

### CONTRACT BRIDGE

By B. JAY BECKER  
"AMOUS HANDS"

South dealer.  
Neither side vulnerable.

**NORTH**  
♠ 7  
♥ 5 4 3  
♦ A 9 8 7 5 4 2  
♣ 10 8

**WEST**  
♠ J 4  
♥ Q J 10 7 2  
♦ K 6  
♣ K 9 7 3

**EAST**  
♠ Q 9 8 6 5 3 2  
♥ K 8  
♦ J 3  
♣ J 5 4

**SOUTH**  
♠ A K 10  
♥ A 9 8  
♦ Q J 10  
♣ A Q 6 2

The bidding:  
South West North East  
1♠ 1♥ Pass 1♠  
Dble. Pass 3♦ Pass  
3NT

Opening lead—queen of hearts.  
John Moran, now of New York, formerly of Arcadia, Calif., is an imaginative player who has been winning better than his share of victories in recent years. When I asked him to produce a hand he had figured in, he came up with this amusing one which he once

played in the Western Championships when they were held in Los Angeles several years ago. He didn't win the hand strictly on its merits, because it wasn't possible to do so, but he gave a defender the opportunity to make a mistake, and it was gobbled up hook, line and sinker.

The hand was rather extraordinary from one view. At one point in the play, Moran had to take a finesse. If the finesse won, he was beaten. If the finesse lost, the hand was made.

This odd situation came about as follows. East covered the opening heart lead with king and it was allowed to hold. A heart return was taken with the ace and the jack of diamonds led.

West played low and so did dummy. Moran rooted hard for the finesse to lose, but it did him no good. The jack held the trick and the diamond suit was blocked. If he played the diamond queen he could catch the king with the ace, but dummy's string of good diamonds could not be cashed. South's ten standing the way.

If Moran led the queen and permitted the king of diamonds to win the trick the diamonds would become unblocked, but West

### LINER DOCKS SAFELY

NEW YORK (AP)—The 990-foot liner United States docked safely Thursday without the aid of strike-bound tugboats after an hour of manoeuvring. A plan for the biggest American merchant ship to transfer her 1,433 passengers to harbor-owned ferries in the lower bay was abandoned a few hours earlier. The 53,000-ton liner is this largest in the world.

### STRONG FEELINGS

MANILA (AP)—Anti-Japanese feeling flared Thursday over the arrival with a goodwill mission of a Japanese official who is reported to have served with the secret police during the wartime occupation of the Philippines. The Japanese, Shochi Yanase, was remaining in his hotel room with a guard against possible violence.

### WOULD BEAT THE CONTRACT BY RUNNING HIS HEARTS

In an effort to solve the difficulty Moran instead played the nine of hearts. West leaped upon this with the ten and cashed his jack of hearts, on which Moran discarded the ten of diamonds like it was a hot potato, this unblocking the diamond suit.

West cashed his last heart, but the fourth defensive trick, but that was all. Declarer now had tricks to burn.

West should have returned the king of diamonds when he won the heart. Beware of bridge players bearing gifts!

## Uniform Transport Control Across Canada Is Advocated

OTTAWA (CP)—Uniform control of transportation across Canada was advocated Thursday before the cabinet by railway unions.

The National Legislative committee of the International Railway Brotherhoods, representing some 50,000 workers, made the submission in its annual presentation to Prime Minister St. Laurent and the cabinet.

Mr. St. Laurent had no comment on the proposal.

The railwaymen also called for tighter federal regulation of highway traffic.

The government has turned over to the provinces its constitutional control over commercial highway traffic crossing provincial borders. There have been suggestions that this has produced a hodge-podge of regulations.

"The unions said there should be a national transportation policy and reorganization of the control of interprovincial and international motor vehicle traffic."

"Railways, waterways, airways, highways and pipelines are inseparably inter-related and should be regulated to serve not only individually but collectively in meeting the country's needs."

The unions said they recommended appointment of a board representing federal and provincial governments to rule over road traffic crossing provincial borders.

Most of the brotherhoods' brief followed lines laid down in previous years, and Mr. St. Laurent did not have much to say about individual recommendations.

