

BRIDGE

The hand in the diagram was played recently at the International Pure Game. The proceeds of the game help pay the expenses of the American bridge teams at international events. The hands are analyzed by experts and for this reason alone are very popular with the local players.

George Sterling and Henry Bardsley of Birmingham won the event at The Community House, with Shally Kornmiller of West Bloomfield and Edith Harpster of Birmingham running a very close second.

NORTH
AK 2

WEST
J 10 9 7 5 3
K J 6
A 7 6 3

EAST
Q 8 3
K 5 7 4
K 5 2

SOUTH
8 6
K Q J 7 6 5 2
10 9
4



By ERNEST AND KAY CLINTON

South Deals
No one Vulnerable
South West North East
3V pass pass pass
West led the jack of spades.
Luck does enter the picture and many North-South pairs preempted the heart suit and bought the contract as neither East nor West has a hand suitable for action.
East-West can easily make four spades, but unless West overcalls immediately, no one should take a bid. Shally and Edith were not as lucky as most of their opponents overcalled and bid and made four spades.

Henry and George found their spade game easily when the opponents preempted at the two level.

Southern Michigan Bridge Association will hold the first annual Wolverine Regional at Roma's of Bloomfield located at Square Lake and Telegraph roads beginning Tuesday, Feb. 8, and continuing through Sunday, Feb. 13.

Tuesday afternoon, the Men's and Women's Swiss Teams at 1:30 p.m., and Tuesday evening — Mixed Pairs beginning at 8 p.m. Knock-out teams also at 8 p.m. Wednesday, the same events (second session). Also, a one session Unlimited pairs game at 1:30 p.m. and an open pairs game at 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 10, the Men's and Women's Pairs at 1:30 and 8; Friday, the Master pairs and Non-Master pairs at 1:30 and 8. Saturday, the Open pairs and a Novice pairs beginning at 1:30 and Sunday the Swiss Teams at 11 a.m. and 5 p.m.

There will be refreshments at no extra charge and a complimentary dinner will be served Sunday between sessions. If you are interested in playing, but need a partner, call Lucille Meredith, 644-6042 or Bernie Lacy, 851-0079, or Curt Muller, 644-6286.

Winners last week:
Community House, Jan. 24, Sec. A N-S (1) Mr. and Mrs. Paul Van Roekel (2) Beverly Onisko, Chuck Schiff; E-W (1) Larry Froberg, Mike Remondino (2-3) James Karageneous, Bob Parkanzky; Bonnie Ward, Dave Buskirk. Sec. B N-S (1) Sam Wengrow, Ralph Weiss (2) Sol Leland, Al Gendel; E-W (1) Marge Lewan, Ed Coe (2) Karen Ackerman, Georgene Cronin.
Birmingham-Bloomfield, Jan. 26, (membership) (1) JoAnne Steigmeyer, Joanne Shelle (2) Tom Batten, Walter Lauckner (3) Art Weiss, Lynne Ziegler (4-5) Dr. Henry Shevity, Joe Titone; Larry Froberg, D. Rognil.
Southfield, Thursday Morning, Jan. 27 (membership) (1) Lynne Ziegler, Jerry Boutt (2) Ruth

Greenberg, Dr. Max Parker (3) Flora Schwartz, Charlotte England (4) Cliff Bishop, Morris McLennon (5) Grace Distler, Joan Miller.

Friendly, Jan. 26, N-S (1) Margaret Mulvogue, Betty Fox (2) Sophia Acker, Mary Lou Perrone; E-W (1) Mary Lou Norwood, Nell Ott (2) Dee Groth, Marilyn Barnes. January 28, N-S (1) Nell Parsons, Martha Johnston (2) Ann Tremblay, Christel Wahl; E-W (1) Judi Hartz, Carol Prisbee (2) Kay Holmes, Barbara Kilpatrick.

Somerset Park, Jan. 28, N-S (1) Lott Lee, Jim Rowe (2) Mr. and Mrs. Paul Van Roekel; E-W (1) Mr. and Mrs. Karl Reibel (2) Wayne Lee, K. Clinton.

BRIDGE GAMES
Birmingham
COMMUNITY HOUSE, Monday, 7:45 p.m., 280 Bates, Kay, Ernie Clinton, 626-0771.
Monday, 9:30 a.m. Novice game first Monday of each month. Betty Pope, 644-2473.

BIRMINGHAM — BLOOMFIELD, Wednesday, 7:45 p.m., 400 E. Lincoln, Ed Clarke, MI 6-8794.

Southfield
CIVIC CENTER, Tuesday, 11 a.m., 26000 Evergreen, Joyce Krout, 642-9779.

TUESDAY MORNING, 10:45 a.m., 26000 Evergreen, Millie Hollis, FE 2-4871.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT, 7:45 p.m., 26000 Evergreen, Rose Schultz, 352-5595.

THURSDAY NIGHT, 7:45 p.m., 26000 Evergreen, Joyce Krout, 642-9779.

MAYFAIR, Friday, 8 p.m., Tel-Twelve Mall, Marian and Al Collins, 626-2109.

Troy
SOMERSET PARK, Friday, 8 p.m., Somerset Community House, Kay and Ernie Clinton, 626-0271.

FRIENDLY, Wednesday, Friday, 11 a.m., Somerset Community House, Lullie Brunk, 646-0271, Joyce Krout, 642-9779.

Rochester
ROCHESTER, Tuesday, 7:45 p.m., Oakland University, Fern and Bill Richmond, 651-6065.

West Bloomfield
WALLED LAKE, Monday, 7:30 p.m., Keith School, Rosemary Casper, 363-3496.

DRAKE HOUSE, Tuesday, noon, Thursday, 7:30 p.m. Rosemary Casper, 626-3279.

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