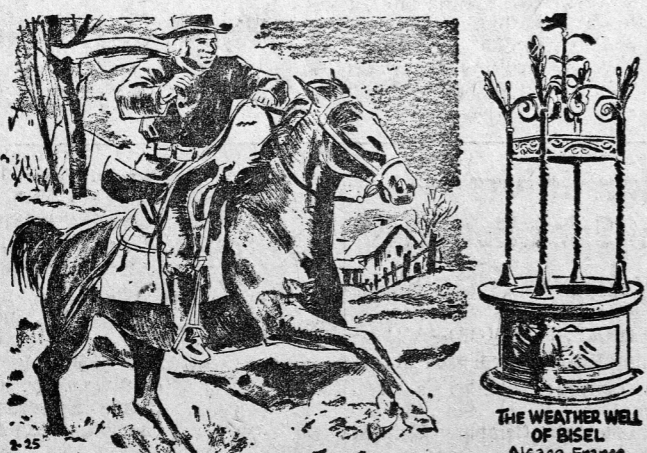


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CONTRACT BRIDGE

By B. JAV BECKER

East dealer. Both sides vulnerable.

NORTH
AKQ6
AQ5
J1082
Q8

WEST
874
1032
7843
654

EAST
J952
K984
AKJ103

SOUTH
103
J76
AKQ95
972

The bidding:
East South West North
1♣ 1♦ Pass 2♠
Pass 3♦ Pass 5♦

Opening lead—six of clubs.

Among the most interesting plays it's possible for declarer to execute is the one known as the Vienna Coup. Actually, the Vienna Coup is merely one of the many forms a squeeze play can take. The Coup is said to have been first executed in Vienna.

The single feature that distinguishes this squeeze from others is that declarer at one point in the play deliberately establishes a high card for one of the defenders. The purpose of this maneuver is to prevent dummy's or declarer's hand from becoming squeezed instead of the defender's hand.

East took two club tricks and continued with another club, which was ruffed in dummy.

South had to win the rest of the tricks to make the contract. Relying on a heart finesse appeared doomed to failure since East's opening bid had almost certainly marked him with the king of hearts. The best hope seemed to be to play for a squeeze. Since declarer could take all the remaining tricks except one—a prime factor in squeeze play—and East might also have to guard spade length as well as the king of hearts, the squeeze play was accordingly launched.

The first move was to cash the ace of hearts. This play, the establishment of East's king as the high heart, was a necessary preliminary to the eventual squeeze, the one known as the Vienna Coup.

The rest of the play followed standard lines. South simply cashed all five of his trumps, discarding two hearts from dummy. In his own hand South had left 10-3 of spades and J-7 of hearts. Dummy's last four cards were A-K-Q-6 of spades.

But on the last trump lead East also had to come down to four cards. He had at this point J-9-5-2 of spades and the king of hearts. He was squeezed. South was bound to make the last four tricks.

The squeeze would have failed if the ace of hearts had not been cashed earlier. Dummy would have been squeezed instead, and the contract would have gone down.

8:00—C. B. C. Presents.
8:30—Chicho Valle
9:00—Drama in Sound
9:30—Anthology
10:00—Jazz From Toronto.
10:30—Leicester Square

11:00—CBC National News Round-up
11:30—Distinguished Artists
12:00—Here's the Weather and Sign off

INTERPRETING THE NEWS

Communists Push For Nuclear-Free Frontier

By JOSEPH MacSWEEN
Canadian Press Staff Writer

Communist Poland is busily promoting its plan for a central European belt free of nuclear weapons.

Although the Poles are carrying the ball, the coach is in the Kremlin. It is clear that Moscow considers it a good talking point in East-West diplomacy leading to a summit conference.

Discussion on the proposal has gained momentum in a noteworthy way since it was broached by the Poles at the United Nations General Assembly in New York Oct. 2, 1957.

Some observers immediately saw in it similarities to a plan propounded earlier by Sir Anthony Eden, former British prime minister.

NATO FEARS

Later it was compared with the ideas of George F. Kennan, former United States ambassador to Russia, who delivered a series of lectures over the BBC in December calling for a neutralized area in Europe.

Kennan spoke as a private citizen but his ideas provoked considerable debate—much of it critical—on both sides of the Atlantic.

The Polish plan has important dangers in NATO eyes. Russian combat forces in the area concerned are greater than those of NATO. Thus an agreement to abandon nuclear weapons could

work to the benefit of the Russians, and might be aimed at the eventual destruction of NATO, some leaders fear.

Gen. Lauris Norstad, supreme Allied commander in Europe, has said the whole thing is being studied from a military standpoint, and added:

"Any plan or proposal which reduces or limits our ability to provide for the defence of our people and territory without giving us some positive security to offset this... must be rejected."

