

CONTRACT BRIDGE

By B. JAY BECKER

QUIZ

You are the dealer, both sides vulnerable, and have opened One Diamond. Partner has responded with each of the following four hands?

1. ♠A52 ♥J ♣KQJ875 ♦A74
2. ♠A9 ♥KQ52 ♦AQJ63 ♣K7
3. ♠A874 ♥— ♦AK9632 ♣AJ5
4. ♠7 ♥QJ74 ♦AKJ95 ♣AK8

1. Two diamonds. A choice has to be made between two and three diamonds. Neither one is accurate. Two diamonds is an underbid, three diamonds an overbid.

If partner's response had been a spade or two clubs, either of which would elevate the value of the hand, a three diamond rebid would be order. But with the heart response, the hand depreciates in value, and game possibilities are remote unless partner voluntarily continues over two diamonds.

If partner does bid again, some constructive move will then be made to show there were extra values beyond those indicated by the minimum rebid.

2. Four hearts. This is the type of hand with which many players bid only three hearts. Occasionally, responder passes the jump to three hearts, which is not a forcing bid but only a strong invitation to continue to game. If responder has a fitly enough strength to eke out a heart bid, and no more, he need not bid over three hearts.

With 19 high card points, plus an excellent trump fit which raises the value of the hand about 3 points, no risk of playing at less than game should be run. There is further more the important factor that a slam may be reached as a result of the four heart bid which might be missed if the rebid were three hearts.

3. One spade. Again we are influenced by partner's unsatisfactory response. Although our suit preference runs strongly towards

diamonds, as opposed to spades, the spade bid is chosen because it has higher potential promise than a mere rebid of diamonds. It is usually more desirable to represent strength on the absence of strength than it is to reflect distribution accurately.

3. Three clubs. Not only must a game be reached but slam possibilities must also be described. The jump shift to three clubs is forcing to game even if responder has a minimum.

The intention is to raise hearts on the next round, thus completing the picture of both the high card values and the distribution. If partner has A-K of hearts, there is a good chance to make a slam.

A sequence of bids which includes a jump shift is stronger than one where game is bid directly.

700 British Companies Established In Canada

By FORBES RHUDE
Canadian Press Business Editor
TORONTO (CP)—More than 700 British companies have established themselves in Canada, either with a subsidiary company or in association with an existing Canadian firm, H. G. McHaffie, president of the Canadian Association of British Manufacturers and agencies, said Wednesday in his address to the association's annual meeting.

In addition, there was a growing trend towards investment in Canada's resources which made the British participation in Canada's economy by far the largest from overseas.

These were indications, said Mr. McHaffie, that Britain is prepared to put capital and plant in Canada as the need arises. 1956 were close to the \$500,000,000

mark for the first time in history. This was a boost of 26 per cent over 1955, and exports of \$107,000,000 in the first quarter of this year were 10 per cent ahead of the 1956 corresponding period.

STRIKING ADVANCES

The most striking advances in last year's exports to Canada were in non-ferrous metals, iron and steel, and electrical engineering products, but many traditional consumer goods also were well up over 1955.

Nearly \$3,000,000 worth of mine loading machine excavators had been sold to the Canadian mining industry, an increase of 350 per cent over 1955, while diamond drill exports increased 100 per cent and rock drills 50 per cent.

"Clearly," said Mr. McHaffie, "such progress would not have been achieved unless Canadian customers were quite satisfied about British performance in terms of delivery and specifications and unless British suppliers concerned were fully knowledgeable of Canadian market requirements, and its potential."

Nevertheless, some ground had been lost over the years in Britain's percentage of total Canadian imports and there would be

more determined bidders in the future for a share of this market.

NARROW SENSE

British-Canadian trade, however, could not be viewed in a narrow sense—one must also look at the broad international scene. In Western Europe, for instance production and trade had grown faster than in any other comparable area in the world, including the United States.

Mr. McHaffie, who is director of British Thomson-Houston Ltd., Toronto, said the volume of immigrants to Canada, particularly from Britain and Hungary, would exceed the projections of increased population trends re-mission report.

The British immigration situation, however, had been "magnified out of all proportions," to the extent that it might be assumed that if they had the chance practically the whole population of Britain would leave the country.

"This is absolute nonsense," Mr. McHaffie stated. "This migration can well be afforded by Britain."

The association, in trying to help reviewers, had found many of them "singularly ignorant of prevailing conditions, which leads us to assume that the briefing and screening at the British end leaves something to be desired."

ESTABLISH CLEARLY

"However much a country needs population," Mr. McHaffie said, "it is not really work for them and it must not be content with just bringing the bodies over and that in some cases they must change their calling completely.

"On the other hand, if such colossal upheavals do not lead to reasonable opportunities for advancement and progress, then Canada must run the risk of developing a population of intellectual misfits working on mental jobs entirely below their capacities and thereby breeding a voting element of discontent which could have serious repercussions on the political and economic future."

