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CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 252-A



16th World students Team championship. 1. -17.8.1969 Dresden, East Germany.
Champions: USSR (Vladimir Tukmakov, Mikhail Podgajets, Vitaly Tscheschkovsky, T. Georgadse, Orest Averkin, Viktor Kupreitschik).

A: Stamp, East Germany. Issued: 29.7.1969, in a set of 3 sports stamps.
B: Special first day postmark, Berlin.
C: Special postmark, Dresden.

Souvenir covers.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 7963-A



20.10.-14.11.1979 Alicante, Spain.
FIDE Women's Interzonal Tournament B.
Qualified : 1) WGM Tatiana Lematchko BG (13.5/17, +11 =5-1)
2) WGM Elena Ahmilovskaya SU (13.5).
3) WIM Nino Gurieli SU (12)
A : "CAMPEONATO MUNDIAL FEMENINO DE AJEDREZ, TORNEO INTERZONAL".
Special postmark, Alicante.
Used : 10.-14.11.1979.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 97 – B & C



30th USSR Championship. 21.11.-20.12.1962 Erevan, USSR.
Champion: Viktor Korchnoi.
A: Postal stationery cover, USSR. Printing date: 9.11.1962.
B: Stamp, USSR. Issued: 21.11.1962.
C: Special postmark, Erevan. Used: 21.11.-19.12.1962.
D: Same as "C", but red. Used: 20.12.1962.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 369 – E



20th Chess Olympiad. 18.9. –13.10.1972 Skopje, Yugoslavia.
Champions: USSR (Tigran Petrosian, Viktor Korchnoi, Vasily Smyslov, Mikhail Tal, Anatoly Karpov, Vladimir Savon).
5th Women's Chess Olympiad. 25.9. –13.10.1972 Skopje, Yugoslavia.
Champions: USSR (Nona Gaprindashvili, Alla Kouchnir, Irina Levitina).
A: 2 Stamps Yugoslavia. Issued: 18.9.1972.
B: Special first day postmark, Belgrade.
C: Special first day postmark, Zagreb.
D: Special postmark, bluish, Skopje. (+ black, red, green)
Souvenir covers, card.
E: Stamp, Tunisia. Issued: 25.9.1972.
F: Special first day postmark, Tunis.
Souvenir covers.
Tunisia finished 42nd in the Olympiad with this team: Belkadi, Kchouk, Drira, Tebourb, Najar, Lagha.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 138-A.



International Tournament. 2. –13.4.1966 Le Havre, France.
Winner: Bent Larsen DK.

A: Stamp, France. Issued: 2.4.1966. Semi-official varieties: Imperforate, De Luxe Sheet, Colour Proofs, Die Proof.
B: Special first day postmark, Le Havre.
C: Special postmark, Le Havre

Souvenir covers, cards.
The French chess magazine "Europe – Echecs" organised this event.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 99-A



Contribution to the Dr. Jose Rizal Foundation Fund.

A: Stamp, Philippines. Issued: 30.12.1962, in a set of 2 stamps. It shows the national hero Jose Rizal (1891-1896) playing chess during a sea voyage. He is, however, not known to be a chess player. Souvenir Covers.

B: "A" with overprint marking a presidential installation. Issued : 30.12.1965.

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Souvenir card.
The card is AUTOGRAPHED by several prominent chess players.

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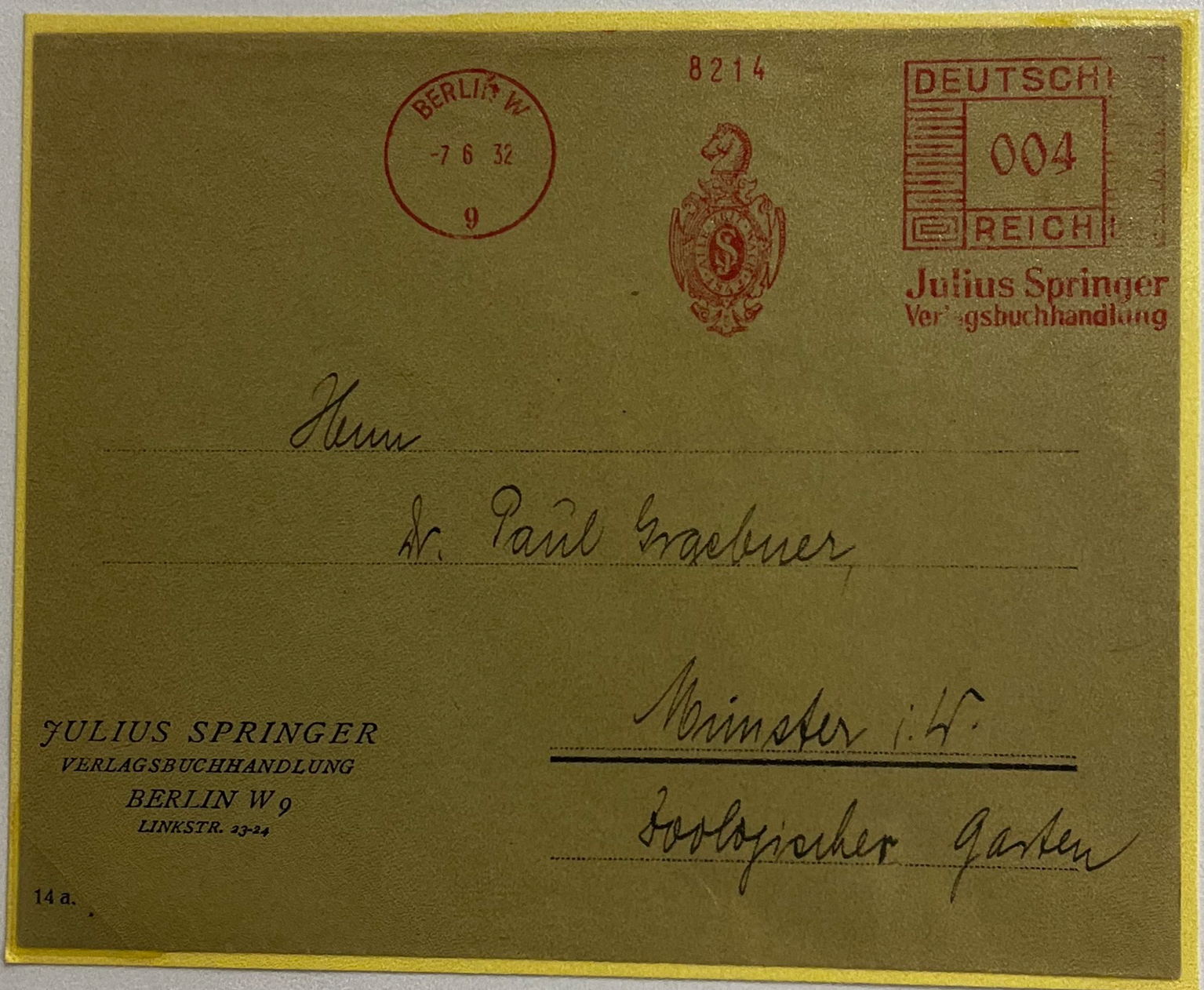

