# Braking Rocket Firing Delay Caused Carpenter Overshoot

HOUSTON (AP) — A delay of at least three seconds in the firing of the braking rockets on his spacecraft helped land U.S. astronaut Malcolm Scott Carpenter some 250 miles beyond target in his May 24 flight three times around the world.

That was the report here to a National Aeronautics and Space Administration conference — the first official postflight conference held at this new base of the U.S. manned spaceflight centre.

Project Mercury engineer John H. Boynton said:

"Astronaut Carpenter reported that when the clock sequence (automatic timer) had counted down to zero, the rockets did not ignite."

The braking rockets slow the spacecraft's 17,500-mile-an-hour flight, permitting its re-entry into the earth's atmosphere.

The rockets did not ignite because of incorrect information from scanners that seek out the earth's horizon.

"The pilot waited about two seconds," Boynton reported. Then bypassing the automatic system, "he pushed the manual retrofire button.

"He reported an additional delay of one second or more before the first retrorocket actually ignited," Boynton said. After the flight the electrical circuits in the spacecraft were carefully investigated and "no reason can be offered for the delay" in the manual rocket firing system.

## YORK

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph MacDonald of Providence, R.I., are making their annual visit to the Island where they have many friends and relatives. While here they are staying at the Furlee cottages in Montrose.

Mr. Cyril Doucett spent the weekend in Fredericton, N. B., visiting at the home of his brother, Edmond Doucett and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Cogswell and daughter, Judy of Toronto, Ontario, were weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Gaudet.

Visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Perry is Mr. Gussie Perry of Redding, Mass.

LAC Clovis Doucett of the RCAF and stationed in St. Margueret, N.B., spent the weekend at the home of his parents in St. Louis.

Miss Galye LeClair of Milltown, N.B., visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Gaudet recently.

Mr. Vincent Perry of Rumford, Maine, was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alphy Gallant.

Mr. Thomas Gaudet, De'Blois, left recently for Donvers, Mass. where he will visit his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gaudet.

Visiting at the home of Mrs. Sylvan Peters in Palmer Road are Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sterol and son Charly; also Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gaudet, all of West Brook, Maine, and Arthur Peters of Halifax, N.S.

Mr. and Mrs. John MacDonald of Providence, R.I., are visiting at the home of Mrs. Jerry Bernard, Fred Peters and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Doucett. Harper Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Doyle of Charlottetown spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Belenie Gaudet.

Mr. and Mrs. Rany Gallant and daughter Joyce of Charlottetown accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Emile Arsenault of Boston, Mass., visited in St. Louis recently.

C.R.

## BEDEQUE

Miss Helen Bowness, RN, arrived recently in Bedeque from Florida to spend sometime with relatives and friends in this village.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ward and son Douglas, Saint John, N.B., and their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Shaw, also of Saint John and Mrs. Allan Shaw and Miss Diana Shaw of Grand Bay, N.B. were recent visitors to Bedeque. They also spent some time at Stanhope.

Miss Edna B. and Mrs. Irene E. Warner, Halifax, are vacationing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Affleck, Lower Bedeque.

Among visitors to Bedeque over the weekend were Miss Norma Heaker, Toronto, and John Craig of New York.

Mrs. J.B. Champion and her daughter, Miss Helen Champion, Ottawa, are spending their vacation at Lower Bedeque.

Dr. and Mrs. J.R. Dodds and their four children were in this village and attended the service at the United Church on Sunday morning. They reside in Montreal.

Sgt. and Mrs. Reginald Murray and their sons Paul and Kenneth have returned from a vacation trip to Ontario where they visited their son Ross and daughter Diana in Hamilton, Ont. They also visited with friends in Allister, Port Rowan and Aylmer, Ont., and on the return trip they visited many interesting places in the U.S.A.

Rev. Ralph B. MacCaull and Mrs. MacCaull and their two daughters Elizabeth and Edith of Sheet Harbour, N.S., were recent guests of relatives in Carleton, North Bedeque and Bedeque.

B.Q.

## RIPLEY'S BELIEVE IT OR NOT

## CONTRACT BRIDGE

By B. JAY BECKER

### TEST YOUR PLAY

1. You are declarer with the West hand at Six Clubs. North leads the two of hearts. You take it with the queen and lead the four of clubs. North plays the three, dummy the queen and South the two. How would you now play the hand?

