

CONTRACT BRIDGE

By B. JAV BECKER

South dealer.
Both sides vulnerable.

NORTH
A 10 8 4 3
K 5 2
Q 6 2
J Q J

WEST
J 7 6 2
Q 8 5
K 10
10 9 8 7 2

EAST
A 9 5
K 3 7 4
Q J 7 2
A 6 5 3

SOUTH
K Q
A 10 9 2
Q 8 5
A K 4

The bidding:
South West North East
1 ♠ Pass 1 ♠ Pass
2 NT

1. Two spades. The overall in the one level normally contains between 7 and 13 high card points. The bid over an opening bid is usually based on probable winning tricks rather than on point count. North's spade bid, therefore, is treated as showing a hand of less than opening bid proportions and a spade suit that is sound enough to withstand a business double. Since there is satisfactory trump support for North and a possibility of game if he has a top level overall, a two spade bid is in order.

One Pilot Killed As Jets Collide

METZ, France (Reuters)—Two RCAP F-86 Sabre jets collided in the air near Karlsruhe, Germany, killing one of the pilots, the RCAP said here.

The pilot of the second jet, FO William Albert Vanoeone of Kimberley, B.C., parachuted to safety. The name of the dead pilot was withheld pending notification of next of kin.

Vanoeone was attached to No. 2 fighter wing at Gros Tequien, France. The other jet was from No. 4 fighter wing at Baden-Soellingen, Germany.

Acquit Tongan Of Treason

NKALOFA, Tonga (Reuters)—An elderly Tongan legislator Tuesday was found not guilty of sedition against Queen Salote.

Crowds in the Supreme Court broke into cheers when the jury returned its unanimous verdict in favor of 70-year-old assemblyman Samisoni Pulivaea Afuamango.

The Polynesian politician has been re-elected since he was arrested and was due to take his seat when Queen Salote opens the 1957 session of the legislature today.

Afuamango was accused of circulating a seditious petition among Queen Salote's 50,000 subjects in this South Pacific paradise known as the friendly islands. In it he berated her for appointing her eldest son prime minister and giving close relatives government jobs.

Besides Queen Elizabeth, Queen Salote is the only reigning queen in the Commonwealth.

THROAT SORE?

For common ordinary sore throat

JUST RUB ON

MINARD'S

THE BEST PAIN LINIMENT

CFCY-TV
CHANNEL 13

FRIDAY

Atlantic Daylight Time
3:45 p.m.—Allison Musicals
4:30 p.m.—Howdy Doody
5:00 p.m.—Discoveries
5:15 p.m.—Children's Newsreel
5:30 p.m.—Roy Rogers
6:00 p.m.—Open House
6:30 p.m.—CFCY Television News
6:45 p.m.—CBC News
6:50 p.m.—Political Telecast
6:55 p.m.—Viewer's Guide
7:00 p.m.—T.B.A.
8:00 p.m.—On Trial
8:30 p.m.—Plouffe Family
9:00 p.m.—Graphic
9:30 p.m.—Country Hoedown
10:07 p.m.—Movietime
"Alias Mr. Twilight"

CKCW — Moncton
Channel 2
Television Programme Schedule

FRIDAY

1:30 p.m.—F.M. Concert Hall
2:25 p.m.—News
3:00 p.m.—At Home with Helen Crocker
4:00 p.m.—Uncle Jack at the Piano
4:15 p.m.—People and Places
4:30 p.m.—Howdy Doody
5:00 p.m.—Discoveries
5:15 p.m.—Children's News
5:30 p.m.—Roy Rogers
6:00 p.m.—The Merry-makers
6:30 p.m.—Early Evening TV

6:45 p.m.—Weather
6:50 p.m.—Sports
7:00 p.m.—World in Action
7:30 p.m.—Ritchie Theatre of Stars
8:00 p.m.—On Trial
8:30 p.m.—Plouffe Family
9:00 p.m.—Graphic
9:30 p.m.—Country Hoedown
10:00 p.m.—Files of Jeffrey Jones
10:30 p.m.—Ford Theatre
11:00 p.m.—CBC TV News
11:30 p.m.—CBC TV News
11:55 p.m.—Billboard
12:15 p.m.—Wassilung

Engineers Want Advance Polls

By FORBES RHUDE
Canadian Press Bureau Editor

BANFF, Alta. (CP)—Delegates to the annual meeting of the Engineering Institute of Canada protested Wednesday that they and thousands of other Canadians were barred from voting in Monday's general election because they could not be in their home constituencies.

To correct this situation they asked that the legislation covering advance voting be widened to cover a much wider range of voters than it now does.

