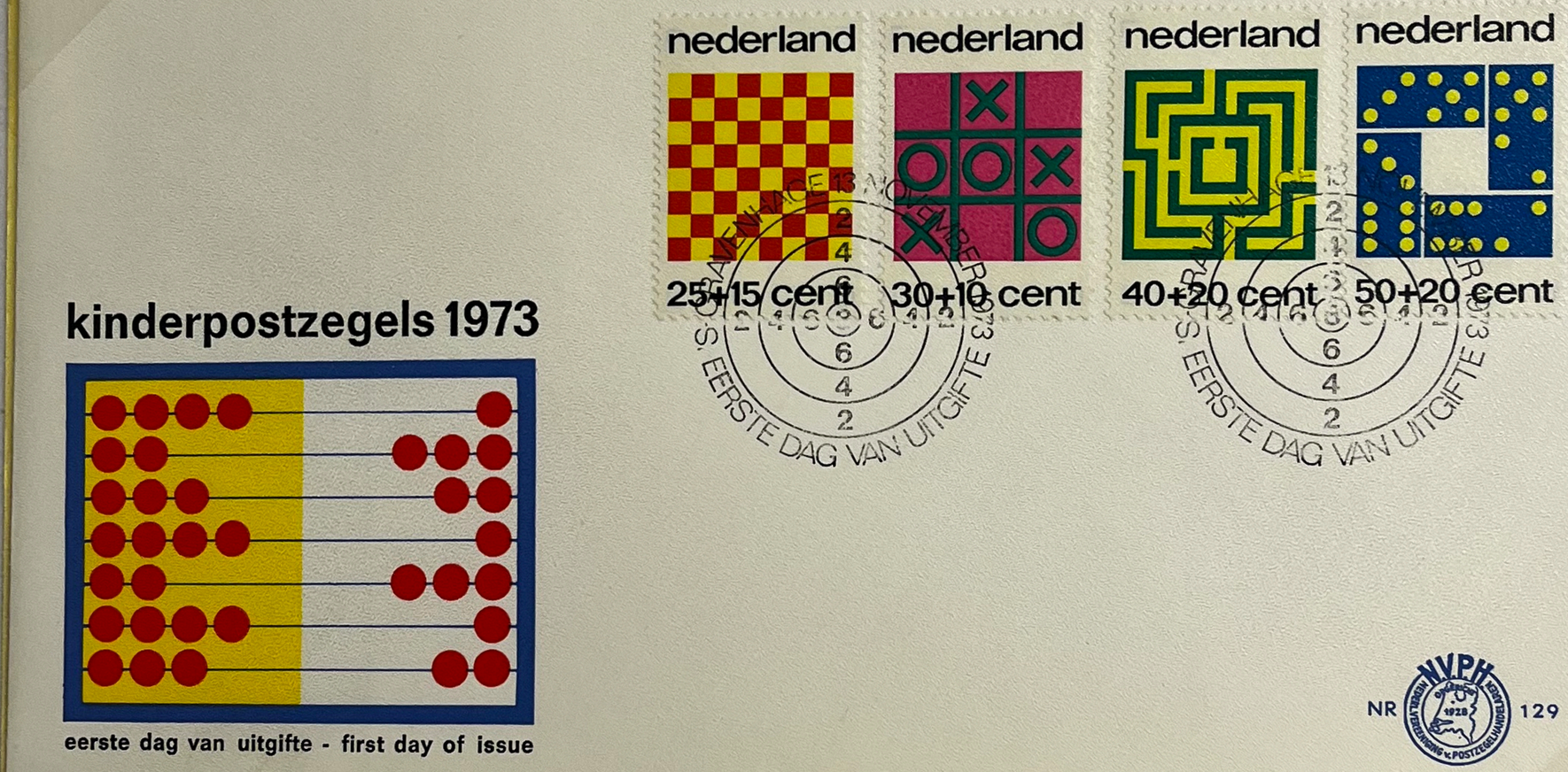
Child Welfare Stamp . Issue, featuring games.
A: Stamp, Holland. Issued: 13.11.1973. in a set of 4 stamps.
A part of the edition was issued in souvenir sheets containing 6 stamps,
2 of which are the chess stamp.
Souvenir cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 422-A



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Souvenir Covers, Cards.

CHECKMATE

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2 of which are the chess stamp.

Souvenir Covers, Cards.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 423



5th Women's "European Cup" Tournament.
1. –17.12.1973 Vrnjacka Banja, Yugoslavia.
Winner: Alla Kouchnir SU.
A: Special postmark, Vrnjacka Banja. (+ Violet, Red)
Souvenir Cover, Card.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 423-A



5th Women's "European Cup" Tournament.
1. –17.12.1973 Vrnjacka Banja, Yugoslavia.
Winner: Alla Kouchnir SU.
A: Special postmark, Vrnjacka Banja. (+ violet, red)
Souvenir cover, card.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 423



5th Women's "European Cup" Tournament.
1. –17.12.1973 Vrnjacka Banja, Yugoslavia.
Winner: Alla Kouchnir SU.
A: Special postmark, Vrnjacka Banja. (+ Violet, Red)
Souvenir Cover, Card.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 423-A



5th Women's "European Cup" Tournament.
1. –17.12.1973 Vrnjacka Banja, Yugoslavia.
Winner: Alla Kouchnir SU.
A: Special postmark, Vrnjacka Banja. (+ violet, red)
Souvenir cover, card.