♠K5 ♥AQ10 ♦KQ2 ♣J9864

N W E S

♠AJ832 ♥KJ ♦AJ7 ♣AQ5

2. You are declarer with the West hand at Four Spades. North having overcalled your spade bid with two hearts. North leads the king of hearts and continues with the ace. How would you play the hand?

♠KQ974 ♥7 ♦K106 ♣AQ82

N W E S

♠A6 ♥Q5 ♦AQJ94 ♣9643

1. Obviously, the only danger is in the trump suit, so the problem is to avoid losing two trump tricks. This can occur only if the clubs are divided 4-1, and the question is how to guard against that condition if it exists.

If you were to lead the ace of clubs at this point, you would go down if it turned out that North originally had the K-10-7-3. The best way to deal with this possibility is to enter your hand with a heart and lead the nine of clubs. If North plays the ten or king, you take the ace and your worries are over, but if he produces the seven, you play low from dummy.

Either the nine will win or it will lose to South's ten or king, and either way, the contract is assured. You can't lose more than one trump trick.

It may be that North will show out when you lead the nine (because South made a smart play in not taking the queen earlier). In that case, you take the ace and return a club to limit yourself to one trump loser.

2. Discard a club on the ace of hearts. You have to protect yourself against a possible 4-2 trump break, which is much more likely than a 3-3 break. If you ruffed the ace of hearts and then cashed the A-K-Q of spades, you would very likely go down if it turned out that trumps were divided 4-2.

By discarding on the ace of hearts you practically insure the hand. North can't very well lead another heart—you would ruff in dummy— so let's say he shifts to a spade or a diamond. You win and draw three round of trumps. If the spades are divided 3-3, you claim the balance, and if they are divided 4-2, you play another spade and claim the balance.

## On Radio Today

**CFCY RADIO**

**FRIDAY**

6.28—Sign On
6.30—News & Weather
6.35—Country & Western Roundup
6.55—News & Weather
7.00—Hebrew Christian Hour
7.15—Country & Western Roundup
7.30—News & Weather
7.35—CFCY Farm News
7.40—Country & Western Roundup
8.00—News
8.11—Weather
8.16—Country & Western Roundup
8.45—Weather
8.50—News
9.00—Morning Devotions
9.10—Morning Moods
9.20—Atlantic Quiz
9.25—Matinee With Willis
9.30—Morning Moods
9.40—Morning Moods
10.00—News & Weather
10.05—Notes & Music
10.15—Weather 57
10.20—Notes & Music
10.30—Bride Program
10.45—Notes & Music
10.55—Jimmie Rodgers
11.00—News Headlines & Weather
11.02—Notes & Music
11.30—Montague Entertains
11.40—Notes & Music
11.45—Bulletin Board
11.50—Notes & Music
11.55—Atlantic News Roundup
12.00—Weather
12.05—Mostly Music
12.30—New & Weather
12.45—Mostly Music
1.00—News Headlines & Weather
1.02—Mostly Music
1.15—Bobby Hill Show
1.30—Terry, Bill & Joyce
1.45—Mostly Music
2.00—News & Weather
2.05—Music for a Summer Afternoon
3.00—News & Weather
3.05—Music for a Summer Afternoon
4.00—News & Weather
4.05—Music for a Summer Afternoon
4.30—The Outports
5.00—News & Weather
5.05—The Outports
5.14—Program Schedule
5.15—John Cameron Swayze
5.20—The Outports
5.25—Marine Weather
5.28—The Outports
6.00—News & Weather
6.15—Sports Parade
6.25—Bride Program
6.30—Tonight's Music
6.55—Jimmie Rodgers Show
7.00—Back to the Bible
7.30—News & Weather
7.45—Tonight's Music
9.00—Assignment
10.00—News, Inland & Marine Weather
10.10—Matinee With Willis
10.15—Starlight Serenade
10.30—Halifax Orchestra
11.00—CBC National News. News Roundup & Speaking Personally
11.30—The Sound of Music
12.00—Inland and Marine Weather
12.10—Music In The Night

