

### CONTRACT BRIDGE

By B. JAV BECKER

South dealer.  
East-West vulnerable.

**NORTH**  
♠ Q987432  
♥ Q8  
♦ 7  
♣ K75

**EAST**  
♠ 5  
♥ K109752  
♦ KQ10643  
♣ A

**WEST**  
♠ J84  
♥ 952  
♦ QJ109863  
♣ A

**SOUTH**  
♠ AKJ106  
♥ A3  
♦ A3  
♣ A42

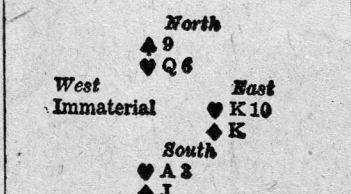
The bidding:  
South West North East  
1♣ Pass 4♣ Pass

Opening lead—queen of clubs. The reader may note a strong resemblance between this hand and the one published yesterday. As a matter of fact, the bidding is identical and the deal is exactly the same, card for card, except that the queen of diamonds which was yesterday in West's hand has been exchanged for the queen of clubs which was in East's hand.

The slam was made yesterday by means of an elimination and endplay. The slam is made today by means of a squeeze.

Assume that declarer plays low from dummy on the club lead and East ruffs. Back comes the

king of diamonds and South appears defeated since a heart lead so South plays on in hopes that East, who has marked himself with the queen of diamonds, also has the king of hearts. The diamond king is taken with the ace and a diamond is ruffed in dummy. After cashing the A-K of clubs, five rounds of trumps are drawn, ending in dummy, at which point this is the situation:



The nine of spades is led and East must find a discard. He is hopelessly squeezed. If he discards the king of diamonds, South disposes of the three of hearts and makes the last two tricks in his own hand. If East chooses to discard the ten of hearts instead, South in turn discards the jack of diamonds. Declarer then makes the last two tricks by leading a low heart from dummy to the ace, catching East's king, and then a heart to dummy's queen. The squeeze is a wonderful weapon.

- 3.05—RCA Victor Record Album
- 3.30—Club 1240
- 3.00—Rural Rhythms
- 6.00—News and Wx.
- 6.10—Interlude
- 6.20—Parade of Sports
- 6.30—Passport to Daydreams
- 7.00—Rosary
- 7.15—Interlude
- 7.20—Maritime Weather
- 7.30—Chorus Time
- 8.00—Your Musical Date
- 8.30—Three Suns
- 8.45—Jackie Gleason
- 9.00—News and Wx.
- 9.05—Fish and Game Forum
- 10.00—Top Tunes of our Times
- 11.00—News and Wx.
- 11.05—Top Tunes of our Times
- 12.00—News and Weather
- 12.05—Prayer and Sign of

#### CBA THURSDAY

- AST**
- 7.20—Marine Weather
  - 7.30—A.M. Chronicle
  - 8.00—CBC News and Weather
  - 8.15—Maritime Sportscast
  - 8.20—A.M. Chronicle
  - 8.45—Morning Devotions
  - 9.00—A.M. Chronicle
  - 10.00—Atlantic School
  - 10.15—A.M. Chronicle
  - 11.00—Showcase
  - 11.15—Kindergarten of the Air
  - 11.30—Joan Marshal
  - 11.40—Ruth Harding
  - 11.45—Speakers Choice
  - 12.00—U.N. on the Record
  - 12.15—Jamboree Junction
  - 12.30—Maritime Farm B'Cast
  - 1.00—CBC News and Weather
  - 1.15—Pages from Life
  - 1.30—Time out for Melody
  - 1.50—Time Signal
  - 2.00—Atlantic School B'Cast
  - 2.15—The Happy Gang
  - 2.45—For the Piano
  - 3.00—Trans. Can. Matinee
  - 4.00—Music by McMullin
  - 4.30—Ottawa Symphony
  - 5.00—Maritime Fish B'Cast
  - 5.30—Austrian Songs
  - 5.45—Voyage Into Space
  - 6.00—CBC Times
  - 6.10—Maritime Sportscast
  - 6.15—CBC News and Weather
  - 6.30—Rawhide
  - 6.45—Roving Reporter
  - 6.55—Byline
  - 7.00—Music in the Evening
  - 7.30—Folk Song Time
  - 8.00—Musical Program
  - 8.30—Designed for You

