

# Jacoby On Bridge

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West's vulnerable overall was not the sort of bid that should be made into a steady diet, and when North doubled West was on his way to the cleaners. East's rescue to one spade got out of trouble with West club bid and would have remained out of trouble if his partner had not made just about the worst two bids made in the world championship team trials.

North suspected that West had been fooling with his heart overall and bid two hearts. He did have a mighty good diamond suit. North persisted with hearts and at this point East started his career of misdirection.

East knew that his partner would actually have some sort of a heart suit and East reasoned that a club lead would hurt North at hearts. He was right about that. Repeated club leads would have held North to seven tricks and if East had been able to put glue on his heart double the bid would have been fine.

South passed. He had told his

story and trusted that his partner knew what he was doing. It turned out that North did know what he was doing because North ran out of three hearts into four diamonds.

East pounced on this bid like a hungry wolf but East should have been glad to get out of the auction alive. East did have four diamonds but his only high card strength was in his partner's club suit and it should have been apparent to him that he was not going to make many club tricks.

His first double drove his opponents out of a losing contract to a winning one. His second double increased their plus from 150 to 910 because South managed to make five odd at his doubled four-diamond contract.

## Printed Pattern



**9295**  
10-18

**NORTH** ♠  
K J 10 8 6 4 3  
♦ 8 6  
♣

**EAST** ♠ Q 8 7 6 4  
♦ A K 5 3  
♣ A K 5

**SOUTH** ♠ A J 8 3  
♦ None  
♣ A 2 3 (4 2)

Both vulnerable  
South West North East  
1 ♠ Dble. 1 ♠  
2 ♠ 2 ♠  
3 ♠ 3 ♠ Dble.  
4 ♠ 4 ♠ Dble.  
5 ♠ 5 ♠  
Pass Pass  
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Opening lead—♠ J.

## Animal Life

- ACROSS**  
3 Black, brown or polar  
5 Black wild boar  
9 Canine critter  
12 Atlantic island  
13 Tule (bird)  
15 Place, as of employment  
17 Scottish Highlander  
18 Mammalian mammal  
19 Choice  
20 Eurasian  
21 Mammal eating  
22 Fruit drink  
23 Nautical heard  
24 Newspaper  
25 Cooperative  
26 Mammal  
27 Excavated  
28 Mammal  
29 Fall back  
30 Dismal of  
31 Cleanse
- DOWN**  
10 Munk is its capital  
11 Sewals  
16 Being an equine  
20 Type of architecture  
22 Requires  
24 Arabian gulf  
25 Cab one  
26 Wicked one  
28 Unnamed  
29 Swelling  
31 Range
- 33 Lary person**  
34 Moose  
35 Italian country  
36 House  
37 Notches  
38 Vestiges  
39 Cases  
40 47  
41 Parting to an  
42 47  
43 Fork prong  
44 47  
45 Heavy bow  
46 God's messenger

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41 Dinosaur (ab.)  
42 Low basket  
43 Dismounted  
44 Diplicate  
45 Diplicate (roll)  
46 Diplicate (roll)  
47 Diplicate (roll)  
48 Diplicate (roll)  
49 Diplicate (roll)  
50 Diplicate (roll)  
51 Diplicate (roll)  
52 Diplicate (roll)  
53 Diplicate (roll)  
54 Diplicate (roll)  
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56 Diplicate (roll)  
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61 Diplicate (roll)

**CHRIS**

The bidding has been:  
North East South West  
1 ♠ 3 ♠ 4 ♠ 4 ♠  
Pass Pass 4 ♠ 4 ♠  
Pass Pass  
You, South, bid:  
♠ ♣ ♥ ♦ 5 ♠ 4 ♠ 3 ♠ 2 ♠  
A—3M five clubs. Your partner may make this contract and your opponents are very likely to make four spades.

**TODAY'S QUESTION**  
Instead of passing four spades, your partner doubles. What do you do in this case?  
Answer Monday

## Star Gazer

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By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide  
According to the Stars,  
we predict corresponding numbers of your Zodiac birth signs.