CHECKMATE

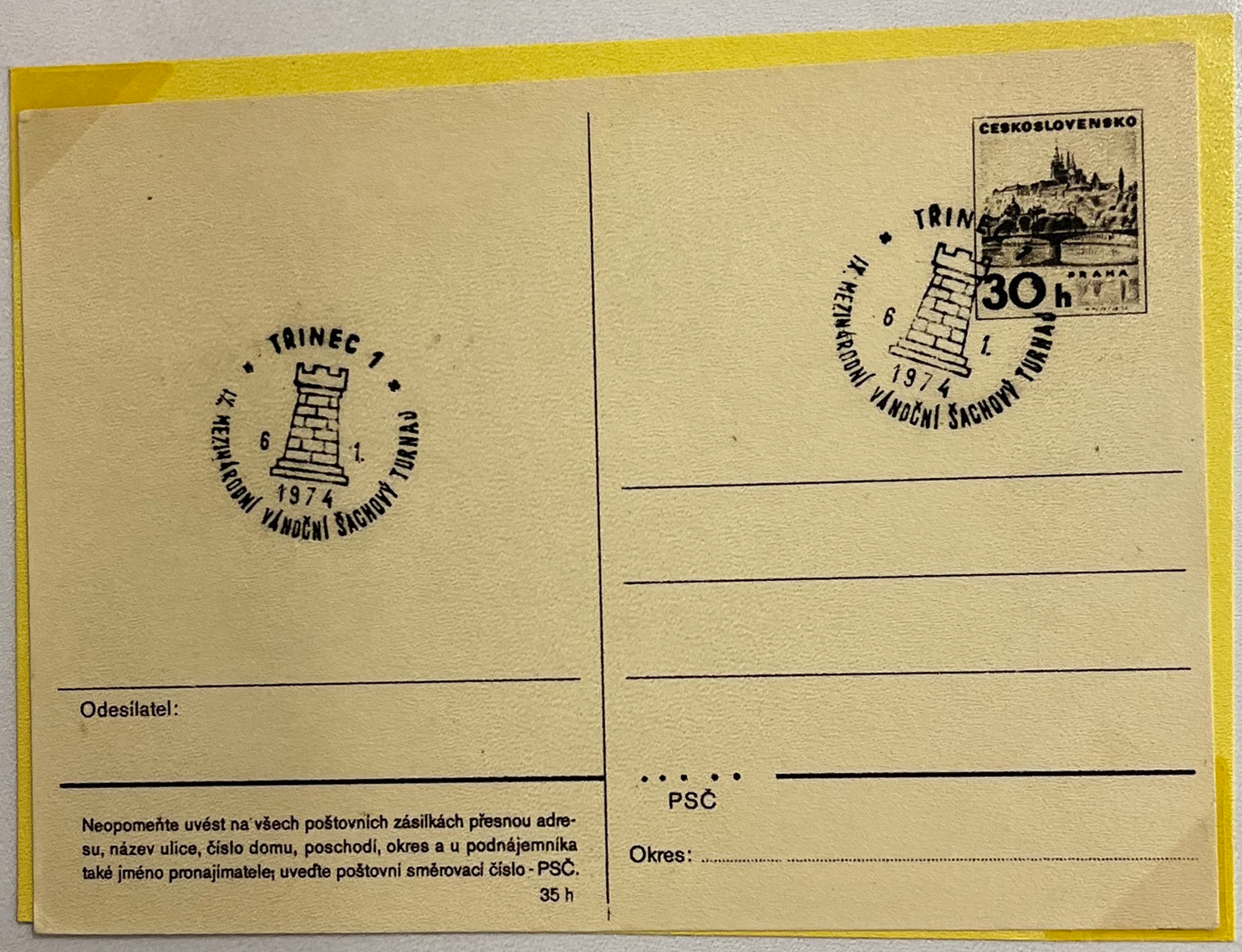
CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 424



5th Weekend Tournament. 14. – 18.12.1973 Belgrade, Yugoslavia.
Winner : Nenad Pantos YU.
A : Special Postmark, Belgrade. (+ Red)
Souvenir Cover.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER -425



9th International "Christmas" Tournament.
18.12.1973 – 6.1.1974 Trinec, Czechoslovakia.
Winner: Jan Adamski PL.
A: Special postmark, Trinec.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 351-A



Zonal Tournament III. 5.-22.4.1972 Vrnjacka Banja, Yugoslavia.
Qualified: 1-2) Josip Rukavina YU, Jan Smejkal CS.
A: Special postmark, Vrnjacka Banja.
Souvenir cover, card.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 351





Zonal Tournament III. 5.-22.4.1972 Vrnjacka Banja, Yugoslavia.
Qualified: 1-2) Josip Rukavina YU, Jan Smejkal CS.
A: Special postmark, Vrnjacka Banja.
Souvenir cover, card.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 352-B



4th Blind Chess Olympiad. 6. -18.4.1972 Medulin, Yugoslavia.
Champions: USSR (Rudensky, Gimodejev, Turukin, Kulakov, Akuzin).
A: Special postmark, hand, Medulin.
B: Same as "A", but machine. Souvenir cover.
C: Special postmark, Pula. **(+ violet)**
Souvenir cover, Card.
This Olympiad was originally meant to be held at Pula.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 352-C



4th Blind Chess Olympiad. 6. -18.4.1972 Medulin, Yugoslavia.
Champions: USSR (Rudensky, Gimodejev, Turukin, Kulakov, Akuzin).
A: Special postmark, hand, Medulin.
B: Same as "A", but machine. Souvenir cover.
C: Special postmark, Pula. **(+ violet)**
Souvenir cover, Card.
This Olympiad was originally meant to be held at Pula.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 352-C



4th Blind Chess Olympiad. 6. -18.4.1972 Medulin, Yugoslavia.
Champions: USSR (Rudensky, Gimodejev, Turukin, Kulakov, Akuzin).
A: Special postmark, hand, Medulin.
B: Same as "A", but machine. Souvenir cover.
C: Special postmark, Pula. **(+ violet)**
Souvenir cover, Card.
This Olympiad was originally meant to be held at Pula.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 353-A&B



Women's World Championship Match. 10.5. –27.6.1972 Riga, USSR.
Nona Gaprindashvili SU vs. Alla Kouchnir SU, 8½ - 7½.
A: Postal stationery Cover, USSR. Printing date: 18.4.1972.
B: Special postmark, Riga. (+ red)

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 353-A



МАТЧ НА ПЕРВЕНСТВО МИРА
ПО ШАХМАТАМ СРЕДИ ЖЕНЩИН
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B: Special postmark, Riga. (+ red)
Souvenir Card.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 353-B



Women's World Championship Match. 10.5. –27.6.1972 Riga, USSR.
Nona Gaprindashvili SU vs. Alla Kouchnir SU, 8½ - 7½.
A: Postal stationery Cover, USSR. Printing date: 18.4.1972.
B: Special postmark, Riga. (+ red)