#### CFCY TV CHANNEL 13

- Schedule THURSDAY**
- 3:15 p.m.—Afternoon Musicale
  - 3:45 p.m.—Nursery School Time
  - 4:00 p.m.—Open House
  - 4:30 p.m.—Maggy Muggins
  - 5:00 p.m.—Maggy Muggins
  - 5:15 p.m.—Isles of Mystery and Romance
  - 5:30 p.m.—The Lone Ranger
  - 6:00 p.m.—Western Theatre
  - 6:30 p.m.—CFCY TV News
  - 7:00 p.m.—Gazette
  - 7:30 p.m.—Sports Weekly with Loman McAulay
  - 8:00 p.m.—I Search for Adventure
  - 8:30 p.m.—Don Messer and His Islanders
  - 9:00 p.m.—Adventures of McGraw
  - 9:30 p.m.—Climax
  - 10:30 p.m.—Music Makers '88
  - 11:00 p.m.—Folio
  - 12:00 p.m.—CBC TV News

#### CKCW — Moncton

- CHANNEL 2 THURSDAY**
- 1:00 p.m.—Thursday Playbill News, Weather, Sports, Freda
  - 2:45 p.m.—Nursery School Time
  - 3:00 p.m.—Over The Back Fence
  - 4:00 p.m.—Open House
  - 4:30 p.m.—Howdy Doody
  - 5:00 p.m.—Maggy Muggins
  - 5:15 p.m.—Hobby Corner
  - 5:30 p.m.—The Lone Ranger
  - 6:00 p.m.—Guy Lombardo
  - 6:30 p.m.—Early Evening TV News
  - 6:45 p.m.—Weather
  - 6:50 p.m.—Spotlight on Sports
  - 7:00 p.m.—I Search for Adventure
  - 7:30 p.m.—Waterfront
  - 8:00 p.m.—San Francisco Beat
  - 8:30 p.m.—Don Messer
  - 9:00 p.m.—Meet McGraw
  - 9:30 p.m.—Climax
  - 10:30 p.m.—Music Makers
  - 11:00 p.m.—Folio "The Concert"
  - 12:00 a.m.—CBC TV News
  - 12:10 a.m.—CKCW TV News and Weather
  - 12:15 a.m.—Ringside with the Rasslers
  - 1:15 a.m.—Sign Off

### DAILY CROSSWORD

**ACROSS**

- Common infinitive
- A sanction
- Medieval stories
- Desert fertile spots
- Revolve collectively
- Masquerade costume
- Mimicked
- Silverlike alloy
- Cruises again
- Land measure
- Merry
- Salary
- Verdant
- Intimidated
- Flows
- Disfigure
- Bone (anat.)
- Young German noles
- Ketledrum
- External seed coating
- Long-drawn speech
- Man's nickname
- Founded
- Without (L)
- Organs of sight

**DOWN**

- Mole's coat color
- Monsters
- Wound dressings

**23. Country south (abbr.)** inhabitants

**24. Hair an an**

**25. Metal container**

**27. Stubborn person (colloq.)**

**28. Gem stones**

**30. Rub out**

**31. Tears apart**

**32. Snow vehicle**

**34. Copper-mines town (Venez.)**

**35. Farm building**

**40. Exist**

### DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE

Here's how to work it: AXYDLBAAXR is LONGFELLOW

One letter simply stands for another. In this sample A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Simple letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.

**A Cryptogram Quotation**

CIP TZYHP BD KRAPVCZN YR. AZPKVPV YR CIP ZKCYB BD HYV. CKRAP-AQZCYV.

Yesterday's Cryptogram: I PROPOSE TO FIGHT IT OUT ON THIS LINE, IF IT TAKES ALL SUMMER — GRANT.

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### OUR BOARDING HOUSE MAJOR HOOPLE

JASON, MY BROTHER TOM TELLS ME THE MAJOR IS MISSING IN ACTION AFTER COOKING UP SOME KIND OF OBNOXIOUS FIZZ STEW IN THE LABORATORY! YOU'VE ALWAYS BEEN KEEN ON THE TRAIL — JUST TELL HIM TO FORGET THE ROCKETS AND COME HOME!

KEERST, MIZ HOOPLE! MISTAK MAJOR USUALLY PLANNIN' A QUICK JUMP TO JERKEY OR SINGAPORE. BUT HE JUST NEVER DECIDES WHICH ROUTE TO TAKE! — MOST USUALLY HE COME ALONG PEACEABLE!

JASON KNOWS THIS ACT BY HEART.

### RIPLEY'S BELIEVE IT OR NOT

**MARY BELLE de VARGAS** of Natchitoches, La. BORN WITHOUT ARMS WAS A SKILLED ARTIST—TRIMMED HER OWN HAIR, PLAYED A GUITAR AND PITCHED HORSESHOES

**RAYMOND CAUDILL** of Taylorville, Ky. FISHING IN BIG PLUM CREEK HAD A 4-INCH BLUEGILL JUMP INTO HIS MOUTH

IT REMAINED CAUGHT IN THE BOY'S THROAT UNTIL A DOCTOR EXTRICATED THE FISH WITH A PAIR OF FORCEPS

**THE TEETERING TOWER OF GOOSNARH** England WHICH SWAYS EACH TIME ITS BELLS ARE RUNG WAS BUILT WITH FUNDS BEQUEATHED BY A SPINSTER WHO EARNED BUT A PENNY A DAY SPINNING FLAX

### WATCH RED ELECTIONS

WASHINGTON (AP) — The state department said Tuesday three U.S. citizens will go to Russia in March to observe elections for the Supreme Soviet (Parliament). Department spokesmen said the observers will include a journalist, a specialist in Slavic studies and a political-science expert. Their names are being withheld temporarily.