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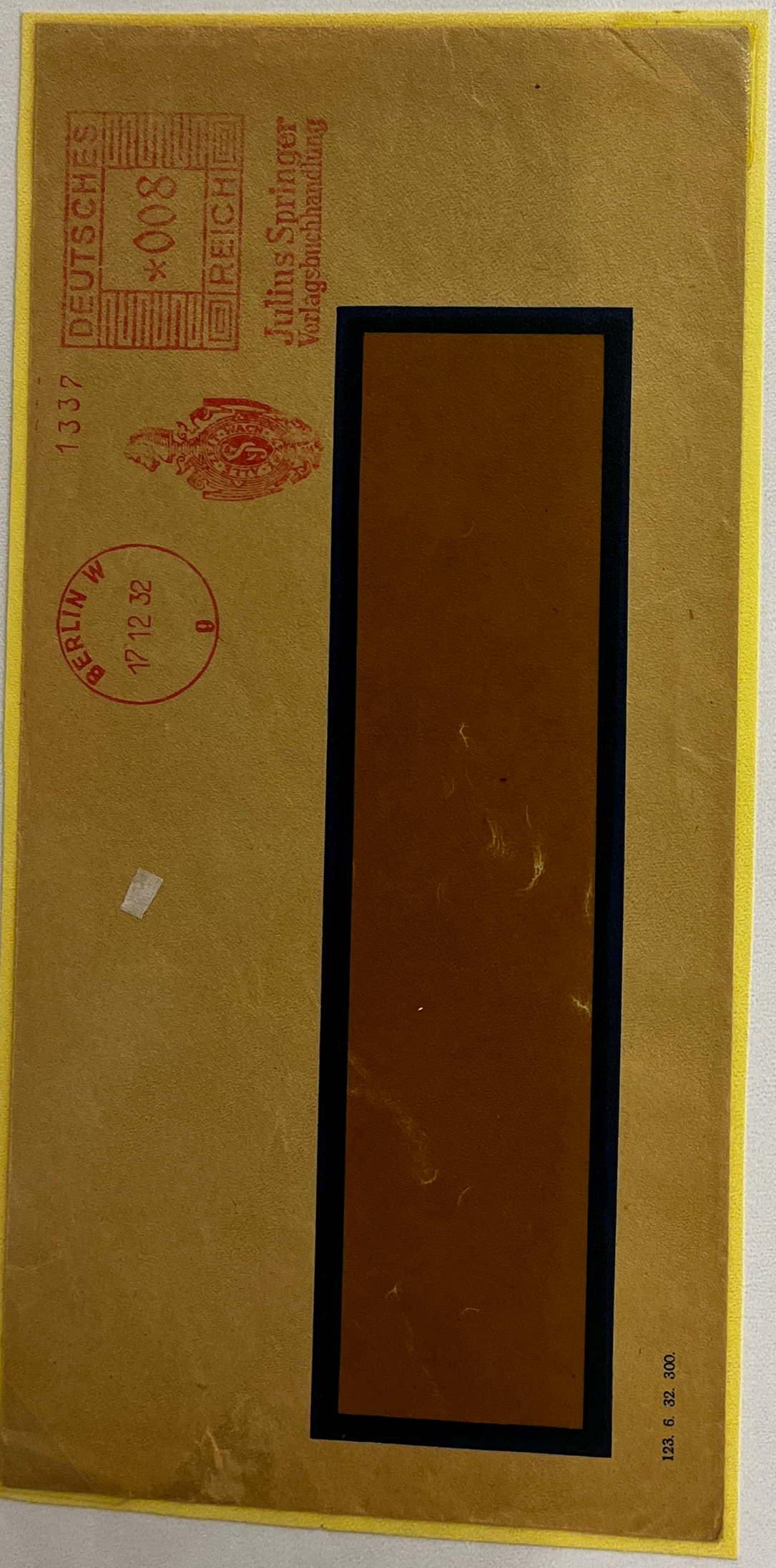

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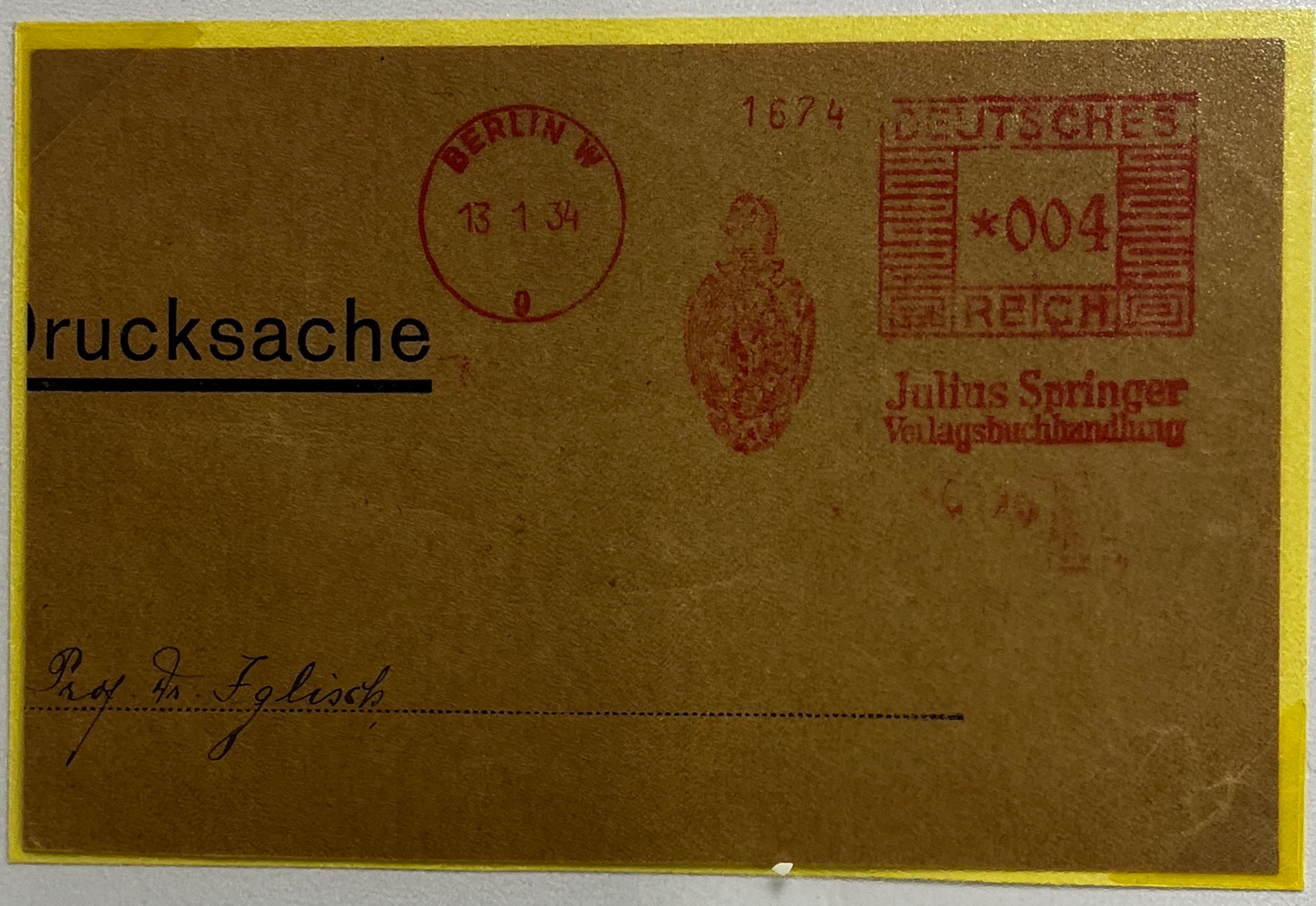

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CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 7801



20.1.-11.2.1978 Belgrade, Yugoslavia.
33 Yugoslav Championship .
Champions : GM Borislav Ivkov (10/17, +3 =14 –0).
GM Alexander Matanovic (+4 =12 –1).
A : "33. SAMPIONAT JUGOSLAVIJE U SAHU".
Special postmark, Belgrade Used : 20.1.1978
B : "33. SAMPIONAT JUGOSLAVIJE U SAHU".
Special postmark, Belgrade. Used : 5.2.1978
"A" and "B" show the emblem of the bank Jugobanka which sponsored this championship.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 7803



4.-20.2.1978 Reykjavik, Iceland.
8 International Tournament (cat. 11)
Winner : GM Walter Browne USA (9/13. +7 =4 –2).
A : "VIII. REYKJAVIKUR SKAKMOTID"
Special postmark, Reykjavik. Used : 16.2.1978.

