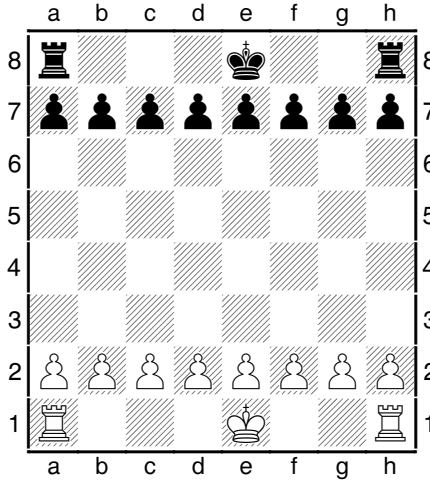
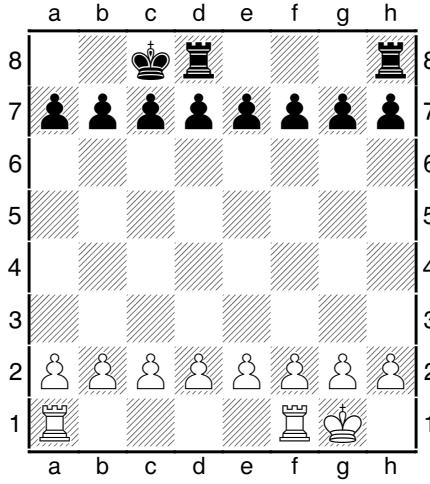
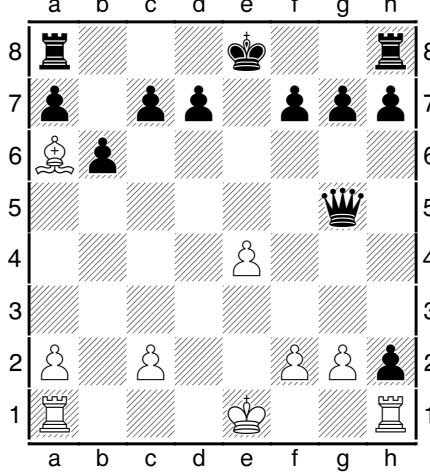


King Safety Classwork:
Castling Rules:

 <p>1) There are no pieces between the King and the Rook on the side where we intend to castle.</p>	 <p>In this example white castled <u>kingside</u> (short castle, 0-0) and black castled <u>queenside</u> (long castle, 0-0-0).</p>
<p>2) Castling is not allowed at all if King previously moved. If one of the rooks moved castling to that side is not allowed.</p>	
<p>3) At the moment of castling King cannot be in check.</p>	
<p>4) After castling the King cannot be in check.</p> <p>For example in diagram on the left white cannot castle short since that would put their King under attack of h2 pawn. They cannot castle long as that would put their King on c1 where it will be attacked by the Queen on g5.</p> <p>Black cannot castle long. Why? Can they do a kingside castle?</p>	
<p>5) King cannot pass through a square that is attacked by an opponent.</p> <p>Black cannot castle at all. King has to pass through f8 when attempting to castle short. When trying to castle long it has to pass through d8 that is attacked by white Bishop.</p> <p>Can white castle short ? Can white castle to the queenside.</p>	