**ARIES** MAR 21  
14-20-34-50  
14-28-42-56  
14-32-46-60

**Taurus** APR 21  
15-21-37-53  
15-25-41-57  
15-29-45-61

**Gemini** MAY 21  
16-22-38-54  
16-26-42-58  
16-30-46-62

**Cancer** JUN 21  
17-23-39-55  
17-27-43-59  
17-31-47-63

**Leo** JUL 21  
18-24-40-56  
18-28-44-60  
18-32-48-64

**Virgo** AUG 21  
19-25-41-57  
19-29-45-61  
19-33-49-65

**Libra** SEP 21  
20-26-42-58  
20-30-46-62  
20-34-50-66

**Scorpio** OCT 21  
21-27-43-59  
21-31-47-63  
21-35-51-67

**Sagittarius** NOV 21  
22-28-44-60  
22-32-48-64  
22-36-52-68

**Capricorn** DEC 21  
23-29-45-61  
23-33-49-65  
23-37-53-69

**Janus** JAN 21  
24-30-46-62  
24-34-50-66  
24-38-54-70

**Feb** FEB 21  
25-31-47-63  
25-35-51-67  
25-39-55-71

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26-36-52-68  
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## Pogo

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BY DAG NAB!  
THE POLYGOON!  
WHY DO YOU SAY PEOPLE TREAT OTHER PEOPLE? IT WAS UP TO ME, BUT OVERLOOKING SAID NAMES WITHOUT A TRIAL!  
THEN YOU'D BE JUST AS BAD 'AN' AN' BEESDOR, YOU HAD NOTHING BUT OVERLOOKING SAID NAMES.GLAD YOU POINTED THAT OUT, OLD BEESDOR. THEN TO SEND YOU OFF ON THE PEPPER ANIBS 'N' A EVEN WORSE FATE.

## Lil Abner

**LIL ABNER**

DUCK!  
TH' BOMB! GONNA LAND IN TH' KICKAPOO JOY JUICE??  
SPLASH!  
TH' BOMB! DISSOLVED!!  
HATCHER!!! IT MET MASTER!!!

## Dick Tracy

**DICK TRACY**

CREASE IS OUTSIDE. TELL HIM I'M BUSY.  
HE'S PLUCKING HIS EYEBROWS.  
LOOK SQUARE, HE GOT BIG TROUBLE FROM OUTER SPACE.  
HE SAYS BURLY AND JEZ HAVE BEEN MOON-STRUCK!  
MOON-STRUCK!

## Freckles

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I AM!  
YOU LOOK MAD, LIVERMORE!  
I ORDERED A NEW SON FOR THE CALUMPEE HUT...  
AND I GUESS THE MAN MANDURER STOOD ME OVER THE PHONE!  
THE CRUMPLED HAT

## OUR BOARDING HOUSE

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ANY WORD, CLAUDE, THE HORSE GOING LIKE THE OPPORTUNITY OF THE AGES? I'LL FINANCE OUR VENTURE, BUT YOU'LL HAVE TO HURRY BACK WITH OUR WINNINGS—UM-HA-HA—I TRUST YOUR INFORMATION IS RELIABLE!

A NAG NAMED ALACRITY LINED HOME IN HIS LAST SEVEN RACES, BUT THEY WERE HOLDING HIM BACK TO BUILD UP HIS CREDIT! HE'S BEEN CRACKING RECORDS IN HIS WORKOUTS, SO THEY'RE TURNING HIM LOOSE TODAY! THE ODDS ARE HIGHER THAN A GRAFFER'S SWEET!

## OUT OUR WAY

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WALK! WHY IS IT JUST THE NEAR-TOWN? IT'S SO CLOSE TO BOULDER WE SHOULD GET OUT OF 'TH' COUNTRY TEST!

THERE'S SOME THING THAT SHOULD BE OUT OF 'TH' COUNTRY TEST!

BORN FORTY YEARS TOO SOON

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