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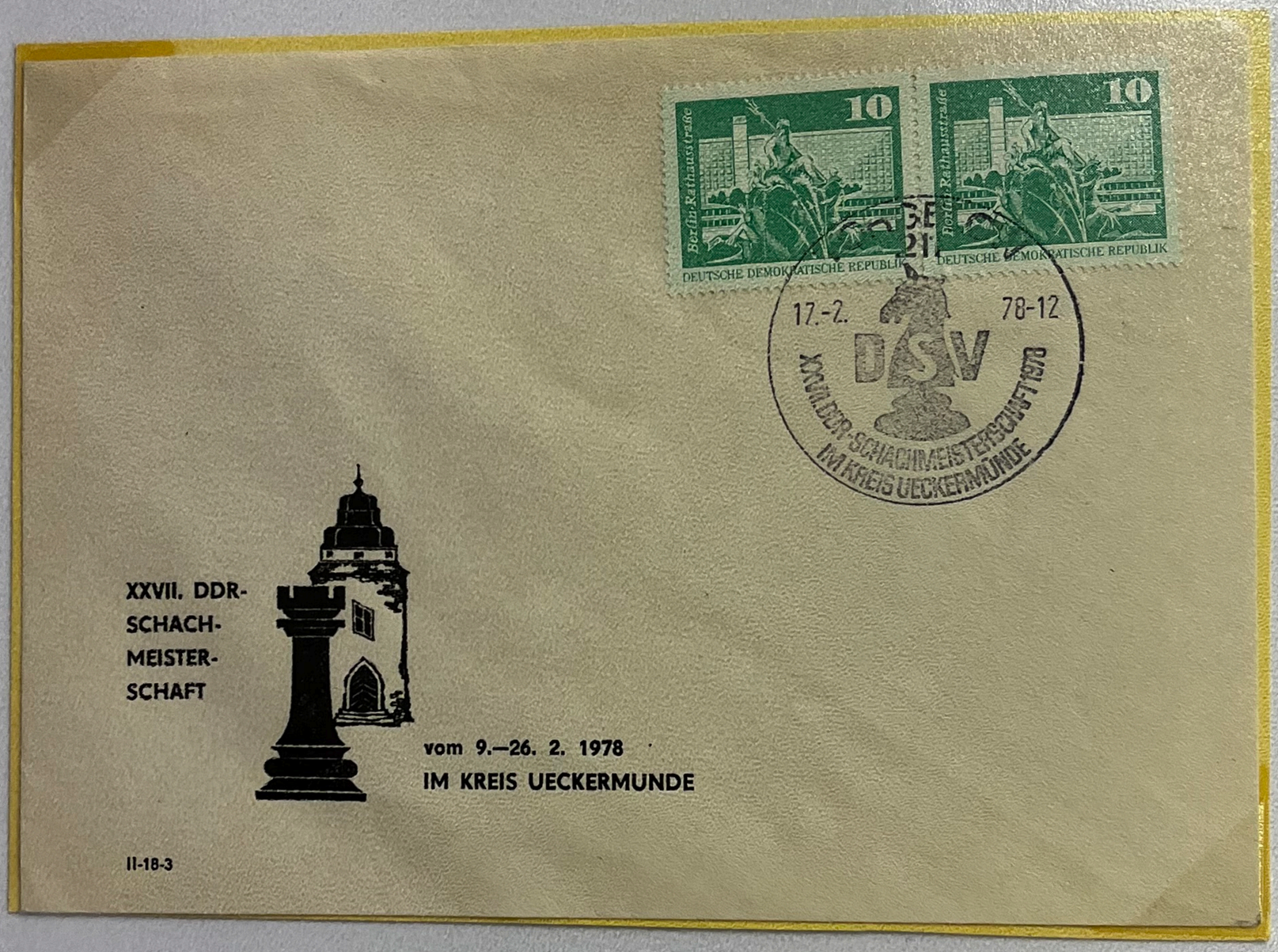
CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 7804



9.-26.2.1978 Torgelow, D D R.
27 DDR Women's Championship.
Champion : WIM Brigitte Hofmann (10.5/14, + = -).
After tie match vs. WIM Petra Feustel (2 –1)
A : " XXVII. DDR – SCHACHMEISTERSCHAFT 1978, IM KREIS UECKERMUNDE" .
Special postmark, Torgelow. Used : 9.-26.2.1978.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 7805



1.-12.2.1978 Budapest, Hungary.
Final rounds of the 6 Silver Cup of the Hungarian Newspaper.
Winners :
A : " KOZALKALMAZOTTAK SAKK – TOMEGVERSENYE,AGYAR HIRLAP KUPA".
Special postmark, Budapest. Used : 11.-12.2.1978.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 7808



5.3.1978 Hoboken, Belgium.
3 Spring Team Tournament, organised by the Moretus – Hoboken chess club.
Winners :
A : "3. LENTETORNOOI S.K. MORETUS – HOBOKEN"
Special postmark, Hoboken. Used : 5.3.1978

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Special postmark, Hoboken. Used : 5.3.1978

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 7810 – A



.3.1978 Mostar, Yugoslavia.
International Lightning Chess Tournament.
Winner : GM Anatoly Karpov SU (10/13).
A : "MEDUNARODNI BRZOPOTEZNI VELEMAJSTORSKI SAHOVSKI TURNIR".
Special postmark, Mostar. Used : 16.3.1978.
B : Same as "A", but machine.
C : "MEDUNARODNI VELEMAJSTORSKI BRZOPOTEZNI SAHOVSKI TURNIR."
Special postmark, Mostar. Used : 18.3.1978.

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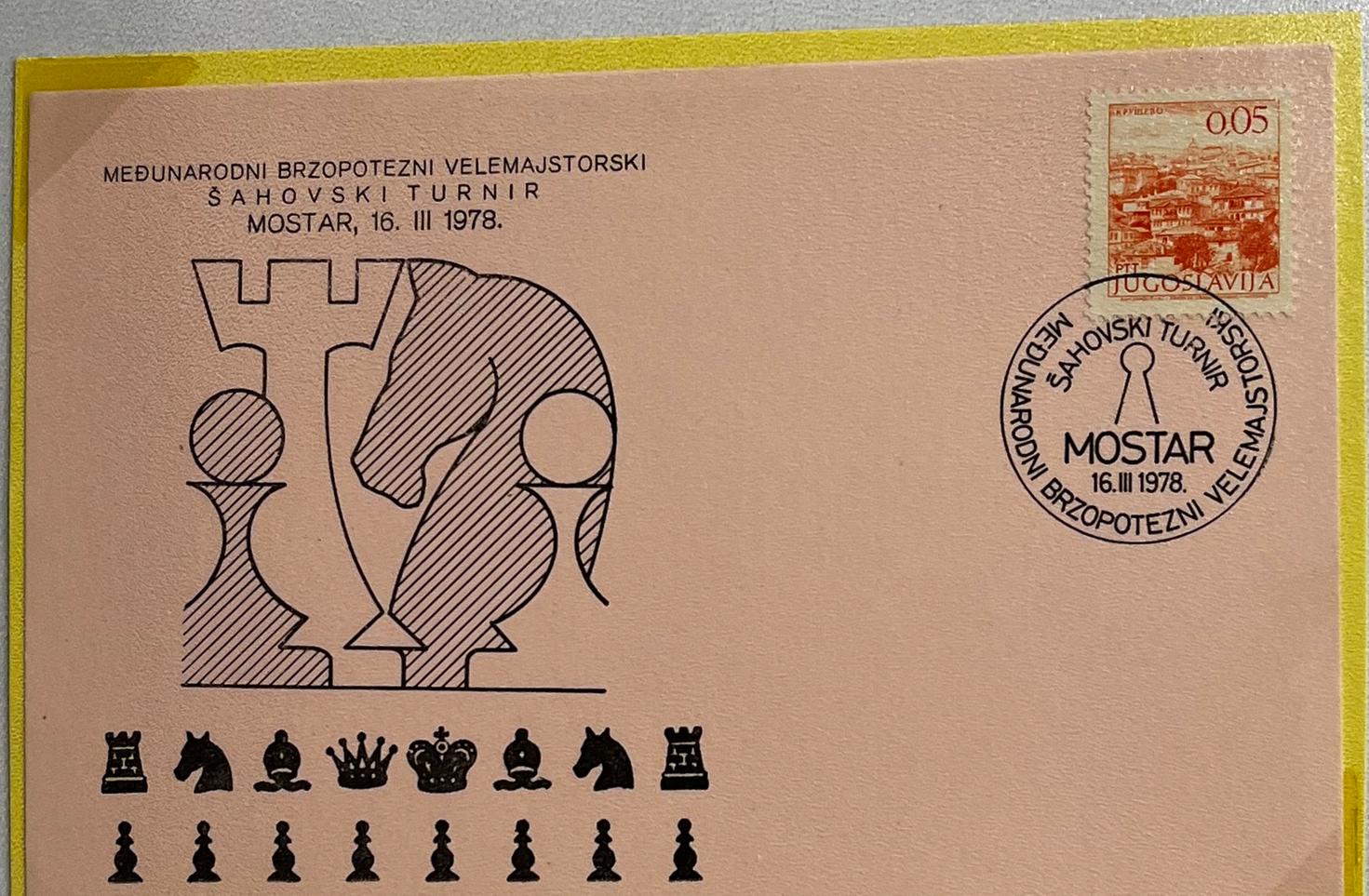
CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 7810 – B



