



By Thornton W. Burgess

THE JEALOUS ONE
Most jealousy, though right it seem,
is simply selfishness supreme.
—Old Mother Nature.
Old Mother speaks truly. Jealousy is almost always pure selfishness, and nothing else. It is the desire to possess fully, and not share at all.

Contract Bridge
By Josephine Culbertson
PENALTY DOUBLES
The particular type of penalty double made by East, below, is common in "social games," but it gives any expert "the shudders."

West dealer. North-South vulnerable.

Bridge bidding table with symbols for suits and points.

The bidding: West North East South 16 2C Dbie. 2H Pass Pass Pass Pass

Only in the rarest instances could a player make a low-level penalty double of one suit when that is the only suit against which he has defense. The best that can be said for such a double is that it may keep the doubler's partner from making a dangerous rebid; but against this, other possible repercussions are far more numerous and far less favorable.

Thus, in the case at hand, after East doubled two clubs, West certainly had reason to feel that two hearts could be punished, and the opponents' vulnerability made West's double a more attractive. Unfortunately, however, East could not contribute a trick to the defense except his third round overruff of dummy in spades, and since West himself could add only two heart tricks to the total, the doubled contract was fulfilled, giving North-South game and rubber.

Some readers may take the stand that each double, like each bid, must be made on the player's own responsibility, and that West had no right to double two hearts simply because East had doubled two clubs. This idea, however, has no practical application. Each bid, pass or double made by either partner becomes a vital link in a chain, and from the first round on, each partner must, in a very real sense, take into account the 26 cards of the partnership rather than the 13 cards facing him. The age-old cry, "Don't bid my cards, partner!" has very little justification in fact.

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THROAT SORE? MINARD'S LINIMENT

Strange But True

By F. H. MacArthur

A large bullfrog can swallow a small bird. I don't know how Paradise, Nova Scotia, got its name, but here's how Paradise, California, got its name. In the early days it was a pint-sized village inhabited by crooks and gamblers. These gentlemen of ill repute named the place "Pair-O-Dice". The name stuck for years. But when law and order were restored to the once bad town, the new residents cast about for a better name than Pair-O-Dice. The problem was solved simply by changing the spelling. Thus Pair-O-Dice became Paradise. Shouts of help came to the ears of the new residents. It came from not too far away, almost like an echo of his own drumming. Such a change came over him: Thunderer when he had heard that. A look of anger came into his bright eyes. He drew himself up more proudly than ever. Then he thundered back a reply. Thunderer was jealous. He was afraid that Mrs. Grouse might go to see who that other drummer was, and perhaps fall in love with him. He didn't know just where she was. He had hoped that she was somewhere near watching him, but perhaps she hadn't known where that other drummer was, and had been watching him.

There was anger in his drumming now, instead of love. That rolling thunder carried a message to that other drummer. It is what is called a challenge. Thunderer was daring that other drummer to fight. Yes, sir, that is what he was doing. Peter knew this. "I hope that other fellow will fight," thought Peter, "and I hope I'm around if he does fight. I wonder what Mrs. Grouse thinks."

Thunderer probably was wondering too, but Mrs. Grouse didn't show herself. Perhaps, like Peter, she wished that the two drummers would fight. It would be silly of them, but fighting usually is silly. It always is silly when it is the result of jealousy. Thunderer wasn't strutting now. No, sir, he wasn't strutting. He would drum, then listen, then drum again. And the more he drummed the more angry he became. He was working himself into a rage. Should he go look for that other drummer? Or would that other drummer come to him? There came a time when there was no answer to his drumming. What did that mean? Did it mean that that other drummer had given up and gone away? Or did it mean that he was going to fight. Perhaps something had happened to him.



Peter had seen him strut before, but never like this.

"Silly," said Peter, to himself. "It is funny how silly some people can be." All the same, Peter couldn't help but admire the handsome bird, and the appearance he made.

There came a time when, as Thunderer listened after drum-



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Our Boarding House Major Hoople

Comic strip panel with dialogue: WELCOME BACK, JAKE... ALL HAIL TO A TRUE BROTHER, AND A REAL CHAMPION, FOR PERSUADING THAT SWINDLER TO RESTORE MY INVENTION TO ITS RIGHTFUL OWNER!