Roundup & Talk
11.30—Nocturne
12.00—Dominion News
12.10—Sign Off

**CBA RADIO**

**FRIDAY**

7.00—News Sports and Inland and Marine Weather Outlook
7.15—Breakfast Music
8.00—News and Inland Weather
8.15—Mar Sports
8.21—The Gerry Fogarty Show
9.00—A.M. Chronicle
10.00—A.M. Chronicle
11.15—The Big Panel
10.30—Women's Commentator Marjorie Major
10.40—For Consumers
10.45—Court of Opinion
11.15—Record Album
11.30—The Archers
11.45—String Along With Ricky
12.00—Jamboree Junction
12.15—Earl Hilton and the Valley Rhythm Boys
12.30—Mar. Farm B'cast
1.00—News and Inland Weather
1.15—The Tommy Hunter Show
1.45—The Open Road Show
1.59—D.O. Time Signal
2.00—The Open Road Show
2.45—Tommy Tweeds Grabbag
3.00—CBC News
3.03—Trans Canada Matinee
4.00—News
4.03—Lazy Afternoon
4.30—Music in the Air
5.00—News
5.03—Interval
5.04—Mar Fish B'cast
5.29—Interval
5.30—The Five-Thirty Show
6.00—News and Inland Weather
6.15—Regional Commentary
6.20—Sports
6.25—Music
6.30—Having A Wonderful Time
6.45—Metro CBH only
6.55—Dinner Music
7.00—News and Inland Weather
7.10—On Parliament Hill
7.15—Byline
7.20—Marine Weather & Musical Interlude
7.30—Music In The Evening
8.00—Radio International
10.00—Halifax Theatre
10.30—Panorama
11.00 CBC National News
11.30—The Sound of Music
12.00—Inland and Marine Weather
12.10—Music In The Night

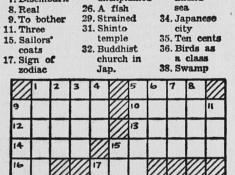
## DAILY CROSSWORD

**ACROSS**

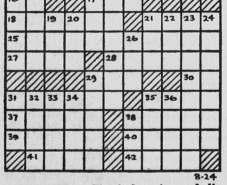
1. The Meuse: Dutch name
5. Young horse
9. Ancient people of S. Crimea
10. Aside
12. Saturn's distinction
13. Locality where case is tried
14. Preposition
15. Submit for approval
16. Pronoun
17. Guided
18. One who receives property under contract
21. Solid
25. Existence of ease and pleasure: slang (3 wds.)
27. Otherwise
28. Birds of prey
29. Attempt
30. New Testament: abbr.
31. Supports
35. Tropical fruit
37. Wading bird
38. Five-dollar bill: slang
39. Bedouins
40. Abrasive material
41. Away from wind
42. Headland

**DOWN**

1. Principal sail in a ship
2. A relative
3. Jason's ship: Gr. legend
4. Little girl
5. Hollowed out
6. —— Door Policy
7. Disembark
8. Real
9. To bother
11. Three
15. Sailors' coats
18. Sign of zodiac
19. —— ands or buts
20. Robert E. ——
21. Tropical fruit
22. Sick
23. Comes back in
24. Something unexplained
26. A fish
29. Strained
31. Shinto temple
32. Buddhist church in Jap.
33. Russian inland sea
34. Japanese city
35. Ten cents
36. Birds as a class
38. Swamp



Yesterday's Answer



**DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE — Here's how to work it:**

A X Y D L B A A X E
is L O N G F E L L O W

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

A Cryptogram Quotation

EGGOVUOZ TPSBMPVPUF PT YO-GPLOZ PSBDTURYO.—ME YDVAOGDR-VERME

Yesterday's Cryptoquote: IT IS EASIER TO SACRIFICE GREAT THAN LITTLE THINGS.—MONTAIGNE

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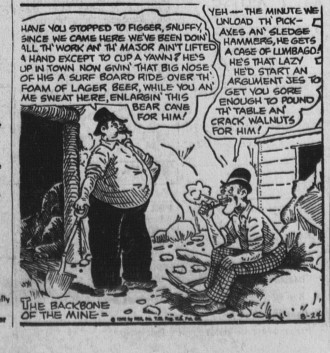
## OUR BOARDING HOUSE MAJOR HOOPLE

