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Contract Bridge

By Josephine Culbertson

REDOUBLE AT DUPLICATE BRIDGE

At duplicate bridge, fine players rarely redouble a contract, because the slightest miscalculation may result in an absolute "bottom on the board." There are, however, occasions when the redouble can be employed with devastating force. Observe today's deal:

North-dealer. Neither side vulnerable. Match-point duplicate.

♠ A 10 8 4 3
♥ K 8
♦ K 8 7 6 2
♣ J 8 7

♠ Q J 10
♥ A K 9 6
♦ A Q 5
♣ A Q 3

♠ N
♥ W
♦ E
♣ S

♠ 5
♥ A 9 7
♦ A K 9 6
♣ J 10 9 4 3

At many tables North-South ended up at contracts of six clubs with such bidding as the following

North	East	South	West
Pass	Pass	1♣	Pass
2♠	Pass	3♣	Pass
6♣	Pass	Pass	Pass

In these cases, the West player was so (properly) impressed with the powerful bidding by their opponents, that they did not double even the slam contracts, satisfied to defeat them one trick, if possible, undoubtedly.

At one table, however, the North-South players bid less vigorously and impressively, and as a consequence earned an absolute top! Here the bidding went:

North	East	South	West
Pass	Pass	1♣	Pass
5♣ (!)	Pass	Pass	Double (!)
Redouble	Pass	Pass	Pass

The fact that this South chose to open with one diamond (which was the proper bid) kept North from jumping his response, and resulted in trapping West, who had started out by trapping on his own account! He passed to one diamond with the hope that the opponents would get over their depths, and when they stopped



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at five clubs he was probably so disappointed that he doubled anyway!

The hand had to be played well to make six clubs, but the remarkable part was that by playing at five clubs, redoubled, and making an extra trick, this North-South pair earned 950 points, as against the 920 points earned by the pair that had actually bid and made the small slam!

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- ACROSS
- Kind of mop
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 - Consensus
 - Melodies
 - Port
 - Proportion
 - Devoured
 - Burning coals
 - Valuable fur
 - Music note
 - Assist
 - Dexterous
 - Scorch
 - DOWN
 - President
 - Near
 - States of temper
 - Pie from
 - Chop
 - A blazing signal
 - A vessel
 - Seized
 - Unit of weight
 - Small perforated ball
 - Girl's nickname
 - Hit (slang)
 - Flutters
 - Part of "be"
 - Boy's nickname
 - Less tepid
 - Native of Arabia

7. Location

8. Couple

9. Exclamation

10. To hang over

11. Distress signal

12. Sprite

13. A son of Adam

14. Exist

15. Substance in shellac

16. Finnish seaport

17. Frost

18. Exclamation

19. U. S.

20. Grab

21. Arid

22. Behold!

23. To hang over

24. Female deer

25. Depart

26. Turn off to one side

27. Newt

28. Thick slice

29. Mass of dough

30. Region

31. Engrave with acid

32. They

33. Weight, as on a plumb line

34. Regret

Yesterday's Answer

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50

CRYPTOQUOTE—A cryptogram quotation

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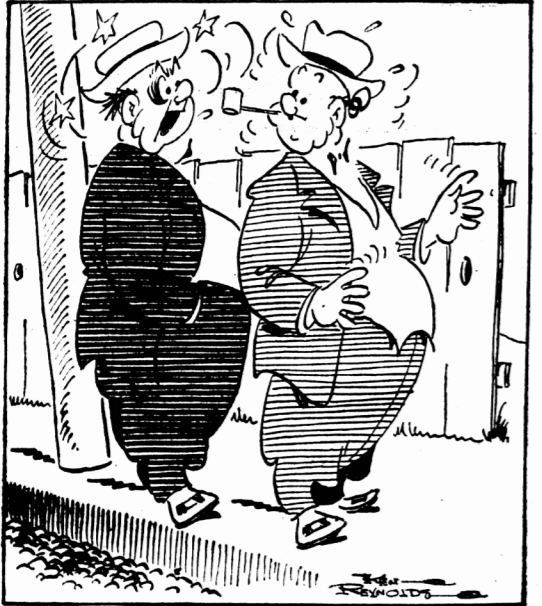
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Yesterday's Cryptogram: MILITARY STUPIDITY; OBUSINESS COMMON TO SOLDIERS—PROVERB.

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QUICKIES

By Ken Reynolds



"My wife suggested I hire a secretary with a Guardian Want Ad—and before I thought I said WOW!"

Napoleon and Uncle Elby

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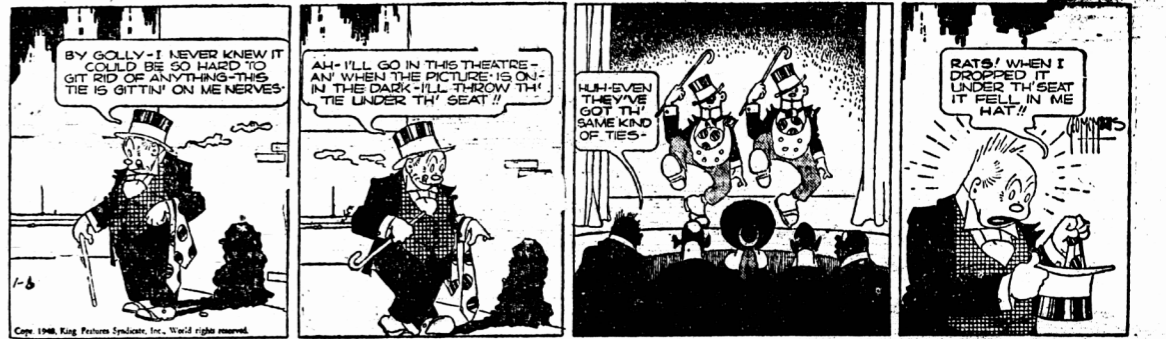
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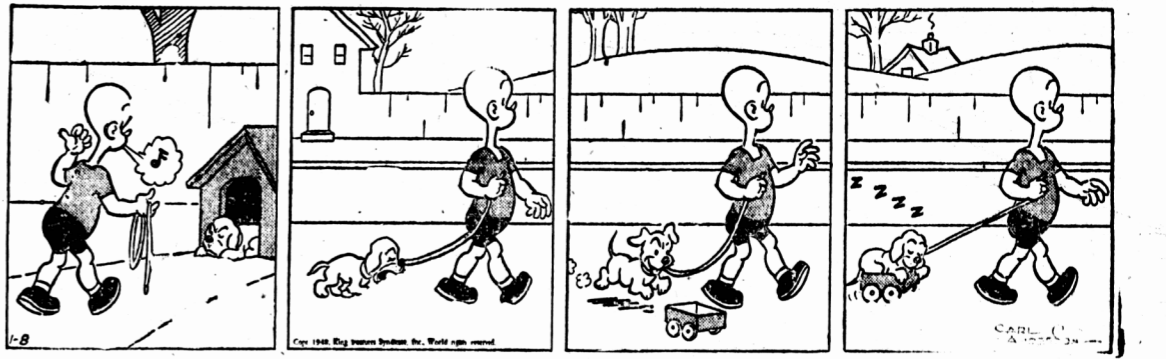
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By Alex Raymond