

Retro Chess Puzzle

A puzzle comes knocking at the door.

Detective: "I've got a case for you! We were called to a hotel with rooms full of masked parties, and the suspects scattered across the rooms. But can this possibly be legal?!"

You see six pictures.

Rm. 435: "Masters"

8	T	e	R					T
7	S	S	S	S				S
6								
5				S		S		
4	A		R					S
3	s		s		E			s
2		s		s	s	s	s	a
1				M		r	m	t
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h

Rm. 444: "Thieves"

8			e		i		v	
7	h					h	h	
6	V			T			h	
5		s	h	t	h			
4		h				s	H	
3			h	I			H	
2	H	H		H	H	H		V
1	T		S		t		E	
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h

Rm. 436: "Chairs"

8	S						r	s
7	I	i	I		I	i	C	i
6		h						
5				i				
4				i				
3							I	
2	I	i	I		I	i	I	i
1	C	A					h	
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h

Rm. 764: "Flacks"

8		C		A	K		C	S
7	F	F				F	F	F
6								
5								
4	L							
3	f		k	f				
2	f			f	f	f	f	f
1	L		S	A	a	l		s
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h

Rm. 755: "Doctors"

8			D			o	d	
7			o	t	t	t	t	t
6	t	t	R		t		c	
5								
4								
3			C	c	r			T
2	T	T	T	T	T	T	O	T
1	R		S	O	s			
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h

Rm. 748: "Jewelers"

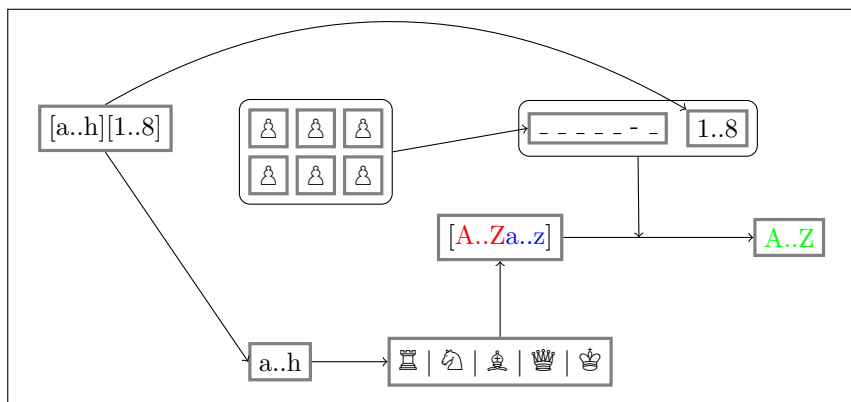
8			e		s	W		
7					L	R	L	R
6			J				R	
5		S		l				
4							w	
3	j			E		S	R	
2					L	R	L	R
1	E							
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h

D: "As my guys entered the rooms, they yelled 'Nobody move!' But the suspects had already all managed to move and blend in. If only we could turn back the clock and see where they had moved from!"

You: "I bet the rank and file would like the extra action."

D: "Oh! We also found some kind of note in canvassing the rooms."

You see a strip of paper.



You: "Indeed, I can follow it to the letter for each picture. I'll get you the (4)(1)(1)!"

Note: consider any move where a king and a rook both move as a king move.