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A : "MEDUNARODNI BRZOPOTEZNI VELEMAJSTORSKI SAHOVSKI TURNIR".
Special postmark, Mostar. Used : 16.3.1978.
B : Same as "A", but machine.
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Special postmark, Mostar. Used : 18.3.1978.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 7811



2.-8.4.1978 Hoboken, Belgium.
Belgian Junior Championships.
Champion: N. Bergmans (5/7, + = -).
Women : S. Peeters (5.5/7, + = -).
A : "NATIONALE JEUGDKAMPIOENSCHAPPEN SCHAKEN"
Special postmark, Hoboken . Used : 4.4.1978

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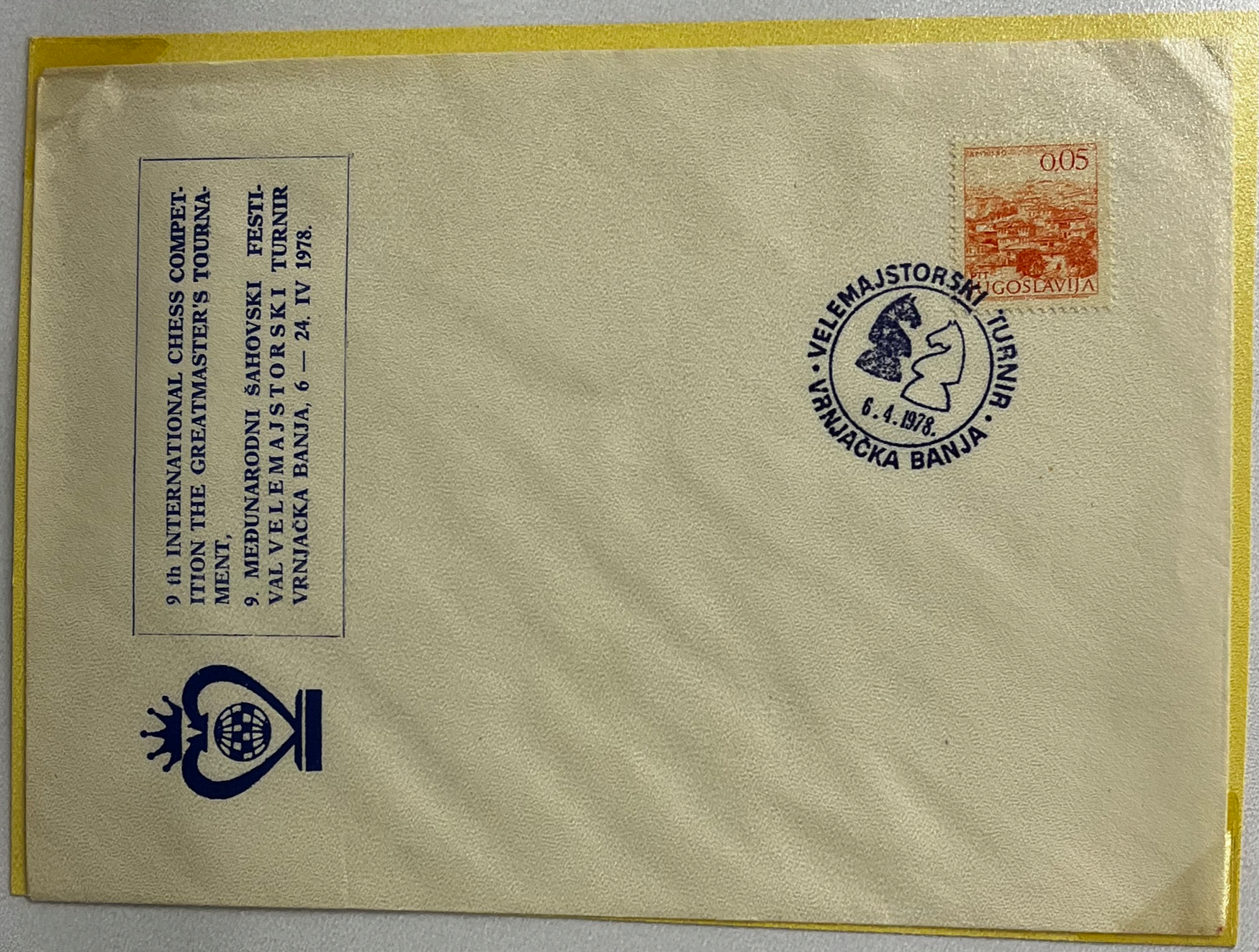

6.-24.4.1978 Vrnjacka Banja, Yugoslavia.
9 International Tournament (cat . 8).
Winners : IM Juraj Nikolac YU (10.5/15, + = -)>
IM Mihajlo Mihaljcisin YU (+ = -).
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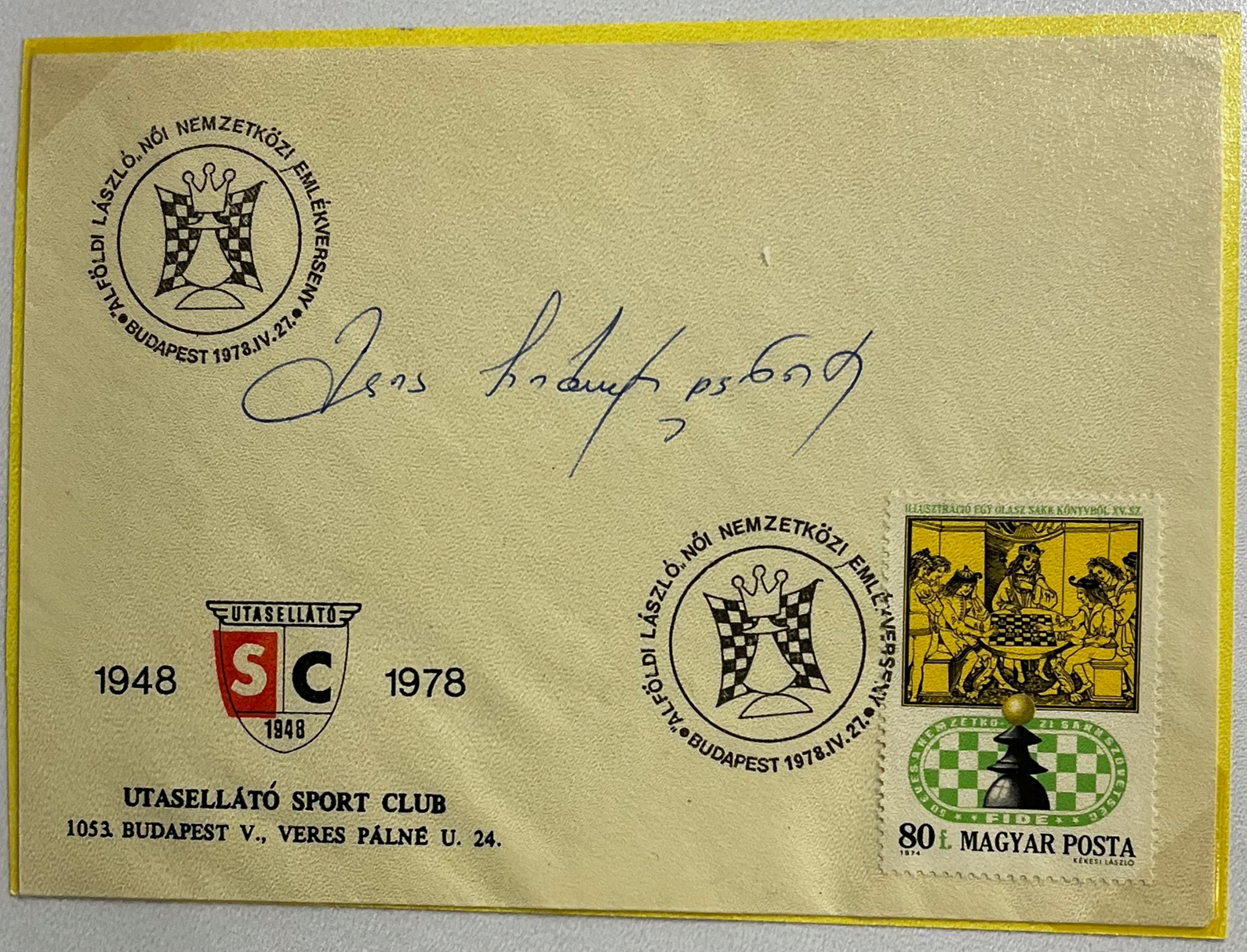

