

German Rocket Experts Caught In German, Jewish, Arab Tangle

The writer of this dispatch, an AP correspondent in Germany, has visited both the United Arab Republic and Israel to report reactions to work on rockets by German citizens hired by U.A.R. President Nasser.

By CARL BUCHALLA
CAIRO (AP)—German rocket scientists working for the United Arab Republic live in error of Israeli secret agents. Bodyguards accompany them. Their homes are protected, their mail examined for explosives. Their addresses and phone numbers are secret.

Said their leader, Professor Wolfgang Pilz, a wartime colleague in Germany of Werner von Braun: "We are not anti-Semites or old Nazis. We are just scientists doing a job. We would leave Egypt immediately if the Israelis would give us guarantees to abandon their hunt for us."

The German rocket experts are caught up in a web of German-Jewish-Arab differences. For four years they have helped U.A.R. President Nasser build rockets which he claims can hit Israel.

The Israeli government felt the German scientists to withdraw their assistance to Nasser. Bonn wants to be on good terms with both the U.A.R. and Israel. It says the Germans are private citizens and can work where they please, according to the German constitution.

NOT SAFE

"There is nowhere we can be safe now except here," Pilz told this correspondent on the terrace of the Heliopolis sporting club on Cairo's outskirts. Two tables away sat a bodyguard.

Pilz recounted incidents which he attributed to the Israeli secret service:

In 1962, one of his assistants, Dr. Heinz Krug, disappeared in Munich while on a visit from Cairo. "I believe he was kidnapped and is dead," Pilz said.

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RIPLEY'S BELIEVE IT OR NOT



Penelope SMITH
of County Cork, Ireland, WAS SO PROUD OF LANDING the Prince of Capri, Italy, AS HER HUSBAND THAT SHE MARRIED HIM 4 TIMES

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DAILY CROSSWORD

- ACROSS**
- Apple seeds
 - Gifts to charity
 - Circular turn
 - Harvest
 - Saying
 - Humming-bird
 - Hawaiian bird
 - Constellation
 - Compass point: abbr.
 - Congrats, with the cold
 - Goddess of discord
 - Str.
 - Shades of red
 - Drinking cup
 - Girl's nickname
 - Weakened
 - Stitches
 - Topped
 - Close to
 - Melody
 - Each: abbr.
 - A lever
 - Govern
 - Border for a picture
 - Bowling alley
 - Golf term
 - Great
 - quantity
 - 365 days
- DOWN**
- Shore bird
 - Particulate
 - Kettle
 - Deceive: sl.
 - An "appendage"
 - Marshy meadow
 - A publication
 - Church steeple
 - Hair on horse's neck
 - Large packing box
 - Grampus
 - Even: poet.
 - Epochs
 - Of an empire
 - Takes supper
 - Obtain
 - Mark of a wound
 - Gazelle of Asia: poss.
 - Letter tops
 - Less cold
 - Inflamed spot on eyelid:
 - var.
 - Crazy: sl.
 - Rubber
 - African antelope
 - Born
 - Spawns of fish

150 Killed Passing Wall

BONN (AP)—Refugee Minister Ernst Lemmer of West Germany, said here 150 persons have been killed trying to flee East Germany since the Berlin wall was begun in August, 1961. Lemmer told a press conference that, during the same period, 21,000 got across the walls, barbed wire and mine fields. Another 3,000, he estimated, were caught in the act.

DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE — Here's how to work it:

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

A Cryptogram Quotation

VGKMITVGP KT MKOJ TWSSKLR
CQE IS LIW MJWWKLR Y TMJ-
JVKLR ZIR MKJ. TYCQJM UQWMS

Yesterday's Cryptogram: PIETY, STRETCHED BEYOND A CERTAIN POINT, IS THE PARENT OF IMPIETY.—SMITH (© 1964, King Features Syndicate, Inc.)

CONTRACT BRIDGE

By B. JAY BECKER

South dealer. East-West vulnerable.

NORTH
♠ 10 4 3
♥ Q 10 7
♦ 9 4 3
♣ A Q 8 5

WEST
♠ 8
♥ Q 7 5
♦ K J 10 9 7 4 2
♣ 3

EAST
♠ A Q 8 7 5
♥ 9 6 2
♦ A K 10 6 2
♣ 3

SOUTH
♠ K J 9 5
♥ A K J 8 5 4 3
♦ 3 2
♣ 3 2

The bidding:
South West North East
4♥ Pass Pass 4♠
Dble 5♣ Dble 5♦
Pass Pass 6♥ Dble
Pass 6♠ Pass Pass
6♥ Pass Pass Dble

Opening lead—queen of diamonds.

This hand occurred in a team of four match. The players were all first-rate, but, as often happens in freestyle hands, the results were far from par.

At the first table, a South became declarer at six hearts doubled on the bidding shown. If West had led a club, the contract would have gone down; but West led a diamond and South made the slam for a score of 1,210 points. He lost only a spade trick.

It is easy enough to say that West should have led a club—especially if you see all 52 cards. In practice, though, seeing only 13 cards, West's diamond lead was hardly surprising.

However, West's bidding is more susceptible to censure. From his viewpoint there was a substantial danger that South would make the slam, and West should have taken out insurance by bidding seven diamonds, which at worst could result in only a minor loss.

At the second table, the bidding went:

South West North East
1♥ Pass 2♥ Dble
4♥ 5♣ 5♦ 5♠
5♥ 6♠ Pass Pass
Dble

Here, also, the boom was lowered too soon. South showed exceptionally bad judgment in doubling six diamonds, since he had an enormous amount to lose if it turned out he was wrong, and very little to lose if he elected to bid six hearts instead. East made six diamonds doubled with an overtrick and scored 1,740 points.

The odd result of the hand was that at one table a pair made six hearts doubled, while at the other table their teammates with the East-West cards made six diamonds doubled. It's not often that a team gains 550 points on one deal.

GRANDMA
RUBBIN
SECRET AGENT X-9
MICKEY MOUSE
ETIA KETT
HENRY
THE LONE RANGER
MUGGS & SKEETER
JOE PALOOKA
L'L ABNER