CHECKMATE

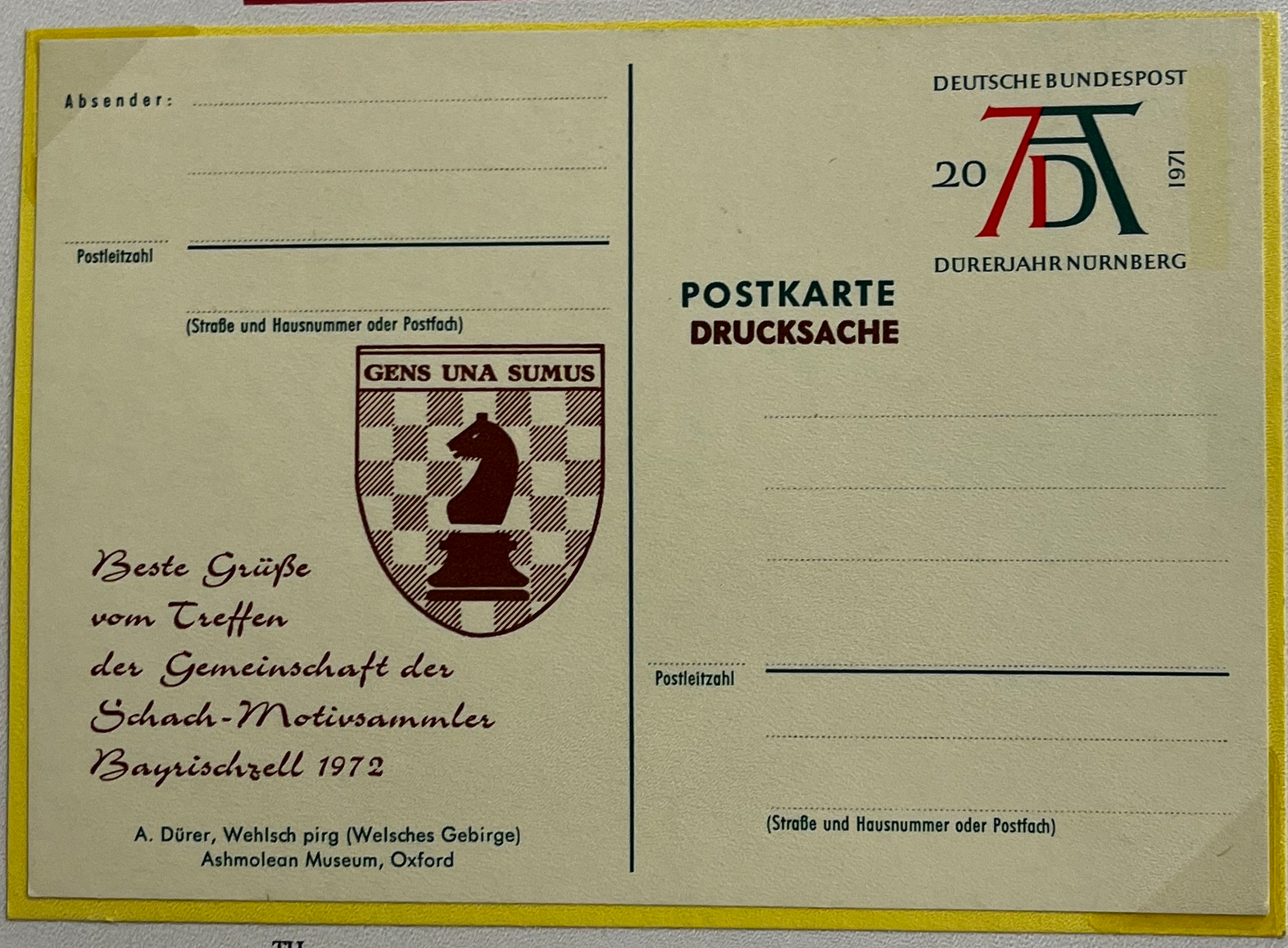
CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 354-A



Zonal Tournament VIII.19.5.-17.6.1972 Sao Paulo, Brazil.
Qualified: 1) Henrique Mecking BR, 2-3) Oscar Panno RA, Miguel Quinteros RA.
Qualified, women: Ruth Cardoso BR.
A: Special postmark, Sao Paulo.
Souvenir covers.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 355



17TH West German Correspondence Chess Meeting.
20. –28.5.1972 Bayrischzell, West Germany.
A : Machine slogan postmark, Bayrischzell.
Souvenir covers. Cards.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 355



17 West German Correspondence Chess Meeting.
20. –28.5.1972 Bayrischzell, West Germany.
A: Machine slogan postmark, Bayrischzell.
Souvenir covers. Cards.

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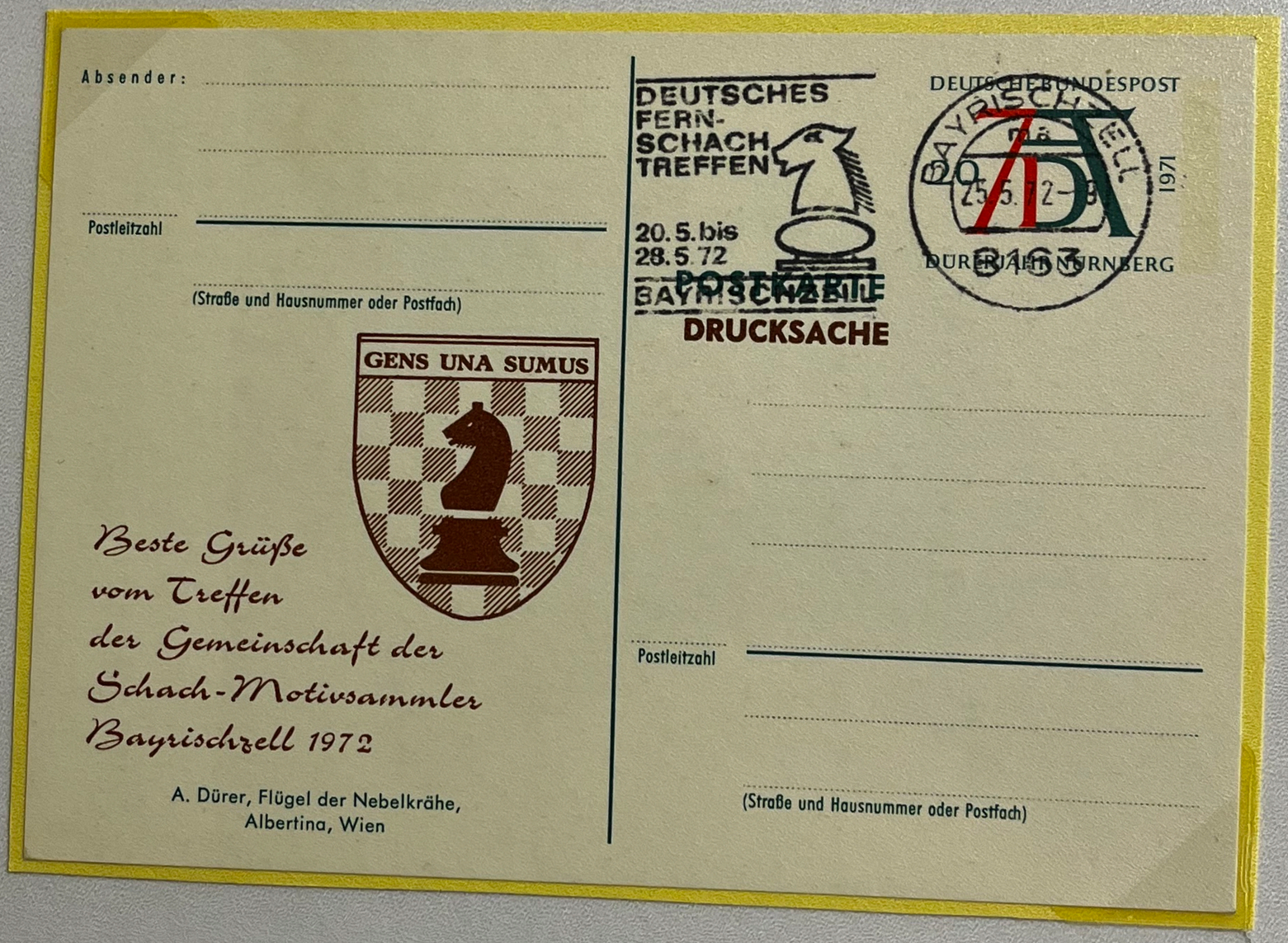

17TH West German Correspondence Chess Meeting.
20. –28.5.1972 Bayrischzell, West Germany.
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Souvenir covers, Cards.