The Streets Of Naples Teem With Everything, For A Price

By ED SIMON
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NAPLES, Italy (CP)—The old hands with the prospective visitor to Naples that he should take twice as much money as he thinks he'll need, keep everything under lock and key and be prepared to haggle over the price of every cup of coffee.

Although the visitor proceeded to spend a week in town without being robbed by anyone except the man who made out his hotel bill, there is no question that a substantial proportion of the population is dedicated to the pursuit of the fast life.

The visitor's only additional advice to his successors is to wear a dirty raincoat, a three-day beard and an expression of indifference toward the breath-taking scenery. Even with this protective coloring, the cameo salesmen will probably get you.

ANYTHING FOR A PRICE

The pedlars of Rome have a sense of propriety, dealing almost solely in religious articles. The traveler avoiding the seamier sections of Paris is seldom imprompted to buy more than a fistful of picture postcards. But the streets of Naples teem with operators offering virtually anything at a price.

Five-year-olds beg in the streets at 1 a.m. Old cronies offer dried flowered scarves. Men pluck the arm of the passerby in front of the best hotels offering wrist-watches, fountain pens and various types of nocturnal entertainment.

Their saturation salesmanship is purbued with equal vigor on the city hall steps and among the ruins of Pompeii. They fall alike upon the patron of the sidewalk cafe and the diner at the exclusive restaurant. They descend undeterred on the victim who shook them off five minutes before.

Least any tourist should worry about the language barrier, they are fluent in English to the extent of describing their wares and quoting their price.

The one English word that appears to elude them is "no". A word, incidentally, which means the same thing in Italian.

BEDTIME STORIES

Scrapers Are Undecided

Indecision, you will find. Never permits peace of mind. —Old Mother Nature.

Scrapper the Kingbird and Mrs. Scrapper were back in the Old Orchard. They had been back for several days, but they had shown no signs of looking for a place to nest. Most of the other Old Orchard folk were already busy making their new homes. Some of them began to wonder why the Kingbirds were not at least looking for a place to build. Peter Rabbit was wondering too. Peter is always interested in what is going on in the Old Orchard.

"Was your journey up from the land-of-always-summer extra hard this year?" asked Peter.

"Why do you ask that?" Scrapper wanted to know. "What has given you any idea that the trip back here was extra hard?"

Just then a Bee flew past. Scrapper darted out and caught it, then flew back and perched just above Peter's head. "Mrs. Scrapper has not made up her mind yet," said he as he swallowed the Bee.

"What is it she hasn't made up her mind about?" asked Peter.

"Whether or not she wants to stay in the Old Orchard," said Scrapper.

Peter's long ears stood straight up right then. "Don't tell me you think of going somewhere else!" he cried. "What's the matter with the Old Orchard?"

"I didn't say anything is the matter with the Old Orchard," replied Scrapper a bit testily.

Just then Mrs. Scrapper joined them. "What are you two talking about?" she asked.

"I want to know what's the matter with the Old Orchard," said Peter.

"Is something the matter with it? I didn't know that?" said Mrs. Scrapper.

"Scrapper says you are thinking of going somewhere else," replied Peter.

"What if we are? That doesn't mean that there's anything wrong with the Old Orchard. We are just wondering if a change wouldn't be nice," said Mrs. Scrapper.

"You mean you are," spoke up Scrapper.

"That's the same thing," said Mrs. Scrapper. Then she turned to Peter. "We like to be near the water," said she. "Before we came to the Old Orchard the first time we nested over near Laughing Brook. There is no special reason for nesting near the water, but we like it. So we thought we would look around a little before we start our nest."

"You won't find any better place than right here," said Peter. "I get around a lot and I know."

Scrapper chuckled. "What do you know about nest building?" said he. "A place may be all right to visit, but not suited for a nest."

Of course this was true. "I hope you won't decide to leave," said Peter. "The Old Orchard needs you two. I'm sure everyone feels that way."

"What do you know about how everyone feels?" retorted Mrs. Scrapper. "It isn't a matter of how anyone else feels, it's a matter of how we feel. And we're not quite sure about that. We're undecided."

"You mean you are," said Scrapper.



"What is it she hasn't made up her mind about?" asked Peter.

"You and Mrs. Scrapper haven't begun nesting and seem to be just sitting around. I wondered if you were just resting because the trip had been extra hard," said Peter.

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OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. WILLIAMS



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- Orange-red chalcidony
 - Cats and dogs
 - Harbors
 - Fencing sword
 - Little child
 - Toadfish
 - Native of Kola penin.
 - Snow vehicle
 - Artist's workshop
 - Dove coop
 - Signal system
 - Ministers' aid
 - Nourished
 - Polish garment
 - Land measure
 - Abatement (colloq.)
 - Thus
 - Not living
 - Quantity of paper
 - To make choice
 - Tillage
 - Musical note
 - American Indian
 - Humble
 - City (It.)
 - River (Ger.)
 - Ermine
 - Scarf
 - Triangle part
 - Horses food
- DOWN**
- Polished
 - Come into view
 - Twirled
 - Doctor (abbr.)
 - Oyster
 - Decay rates
 - Says again
 - River (Afr.)
 - Close
 - Food fish
 - Island off Greece
 - Chilly
 - Music
 - Young
 - Decay rates
 - Says again
 - River (Afr.)
 - Close
 - Food fish
 - Island off Greece
 - Chilly

DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE — Here's how to work it:

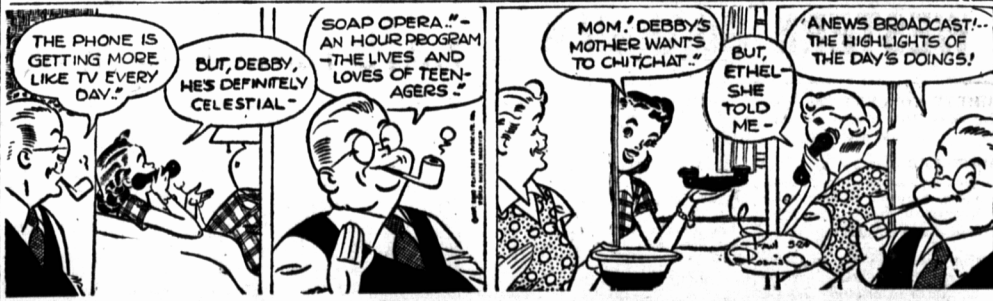
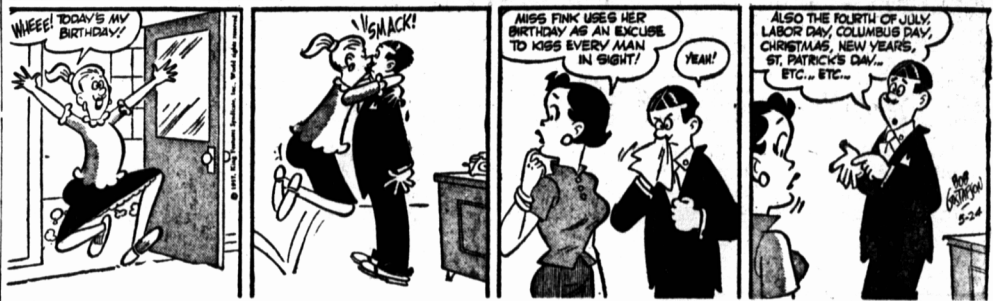
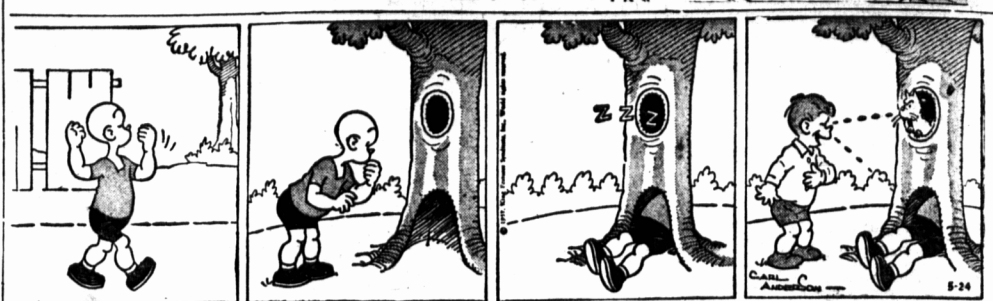
AXYDLBAAXR IS LONGFELLOW

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.

F SCBSJ SJFS'R SKNX TOSJ WFX
OCVCS VVFSR FNN SJV NOVR
AKB MFC OCPVCS—TONNOFL WNFIV.

Yesterday's Cryptogram: WHO CANNOT GIVE GOOD COUNSEL? 'TIS CHEAP. IT COSTS THEM NOTHING — ROBERT BURTON



BACKACHE May be Warning

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9:30 p.m.—Howdy Doody
10:00 p.m.—Discoveries
10:30 p.m.—Children's Newsreel
11:00 p.m.—Roy Rogers
11:30 p.m.—Open House
12:00 p.m.—CFCY Television News
12:30 p.m.—Weather
1:00 p.m.—CBC News
1:30 p.m.—Viewer's Guide
2:00 p.m.—Sir Lancelot
2:30 p.m.—On Trial
3:00 p.m.—Plouffe Family
3:30 p.m.—Graphic
4:00 p.m.—Country Hoedown
4:30 p.m.—Ford Theatre
5:00 p.m.—CFCY Television News & Weather
5:30 p.m.—Political Telecast
6:00 p.m.—Counsel For Crime

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FRIDAY

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2:30 p.m.—News
3:00 p.m.—Coffee Chatter
3:30 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 International News
5:30 p.m.—Roy Rogers
6:00 p.m.—The Mercymakers
6:30 p.m.—Early Evening TV News
6:45 p.m.—Weather
7:00 p.m.—Sports
7:30 p.m.—Life is Worth Living
8:00 p.m.—Ritchie Theatre of Stars
8:30 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.—Auctioneer
10:30 p.m.—Ford Theatre
11:00 p.m.—CBC TV News
11:30 p.m.—CKCW TV News
11:30 p.m.—Weather