Russian leader Nikita Khrushchev has let it be known that the Polish formula, if accepted, might later be tied in with a phased withdrawal of Russian troops from East Germany and Poland.

Foreign Minister Adam Rapacki, author of the Polish plan, has given it to diplomatic representatives of the Big Four—the U.S., Russia, Britain and France—and also to eight other countries, including Canada, which has troops in West Germany.

ADENAUER SCEPTICAL

Rapacki, who went to Moscow for talks with Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Gromyko on the subject, obviously has aimed to outline answers to Western objections as they emerged.

He proposes aerial and ground inspection to enforce the no-nuclear agreement. This differs significantly from past Russian policy in the deadlocked efforts for general disarmament.

Rapacki also suggests that the treaty include a Big Four agreement to ban the use of nuclear weapons against the proposed neutral zone.

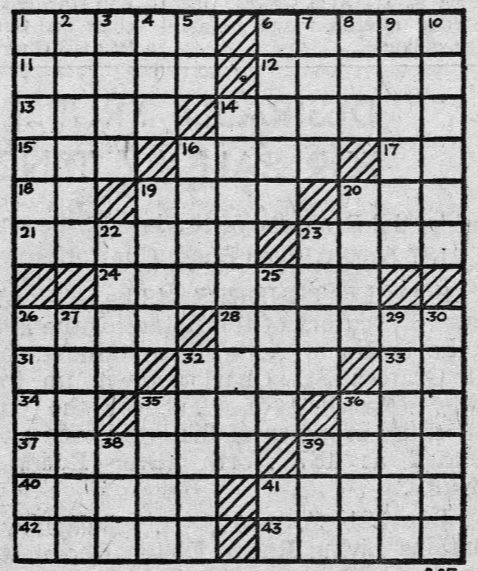
This appears an attempt to meet the argument of Chancellor Konrad Adenauer of West Germany that the outlawing of nuclear weapons from his country would be no guarantee of immunity in the new missile age.

PRIZE ORGAN

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DAILY CROSSWORD

- ACROSS**
1. A dervish (var.)
 6. Gleam
 11. Angry
 12. Genus of bean weevils
 13. Clears of cotton seeds
 14. Make jump
 15. Employ
 16. Jest
 17. Specific (abbr.)
 18. Music note
 19. Pierce with horns
 20. Station (abbr.)
 21. One's property
 23. Endure
 24. City (New M.)
 26. Greet
 28. God of manly youth
 31. Viper
 32. Ship's complement
 33. Overhead
 34. Pronoun
 35. Solid figure
 36. Open (post.)
 37. Units of light
 39. Broad smile
 40. Eat away
 41. Silly
 42. American admiral
 43. Governed
- DOWN**
2. Stands up
 3. Arctic explorer
 4. Common contraction
 5. Pronoun
 6. Lamina
 7. Tardy
 8. Skill
 9. Afternoon nap
 10. Aircraft shelter
 11. Specific (abbr.)
 14. Cautions in advance
 16. Sets down
 19. Prison (G. B.)
 20. Vend
 22. Stumble
 23. Move, as wind
 25. Fencing sword
 26. Draw
 27. State
 28. Unrolled grass
 29. Wolfish
 30. Inrolled
 32. Antelope (Afr.)
 35. Give over
 36. Spoken
 38. Cut, as grass
 39. Antelope (Afr.)
 41. Iridium (sym.)



DOWN

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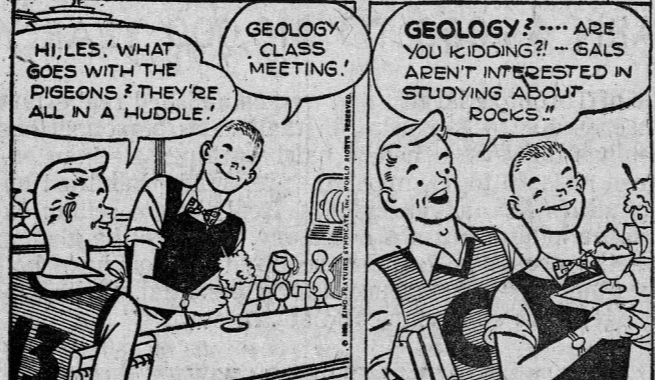
One letter simply stands for another. In this sample A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.

A Cryptogram Quotation

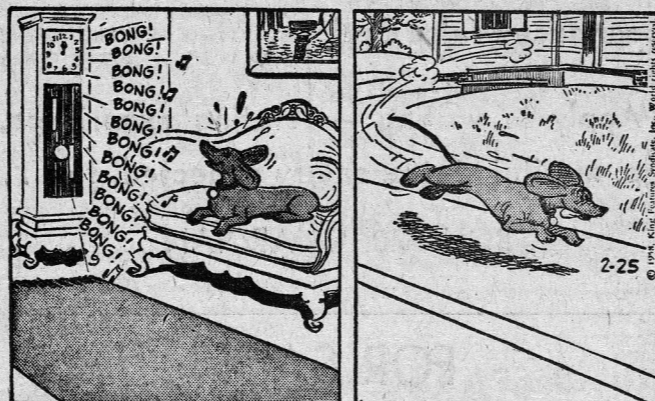
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BFMHEM.