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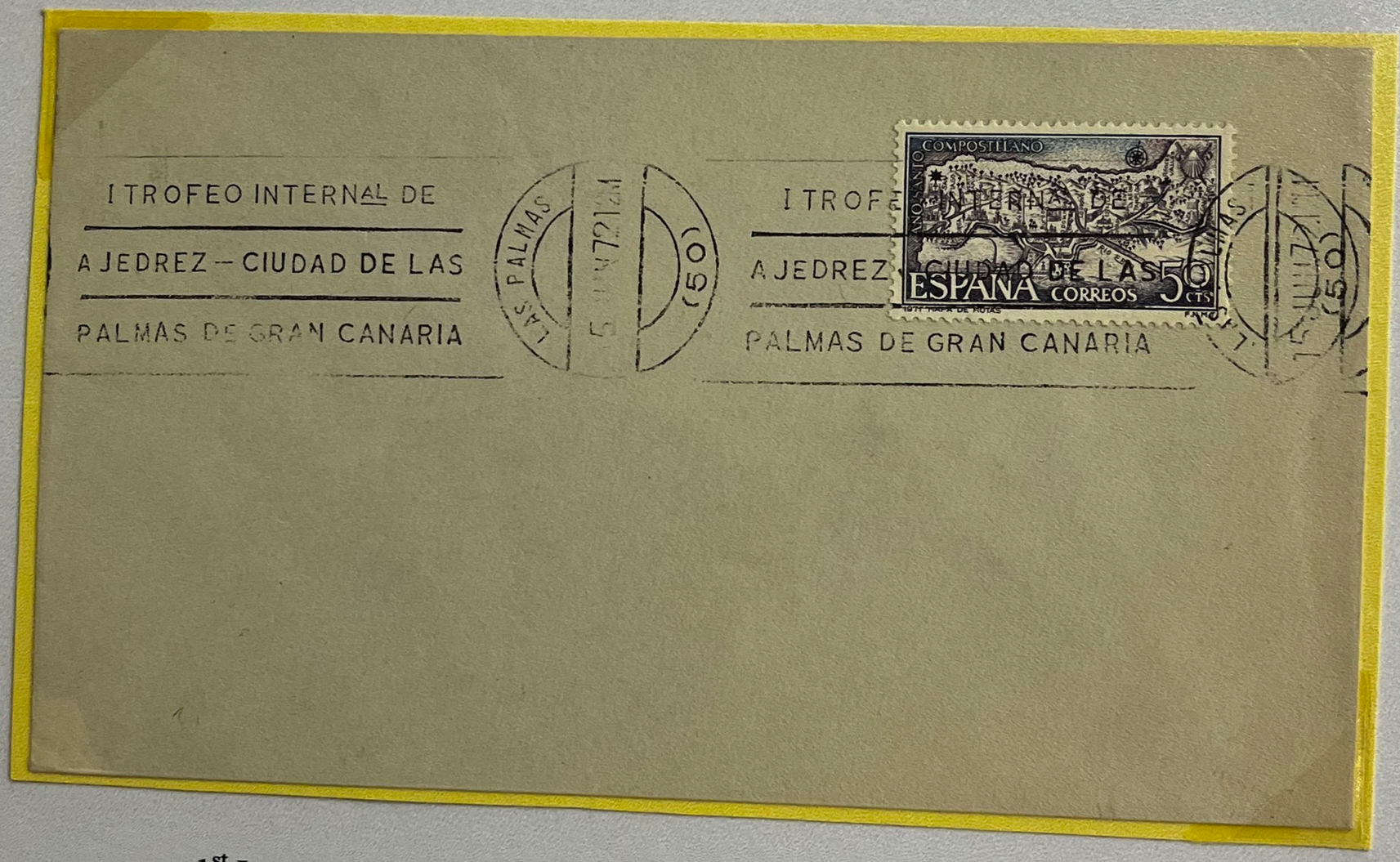

1st International Tournament. 28. 5. – 18. 6. 1972 Las Palmas, Spain.

Winner : Lajos Portisch H.

A : Roller type machine slogan postmark, Las Palmas.

B : Special postmark, Las Palmas.

Souvenir Covers.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER –356-B



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B : Special postmark, Las Palmas.

Souvenir Covers.

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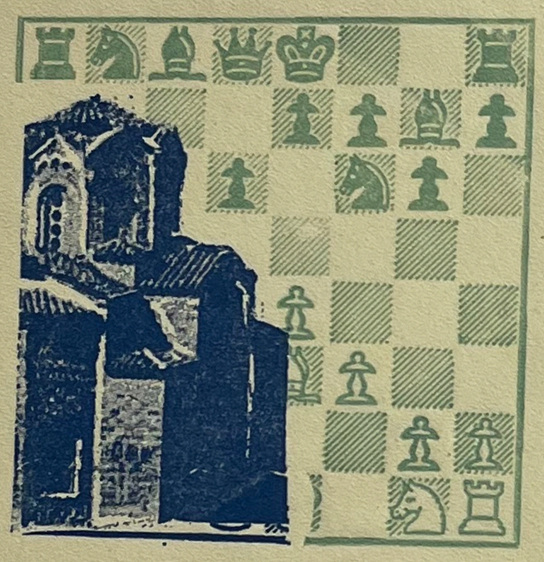






15th Chess match Yugoslavia vs. USSR. 25.6. –2.7.1972 Ohrid, Yugoslavia.
Men: 10½ - 13½. Women: 2 – 6. Juniors: 1 – 7. Total: 13½ - 26½.