The protest was made in resolution form, adopted unanimously after discussion at the institute's annual general business meeting. The resolution, forwarded to the prime minister, said in part:

"It is the essence of democracy and in the best interests of Canada that no citizen be denied his fundamental right for any reason. The very existence of the advance poll proves the truth of this statement but it is an injustice to limit its application to so few citizens."

1,000 VOTERS
"For example, here at this Banff meeting, arranged five years ago, there are 1,000 voters, disenfranchised for the recent election."

The present legislation covering advance voting—drawn up in days when Canadians were a much more stay-at-home people than in today's widespread developments—covers only a few classifications of voters including travelling seamen, transportation employees, fishermen and members of the armed forces.

In discussion of the resolution, general secretary Dr. L. Austin Wright of Montreal said the institute's headquarters had been "hammered" at the issue for some time without result.

It was suggested that the institute in co-operation with the Canadian Chamber of Commerce and other national organizations should pursue the matter and that in the meantime, while the issue was hot in the minds of many thousands of disenfranchised

"No School Picnic" Says Skipper Of "Mayflower"

NEW YORK (AP)—Sailing the 17th-century style floating anisique, Mayflower II, for 5,000 roundabout miles across the Atlantic was no Sunday school picnic. Even the captain felt seasick "a good deal of the time."

Writer Matiland A. Edey, who made the crossing as a crew member, tells what it was like in the current issue of Life magazine. There were many moments of beauty and nostalgic drama, but they were mixed with much drudgery, inconvenience, dirt and ted-

Skipper Alan Villiers, Edey wrote, "had no illusions about the ship he commanded, and he was frank about her imperfections. He had his quarters in the high narrow stern of the ship, and whenever there was any kind of sea running, the motion up there was excessive. It was like living in the top of an elm tree and it made him feel seasick a good deal of the time."

"The bloody ship," he would growl at breakfast whenever he had spent a particularly rough night in bed. "That bloody cabin of mine. It's the worst in the ship. Can't get out of bed there as if I were a bloody head, bustin' your flamin' shoulder. Never saw such a ship for things fallin'. Put them on the floor and still they fall."

The 22 crew members aboard ate their meals in the "tiller flat," a cramped, low-ceilinged room with a steering mechanism. "It became a foul spot," Edey said. "All the dirt, slop, greasy water, stench from the galley and miasmas from the diesel generator seemed to collect there as if by magic."

"The tiller flat became slier day by day. At its entrance hung a small sign:

"50-50 club members only."
"This alluded to the 50-50 chance of arrival given to the Mayflower by a British newspaper.

As soon as the weather turned warm, the crew took to eating their meals on deck. Later, when it got really hot, they slept on deck as well.

All the ship's officers had B-12s for square-rigged sailing vessels, a breed now as "rare as the whooping crane." For the others, the sounds and eccentricities of the anachronistic wooden ship took some getting used to.

Steering the square rigger was a difficult and strenuous task. In spite of its chunky appearance, the Mayflower easily fell off course. Then the helmsman had to spin the wheel desperately to check the swing.

All too often, until they gained experience, the helmsmen found themselves with the sails taken "aback." This meant the ship had swung so far that the wind began blowing on the wrong side of the sails. Then it would start to drift backward, bringing a withering comment from the captain.

On Sundays the ship's company would dress in pilgrim costumes and gather for prayers and a short talk from Villiers. "Sometimes this was on pilgrim history, sometimes on early exploration. It was invariably interesting," Edey said.

Fat Man Tries Flagpole Sitting As Newest Cure

MONTREAL (CP)—Two Montreal-area men have been sitting atop separate flagpoles since Sunday, one to prove he's not sick, and the other to try and regain his health.

Andre Lamoreux, 29, set up a platform 50 feet above suburban Ville Jacques-Cartier to disprove doctors who told him he was "through" after 35 operations. He did not disclose the nature of his ailment.

In Montreal's east-end, Alfred Tremblay, 35, is perched on a platform trying to regain his health.

"I'm overweight at 281 pounds and I have rheumatism in both legs," he said. "I'm drinking a lot of fruit juice and hope to get better and lose weight, too."

Both men vowed to break a 23-day flagpole-sitting record established several years ago in Detroit.

Lamoreux, a handy man, said by telephone from his 27 by 68-inch platform he wants to prove man can do anything if he is willing.

"I want to prove to poor people who have had bad times, that they only think they are sick. Actually they have only lost their morale."

Asked how he felt, Lamoreux said: "Wonderful, but my stomach is rolling a little. You look down and soon people start to look big, then small, then big, then small."

Five feet above Lamoreux's platform is a chair in which he spends most of his time. The platform contains a mattress, a pail of water, a heater, a guitar and a radio.

Tremblay, an unemployed auto mechanic, said he hopes to gain some monetary reward for his stint atop his pole.