### MOST SERIOUS THREAT

SYDNEY, Australia (Reuters) Prime Minister Macmillan of Britain said Monday the danger of Communist political and economic penetration is more serious than the military threat to the Western world.

### GRANDMA

... AN' THIS IS TH' PLUG-IN CORD WE'RE RUNNIN' OVER T' YOUR HOUSE, GRANDMA!!

WHERE'S TILLY?  
SHE WENT FISHING!

YOU AND YOUR SMART-ALACK ANSWERS!  
POOR KID LOST AN EARRING!

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### HENRY

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### ETTA KETT

OH, CLEANED MY ROOM — FINISHED MY HOMEWORK — I'M SAGGING...

HE'S A KICK — SHE JUST DATES HIM FOR LAUGHS! — HE ALWAYS THINKS TWICE BEFORE HE SAYS NOTHING...

ONE HOUR AND FIFTEEN MINUTES YOU'VE BEEN GABBING!

IT WAS DEBBY!

SHE PHONED FOR ME TO COME OVER! SHE WANTS TO TELL ME SOMETHING!

### SECRET AGENT X-9

It is dawn when Lisa Kane wearsily breathes the last words of her confession into an FBI microphone

THAT DOES IT, MISS KANE! THANKS! YOU WERE SMART NOT TO HOLD OUT! THE EVIDENCE AGAINST YOU IS MOUNTAINOUS!

WH-WHAT WILL A JURY DO TO M-ME?

YOU'LL HAVE A LAWYER DOING ALL THAT HE CAN FOR YOU! RIGHT NOW YOU NEED A GOOD SLEEP!

Later, JIM, JUST HOW MOUNTAINOUS IS THE EVIDENCE AGAINST U.S.A. KANE?

IT WON'T COLLAPSE INTO A MOLEHILL — BUT WE'VE GOT TO FIND THE MURDER GUN WHICH SHE SAID SHE TOSSED INTO THE FURN NEAR MILEPOST 100. LET'S GET CORPUS OUT OF BED!

### THE LONE RANGER

D'YOU FIGURE THE JUDGE'LL POSTPONE THIS CRITTER'S HANGIN'?

NO, BUT I FIGURE HE CAN'T BE HANGED —

IF HE'S NOT HERE, LET HIM OUT.

### JOE PALOOKA

I'LL HAVE TO TAKE YOUR CAMERA, MISS... NO PICTURES MAY BE TAKEN ON BARON'S ISLAND.

I WILL ESCORT YOU TO THE HOUSE, MISS GANNES!

PLEASE — DO NOT BE ALARMED BY THIS HOOD... I MUST WEAR IT FOR SECURITY REASONS!!

YES... I UNDERSTAND, BARON!!

"HMM... WHAT'S THAT TICKING SOUND?"

STOP!! DON'T MOVE!!

TICK TICK TICK

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### S. A. McDONALD

AH'LL USE THIS BEDROOM — B-BUT, IT'S TH' ONLY ONE —

W-WE KIN SLEEP IN TH' K-KITCHEN —

GOOD!! — THET'LL MAKE IT EASIER FO' DAISY T'FIX MAH BREAKFAST!! AH HAS BREAKFAST AT 6,8, AN' 10 —

AH'LL TRY T' REMEMBER — AN' NOW, AH'LL SHOW YO' WHAR TH' WASH BASIN IS!! —

### LIL' ABNER

MAN! ARE YOU GOING TO GET IT WHEN YOU GET HOME!

YEAH...

I HOPE THE RUGGIANS DON'T GET WIND OF THE MCGINNIS REPORT!!

LOOK! IT'S GRANDMA I'M WORRIED ABOUT!

LET'S FACE IT! YOU'RE ON A SPOT!

WELL, THINK IT ISN'T THERE SOME WAY I CAN GET THIS CLASSIFIED AS CONFIDENTIAL...

FOR SECURITY REASONS?!

### MICKEY MOUSE

SURE I'D BE GLAD TO PUT YOUR COUSIN UP FOR THE NIGHT!

REMEMBER... HE'S A LIGHT SLEEPER!

DROP! DRIP! DRIP!

NEXT MORNING.

### MUGGS & SKEETER

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