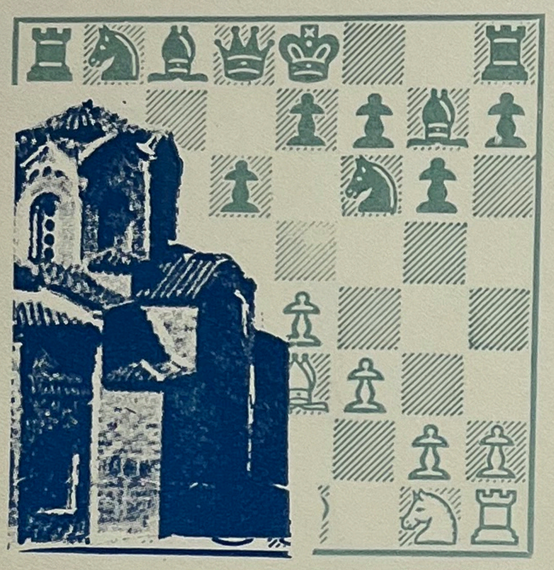
1)	Borislav Ivkov (Planinc)	=	=	(0 0)	Tigran Petrosian
2)	Milan Matulovic	=	1	0 0	Viktor Korchnoi
3)	Ljubomir Ljubojevic (Velimirovic)	=	=	(0 0)	Leonid Stein
4)	Albin Planinc (Matanovic)	=	=	(= =)	Aivar Gipslis
5)	Dragoljub Velimirovic (Parma)	1	=	(0 =)	Rafik Vaganian
6)	Josip Rukavina	1	1	= =	Vitaly Tscheschkovsky
7)	Katarina Jovanovic (Belamaric)	=	0	0 (0)	Tatyana Zatulovskaya
8)	Henrika Konarkowska (Belamaric)	0	(0)	= 1	Maja Ranniku
9)	Slavoljub Marjanovic (Sindik)	0	=	(0)	Oleg Romanishin
	Ervin Sindik			=	V. Peresipkin
10)	Dusko Radulovic	0	(0)	0 0	Alex Beliavsky (Peresipkin)

A: Special postmrk, Ohrid.

Souvenir cover

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 357



ŠAHOVSKI MEČ JUGOSLAVIJA — SSSR
ШАХМАТНЫЙ МАТЧ ЮГОСЛАВИЯ — СССР
CHESS MATCH YUGOSLAVIA — USSR





OHRID ● 25. VI — 2. VII 1972. ● ОХРИД

15th Chess match Yugoslavia vs. USSR. 25.6. –2.7.1972 Ohrid, Yugoslavia.
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3)	Ljubomir Ljubojevic (Velimirovic)	=	=	(0 0)	Leonid Stein
4)	Albin Planinc (Matanovic)	=	=	(= =)	Aivar Gipslis
5)	Dragoljub Velimirovic (Parma)	1	=	(0 =)	Rafik Vaganian
6)	Josip Rukavina	1	1	= =	Vitaly Tscheschkovsky
7)	Katarina Jovanovic (Belamaric)	=	0	0 (0)	Tatyana Zatulovskaya
8)	Henrika Konarkowska (Belamaric)	0	(0)	= 1	Maja Ranniku
9)	Slavoljub Marjanovic (Sindik)	0	=	(0)	Oleg Romanishin
	Ervin Sindik			=	V. Peresipkin
10)	Dusko Radulovic	0	(0)	0 0	Alex Beliavsky (Peresipkin)

A: Special postmrk, Ohrid.
B: Souvenir cover.
C: Souvenir card.

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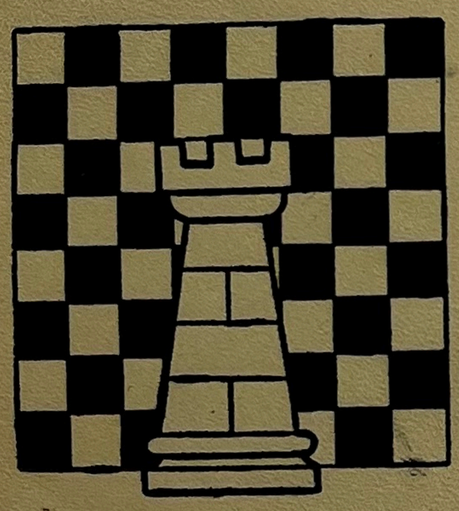
CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 358

XXXIX CAMPEONATO BRASILEIRO
DE XADREZ









Blumenau (SC), 2 a 26 de Julho de 1972

39th Brazilian Championships. 2.-26.7.1972 Blumenau, Brazil.
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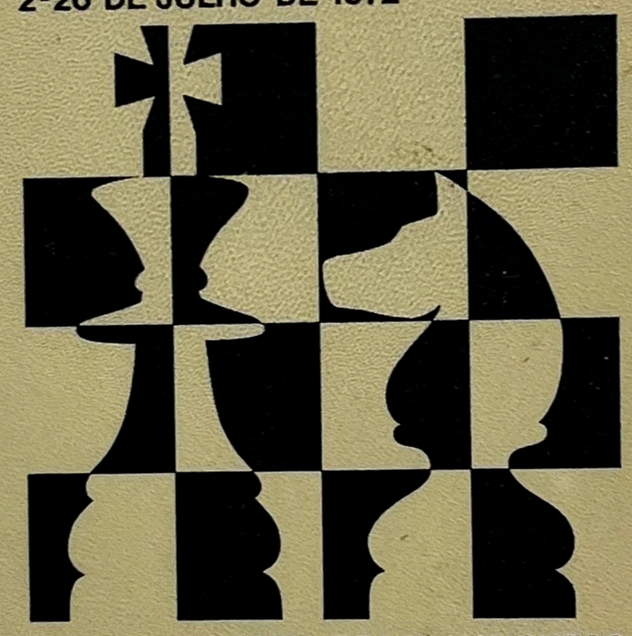

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Swedish Championship. 2.-16.7.1972 Skelleftea, Sweden.
Champion: Axel Ornstein.
A: Special postmark, Skelleftea.
Souvenir cards, one depicting the "Eddahallen" sports hall,
Where the tournament was held.