"I want to get money to move the grave of my mother who died last year," he said by telephone. "I also want to buy a nice family plot."

Election Cost Seven Million

OTTAWA (CP)—The 1957 federal election cost the public treasury about \$7,000,000, an all-time high, election officials estimated Wednesday.

This compares with \$5,850,000 in 1953 and \$4,400,000 in 1949. It is more than double the \$2,800,000 cost of the 1930 vote.

The public treasury cost covers pay of returning and deputy returning officers, rental of polling booths, printing of ballot papers and voters' lists, enumerating voters and cost of taking the service vote.

This is aside from the millions of dollars laid out by the various candidates and political parties in campaign expenses.

BEDTIME STORIES

Mrs. Redeye Is Late

Added sweetness songs attain When you hear them in the rain.

—Peter Rabbit.

It was a wet day. It had been raining all day long. Despite the rain Redeye the Vireo had been singing all day long. As he listened it seems to Peter that somehow that song was sweeter than ever. Yes, sir, it really did. Perhaps that was because no other songs were to be heard. No one else was singing in the rain. Again perhaps it was because Redeye was extra happy. You see Mrs. Redeye had arrived early that very morning.

So Redeye sang and sang to Mrs. Redeye and neither of them minded the rain. "I am so glad you're here," said Redeye between songs. "So am I," replied Mrs. Redeye. "It was a long trip and it seems good to not have to fly every day."

"I found just the place for our nest," said Redeye. "Of course we'll begin building at once."

"Not at once," replied Mrs. Redeye. "I need a little time to rest before going to work. Building a good nest is real work."

"True, my dear. Quite true," replied Redeye. "I've always been proud of the nests you weave. Only yesterday I was looking at the nest we had two years ago and it is still good. Not many birds can say that of their old nests."

"If a thing is worth doing at all, it is worth doing well," replied Mrs. Redeye. This is an old saying that most folks have heard many times, and it is a true saying.

Some of Mrs. Redeye's neighbors sometimes build nests so poorly that it is a wonder they hold together long enough for the babies to grow big enough to leave them.

"Just after I arrived, I thought I saw Sally Sty the Cowbird. I hope I didn't. I would hate to think she was around," said Mrs. Redeye.

Redeye stopped singing. He looked a little distressed. "She's been around," he admitted. "I haven't seen her for several days, so perhaps she has left for some other place. Perhaps you didn't see her at all. I hope you didn't."

"I may have been mistaken. I hope I was," replied Mrs. Redeye. "Let's forget it," said Redeye. "Let's forget everything but how happy we are." Redeye began to sing. Mrs. Redeye listened.

"It is good to hear you singing again," said she. "I missed your voice all the way up from the land-of-always-summer. I hope you'll sing to me all day long."

"Of course I will, my dear. Rain or sun, these are happy days. I couldn't be happy and not sing." Redeye began to sing again. He was proving that what he had said was true.

Play Safe While You Drive!

Keep alert—chew gum

Avoid traffic jitters and driving drowsiness. Chew gum while you're behind the wheel. Chewing helps relieve strain and tension—helps keep you feeling fresh and alert for the driving ahead of you.

gum you like to chew while you drive. Naturally, we recommend refreshing, delicious Wrigley's Spearmint Gum—for lively, satisfying flavor and real chewing enjoyment.

DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS

- Type of cabbage
- Small nail
- With title
- Pl. of "jenia" (phonetic)
- Small island
- Month
- Wine
- receptacle
- Measure of land
- Erbium (sym.)
- Chop again
- Girl's name
- Close to
- Pharmament
- Municipality
- Fuel
- Part of an inch
- Waste time
- River (Eng.)
- Covered
- Poker stake
- Bearlike
- Music note
- General trend
- Shan (dial.)
- Brilliant meteor
- Mix
- Spurious (slang)
- Wee (colloq.)
- Scorch
- Male red deer

DOWN

- God (Moham.) anti-spasmodic
- Man's nickname
- Indistinct mark (slang)
- Governments
- God of the sky (Babyl.)
- Wander
- Full of pains
- Questions
- An anti-spasmodic
- Modic cat
- Gun (slang)
- Pond
- Young sheep
- Stew ingredients
- Sand ridge
- Body of water
- Thorium (sym.)

Yesterday's Answer
34. River (Ger.)
39. Fib
40. Body of water
42. Thorium (sym.)

DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE — Here's how to work it:

XYDLBAAXE
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. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.

A Cryptogram Quotation

NF ILZKOP NZIPJKI QHJLX NPFU
NF AJUGKFL NZIPJKI STUQFL—
OSFLLF AJLUFYHFF.

