

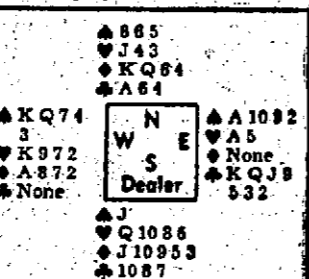


"If I'd known you were so nice, I'd never have let you eat that hamburger!"

ON BRIDGE

By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY America's Card Authority (Written for NEA Service.) When I retired as executive secretary of the American Contract Bridge League on the first of the year after 20 years of service, Curt H. Reisinger of New York, an old friend, was elected secretary.

The bidding shown is the way it occurred at a table I kibitzed. Some-embodied Blackwood, and



Tournament—Neither vul. South West North East Pass 1 Pass 3 Pass 3 Pass 4 Pass 4 Pass 4 Pass 6 Opening—♦K 27



"We've installed a mike in every booth—it's a new idea for a gossip column on the radio!"

Let's Explore Your Mind

By ALBERT EDWARD WIGGAM, D. Sc.



Answer to Question No. 1 Yes. Couples who honestly want to stay in love must plan for keeping up the sentimental side of life. Such a plan should include evenings out together, common recreations, with occasional separate recreations so as

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

By HASKIN

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Q. What noted scientists were clergymen? R. J. N. A. Joseph Priestley, the discoverer of oxygen, was a Non-conformist minister in Leeds, Birmingham and London, England. Gregor Mendel, who originated the Mendelian laws of heredity, was an Augustinian abbot.

Q. Who controls Dun & Bradstreet? F. G. A. Dun & Bradstreet, Inc. has something more than 2000 stockholder owners scattered over the United States and Canada, no one of whom has a controlling interest.

Q. How much money is there in the Social Security fund? H. F. A. At the end of 1947 there was over \$9,000,000,000 in the trust fund set aside for the payment of Social Security annuities.

Q. What makes a person stretch? S. E. Y. A. The necessity or desire to stretch comes because certain parts of the body are not receiving the proper amount of blood, and stretching is an instinctive action to accelerate the circulation.

Q. Why is the ocean so dangerous to shipping at Cape Hatteras? W. R. S. A. At Cape Hatteras the warm Gulf Stream collides with the cold remnants of the Arctic current, causing treacherous currents, also frequent and dangerous storms. The Gulf Stream shifts its course at times and sets approaching vessels directly on the dangerous Diamond Shoals.

Q. What are the qualifications prescribed for Vice President of the United States? K. R. C. A. The qualifications are the same as those laid down in the Constitution for President of the United States. He must be a natural born citizen, at least 35 years old, and for at least 14 years a resident of this country.

Q. What element has the heaviest atom? N. S. A. Curium, element 96 and the latest to be discovered, has the heaviest atom known to man. The total supply of curium in the world would not even fill a thimble.

Q. Are weather conditions over the North Pole favorable for flying? M. J. V. A. Flying weather over the pole usually is good and the possibility of routing certain air lines this way has had some consideration.

WHAT OTHERS ARE SAYING

THE RUSSIANS mean to take over all Europe. They probably have D-Day already set. —H. L. Donovan, president, University of Kentucky.

IF WE WORK for war, we'll surely have war, and if we work for peace, we'll get peace maybe. —Robert St. John, author.

WHATEVER the issues, there is no valid excuse for the stoppage of bituminous coal production. —Earl O. Shreve, president, U. S. Chamber of Commerce.

THE United States has developed a radioactive cloud that kills anyone who comes in contact with it. —Glenn L. Martin, airplane manufacturer.

THE men who speak of reigns of terror in Europe are fast introducing a reign of terror here at home. —Henry A. Wallace.

most pairs arrived at six spades.

In practically every case the diamond king was opened. With the ace of clubs opening declarer would have no problem, but with the diamond opening there was a question as to proper play.

Should declarer win the first diamond with the ace, or should it be trumped in dummy? It was generally agreed that the king of diamonds should be trumped in dummy with the deuce of spades, and the next play should be the deuce of clubs, trumping in the West hand with the three of spades.

Now should declarer lead the king of clubs and let it ride? Analysis shows that the correct play at this point is to lead the three of clubs and trump it with the queen of spades, then lead the seven of spades and win it in dummy with the nine. Lead the five of clubs and trump it with the king of spades. Now the ace of clubs drops, and declarer makes seven.

REG'LAR FELLERS



By Gene Byrnes



Answer to Question No. 2

No. That wise man, Christopher Morley, said, "Only movie actresses and baloney author's think of their public or know there is such a thing. The sole concern of the real writer is expressing the truth of his own inner life. He has no wish either to agree or disagree with the public. He doesn't know the public exists."

Answer to Question No. 3

Yes. But they are not important unless they cause emotional instability. Inferiority is always a delusion, due to comparing one or two outstanding traits in other people with your entire personality. That's unfair to yourself. Hosts of women have delusions of frigidity, due mostly to wrong sex training in childhood. Many have delusions of erotism, which is always a form of fear they are not appreciated.

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