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International "Liberation of Zagreb" Tournament.
5. -20.7.1972 Zagreb, Yugoslavia.
Winner: Leonid Stein SU.
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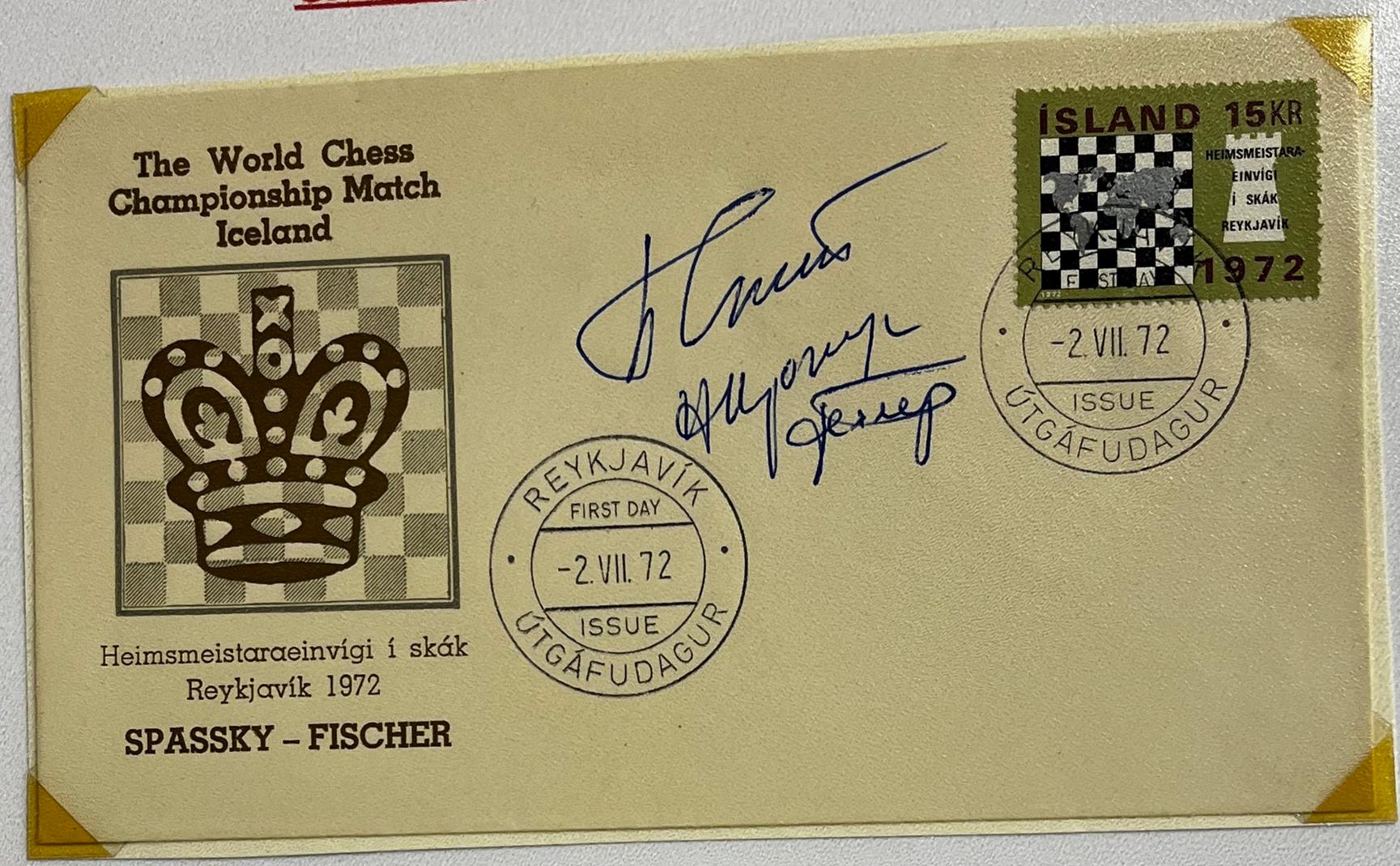

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The cover autographed by Boris Spassky & Robert Fischer.

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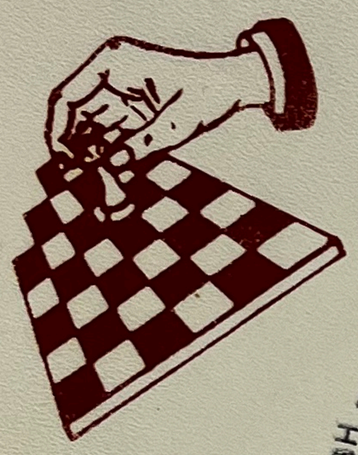



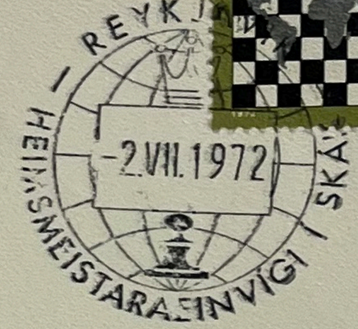



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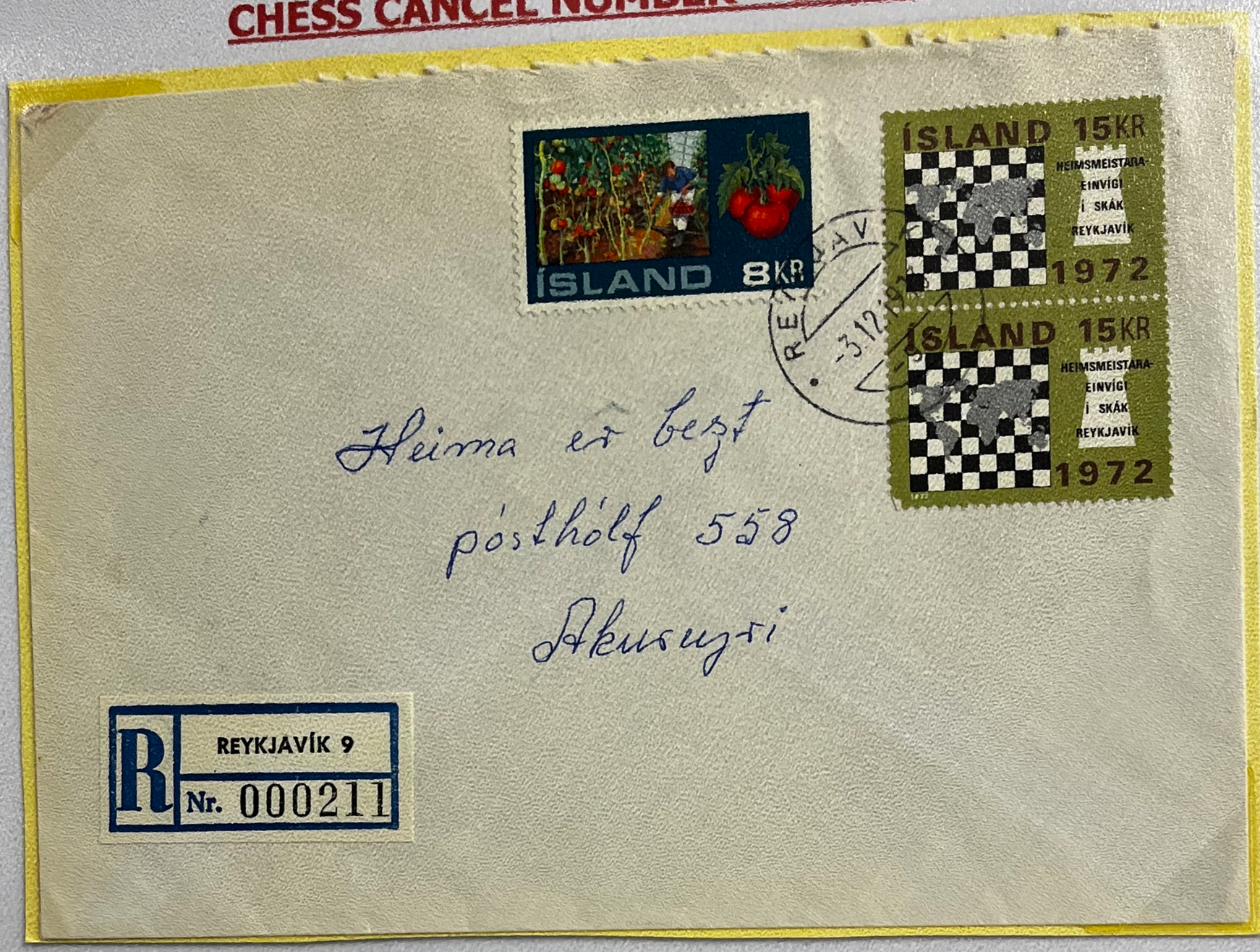