However, he took mild exception to a section saying federal "tight money" policy against inflation is drastically curbing construction of homes.

### B.C. RIVER

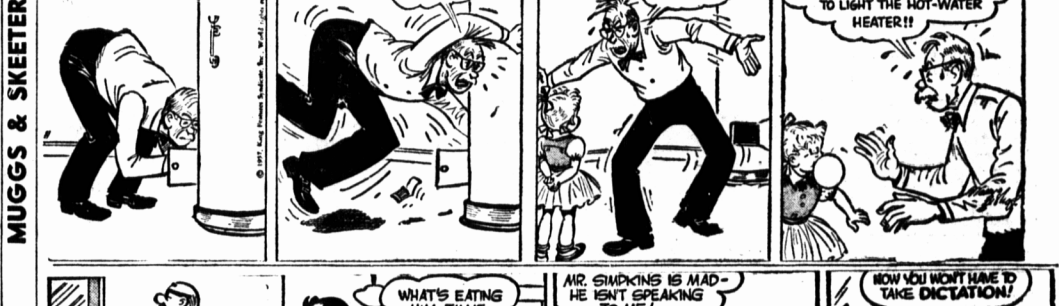
The Skeena River flows 325 miles in British Columbia to its Pacific outlet just south of Prince Rupert.

### NO AGREEMENT YET

WASHINGTON (Reuters)—The White House said Friday it will not comment on reports of a Big Three Western meeting in Bermuda in March until there is complete agreement on any such meeting.

### CONTROLS UNFAIR

"It is obvious that to control one class—the railways, over which there is rigid regulation—and allow competitors to operate without comparable regulation will never be a sound basis for a national transportation policy."



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5:30 p.m.—Circus Boy  
6:00 p.m.—Open House  
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7:30 p.m.—News Magazine  
8:00 p.m.—The Millionaire  
8:30 p.m.—On Camera  
9:00 p.m.—I Love Lucy  
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5:00 p.m.—In The Story Book  
5:15 p.m.—Peppermint Prince  
5:30 p.m.—Circus Boy  
6:00 p.m.—You Name It  
6:30 p.m.—Early Evening News  
6:45 p.m.—Weather  
6:50 p.m.—Sports  
7:00 p.m.—Crunch and Des  
7:30 p.m.—Nations Business  
7:45 p.m.—Westmorland Singers  
8:00 p.m.—The Millionaire  
8:30 p.m.—On Camera  
9:00 p.m.—I Love Lucy  
9:30 p.m.—Denny Vaughan Show  
10:00 p.m.—Studio One  
11:00 p.m.—CBC TV News  
11:10 p.m.—Weather  
11:15 p.m.—Billboard  
11:20 p.m.—Boxing

## Stamp Designer Has No Leaning Towards Fly Or Bait

By W. R. WHEATLEY  
Canadian Press Staff Writer  
MONTREAL (CP)—Lawrence Hyde, who designed Canada's new set of four stamps illustrating outdoor recreations, is something of a diplomat as well as an artist. He isn't going to be caught napping or become the centre of a controversy—he hopes.

For instance, there's the stamp illustrating fishing.

"You might say it's rather vague," said Mr. Hyde Wednesday. "Far be it from me to start any violence between bait and fly fishermen. Personally I have no preference. I'm interested in fishing myself, too."

The design shows two fishermen in a canoe. Are they on a lake or a river?

"Well, it could be lake and again it could be a river. You know some people have preferences."

What about the stamp illustrating swimming—a swimmer doing the crawl stroke?

"I had some good technical advice and references as to accuracy. Besides, I went to the swimming pool in the Chateau Laurier at Ottawa. I don't think there can be any particular criticism about that design."

And the illustration for skiing?

"I did my sketching outdoors, and of course I had someone who knows skiing."

WHAT'S A GANNET?

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The locale? "The design is suitable for any part of Canada if you insist. I'll tell you: The sketching was done in the Ottawa area."

