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Blackwood on Bridge

By Easley Blackwood

Let me repeat that the requirements for use of the Blackwood four no trump bid are that there is a reasonable prospect of slam, that the hand is safe at five-odd, and that the only information you need for your decision is the number of aces partner holds.

None vulnerable.
South dealer.

North (Mr. Champion)		East (Mrs. Keep)	
S-9 6 2	H-7 6 3 2	S-3 5 4	H-9 4
D-7	D-3 10 9 5	C-10 7 3	C-10 7 3
C-A K J 8 4		C-Q 10 7 3	

you should be delighted to get a plus score of any kind. Mr. Dale knew he could beat six hearts, but he was not sure he could beat six no trump and he wasn't willing to take a chance of driving the enemy into it.

Miss Brash went down only one at six hearts, proving that her play is better than her bidding. She won Mr. Dale's opening lead of the spade king with her ace and promptly led to the ace of clubs in dummy. On the king of clubs she discarded her seven of spades.

Then she led a heart and put in the jack which Mr. Dale won with the queen. The spade returned was trumped with the five of hearts. The lead of the ace of hearts here would have resulted in a two-trick set.

But Miss Brash led the ace of diamonds, ruffed a small diamond in dummy and then returned to her hand with the ace of trump. Now she can lead good diamonds until Mr. Dale takes his high heart and the rest of her hand is good.

Knowledge that her partner had the ace of clubs did not (or should not) assure Miss Brash that a slam in hearts was makeable. Actually Mr. Champion could have had a lesser hand, not including the ace of clubs, which would have made the heart slam practically a lay-down. For example, give him the king, queen four long in hearts, the king of spades and five clubs to the jack.

Note that Mr. Dale did not double the six-heart bid even though he was morally certain he could beat it. His decision was absolutely right. When your opponents have such a preponderance of high cards that they are willing to contract for a slam,

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Indian Tram Nearly Ready

Dale L. Pitt, managing director of Silbak Premier Mines Limited, who has just returned to Vancouver after a two-and-a-half-months stay at Premier, has made a detailed report to the directors of Indian Mines Limited.

Mr. Pitt advises that construction work on the two-mile aerial tramway being built from Silbak's mill to the Indian mines is 80 per cent completed. The lower terminal and all towers on the entire line have been completed. Cables are in place to Ladder Lake, over halfway to the mine, and a temporary sheave installed there permits running the tramway that far. Timbers and other freight are being hauled over the tram to this point currently. All this section of the tram is working very satisfactorily.

A small amount of rock excavation at the upper terminal of the tramway still have to be done. This is at the mouth of No. 2 tunnel where the loading ore bin will be built. The drilling in this excavation is complete and partly biased.

Work here had to be stopped for the present as excessively heavy snows make it practically impossible to make any headway. There has been a snowfall of 11 feet so far this winter and at the present time over seven feet of snow is lying on the ground. Any attempt to shovel this snow so that rock work or construction could be carried on entailed such expense and such disappointing results that all the work was discontinued.

Just as soon as the weather settles down in the early spring, work will be resumed and the tramway completed. With the completion of the tramway, delivery of ore to Silbak's mill will commence.

CIVIC CENTRE

The Civic Centre has one booster who likes to remain anonymous. He is an old age pensioner. Each year he takes out a membership in the Civic Centre. Yesterday he dropped around to see if his membership was due again. "I do it for the kids," he said. "When I was a kid we didn't have anything like this and I think it a good idea."

Miss Eileen Cross will be taking classes at U.B.C. most of next month. For the duration of her course—February 5 to 24—classes at the Civic Centre will be suspended.

Classes in square dancing were resumed last night with participants just as enthusiastic as they were before the Christmas break.

Wanda Dale is so enthusiastic about her Run-Rec classes that she turned out yesterday afternoon at 2:45 for a class that started at 3:30.

The Drama Service Library of Ontario's community programs branch has more than 1000 plays available for local programs. **MOSTLY SUGAR**

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- 4:15—Stock Quotations and Interlude
 - 4:30—Sleepy Time Stories
 - 4:45—Lyrical Lady
 - 4:55—CBC News
 - 5:00—Int. Comty.
 - 5:10—There's Music in the Air
 - 5:30—Now I Ask You
 - 6:00—Supper Serenade
 - 6:15—Henri Rene Oren.
 - 6:30—Musical Varieties
 - 6:45—Saddle Rockin' Rhythm
 - 7:00—CBC News
 - 7:15—CBC News Roundup
 - 7:30—Easy Rhythm
 - 8:00—London Cavalcade
 - 8:30—Opening Night
 - 9:00—"Burns Chuckwagon"
 - 9:30—Canadian Short Stories
 - 10:00—CBC News
 - 10:15—Club Date
 - 10:30—Riverside Rancho
 - 10:55—Interlude
 - 11:30—Weather
 - 11:00—Sign off
- SATURDAY—A.M.**
- 7:00—Musical Closes
 - 8:00—CBC News
 - 8:10—Here's Bill Good
 - 8:15—Hits and Encores
 - 8:30—Morning Devotions
 - 8:45—Little Concert
 - 9:00—BEC News and Comty.

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- TERRACE—The executive council of the Terrace district Board of Trade met last evening and disposed of correspondence; so that the night's annual meeting of officers will get away without undue delay. Every of the village and signs still appear to be and the Board is very satisfied with this state of affairs.
- There are 48,000 telephones in Venezuela divided between government service and private companies. **BIG NETWORK**
- Australia has more than 100 miles of railway track and federal and state railways.
- SATURDAY—P.M.**
- 12:00—Mid-Day Melodies
 - 12:25—Program Resume
 - 12:30—Musical Program
 - 1:00—Pops on Parade
 - 2:00—Dance Music
 - 3:00—This Week
 - 3:15—CBC News
 - 3:25—Rec. Interlude

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