

RIPLEY'S BELIEVE IT OR NOT



ST. JOSEPH B. ROBINSON (1840-1923)
DISCOVERED THE FIRST GOLD IN THE SOUTH AFRICAN RAND WHILE CRUSHING ORE IN HIS HELMET AND AS A RESULT WORE A PITH HELMET ALL THE REST OF HIS LIFE - EVEN ON FILL DRESS OCCASIONS

CONTRACT BRIDGE

By B. JAV BECKER

QUIZ

You are South, both sides vulnerable. The bidding has been:
North East South West
1 Pass 1♥ Pass
2♥ Pass 3♥ Pass
3NT Pass?

What would you now bid with each of the following four hands?
1. ♠Q55 ♠AKJ82 ♦97 ♣J4
2. ♠AJ8 ♠QJ9653 ♦A64 ♣K
3. ♠9 ♠KQ8752 ♦Q863 ♣KJ
4. ♠J7 ♠AKJ8652 ♦A6 ♣94

1. Pass. There is no reason to think this hand has a better chance to make ten tricks in hearts than nine tricks in no-trump. North has twice indicated a minimum opening bid. There is here fore substantial danger that he will be able to take care of only three of our seven losers if we play at a four heart contract.

2. Five diamonds. There is a distinct possibility of a slam, but all we can do is invite partner to bid it. Our previous jump to three hearts, in combination with the present jump to five diamonds, asks partner to go on if

he can. North may have two little hearts in which case the slam cannot be made, but if he has a singleton or, better yet, a void, there should be a reasonable play for twelve tricks. All can do is ask.

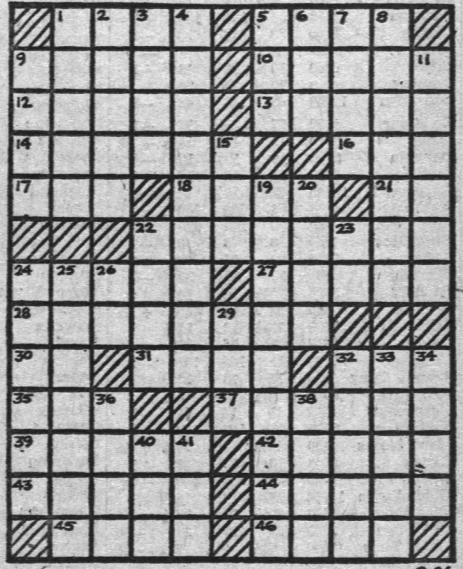
3. Four diamonds. The hand does not lend itself to notrump play, a considerable portion of our values being distributional. Partner is being given the choice of showing belated heart support or bidding the game in diamonds. The four diamond bid is simply a step towards game. It would be improper to jump to five diamonds, a bid which would urge partner to bid a slam. In view of partner's two signoff bids, a slam is out of the question.

4. Four hearts. At the point partner opened the bidding with a diamond there appeared to be a reasonable prospect of a slam. But in view of North's weak bids thereafter, and his refusal twice to support hearts, all slam ideas have to be dismissed. It is quite likely a heart trick will be lost.

It would be too radical to accept notrump as the final resting place. Ten tricks with hearts as trump are far more likely to be made than nine tricks at notrump. There is too much danger one of the black suits will prove to be a weak suit, a contingency that need not be feared in a heart contract.

DAILY CROSSWORD

- ACROSS**
1. June 6, 1944
5. Assist
9. Ply with drink (dial.)
10. Prize
12. Assam silk-worms
13. Measure of length
14. Deputies
16. Mexican rubber tree
17. Baseball's Mr. Williams
18. Comfort
22. Three of a kind
24. Twisted (colloq.)
27. Bowling lane
28. Privateers
30. Siberian gulf
31. English river
32. Common suffix
35. Greek letter
37. Danish coins
39. Italian volcano (poss.)
42. Angry
43. Dry (It.)
44. Bantam (colloq.)
45. Rodents
46. Weaver's
- DOWN**
1. Funeral song
2. Freed of moisture
3. Men's name
4. Short time ago
5. Ineffectual actor (slang)
6. Female sheep
7. Latvian coins (var.)
8. Church dignitary
9. Thrash
11. Stylish (colloq.)
15. Cebine monkey
19. Rib cuts of pork
20. Building additions
22. Exclamation
25. Over-head train
24. Extanta
25. Shellfish
26. Biblical city
29. Writing fluid
32. Silly
33. Made of network
34. Zane
36. Indian (Peru)
38. Spoken
40. Perform
41. Distress call



DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE - Here's how to work it:
A X Y D B A A X
L S 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, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.