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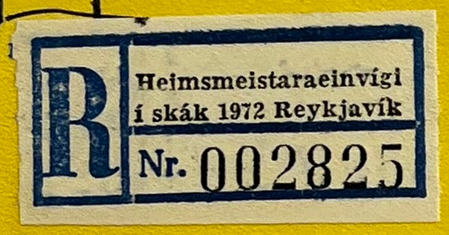









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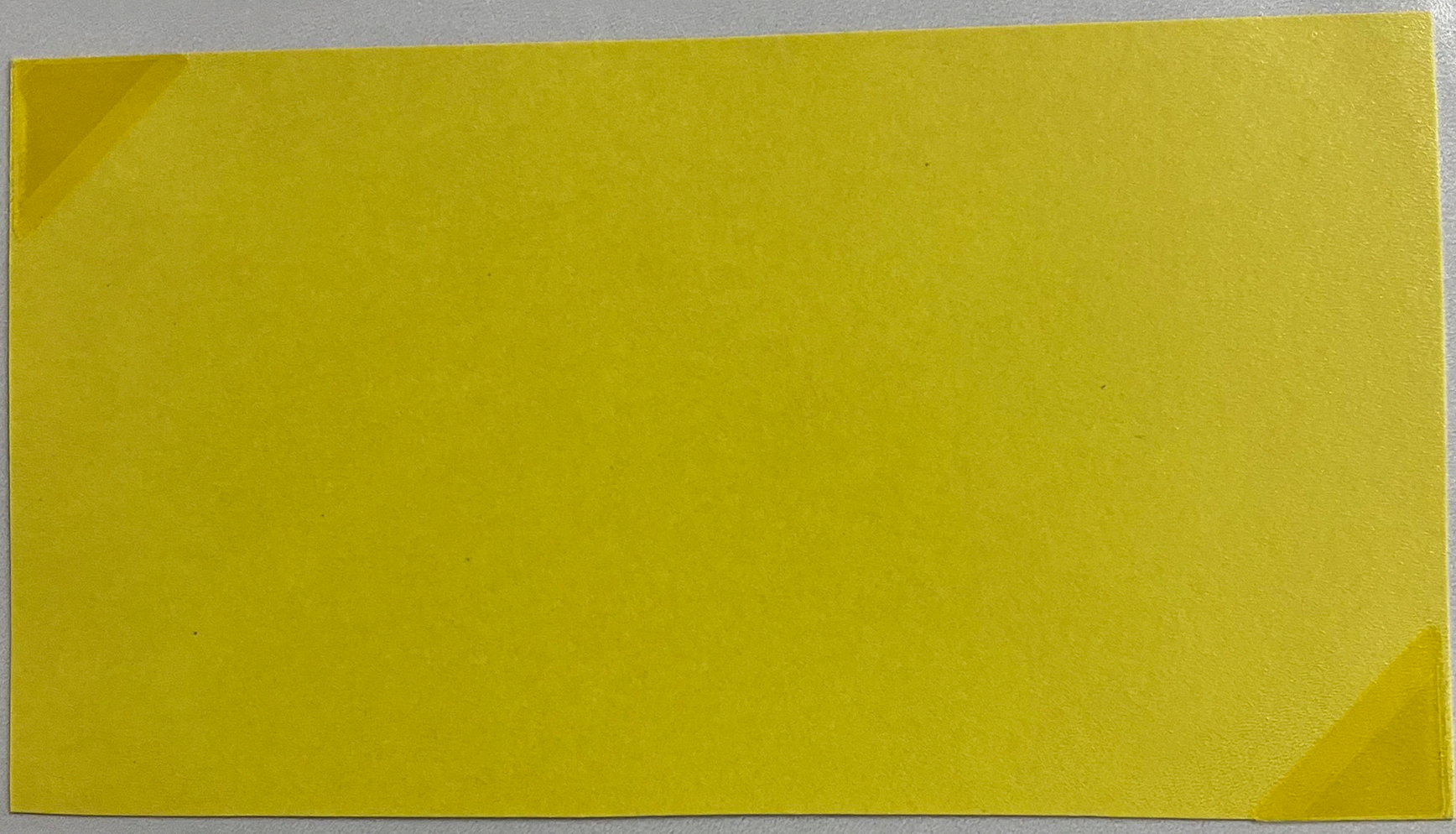