12.-27.4.1978 Budapest, Hungary.
Women's International Alfoldy Memnorial tournament (cat .6).
Winner : WGM Maja chiburdanidse SU (11/13, +9 =4 –0).
A : "ALFOLDI LASZLO NOI NEMZETKOZO EMLEKVERSENY".
(Alfoldy's name has been misspelled!)
Special postmark, Budapest. Used : 12. and 27.4.1978.
Laszlo alfoldy (1914 – 1977) was vice president of the Utasellato sports club which organised this event.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 7818



.4.-3.5.1978 Havana , Cuba.
3 Young Rebel Master Tournament.
Winner:
A : " III TORNEO MAGISTRAL DE AJEDREZ, JUVENTUD REBELDE, CLAUSURA".
Special postmark, Havana. Used : 3.5.1978.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 7821

9.4.-20.5.1978 Las Palmas, Spain.
International Tournament (cat . 10).
Winners : GM Gyula Sax H
(10.5/15,+7 =7-1)
GM Vladimir Tukmakov SU
(+7 =7 –1)
A : " VII TORNEO INTERnal DE AJEDREZ"
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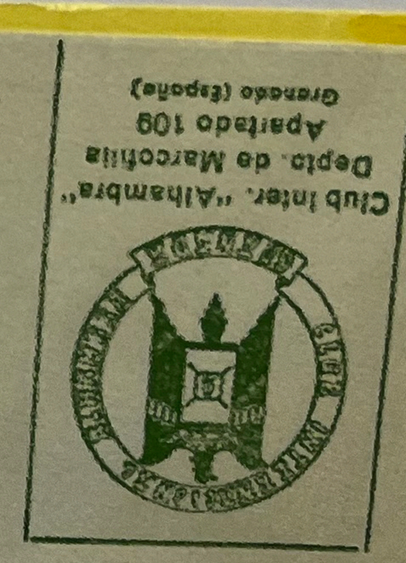
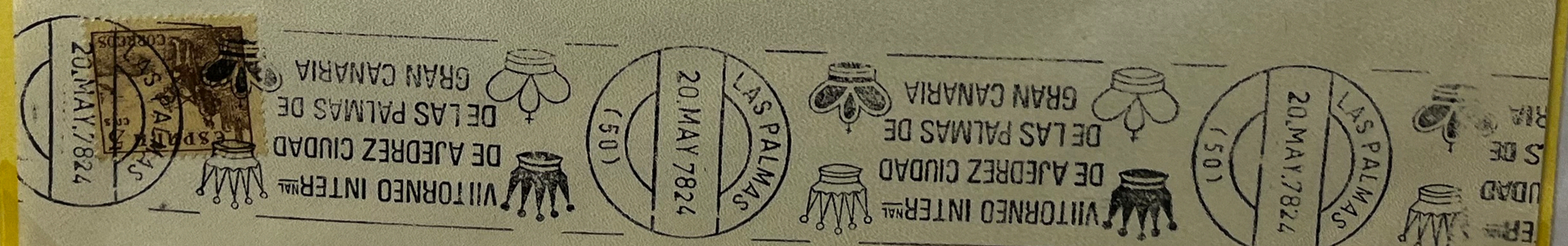
Used : 29.4.-20.5.1978





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CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 7822



.-13.5.1978 Zamardi, Hungary.
International Elekes Memorial Tournament (cat . 5).
Winner : IM Ferenc Portisch H (8/11, +6 =4 –1)
A : “STATISZTIKA PSC ELEKES DEZSO EMLEKVERSENY”
Special postmark, Zamardi. Used : 2.5.1978.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 7838 – A&B



17.7.-18.10.1978 Baguio City, Philippines.
FIDE World Championship Match.

GM Anatoly Karpov SU : .5.5.5.5.5.5.51.5.50.511.5.51.5.5.50.5.5.5.5.5100.501 = 6 (16.5)
GM Victor Korchnoi SL : .5.5.5.5.5.5.50.5.51.500.5.50.5.5.51.5.5.5.5.5011.510 = 5 (15.5)

A: 2 Stamps (30 s, 2 P), Philippines.
Day of issue : 17.7.1978. Perf 12.5
Issued : , in sheets of 50.
B : Special first day postmark, Baguio City.
C : Same as "B", but Manila Central Post Office.
D : "SAHOVSKI MEC KARPOV – KORCNOJ U BAGIO SITIJU ".
("Chess Match Karpov – Korchnoi in Baguio City")
Special postmark, Belgrade, Yugoslavia.
Used : 20.8.1978.

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CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 7838 – D

MEČ KARPOV — KORČNOJ
ZA PRVAKA SVETA U ŠAHU
BAGUIO CITY (Philippines) 1978.



(Snimak plakata meča)





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Used : 20.8.1978.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 7839



19.-31.7.1978 Mosonmagyarovar, Hungary.
National Master and Candidate Master Tournament.
Winner : Janos Szabolcsi (9.5/12,+9 =1-2).
A : "ORSZAGOS VEGYES MESTERVERSENY".
Special postmark, Mosonmagyarovar.
Used : 19.7.1978

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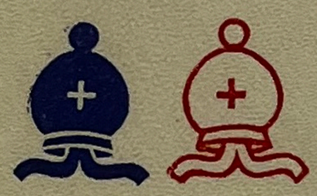