The illustration for hunting presented fewer problems. Mr. Hyde selected the golden retriever—after consulting books and experts—as a typical Canadian breed. The golden retriever is of Russian ancestry—a cross of Russian tracker and British bloodhound—and was recognized by the Canadian Kennel Club in 1927.

Mr. Hyde, 41, British-born and Toronto-educated, is with the National Film Board in Montreal. His wife and two children live in Ottawa and he commutes every weekend.

The first stamp he designed was a 15-cent airmail stamp in 1954. It showed a gannet with outstretched wings.

"After it was issued people began asking 'what's a gannet?'" Mr. Hyde also designed the 1955 Alberta—Saskatchewan stamp, commemorating the provinces' joint 50th birthday, and the Boy Scout Jamboree stamp the same year.

The new issue of the four five-cent stamps is known as the Outdoor Recreation Series and will be available to the public March 7. They are printed in blocks of the four together and are blue with plenty of white space.

### BEDTIME STORIES

#### The Lightfoot Twins

Though twins bring double joy to you,  
They more than double worries, too.

—Mrs. Lightfoot.

Of all the babies in the Green Forest growing up through the summer none were prettier than the Lightfoot twins. Lightfoot the Deer was proud of them although he seldom showed it. Of course, Mrs. Lightfoot was proud of them. All mothers are proud of their children when they are small and just getting started in the Great World.



The fawns grew fast.  
"They are the finest children we have ever had," declared Mrs. Lightfoot, and Lightfoot agreed with her. They had been born in May and a prettier pair of babies the Green Forest never had seen.

At first their lovely buff coats were thickly spotted with white. Those little white spots not only made their coat prettier, but they did something more. They made those little fawns safer. You see at the time the twins were

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### DAILY CROSSWORD

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|-----------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------|
| <b>ACROSS</b>               | <b>DOWN</b>                | 15. Weight (Ind.)      |
| 1. Monetary unit (Siam)     | 1. Capital (Mass.)         | 17. Authoritative      |
| 5. Applaud                  | 2. Counter to              | 20. Scold persistently |
| 9. S-shaped molding         | 3. Assist                  | 21. Body of water      |
| 10. Rabbit                  | 4. Evening sun god (Egypt) | 25. Twirl, as thumbs   |
| 11. Sacred song             | 5. Gabbled                 | 26. Nearly all         |
| 12. Ventilated              | 6. Den                     | 27. Negligent          |
| 14. On tip-toes             | 7. Molding edge            | 29. Force              |
| 15. Struggle                | 8. Irritated               | 30. Dwellings          |
| 16. Weight                  | 9. Crown of the head       | 31. Sweet potatoes     |
| 17. Encountered             | 10. Sand hill              |                        |
| 18. Coin (Jap.)             |                            |                        |
| 19. Entries (prefix)        |                            |                        |
| 22. From (prefix)           |                            |                        |
| 23. Children's game         |                            |                        |
| 24. Soak                    |                            |                        |
| 26. Form of address (abbr.) |                            |                        |
| 28. Popular TV program      |                            |                        |
| 30. Contraction (poet)      |                            |                        |
| 31. Man's nickname          |                            |                        |
| 35. Fruit tree (P. I.)      |                            |                        |
| 36. Stings                  |                            |                        |
| 38. Descendant of Ezechiel  |                            |                        |
| 39. Catlike beast           |                            |                        |
| 40. Pirate captain (poss.)  |                            |                        |
| 41. Bristle                 |                            |                        |
| 42. Voided                  |                            |                        |
| 43. Blind                   |                            |                        |
| 44. Busy insects            |                            |                        |

Saturday's Answer

33. East Indian Cereal grain var.

37. Network

38. Ireland

40. Antelope (Afr.)

### DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE

— Here's how to work it:  
A X Y D L B A A X R  
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

V S I Q J L K J K B V L P L Q F K O F P E Q  
' B S S V J V J Q B S V L H F L B V L P E .  
C F Q Q D V J C Y ! — Q V L E F Q O F L K F .

Saturday's Cryptoquote: LIFE WITHOUT INDUSTRY IS GUILT, INDUSTRY WITHOUT ART IS BRUTALITY—RUSKIN.

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