

THURSDAY

TOBEY AND TYKE



By REDNER

Rinaldo Tomassi has returned from a two-weeks business visit in Santa Barbara.

Mrs. Barra of Pennsylvania avenue is reported on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Chase of Flower street and Mr. and Mrs. John Salm of Torrance attended the San Bernardino orange show one day last week, and also visited friends at Riverside.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Paddock of Narbonne avenue have returned from several days' visit with relatives in Riverside.

Mrs. A. C. Taubman has returned to her home on Eshelman avenue, after a week's visit in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Kette and family, of Oak street, and Mr. and Mrs. George Miller of Redondo boulevard enjoyed a trip through Topanga Canyon and San Fernando Valley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Franke and family visited Escondido Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Archer and family, of Pennsylvania avenue, were recent guests of Mrs. Archer's brother, A. W. Carlson, of Huntington Park.

Walter Nelson left Monday for the home of his sister, Mrs. Lawrence Olsen, of Hayward.

Dr. Clayton Campbell of Weston street was a business visitor in Compton Monday.

Guests Sunday of Mrs. Ed Spence of Arizona street were Mr. and Mrs. George Gregory of San Pedro, Mr. and Mrs. William Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Barber, of Los Angeles.

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Battling through the worst blizzard New England has experienced, with a single exception, in 27 years, two Nash-built Ajax stock cars made a hard-fought but successful journey from Boston to Ossipee, N. H., and return. The fight against the elements was a deliberately planned endurance test conducted by four representatives of the Nash-Ajax distributor in Boston, their only instruction being to prove that the Ajax would do and to "break the cars up" if it could be done by hard driving in almost insurmountable conditions that existed during the blizzard and immediately afterwards. Snowdrifts encountered at some points were so high that after "bucking" them repeatedly it was necessary to shovel through snow-covered roads over which no vehicle had ventured were "broken open," and at the summit of Smith Hill, the owner of a farm stated the Ajax cars were the "first cars he had seen since winter set in." Residents of Wakefield stated the two cars were the first to pass through the town in "more than a month."

And when they returned to Boston the only mechanical adjustment required was the replacement of a center bolt that had been sheared off a rear spring of one of the cars, and a report of the representatives summed up the endurance qualities of the Ajax as follows: "We all agree that we have never seen a motor car take the grief and punishment that we were forced to give these cars and stand it as they did."

O. W. Stone of Narbonne avenue spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Knapp of Redlands, and also visited the orange show at San Bernardino.

Easy Lessons in AUCTION BRIDGE

New Series by WYNNE FERGUSON

Author of "Ferguson on Auction Bridge"

One of the amusing things about bridge is the fact that poor players will often lose tricks in the most ingenious manner. The writer was recently watching in a game in which two spades was the final declaration. The declarer easily should have made four odd, game and rubber, but by some uncanny play failed to make his bid by one trick. After the hand was over his partner said: "Well, partner, if you could only use the same skill in winning tricks that you do in losing them you would be the best player in the world." Some time when this result happens to you, try to figure out how the tricks were lost, and very often you will be unable to do so.

Speaking of bad players, here's an amusing little verse by one of them:

A bridge playing lady, a-joking, Announced with a smile most provoking, "At bidding I'm bad, And my plays make you mad, But—I really am great at revoking."

The first two of the problem hands in this article are of such a character that an analysis of the points involved can be better understood with the cards of all four players exposed.

Hand No. 1

Hearts—J, 7, 4 Clubs—K, 6, 5 Diamonds—K, J, 9, 7, 5 Spades—8, 7

Hearts—9, 8, 3 Clubs—J, 9, 7, 4, 2 Diamonds—3 Spades—J, 9, 3, 2

Score: YZ 10, AB nothing; rubber game. Z dealt and bid one spade, A and Y passed and B bid three hearts. Z and A passed, Y bid three spades, and all passed. What should A open? A has four trumps and should open his partner's suit. With three of the suit he should open the top, in this case the nine. With this opening and a return lead of the hearts by B, YZ cannot make three spades. If, however, A opens his singleton, the trick of diamonds, YZ will easily make three odd. The point of the hand is: With trump strength, open your long suit. A singleton opening is advisable at times but don't make it if you have any other better opening.