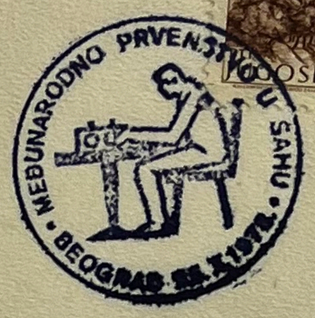



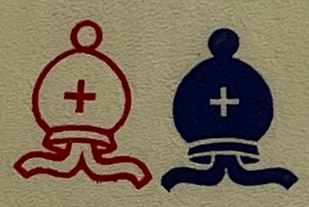

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16.-28.10.1978 Belgrade, Yugoslavia.
4 International Championship of Belgrade.
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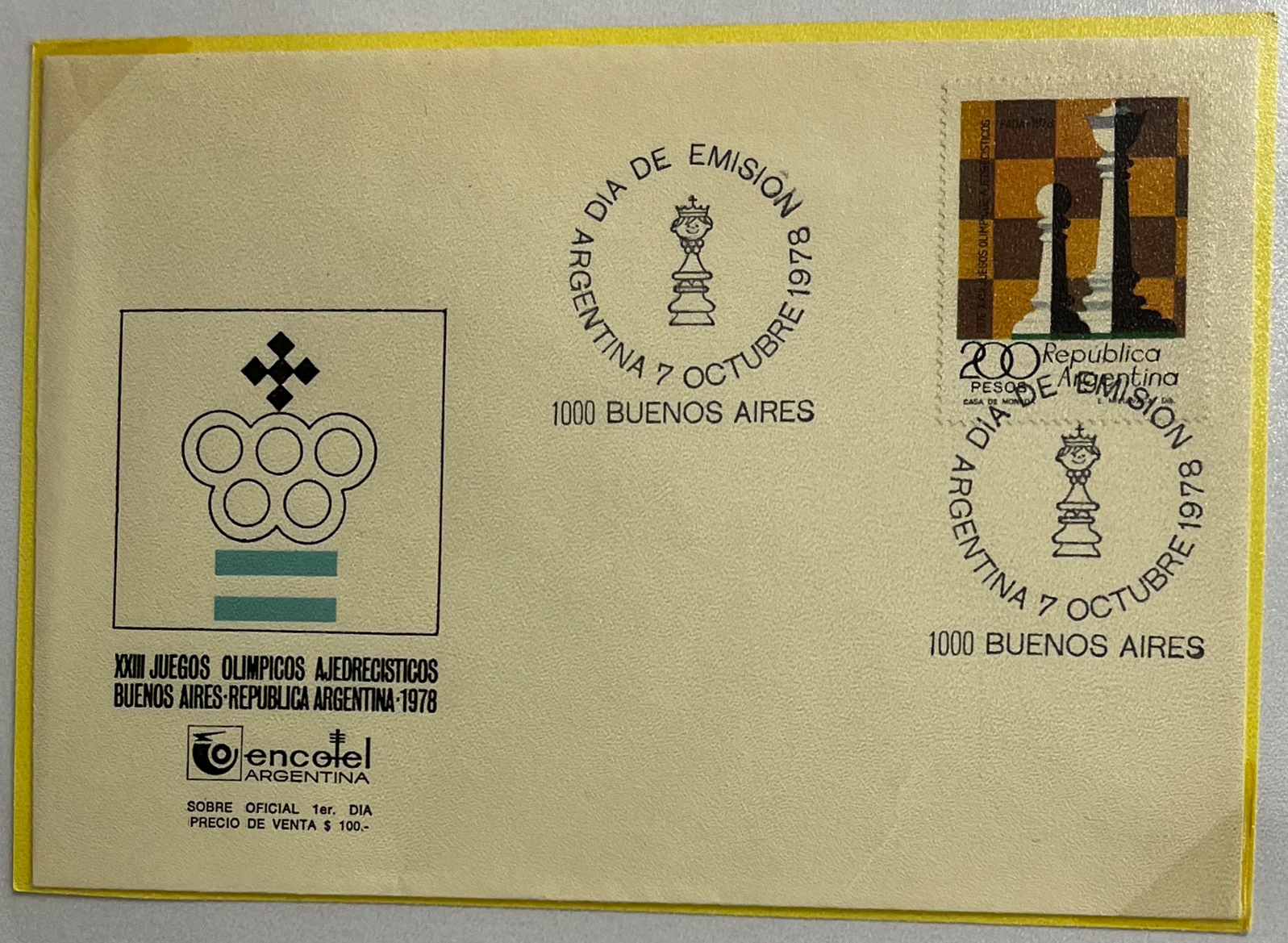

25.10.-12.11.1978 Buenos Aires, Argentina.
FIDE 23 Chess Olympiad / FIDE 23. Schacholympiade.
Champions : Hungary 37/56 (GM Lajon Portisch 10/14, GM Zoltan Ribli 9/13, GM Gyula Sax 8.5/12, GM Andre Adorjan 2/4, GM Istvan Csom 6/10, GM Laszlo Vadasz 1.5/3).2 : USSR 36, USA 35.
FIDE 8 Women's Chess Olympiad (see " F").
Champions : USSR 16/21 (WGM Maja Chiburdanidse 9/11, GM Nona Gaprindashvii 9.5/11, WGM Nana Alexandria 8/10, WGM Elena Ahmilovskaya10/10) 2 : West Germany 11, 3 : Hungary 11. 4 : Yugoslavia 11.
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XXIII Juegos Olímpicos Ajedrecísticos

25.10.-12.11.1978 Buenos Aires, Argentina.
FIDE 23 Chess Olympiad / FIDE 23. Schacholympiade.
Champions : Hungary 37/56 (GM Lajon Portisch 10/14, GM Zoltan Ribli 9/13,
GM Gyula Sax 8.5/12, GM Andre Adorjan 2/4, GM Istvan Csom 6/10,
GM Laszlo Vadasz 1.5/3).2 : USSR 36, USA 35.
FIDE 8 Women's Chess Olympiad (see " F").
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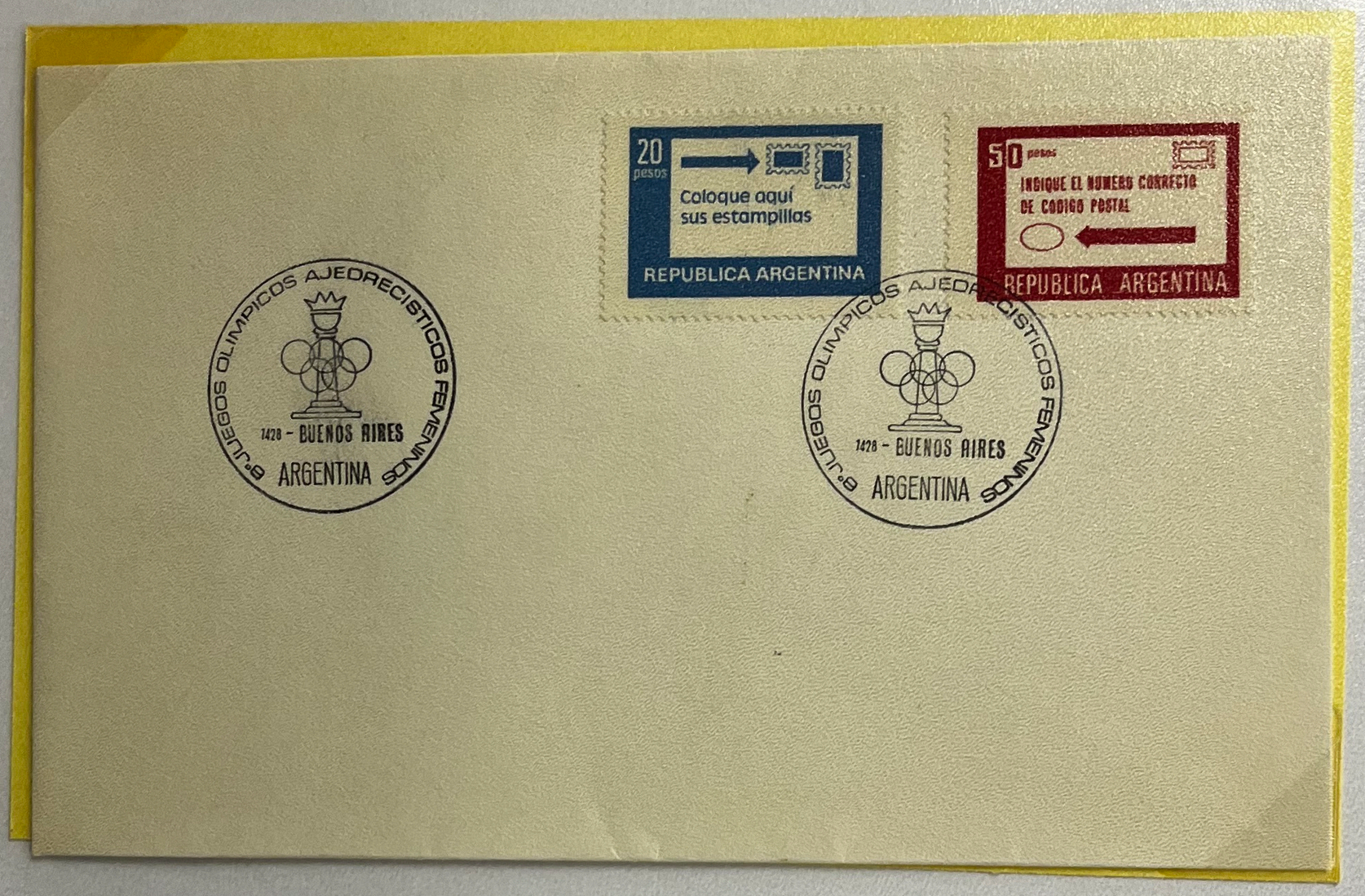

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D : "XXIII JEUGOS OLIMPICOS AJEDRECISTICOS".
Special postmark, 1428 Beunos Aires : Used at the River Plate Stadium, where the events were held.