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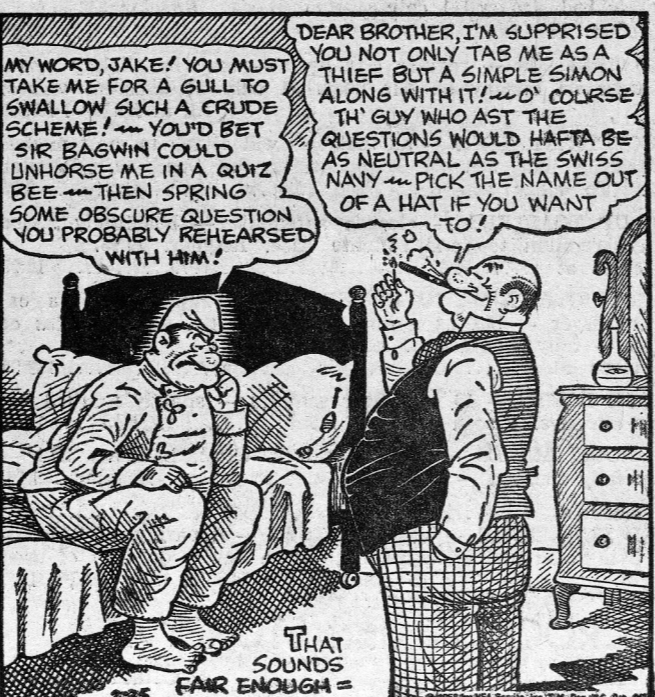
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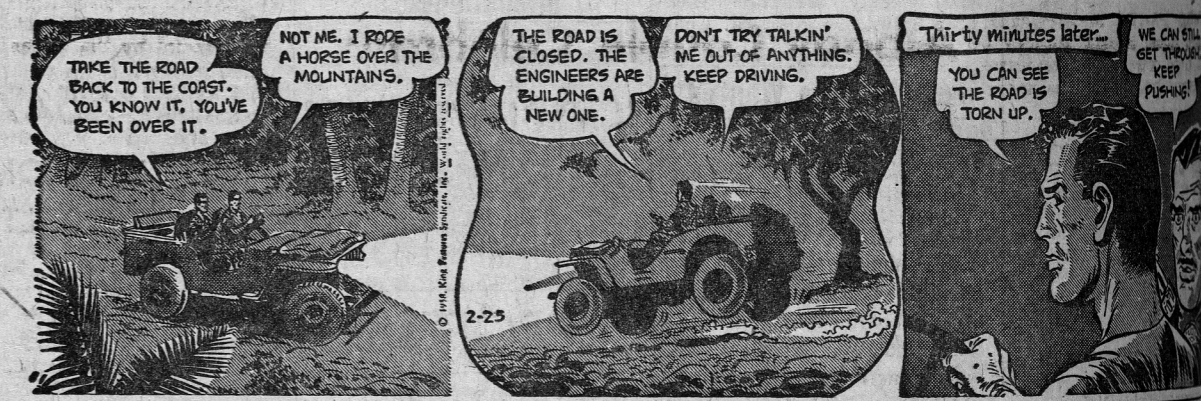
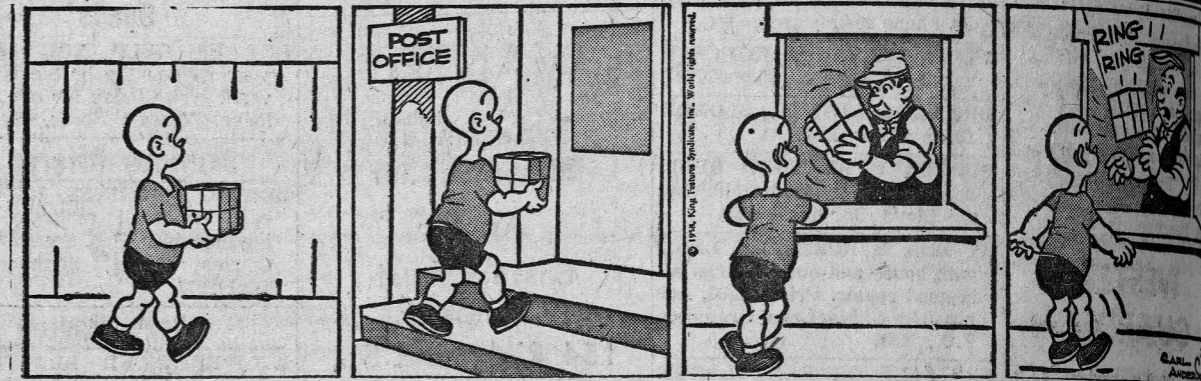
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RADIO