A Cryptogram Quotation
I C R W E X Q R J B Y P H W U B J H W D H ;
S X H I W J D O C J D L E O Q X R C E V H Y X B
- F R W H B .

Yesterday's Cryptquote: I SHALL ENTER ON NO ENCUMBRUM UPON MASSACHUSETTS; SHE NEEDS NONE-WEBSTER.

ETTA KETT



MUGGS & SKEETER



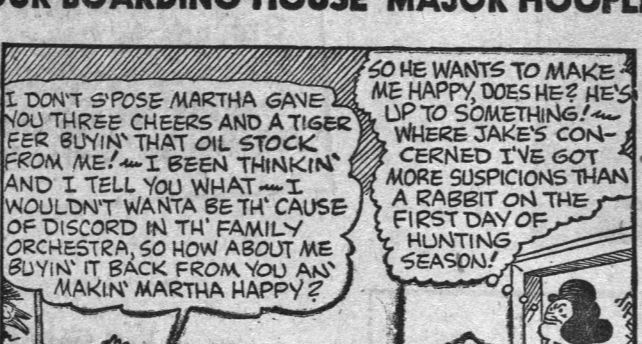
OUR BOARDING HOUSE MAJOR HOOPLE



CAUGHT IN MACHINE



BEWARE OF GREEKS REARING GIFTS



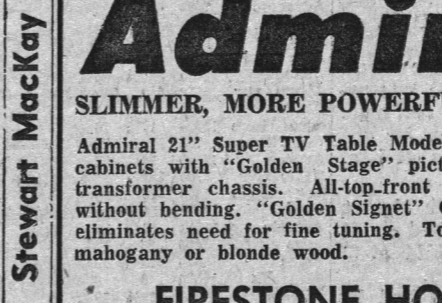
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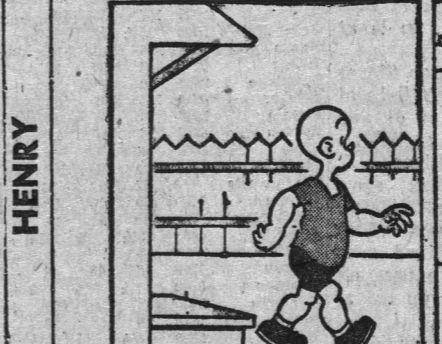
TILLY THE TOILER



HENRY



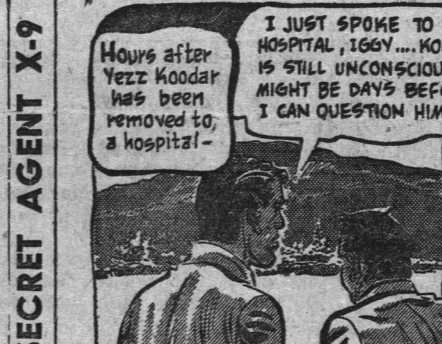
MICKY MOUSE



SECRET AGENT X-9



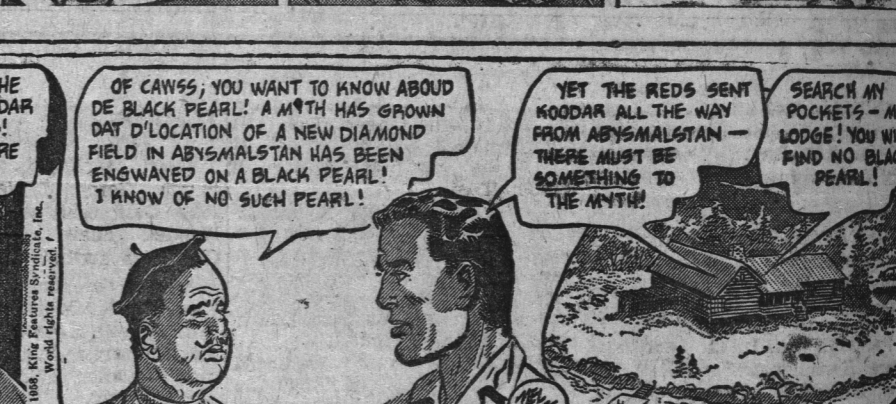
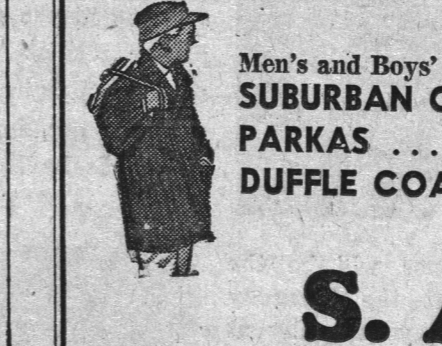
THE LONE RANGER