Yesterday's Cryptquote: WOE BE TO HIM WHO READS BUT ONE BOOK—GEORGE HERBERT.

OUT OUR WAY

BY J. R. WILLIAMS

WITH ALL THE DRY PLACES AROUND TELL ME WHY DO YOU HAFTA PICK THIS MUDDY FIELD TO PLAY IN?

WELL, HE MISSES MOST OF THE BALLS. I THREW HIM AN I GOT TIERED OF WAITING FOR HIM TO SHAG AFTER 'EM—SO WE MOVED OVER HERE WHERE HE WON'T LET THE BALL ROLL SO FAR!

THE LONE RANGER

L'L' ABNER

"AN' YO HAIN'T GONNA SEE IT? IT'S TOO—HAY—TERRIBLE TO REVEAL TO ANYONE, CEPT TH' YOKUM WHUT'S GONNA USE IT."

"??"

"MEANS AN—MEAN— DOES THIS—AH— IT DOES THAT?"

"FEARFUL— HAIN'T IT SON?"

"OFF TO CENTRAL PARK—HAY— BLESS YO'."

"ALL AH KIN SAY IS, AH IS GLAD AH HAIN'T 'T LIZARD!"

GRANDMA

GOLLY GRANDMA, ISN'T YOUR SPACE HELMET KINDA HOT IN SUCH A WINDY WEATHER?

YEAH, BUT I'VE JUST GOT TA WEAR IT!!

VA SEE, I PLUMB FORGOT T' GO T' MARKET...

BEFORE I LATE A BIG MESS O' DELICIOUS GREEN ONIONS!

MICKY MOUSE

HOW DO YOU LIKE HERE WITH THE BIRDS?

OKAY... EXCEPT THEY AIN'T VERY GOOD COMPANY DAY AFTER DAY!

THAT NIGHT...

DOGSONE— I SURE HAVE TROUBLE GETTIN' TO SLEEP LATELY!

LATER...

ZZZZ!

HENRY

BAKERY

BAKERY

DOUGHNUTS

MUGGS & SKETER

HEY, SAMMY! YOU DON'T WANT TO BE PLAYING JACKS WITH THE GIRLS!

YES, I DO...

NO, YOU DON'T! YOU COME ON IN THE HOUSE WITH ME AND I'LL TEACH YOU A MAN'S GAME!

... NOW, EACH TIME I KNOCK THE LITTLE BALL INTO THE LITTLE DISH... YOU PICK IT UP AND ROLL IT BACK TO GRANDPA!!

TILLY THE TOILER

I HAVEN'T GOT THE NERVE TO ASK THE BOGS TO SIGN THIS TITLE.

THIS SALES REPORT NEEDS YOUR SIGNATURE, SIR!

PEN?

TRANQUILIZER!

ETTA KETI

IT'S OUR ANNIVERSARY DREAM BOAT.

I MET YOU AT THE HOP A MONTH AGO... WHAT DO YOU WANT FOR A GIFT? THE FIRST ANNIVERSARY IS PAPER!

PAPER!

WAIT! ONE MONTH IS THIRTY DAYS... LET'S SEE WHAT'S FOR A THIRTIETH?

PEARLS!

JOE PALOOKA

THANK GOODNESS I GOT THE RIGHT TOOLS FOR THIS EMERGENCY... I'LL CHOP 'EM UP!

HALT! THAT IS AGAINST THE LAW! I WILL HAVE TO CHECK WITH THE NATIONAL SECURITY AND DEFENSE DEPARTMENT!

YOU HAVE PERMISSION TO ENLARGE THE OPENING BY PRECISELY ENOUGH TO ALLOW YOU TO ENTER.

MUCH OBLIGED... I'LL BE EXTRA CAREFUL!

OOP? MADE IT?

GOOD? NOW WE CAN GO... WHERE'S MISS GANNIS?

THE YOUNG LADY VANISHED WHEN WE WERE OCCUPIED?

SECRET AGENT X-9

Leaving a small fire burning near the carriage, he gains some hurriedly from the scene.

IN A FEW HOURS, AGES! THIS SHOULD DISCOURAGE CORRIAN FROM RETURNING TO THE LAKE!

But a figure suddenly emerges from under the porch...

I'M JUST A BUM, BETWEEN JOBS— BUT I CAN'T AFFORD TO BE TAGGED WITH SETTING THIS FIRE!

THE LONE RANGER

LET'S GET ON TO THE PLACE WHERE YOUR FRIEND AND JIM ARE WAITING.

HE WANT TO KNOW WHO FOLLOW US ON TRAIL.

WE WOULDN'T HAVE THIS LONG RIDE IF YOU'D GOT JIM WHEN YOU HAD THE CHANCE!