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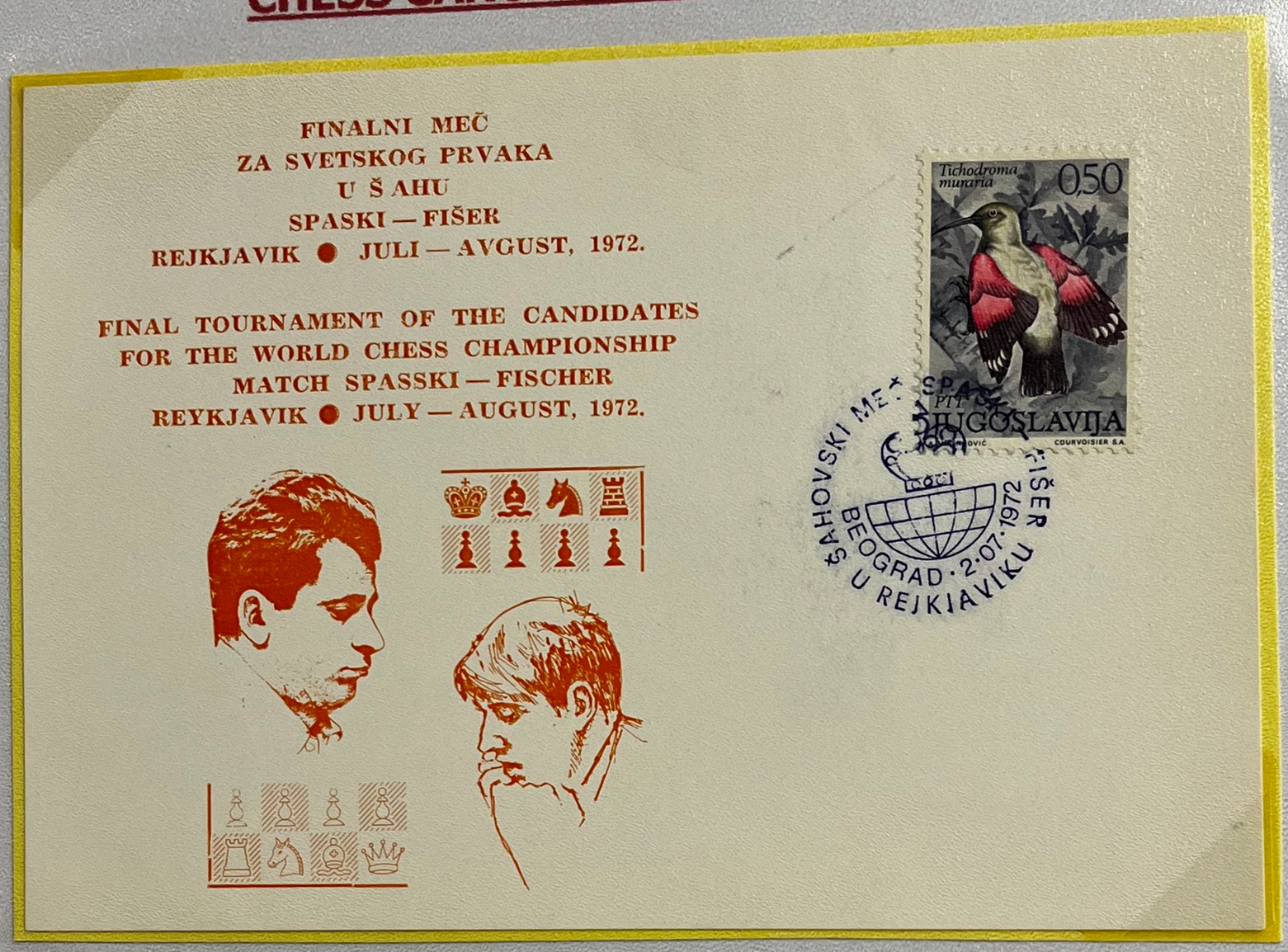

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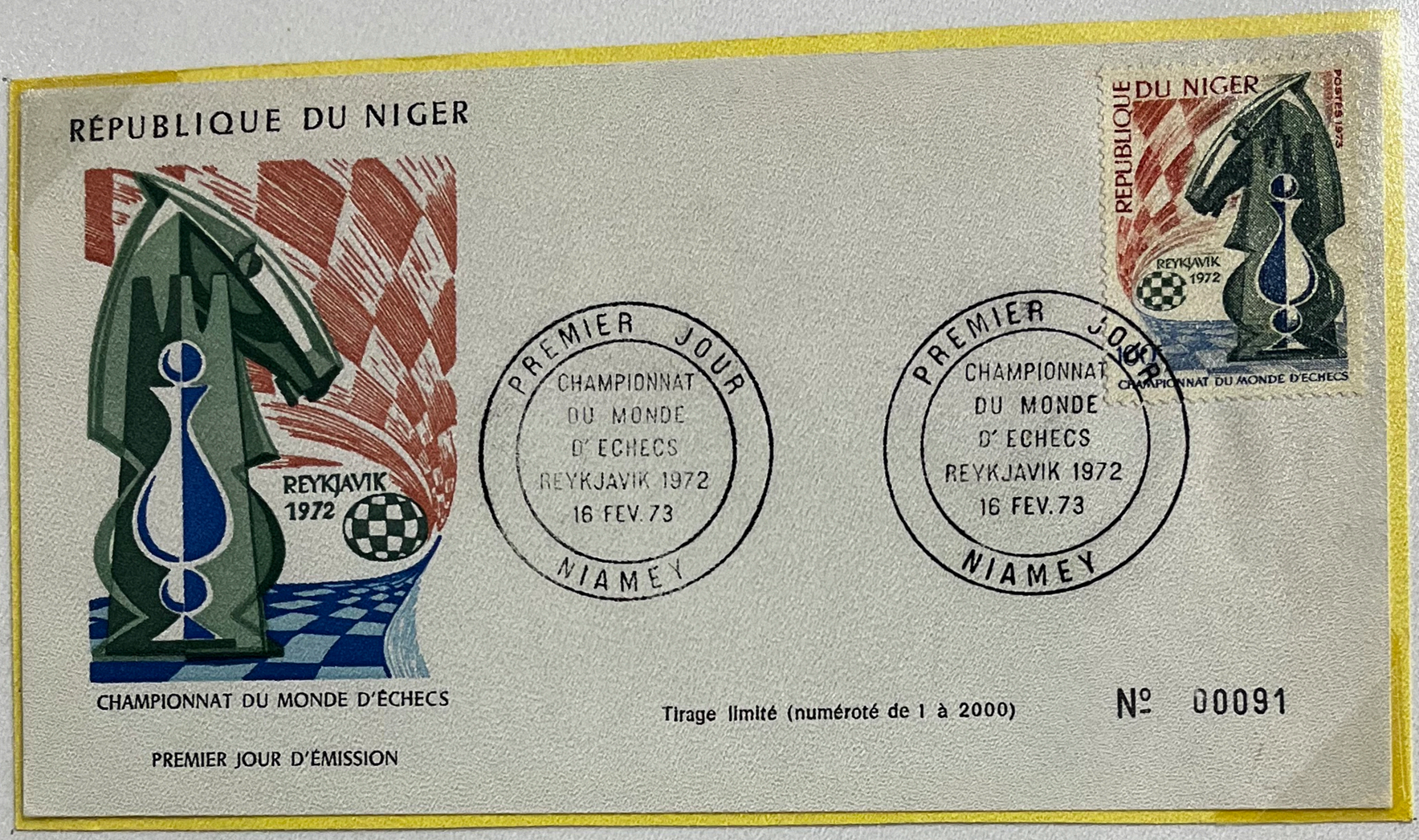

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