JOE PALOOKA



LIL' ABNER



CFCY TV
CHANNEL 13
FRIDAY
4:30 p.m.—Afternoon Musicale
5:00 p.m.—Mickey Mouse
5:30 p.m.—Mickey Mouse Playhouse
6:00 p.m.—Western Theatre
6:54 p.m.—CFCY TV News
7:01 p.m.—Gazette
7:30 p.m.—Friday Theatre
9:00 p.m.—Shirley Temple
10:00 p.m.—Wells Fargo
10:30 p.m.—Country Club
11:00 p.m.—Cavalcade of Sports
11:45 p.m.—Jim Coleman Show
12:00 p.m.—CBC TV News
12:13 a.m.—Local Weather Forecast
12:15 a.m.—Viewpoint
12:22 a.m.—Texas Rassin

CKCW — Moncton
CHANNEL 2
FRIDAY
4:55 p.m.—Sign On News, Weather, Sports
5:00 p.m.—Barney's Gang
5:30 p.m.—Mighty Mouse
6:00 p.m.—Whirley Birds
6:30 p.m.—Early Evening News
6:45 p.m.—Weather
6:50 p.m.—Spotlight On Sports
7:00 p.m.—Premiere Performance
8:30 p.m.—Conrad Nagle Theatre
9:00 p.m.—Shirley Temple
10:00 p.m.—Wells Fargo
10:30 p.m.—Country Club
11:00 p.m.—Cavalcade of Sports
11:45 p.m.—Jim Coleman Show
12:00 p.m.—CBC TV News
12:15 a.m.—CKCW News
12:20 a.m.—20th Century Fox Theatre
1:30 a.m.—Sign Off

RADIO
CFCY FRIDAY
STANDARD TIME
5:58—Sign On
6:00—Hebrew Christian Hour
6:15—Musical Moments
6:30—News
6:35—Weather
6:40—Western Hoedown
6:45—News and Sports Capsule
7:10—Weather
7:15—Country and Western Roundup
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—Salada Quiz
10:35—Melody Parade
10:45—Swift Money Man
11:00—News Headlines and Weather
11:02—The Magic of Music.
11:30—News
11:40—Weather
11:45—The Magic of Music
12:00—Weather
12:05—Sons of the Pioneers
12:30—News and Weather
12:45—Mostly Music.
1:00—News Headlines and Weather
1:02—Mostly Music.
1:45—One Man's Family
2:00—News Headlines and Weather
2:02—Sammy Kaye Show
2:15—Bing Crosby Sings
2:30—Back to the Bible
3:00—News Headlines and Weather
3:02—Best On Request
4:00—News and Weather
4:05—Best On Request
4:30—The Outposts
5:00—News
5:10—Interlude
5:15—The Outposts (cont.)
6:00—Music For You
6:30—News and Weather
6:35—Music For You
7:00—Music by Roth
7:30—News and Weather
7:45—Don Messer's Islanders
8:00—Assignment
9:00—News and Weather
9:15—Music by Mantovani
9:30—Sing It Again
10:00—Cavalcade of Sports
11:00—Dominion News
11:10—Sign Off

CBA FRIDAY
DAYLIGHT TIME
7:15—Marine Weather and Fill
7:30—A. M. Chronicle
8:00—CBC News and Weather
8:15—Maritime Sportscastr
8:20—A. M. Chronicle
8:45—Morning Devotions
9:00—A. M. Chronicle
10:00—A. M. Chronicle
10:45—Morning Commentator.
10:55—Ruth Harding.
11:00—Lets Go Places.
11:15—Kindergarten of the Air
11:30—Court of Opinion.
12:00—Jamboree Junction.
12:30—Maritime Farm B'cast.
1:00—CBC News and Weather
1:15—Pages From Life
1:30—Strictly for Strings
1:50—D.O. Time Signal
2:00—Variation on a Theme
2:15—The Happy Gang
2:45—Beast of the Bush Veldt.
3:00—CBC News and T-C Matinee
4:00—Daydreaming
4:30—Pacific Playhouse
5:00—Maritime Fish B'cast
5:30—The Don Tremaine Show.
6:00—The Don Tremaine Show.
6:10—Maritime Sportscastr
6:15—CBC News and Weather
6:30—Alex Barris.
6:45—Evening Reporter
6:55—Byline
7:00—Music in the Evening
7:30—The Celtic Heart
8:00—Caravan Quiz
8:30—Arranged by Johnny Burt
8:45—Maritime Comment.
9:00—Portrait of a Woman.
9:30—Now I Ask You
10:00—Songs of my People
10:30—Who's the Composer.
11:00—CBC National News Roundup.
11:30—Footloose in India's Cities
12:00—Here's The Weather and Sign Off