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- 6:58—Sign On
- 7:00—Hebrew Christian Hour
- 7:15—Old Time Music by Don Meser
- 7:30—News
- 7:35—Weather
- 7:40—Ches Cooper Time
- 7:56—Interlude
- 8:00—News
- 8:11—Weather
- 8:16—Country and Western Roundup
- 8:45—Weather
- 8:50—News
- 9:00—Morning Devotions
- 9:10—Morning Moods
- 9:30—Top Tune Time
- 9:45—Freddy Martin Show
- 10:00—News
- 10:05—Magazine of the Air
- 10:30—Melody Parade
- 10:45—Swift Money Man
- 11:00—News Headlines and Weather
- 11:02—The Magic of Music
- 11:30—Guy Lombardo Show
- 12:00—Weather
- 12:05—Eddy Arnold Show
- 12:30—News and Weather
- 12:43—PEI Road Report
- 12:45—Dinner Serenade
- 1.00—Fifty A Day.
- 1.10—Dinner Serenade
- 1.30—News Headlines and Weather
- 1.32—Dinner Serenade
- 1.45—One Man's Family
- 2.00—School Broadcast
- 2.15—Buddy Clark Sings
- 2.30—Back to the Bible
- 3.00—News Headlines and Weather
- 3.02—Matinee Melodies
- 3.30—Best On Request
- 4.00—News and Weather
- 4.05—Best On Request
- 5.00—News Headlines and Weather
- 6.00—News
- 6.10—Interlude
- 6.12—N.S. Road Report
- 6.15—Music For You
- 7.30—News and Weather
- 7.45—Lone Guide Talk
- 8.00—New Canadians
- 8.30—Chicho Valle Show
- 9.00—Assessment
- 10.00—News and Weather
- 10.15—Sons of the Pioneers
- 10.30—Montreal Symphony Orchestra
- 11.30—Press Conference or Fighting Words (Alt.)
- 12.00—Dominion News
- 12.10—Sign Off.

CBA TUESDAY

- 7:20—Marine Weather
- 7:30—AM. 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 B'cast.
- 10:15—A. M. Chronicle
- 11:00—Showcases
- 11:15—Kindergarten of the Air
- 11:30—Joan Marshall
- 11:40—Ruth Harding
- 11:45—Cross Section.
- 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—T-C Matinee
- 4:00—Boon Companions
- 4:30—Halifax Symphony
- 5:00—Maritime Fish B'cast
- 5:30—Three Musketeers.
- 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—Roll Back the Years
- 7:45—Rawhide.

CFCY TV CHANNEL 13 TUESDAY

- 3:15 p.m.—Afternoon Musicals
- 3:45 p.m.—Nursery School Time
- 4:00 p.m.—Open House
- 4:30 p.m.—Howdy Doody
- 5:00 p.m.—Meet Mr. X
- 5:30 p.m.—Kiddies Kartoons
- 6:00 p.m.—Western Theatre
- 6:50 p.m.—CFCY TV News
- 7:00 p.m.—Gazette
- 7:30 p.m.—Beulah
- 8:00 p.m.—Hobby Hunt
- 8:30 p.m.—Texas Rassin
- 9:00 p.m.—Front Page Challenge
- 9:30 p.m.—Dragnet
- 10:00 p.m.—General Motors Theatre
- 11:00 p.m.—The Concert Hour
- 12:00 p.m.—CBC TV News
- 12:13 a.m.—Local Weather Forecast
- 12:15 a.m.—Viewpoint
- 12:22 p.m.—Sign Off

CKCW — Moncton CHANNEL 3 TUESDAY

- 1:00 p.m.—Tuesday Playbill News, Weather, Sports Feature Film
- 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.—Meet Mr. X
- 5:30 p.m.—Western Theatre
- 6:00 p.m.—Range Rider
- 6:30 p.m.—Early Evening TV News
- 6:45 p.m.—Weather
- 6:50 p.m.—Spotlight on Sports
- 7:00 p.m.—Ranch Party
- 7:30 p.m.—Robin Hood
- 8:00 p.m.—Sheriff of Cochos
- 8:30 p.m.—\$64,000 Question
- 9:00 p.m.—Front Page Challenge
- 9:30 p.m.—Dragnet
- 10:00 p.m.—G. M. Theatre
- 11:00 p.m.—Political Telecast CCF
- 11:15 p.m.—Political Telecast S.C.
- 11:30 p.m.—T.B.A.
- 12:00 p.m.—CBC TV News
- 12:15 a.m.—Viewpoint
- 12:22 a.m.—CKCW TV News, Weather, Sports

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