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CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 7851 – G



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G : "SAKKOLIMPIA BUENOS-AIRES '78 , 1. MAGYARORSZAG "
("Chess Olympiad , 1 Hungary")
Special postmark , Budapest , Hungary. Used : 21.12.1978

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CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 7851 – G

SAKKOLIMPIA

1. MAGYARORSZÁG

1927. London: MARÓCZI, NAGY, VAJDA, STEINER, HAVASI

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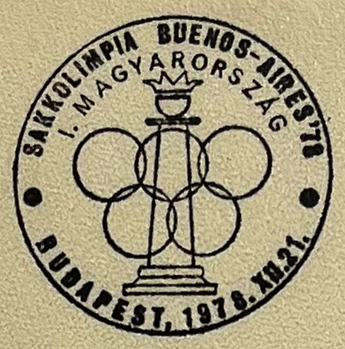





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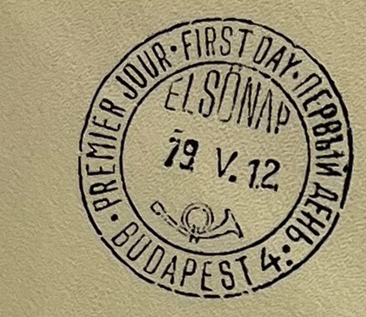







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H : Stamp (3 Ft).Hungary . Day of issue : 12.5.1979.
Perf 12. Issued : 311.300, in sheets of 50.
Briefmarks (3 Ft), Ungarn. Zahnung 12.
J : "23. SAKKOLIMPIA – 1 . MAGYARORSZAG".
Special first day postmark, Budapest 4.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 7851 – I & J



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H : Stamp (3 Ft).Hungary . Day of issue : 12.5.1979.
Perf 12. Issued : 311.300, in sheets of 50.
Briefmarks (3 Ft), Ungarn. Zahnung 12.
I : Same as "H", but imperforate. Issued : 21.900.
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J : "23. SAKKOLIMPIA – 1 . MAGYARORSZAG".
Special first day postmark, Budapest 4.

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CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 7851 – L



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L: Stamp (7P), Uruguay. Perf 12 ¼.
Day of issue : 29.4.1979, Issued : 30.000.
This is one of 8 stamps printed in 2 numbered souvenir sheets and issued to mark the Montevideo international philatelic exhibition. The sheets were sold in complete sets along with imperf sheets that were not valid for postal purposes and had the values crossed out.
The sheet margin next to the stamp also features chess (ill.).
See also No : 7802.

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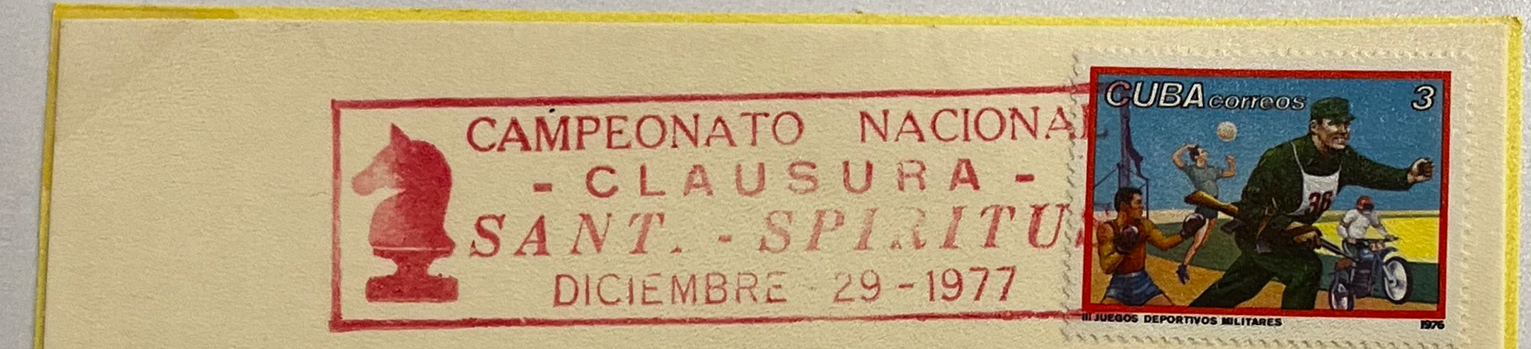

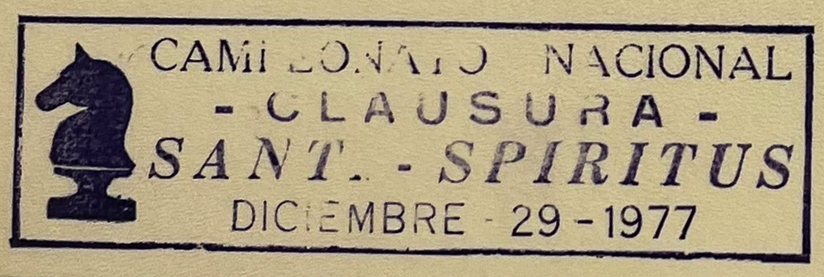

CAMPEONTO NACIONAL – CLAUSURA -
A: SANT. – SPIRITUS, Used: 10.12.1977, Violet.
B: SANT. – SPIRITUS, Used: 29.12.1977, **Violet**, **Red**.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 7853



5.-21.11.1978 Halle, D D R.
12 Women's International Tournament (cat. 3.)
Winner : WIM Brigitte Hofmann DDR (10.5/13, +8 =5 –0)
A : "XII. INTERNATIONALES FRAUENSCHACHTURNIER".
Special postmark, Halle- Neustadt 1.
Used : 5.-21.11.1978.

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 7726



1.-10.7.1977 Gyor, Hungary.
Women's Chess Match. Hungary vs. Yugoslavia (23.5 – 12.5), organized by the College for Traffic and Telecommunication Engineering in Gyor.
Hungary (23.5): WIM Edit Krizsan, WIM Eva Karakas, Rita Kas,
Yugoslavia (12.5): WGM Teresa Stadler, WIM Tanja.
A : "KOZLEKEDESI ES TAVKOZLESI MUSZAKI FOISKOLA "
Special postmark , Gyor. Used : 3.-4. and 6.-7.7.1977.
Souvenir Cover
Stamped on 3th

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Special postmark , Gyor. Used : 3.-4. and 6.-7.7.1977.
Souvenir Cover
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CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 7727



3.-17.7.1977 Stockholm, Sweden.
Swedish Championship
Champion : IM Axel Ornstein (10.5/15, +8 =5-2).
A: " SM I SCHACK".
Special postmark , Stockholm. Used : 3.. and 15.7..1977.
Souvenir Cover

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Souvenir Cover

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 7728



9.-17.7.1977 Zamora, Spain .
18 Spanish Women's Championship / 18. Spanische Frauenmeisteschaft
Champion : Nieves Garcia (6/8, +4 =4 –0).
A : "XVIII CAMPEONATOS DE ESPANA DE AJEDREZ FEMENINO"
Machine slogan postmark, Zamora. Used : 9.-17.7.1977.
Madrid strikes are courtesy strikes of semi-official origin.
Souvenir Cover

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 7729



21.-31.7.1977 Ostend, Belgium.
1 Belgian Open Championship.
Winner : Marc Dutreeuw B.
A : Special postmark, Ostend. Used : 21.7.1977

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 7730



24.-31.7.1977 Jakarta, Indonesia.
9 National Sports Week.
Winners : Jakarta Special Capital Territory
(Ardiasyah , Sampouw, Suwandhio, Kusnadi).
A : Stamp (50 R) , Indonesia. Day of issue: 22.6.1977,
in a set of 3 sports stamps. Perf 12.5.
Issued : 1.000.000, in sheets of 50.
Souvenir Cover