Manitoba Man New Engineer
MONCTON — A Manitoba man who completed his Canadian National Railways apprenticeship while earning a University degree now is mechanical engineer for the Company's Atlantic region. His appointment was announced Tuesday by H. H. Hicks, General Superintendent of motive power and car equipment for the region.
J. R. (Jack) Kemp, native of Winnipeg, succeeds D. A. Foster in the Moncton post. Mr. Foster now is Maritime District Superintendent of motive power and car equipment. Mr. Kemp is promoted from assistant mechanical engineer at Winnipeg.

Reds Give Up Bodies Of Six
KARS, Turkey (AP)—The bodies of six U.S. airmen killed in a crash in Soviet territory Sept. 2 were turned over to American and Turkish authorities on the Soviet-Turkish border Wednesday. They were taken to a morgue at a state hospital in this provincial capital 20 miles from the Armenian border and were to be flown to the Adana, Turkey, air base.
There were 17 men on board the C-130 turboprop transport when it was reported forced across the border by Soviet MIG fighters.
The Russians have refused to give any information about the 11 others despite repeated requests made in Moscow.

N.B. Farmers Try Marketing Experiment
BATHURST (CP)—An experiment in co-operative marketing is being made by farmers in the Belvedere area of Gloucester County. Faced with a loss of their traditional markets, 30 farmers are building their own community plant for grading, washing and packing vegetables and fruits.
This week the roof is going on the building and an official opening is planned for next month. Each farmer involved is contributing six days labor to the project and a small amount of cash.
The result will be a modern concrete and steel building 90 feet by 60 feet with all the necessary facilities for the orderly marketing of local farm produce. Farmers will be able to grade, wash and sort their products, pack them in plastic bags and take advantage of other new trends in marketing.
Belvedere farmers decided on a do-it-yourself effort after learning that the cost would run to \$15,000 or more if the job were under contract. They started building after consulting with district agriculturist Gerald Chisanson of Bathurst and other officials of the N. B. Department of Agriculture.

O'LEARY
Friends of Mrs. Belle Marrell, who has been a patient in the Community Hospital, O'Leary, to the past several months are glad to hear she is recuperating at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Ellis, Unionville.
Mr. Albert MacGregor of Hamilton, Ont., is spending his holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh MacGregor, O'Leary and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Adams, Knutsford.
Sympathy is extended to Coleman and Mrs. Lewis McCallum, Coleman, on the death of their infant baby in the O'Leary Community Hospital Wednesday, Sept. 17th.
Friends of Mrs. Lloyd Cook, Cape Wolfe, are sorry to hear she is a patient in the Community Hospital, O'Leary, with pneumonia. All wish her a speedy recovery.
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Leard have returned to their home in O'Leary after spending a week visiting friends in Quebec, Toronto and parts of the U.S.A.
The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Matthews, O'Leary, are glad to hear that their little son, Kevin, who was rushed by plane to a hospital in Halifax is much improved and was able to return home. The child was struck by a car as he played beside the highway which passes through the main part of the village. His condition is not as serious as was first expected.
Sunday evening friends of Miss Gloria Peters gathered at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Peters, prior to her departure to join the Sisterhood of the Congregation of St. Martha.
Gloria was escorted to her seat of honor by Miss Shirley Richard, who also made the presentation of a gift of money. An appropriate address was read by Miss Audrey Gallant.
Highlights of the evening were speeches made by Rev. F. C. J. Pitre and others to which Gloria in a few well chosen words expressed her thanks for their kindness. A social evening of music and singing followed and refreshments were served by the ladies.
Friends of Mr. Harold Gard are sorry to hear he is a patient in the Community Hospital, O'Leary, with blood poison in his hand all wish him a speedy recovery.
Sincere sympathy is extended Mr. Lorne Yeo and family, Cascumpe on the sudden and tragic accident of his brother Mr. Ralph Sherman Yeo of St. John, N.B. who was struck by a car on the Maine State Turnpike, and killed instantly. D.U.

CAUGHT IN MACHINE
AMHERST (CP)—Councillor A. Victor MacKay, of Amherst, veteran member of the Cumberland Municipal Council, was badly injured here Wednesday when his foot became entangled in a farm machine. Part of his leg below the knee was removed in an operation.

