



### Rally Round the Flags

Preparing for the American Association for the United Nation's "Coffee Kick-Off" are (from left) Mrs. Joseph H. Shaffer, 2401 Radnor Drive; Mrs. T. E. Hendrickson, 1170 Arden Lane, and Mrs. Angus Melay, 715 Wibleton—all of Birmingham. Programs and plans of the organization for the coming year will be discussed at the "kick-off" which will be held from 2 to 5 p.m. Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Mersky, 4731 Cove Road, West Bloomfield Township. All interested persons are welcome.

## BRIDGE

in BIRMINGHAM

By HUD MAYBAUM  
Southern Michigan  
Bridge Association

Of the many husband and wife bridge pairs from the greater Birmingham area, Harold and Dottie Sandelman are one of the best. They recently attended the regional bridge tournament in Pittsburgh and held today's most interesting hand.

This hand was played in the open pair championship and was so widely discussed by the players, that Jacoby, who owns more master points than Goren, discussed this hand at the Bridge forum. Both Vulnerable.

#### Grounds Closed

The Gardens and Park of Cranbrook will be closed to the public Saturday and on Oct. 6 due to special functions being held in Cranbrook House.

Midway Island, held by the U. S. Marines in spite of tremendous odds during World War II, is actually two islands, Sand Island and Eastern Island, both surrounded by one coral reef.

(Dealer) NORTH  
(Dottie Sandelman)  
▲ 4  
♦ K 10 8 5  
♥ 7 4 3  
♠ A 8 6 4  
WEST EAST  
▲ 9 7 2 ▲ K 8 6 5  
♦ A Q J 9 6 ♦ 4 2  
♥ Q J ♥ 10 9 8 4  
♠ K 9 2 ♠ 7 5 3  
SOUTH  
(Harold Sandelman)  
▲ A Q J 10 3  
♥ 7 3  
♦ A K 5 2  
♠ Q 10

The bidding:  
NORTH EAST SOUTH WEST  
pass pass 1 ▲ 2 ♦  
dbl all pass  
Opening lead: ▲ 4

According to Jacoby, West should not have over-called two hearts. Many who did over-call two hearts were set 1100 points, and with that result, Mr. Jacoby must be right. Keeping in mind that South may have had a weak third hand opening bid, what would you have done?

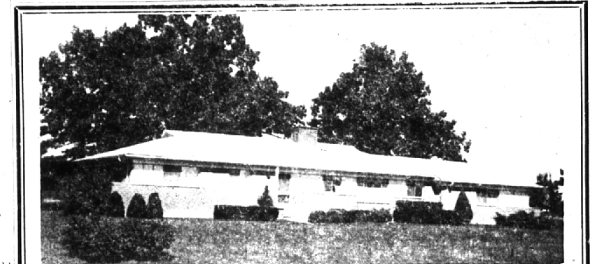
In the play of the hand, Dottie opened the spade singleton, which Harold won with the ten. He then played the king of diamonds to

give his partner a safe return to clubs which South trumped. South now knew his partner had a singleton spade, so he cashed his ace of hearts. West played that suit on which North dropped the ten.

SHE RETURNED a diamond. South continued the suit and North won with the five of hearts. Harold played the queen of clubs. Dottie now exited with a club and West covered with his king and later her king of hearts. Not North won this trick.

Next, Dottie played the jack of clubs and, when South dropped the ten, she returned a third round of clubs which South trumped. South now knew his partner had a singleton spade, so he cashed his ace of hearts. West played that suit on which North dropped the ten.

We will have an "individual event" in the Southern Michigan Sectional Tournament at the Elks Temple in Pontiac on Oct. 5 at 2 p.m. The processing evening we will have a men's team and woman's team event. Now is the time to arrange your team of four.



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