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## TV GUIDE

**WEEKEND TV**

**FRIDAY PROGRAMS**

**CFCY-TV**

p.m.—Afternoon Musicale
p.m.—Tea Zone
p.m.—Variation Time
p.m.—Huckleberry Hound
p.m.—Hambeltonian
p.m.—TBA
p.m.—CFCY TV News
p.m.—Gazette
p.m.—Gene Autry
p.m.—The Real McCoys
p.m.—Red River Jamboree
p.m.—Burns & Allen
p.m.—A Summer Night
p.m.—Perry Mason
p.m.—This is the Life
p.m.—CBC TV News
a.m.—Local Weather Forecast
a.m.—Viewpoint
a.m.—Sign Off

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n 8:30 a.m. - 9 p.m.

**CKCW-TV**

p.m.—Station Sign On
News, Weather, Sports
p.m.—Tea Zone
p.m.—Caravan
p.m.—Huckleberry Hound
p.m.—Call To The Post
p.m.—Television News
p.m.—Scan
p.m.—Television Weather
p.m.—Hazard
p.m.—Television Sports
p.m.—Robin Hood
p.m.—Highway Safety
p.m.—The Detectives
p.m.—Bachelor Father
p.m.—Red River Jamboree
p.m.—Burns And Allen
p.m.—A Summer Night
p.m.—Perry Mason
p.m.—The Pursuers
p.m.—CBC TV News
a.m.—Viewpoint
a.m.—Lonel Network News
a.m.—Midnight Theatre
Lust For Gold
p.m.—(Approx.) Sign-Off

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Kent St. Ch'town

**SATURDAY PROGRAMS**

**CFCY-TV**

a.m.—Afternoon Musicale
p.m.—Baseball Game of the Week
New York vs. Baltimore
p.m.—Bugs Bunny
p.m.—On Safari
p.m.—Fishermen's Log
p.m.—CFCY TV News and Weather
p.m.—County Time
p.m.—A Song For You
p.m.—TBA
p.m.—Some Of Those Days
p.m.—Cinema 13-7
Mr. Moto Takes a Chance
p.m.—Front Row Center
p.m.—Survival
p.m.—CBC TV News
a.m.—Local Weather
a.m.—Mystery Theatre
Lone Wolf Spy Hunt

**CKCW-TV**

p.m.—Station Sign On
News, Weather, Sports
p.m.—World of Sport
Baseball Game of the Week
p.m.—Bugs Bunny
p.m.—On Safari
p.m.—Early Show
Sound Off
p.m.—Some Of These Days
p.m.—Jack Benny
p.m.—Donna Reed
p.m.—Peter Gunn
p.m.—Front Row Centre
Enter Parade
p.m.—Discovery
p.m.—CBC TV News
a.m.—Lonel Network News
a.m.—The Late Show
Spaniard's Curse
a.m.—(Approx.) Sign Off

**SUNDAY PROGRAMS**

**CFCY-TV**

a.m.—Afternoon Musicale
p.m.—World of Sport
World Soccer
Bulgaria & England
p.m.—Country Calendar
p.m.—20-20
p.m.—CBC TV News
p.m.—American Musicale
Theatre
p.m.—Reflections
p.m.—Between Two Wars—
Twilight of an Era
p.m.—Father Knows Best
p.m.—News Magazine
—Hazel
p.m.—Ed Sullivan Show
p.m.—Bonanza
p.m.—Winnipeg Ballet
p.m.—CBC TV News
p.m.—Local Weather
p.m.—Sign Off

**CKCW-TV**

p.m.—Sign On
News, Weather, Sports
p.m.—Oral Roberts
p.m.—The Christophers
p.m.—World of Sport
Canadian Amateur Golf
p.m.—World Soccer
p.m.—Country Calendar
p.m.—20-20
p.m.—CBC News
p.m.—American Musical
Theatre
p.m.—Reflections
p.m.—Summer Magazine
p.m.—News Magazine
p.m.—Hazel
p.m.—Ed Sullivan Show
p.m.—Bonanza
p.m.—Winnipeg Ballet
p.m.—CBC TV News
p.m.—CKCW TV News
p.m.—Sign Off

**TOBACCO STAND**

The Canadian National Institute for the Blind began development of the tobacco stand as a source of employment for the blind in 1929.