GREENWICH SCHOOL

*Report of Greenwich School for the months of February and March: Grade X — 1. Richard MacLaren; 2. Phyllis Squires. Grade VII — 1. Roberta Sutherland; 2. David MacLaren; 3. Helen Squires. Grade VI — 1. Kathleen Sutherland; 2. Rena Sanderson; 3. Clare Rattray. Grade V Sr. — 1. Garth Sanderson. Grade V Jr. — 1. Den MacLaren; 2. Merne Rattray (missed tests). Grade III Sr. — 1. Keir Squires. Grade III Jr. — 1. Jimmy Squires; 2. Donnie Sanderson. Grade II — 1. Bill Sanderson. Grade I Sr. — 1. Roger MacLaren and Barry MacLaren equal. 2. Wanda Sutherland. Grade I Jr. — 1. Maurice Sanderson. Teacher: Mrs. Anne MacLaren.

couldn't hold down the office without the valuable assistance of his wife and their dog Vickie.

CLIMBING FROGS
Tree frogs, or tree toads, have discs on fingers and toes helping them to climb in shrubs, and low trees.

LIBERAL CONVENTION

SECOND DISTRICT OF QUEENS
A Convention to nominate two Liberal Candidates to contest the next Provincial Election will be held at Charlottetown (Clover Club) on Friday, April 15th, at 2 p.m. Each poll is entitled to five voting delegates. (Sgd.) P. R. BOYLE, President.

FARMERS MEETINGS IMPORTANT

In YOUR OWN SCHOOL DISTRICT MONDAY, APRIL 18th - 8 P.M. (See Posters for location of meeting)

All farmers who are interested in their own farm organization are urged to attend.

- To be dealt with: ACCIDENT INSURANCE APPOINTMENT OF VOTING DELEGATES RENEWAL OF MEMBERSHIPS PROBLEMS FOR CONSIDERATION BY THE FEDERATION

Hear Dr. H. H. Hannam over CFCY after the Market broadcast Thursday evening, April 14th. P. E. I. FEDERATION OF AGRICULTURE

Out Our Way By J. R. Williams

Comic strip panel with dialogue: GOOD GOSH! ANY DIDN'T WE LOOK AROUND A LITTLE FORE WE SLEPT IN THE HAY ALL NIGHT!

Comic strip panel with dialogue: FOR AN OLD GADGET, HAWKINS SURE PUT UP A HARD FIGHT!

The Lone Ranger

Comic strip panel with dialogue: THE SPORTS SCRIBES SAY GROOVER'S IN PERFECT CONDITION... THE COGS ARE IN HIS FAVOR?

Joe Palooka

Comic strip panel with dialogue: I KNOW, KIDNEY, I'M SO SORRY... I'VE BEEN ON THE BALL... BILL HAS A NEW DEAL... A BIG DEVELOPMENT...

Henry

Comic strip panel with dialogue: YOUNG MAN, YOU COME RIGHT BACK AN' TELL ME MY RECORD PLAYER FOR A WHILE...

Grandma

Comic strip panel with dialogue: COME OUT! COME OUT QUICKLY!

Mickey Mouse

Comic strip panel with dialogue: JIGGS, I'M GOING SHOPPING, SO I'LL TAKE THE CAR!

Bringing Up Father

Comic strip panel with dialogue: I JUST WANTED TO TELL YOU NOT TO WORRY ABOUT THE BALL GAME IN THE LOT NEXT DOOR... I'M PLAYING CENTER FIELD!

Muggs and Skeeter

Comic strip panel with dialogue: HI, MORT! I HEARD YOU'VE HAD YOUR PHONE CHANGED TO A PRIVATE NUMBER!

By Mel Graff

Comic strip panel with dialogue: I'LL NEVER DO THAT AGAIN!

Comic strip panel with dialogue: WHILE HE'S UNCONSCIOUS, WE'D BETTER TAKE HIM INSIDE THE CAVE!

By Fran Striker

Comic strip panel with dialogue: I GOT A SCORE TO SETTLE WITH HIM!

By Ham Fisher

Comic strip panel with dialogue: I'LL BE HOME AT SIX... FOR AN HOUR... WILL YOU CALL ME THEN... WE MISS YOU TOO.

By Carl Anderson

Comic strip panel with dialogue: TILL YOU FORGET WHAT TH' PAINTER SAID...

By Charles Kuhn

Comic strip panel with dialogue: WE LIKE IT IN HERE JUST FINE!

By Walt Disney

Comic strip panel with dialogue: YOU'RE IN TERRIBLE DANGER! YOU MUST COME OUT OF THERE AT ONCE!

By George McManis

Comic strip panel with dialogue: I FOUND THE TICKET ON THE WINDSHIELD WIPER! YOU LEFT THE CAR IN FRONT OF A FIREPLUG!

By Wally Bishop

Comic strip panel with dialogue: MY RIGHT NAME IS ROGER... BUT MOM AND POP CALL ME 'JUNIOR'... MY GIRL FRIEND CALLS ME 'SWEETIE PIE'.

By Paul Robinson

Comic strip panel with dialogue: TAKE A HORSEBY RIDING LESSON BEFORE COMING TO WORK!

By Bob Gustafson