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 7731



29.-7.-17.8.1977 Budapest, Hungary.
3 International Tournament (cat. 10).
Organized by the Tungsram Bulb Company.
Winner ; GM David Bronstein SU (11/16, +6 = 10 –0).
A : “ TUNGSRAM NEMZETKOZI SAKKVERSENY”.
Special postmark , Budapest. Used : 29.7.1977.
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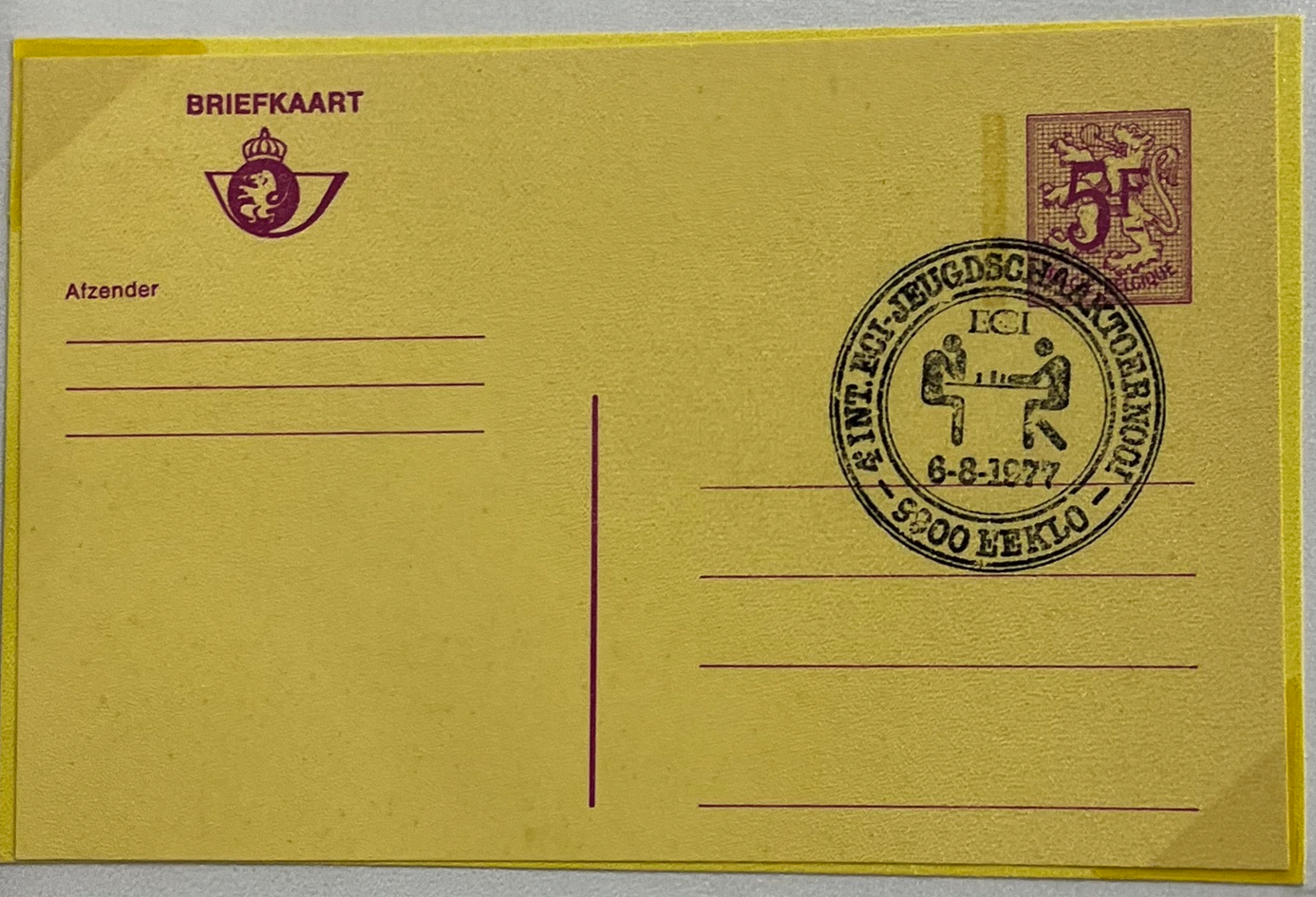

5.-13.8.1977 Eeklo, Belgium.
4 International Junior tournament, organized by the ECI book and music club.
Winner: Darko Supancic YU
A : " 4e INT. ECI- JEUGDSCHAAKTOERNOOI".
Special postmark, Eeklo. Used : 6.-7.8.1977.

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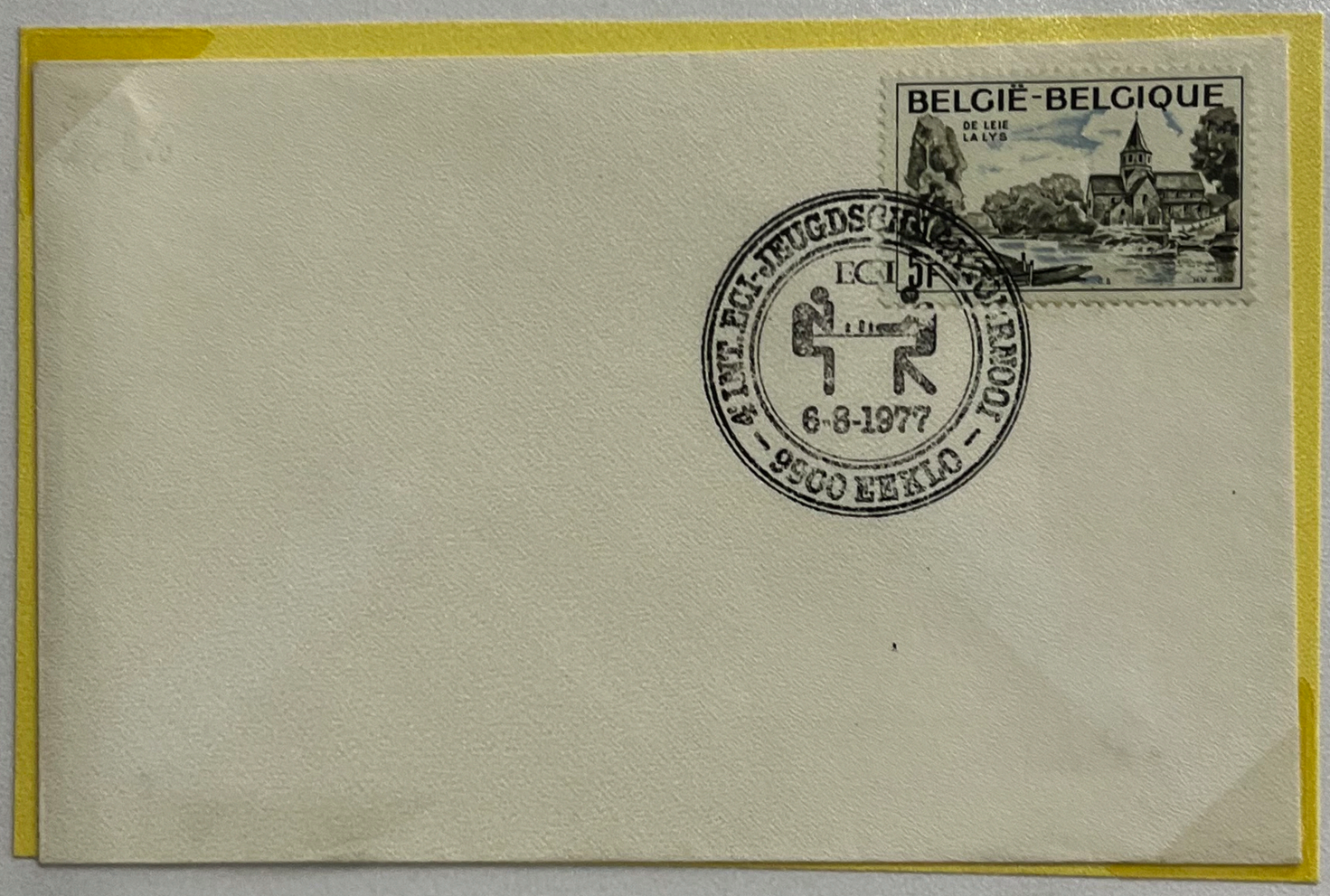

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5.-27.8.1977 Polanica Zdroj, Poland.
15 International Rubinstein Memorial Tournament (cat. 9.)
Winner : GM Vlastimil Hort CS (12/17, +7 =10-0).
A: " XV MEMORIALA. RUBINSTEINA MIEDZYNARODOWY TURNIEJ SZACHOWY W POLANICY ZDROJU"
Special postmark, Polanica Zdroj.
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CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 7734



2.-30.9.1977 Zabrze, Poland.
1 International Tournament (cat. 6.).
Winner : GM Rainer Knaak DDR (9/11, +7 =4 –0)
A : 'I MIEDZYNARODOWY FESTIWAL SZACHOWY, ZABRZANSKI WRZESIEN "
Special postmark, Zabrze 1. Used : 2.9.1977

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CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 7735 – A



5.-11.9.1977 Malinska, Yugoslavia.
20 Meeting of the FIDE Commission for Chess Compositions.
A : " XX KONGRES PROBLEMISTA FIDE".
Special postmark, Malinska. Used : 5. and 11.9.1977
B : Same as "A", but machine.
Souvenir Cover

CHECKMATE

CHESS CANCEL NUMBER – 7735 – B



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