

BRIDGE

in BIRMINGHAM

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Bridge Association

The hand that I have selected for today was played recently at the Birmingham YMCA, and most tables had different results.

Some played it in game East and West and some were fortunate to play it in less than game East and West and received a top board their way. However, Jim Fenwick, playing with Ed Clarke, found the top North and South results.

Dealer: North: North and South Vulnerable.

(Edwin V. Clarke)

NORTH
(Dealer)

♠ A 10 9 6 4
♥ K 10 9
♦ 8 3

WEST **EAST**

♠ A 9 7 6 2 ♠ K Q J 8 3

♥ Q 7 ♥ 8 5 3

♠ A J 8 2 ♠ Q 5 4

♠ 6 5 4 ♠ 7

SOUTH (Jim Fenwick)

♠ void

♥ K J 2

♦ 7 6 3

♠ K Q J 10 9 5 2

The bidding:

NORTH EAST SOUTH WEST

pass 1 ♠ 4 ♠ 4

pass pass 5 ♠ 4

all pass

Opening lead: A ♠

Jim realized that he pushed East and West to game and he must now double or go to five clubs. He also knew that West would prefer to double four clubs if he held the proper cards, as Jim and Ed were vulnerable, and, therefore, he made the "top board" bid of five clubs.

West, having a partner who could open in second seat and holding two aces, felt he must "crack" this bid.

Jim did ruff the opening lead of the ace of spades, and then attacked the trump. He lost one club and one diamond for a top board of five clubs, doubled. Of course, a lead of the ace of diamonds and continuation of that suit would beat the contract, but no one arrived at that defense. Those in part-game club contracts did make five for 150 points.

JUST HAVE time to remind you of the Lansing Sectional Tournament at the Civic Center, which started Friday. I hope to attend and to report the Birmingham winners.

This is always an enjoyable tournament. The playing conditions are the best, and this is a nice time of year to be on the Froyway.

Recent winners in Birmingham tournaments include Pat and Herb Beyer, Chuck Thumser and Steve Taylor, Ralph Tyson and Dick Lowinz, Alice McGuire and Buck Stewart, Jane and Ken Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Jeri Ottman.

Dr. W. Harold Barron and Bob McClenon, Bernice Dawson and Hilda Murphy, Ollie Swartzwalder and Greta Halward, Judy and Dave Buskirk, Clarence and Bud Maybaum, Margaret and Robert Lockwood.

J. A. Ferrell and C. A. Voschep, Ira Benjamin and Ollie Swartzwalder, M. E. Herman and Helen Barardini, Molly and Bruce Coryell, Grace and Jack Stone and Peg Main and Tackie Stinson.

THE FALL nationals will be in Dallas, Tex. They will hold the national charity game Friday, Nov. 27, in the evening.

At the same time, the same boards will be played at The Community House, Birmingham and if you attend you will be not only playing against the competition at the Community House, but you will be competing against the entire country and could win national honors and points.

You may pay your entry by check and use it as a tax deduction for charity. You may contact Ed Clarke or me, and we will arrange a life master partner for you for this tournament if you slightly raise your contribution to this charity.

Hope to see you there and to be reporting your name as a winner.

Movie Guide

Parenteen Committee
Birmingham P.T.A. Council

MOVIE	Green Sheet	National Legion of Decency
Becket	A-MY	A-3 recommended
The Young Lovers	A-MY	A-3
Honeymoon Hotel	A	B
Behold a Pale Horse	A-MY	A-2
The Incredible Mr. Limpet	G-A-C	A-1
Journey to the Seventh Planet		B

*recommended as superior entertainment especially for children
CODE
GREEN SHEET

These audience symbols are intended as broad guides to selection, and do not indicate either recommendation or non-recommendation of the films to which they are applied.

A Adults
MY Mature Young People
Y Young People (12 years to 16 years)
C Children (unaccompanied by adults)
GA General Audience

NATIONAL LEGION OF DECENCY
A-1 Morally Unobjectionable for General Patronage
A-2 Morally Unobjectionable for Adults and Adolescents
A-3 Morally Unobjectionable for Adults
B Morally Objectionable in Part for All
C Condemned
SC A separate classification is given to certain films which, while not morally offensive in themselves, require some analysis and explanation as a protection to the uninformed against wrong interpretations and false conclusions.

President Kennedy

A riderless horse with boots turned back
Bespoke our grief, the sun seemed black
Eclipsed by mourning while silently beat
Wings of angels to a heaven's retreat

In sorrow, shocked and grieving
Our nation stood in quiet weeping
So a sad procession marched
A nation watched, disbelieving

Love departed, spoke his wife
All his sweet brightness from this world gone
Each breath I breath, each thought I think
Are solemn yet I carry on

His brightness was as a star
Eternal, spiritual, without mar
Upon his shoulders were trials of state
His courage made him just as great
As his ideals that in his being
Shone and brightened all my seeing
Love I loved him as a man
True to his nation and to my hand

Lift us, hold us, defend us, protect us
Mighty God from all distress
Lead our nation from our battles
To the ends thou deemest best.


By GEORGE GASTON
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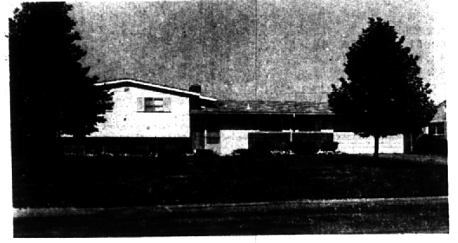
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WING LAKE—Unusually appealing traditional ranch on a double corner lot and just a short walk from the beach on Wing Lake for year 'round fun. 3 nice bedrooms, delightful summer room with fireplace (can be easily heated for permanent use), cheery kitchen, 1½ baths, and att. 2 car garage. CALL AND SEE! \$25,750.



LUXURY LIFE—Set on a beautifully landscaped hillside site, this Colonial tri-level even has a heated swimming pool. FOUR big bedrooms, 3 full baths plus lav., superb beamed ceiling family room with hidden bar and copper hood fireplace, full basement, and att. 2 car garage. COMPLETE IN EVERY DETAIL! \$67,500.



ONE FOR THE MONEY—Spacious and appealing tri-level with all those "little touches" that add up to enjoyable living. Studio ceiling living room with raised hearth fireplace, huge family room, enclosed porch, 3 bright bedrooms, and large kitchen with breakfast area. SHARP! \$27,900.



WORK'S ALL DONE—This 3 year old Southern Colonial is complete with carpets, drapes, and landscaping and is unusual in its fine detailing. FOUR excellent bedrooms, superb family room with massive beamed ceiling, large formal dining room, 2½ baths, and 2 fireplaces. MOVE RIGHT IN! \$49,000.

... hasten to see ...



A charming Colonial ranch on a superbly landscaped site in Foxcroft shaded by towering trees. An interesting plan with both a library (or guest room) and a large paneled family room. Three twin size bedrooms, 2 baths, well organized kitchen, separate dining room, finished rec room with bar-sink, 2 car garage with door opener. \$33,900.



A delightfully secluded setting with a stream crossing the property in the rear. In City of Bloomfield Hills on a cul-de-sac. Superbly built and interestingly arranged. Exceptionally large rooms throughout, including separate dining room, many windowed family room, outstanding kitchen, three bedrooms and 2½ baths (the master bath is 15x10). You'll enjoy its privacy and convenience.



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