Hand No. 2

Hearts—Q, J, 10 Clubs—A, Q, 10, 6, 2 Spades—A, K, 10, 5, 4

Hearts—7, 6, 2 Clubs—10, 3, 2 Diamonds—K, J, 8, 4 Spades—9, 6, 4

No score, rubber game. Z dealt and bid one spade, A and Y passed, and B bid two hearts. Z bid two spades, and all passed. A opened the seven of hearts and B won the trick with the king. Z playing the four. B now led the ace of hearts and Z played the five. What should A play, and why? A should play the six of hearts. With should A play, and why? A should play the six of hearts. With the middle card, not the bottom. If A should play the deuce on the second round of hearts, B would think A had no more and would lead the third round of hearts. Z would trump and so be able to get the trumps out before he lost his ace of diamonds. If A makes the proper play, however, of the six of hearts, B must figure that he probably also has the deuce, as Z hasn't played it. B's proper play, therefore, is the five of hearts. This play prevents Z from playing game for on the first lead of trumps B is again in the lead and must make at least one diamond trick. Note this play very carefully, for it will enable you and your partner to save many games not otherwise possible.

Hand No. 3

Hearts—7 Clubs—A, J, 7, 6, 5 Diamonds—A, K, 8, 2 Spades—A, 4, 2

No score, rubber game. Z dealt, bid one heart, and A bid one no-trump. What should Y bid? This hand is really a puzzler, but the writer considers a double of the no-trump bid as the proper thing to do. There should be a penalty of several hundred points. On the other hand, Y has no certainty that he can go game with any bid that he might make. The way to win at auction is to play for certainties whenever possible. In this hand the double of one no-trump is a certainty and a bid doubtful, so the writer has preferred the double.

F. AND S. CLUBS

Attendance at Fun and Study Clubs was quite low this week, but all who came enjoyed a good time at games and Bible study. The Monday club will meet next week at the old club home at 3031 Miller street. Candy-making will be a part of the fun.

The Thursday club will consider a matter of importance this week. All members are urged to be present.

Those in attendance last Thursday were Lorna Thistle, Hazel Johnson, John Stanton, Gene Nelson, Frank Wilson, George Wilkinson, Glen Hammack, Howard Harris, Harry Marriot, Marshall Richey, and Edward Morter. On Monday: Leona Clark, Gladys Washburn, Marian Bay, Robbie Actikson, Edna Schmidt, Oran Buck, Paul and Gertrude Donegan, Robert West, Ralph Parsons, Ralph Ruffraff, Edward Melz, and Eric Grant.

Optometrist To Be At Howard's Store Every Afternoon

Howard S. Smith, proprietor of "Howard's," successor of the House of Parr Values, announces that arrangements have been made with Dr. Clarence L. Ingold, optometrist, to be at the store every afternoon until 6 o'clock.

Mr. Smith has installed a modern fitting room and states that Dr. Ingold comes to Torrance highly recommended.

Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Northrop of Oak street were Mr. and Mrs. J. Kruse and Miss Pansy Northrop, of Los Angeles.

Mrs. L. C. Walker of Narbonne avenue attended a bridge luncheon today at the Mary Louise tea shop in Los Angeles. Mrs. Gustav Zerkman was hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sidebotham of 25th street spent Sunday in Santa Monica.

Mrs. Susie McCroskey of 25th street has recovered from an illness of several days' duration.

Paul Atherton of Redondo boulevard was a weekend visitor at the home of his sister, Mrs. D. R. Topjian, of Inglewood.

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Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hansen of Weston street were Mr. and Mrs. Seward of Santa Monica and Miss Lillian Hanson of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ferrier and daughters Thelma and Geraldine, of Glendale, were entertained at dinner Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Ferguson of Redondo boulevard.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Gilbert of George street visited Mr. Gilbert's mother and sister at Sierra Madre Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy F. Farquhar, Mrs. Laura Boyd and T. R. Farquhar attended the First Baptist Church in Los Angeles Sunday morning.

Lawrence Stalcup of Elkin street and Miss Pauline Hicks of Los Angeles attended a dance at the Kamp art gallery in Hollywood Saturday evening.

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BIRTHS Feb. 26, to Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Keithline of Eshelman avenue, a daughter, Hazel Dorcas. Mother and babe are resting comfortably at the Jared Sidney Torrance Memorial Hospital.

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