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Board 1

North Deals

None Vul

♠ 4
♥ A K 10 6 2
♦ J 9 8 6 3
♣ A 6

♠ J 10 8 7 6
♥ 8
♦ Q 4 2
♣ K J 8 4

♠ K 9 5 2
♥ J 7 4
♦ A 10
♣ 9 7 3 2

♠ A Q 3
♥ Q 9 5 3
♦ K 7 5
♣ Q 10 5

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Shape 1552 4324 3433 5134 HCP 12 8 13 7 Losers 6 9 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♠ ²	Pass	4 ♦ ³
Pass	4 NT ⁴	Pass	5 ♦ ⁵
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !S

3. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

5. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +480

1 boards f

020AA5A30E993FCAA07670481C1B

Board 2

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8

♥ 9 6 5

♦ A 10 8 4 2

♣ A J 8 6

♠ A J 9 3 2

♥ A J 8 4

♦ K 6

♣ K 10

♠ 6 5 4

♥ 10 3 2

♦ Q 7 5

♣ 7 5 4 3

♠ K Q 10 7

♥ K Q 7

♦ J 9 3

♣ Q 9 2

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Shape 5422 3334 4333 1354 HCP 16 2 13 9 Losers 6 11 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♥ ²
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	5 ♦ ⁴
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
4. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +650

2 boards f

012081C64F875206EC955B6A247A

Board 3

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 7

♥ 2

♦ Q 10 8 6 3

♣ Q 9 8 4 2

♠ A 8 3

♥ K Q J 10 8

♦ 5 4 2

♣ K 6

♠ J 9 5 4 2

♥ 9 6 5

♦ J 7

♣ A 7 3

♠ K 10 6

♥ A 7 4 3

♦ A K 9

♣ J 10 5

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Shape 3532 5323 3433 2155 HCP 13 6 15 6 Losers 7 10 8 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♥ by North
Made 5 — NS +450

3 boards f

03268CBC2A30961E59DA37C24FAB

Board 4

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ 6 4

♥ Q 10 5

♦ 10 4

♣ A J 9 8 6 4

♠ A J 10 8 5

♥ K 4 3

♦ K Q 8 3

♣ 7

♠ 7 3

♥ 9 8 7 6

♦ J 7 6 2

♣ K Q 10

♠ K Q 9 2

♥ A J 2

♦ A 9 5

♣ 5 3 2

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Shape 5341 2443 4333 2326 HCP 13 6 14 7 Losers 6 9 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ ³	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !C

3. Cue bid, a !D stopper

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

6 boards f

037F02086A99938C4C04E7FAE3EE

Board 5

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ 5 4 3 2

♥ A 4

♦ K 9 3

♣ K J 4 2

♠ K Q 6

♥ K Q 8 7 6

♦ A 8 7 2

♣ 10

♠ A J 7

♥ 10 9

♦ Q J 10 4

♣ Q 8 7 6

♠ 10 9 8

♥ J 5 3 2

♦ 6 5

♣ A 9 5 3

W N E S

Shape 3541 3244 3424 4234 HCP 14 10 5 11 Losers 5 8 10 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	
2 ♥ by North			
Made 4 — NS +170			

7 boards f

0006A82342B3951C324BDE6C9A3C

Board 6

North Deals

None Vul

♠ 5

♥ 10 7 2

♦ 8 5 4 2

♣ A J 7 5 3

♠ A Q 8 7 2

♥ A J 6

♦ Q J 10 7

♣ 9

♠ J 6 4

♥ 9 8 5 3

♦ A 9

♣ K 8 4 2

♠ K 10 9 3

♥ K Q 4

♦ K 6 3

♣ Q 10 6

W N E S

Shape 5341 3424 4333 1345 HCP 14 8 13 5 Losers 6 9 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !C

4 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

013BFB0C0B68B77CBDB427075EAE

Board 7

North Deals

E-W Vul

8 boards f

♠ K

♥ A K 9 8 7 6

♦ 9 6 5 4

♣ 3 2

♠ A Q J 5 4

♥ Q J 4

♦ A K J 10

♣ 7

♠ 10 8 3

♥ 3

♦ Q 8 7 3 2

♣ Q 10 8 6

♠ 9 7 6 2

♥ 10 5 2

♦ —

♣ A K J 9 5 4

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Shape 5341 3154 4306 1642 HCP 18 4 8 10 Losers 5 8 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
4 ♠ by North			
Made 4 — NS +420			

9 boards f

030996A62125ECB818A6F83DD1DA

Board 8

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 5 3 2

♥ 8 5 4

♦ J 3

♣ K Q 6 2

♠ A J 10 7 4

♥ A

♦ 9 4

♣ A J 10 4 3

♠ —

♥ K 7 3 2

♦ A 8 7 5 2

♣ 9 8 7 5

♠ K Q 8 6

♥ Q J 10 9 6

♦ K Q 10 6

♣ —

W N E S

Shape 5125 0454 4540 4324 HCP 14 7 13 6 Losers 6 7 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♥ ²	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter

2. surplus

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

11 boards f

0256358A84CD836CA06DEB42D9DA

Board 9

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 5 3 2

♥ K

♦ Q 5 3 2

♣ A Q 4 2

♠ K

♥ Q J 10 9 4

♦ A K J

♣ K 10 6 3

♠ A 8 6 4

♥ A 3 2

♦ 9 7 4

♣ J 8 7

♠ Q J 9 7

♥ 8 7 6 5

♦ 10 8 6

♣ 9 5

W N E S

Shape 1534 4333 4432 4144 HCP 17 9 3 11 Losers 6 10 10 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	Pass
Dbl	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	
2 ♥ by North			
Made 3 — NS +140			

13 boards f

002936330A76BB9D55839A6C521E

Board 10

North Deals

None Vul

♠ —		♠ A K Q J 2
♥ K Q 10 9		♥ J 6
♦ 8 4 2		♦ Q 6 3
♣ K J 10 5 3 2		♣ A 8 7

♠ 10 7 4 3

♥ 8 7 5 3 2

♦ K 10 7

♣ 4

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♠ 9 8 6 5
♥ A 4
♦ A J 9 5
♣ Q 9 6

Shape 5233 4531 4243 0436 HCP 17 3 11 9 Losers 6 9 8 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 NT	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Dbl	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♣ ²
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♦ ³
Pass	4 ♥ ⁴	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Stayman

2. limit raise or better in !S

3. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

16 boards f

1003CB7C6DC007CAD82F655EA48E

Board 11

North Deals

None Vul

♠ A 9 6

♥ A K 10 9 8 2

♦ A 10

♣ J 5

♠ K 10 8 7

♥ Q

♦ Q J 6 4 2

♣ 8 4 2

♠ 3 2

♥ J 6 5 3

♦ K 8 7

♣ A K 9 6

♠ Q J 5 4

♥ 7 4

♦ 9 5 3

♣ Q 10 7 3

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Shape 3622 4234 2434 4153 HCP 16 5 11 8 Losers 6 9 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♥ by North
Made 6 — NS +480

18 boards f

112BE4C64DB68D854083EB5D6CD6

Board 12

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K Q 5 2

♥ 10

♦ K Q 10 8 2

♣ Q 10 2

♠ A

♥ Q J 9 8 7 6

♦ A 5

♣ J 9 8 4

♠ 10 9 8 6

♥ A K 5 3

♦ 7 6

♣ A 6 5

♠ J 7 4 3

♥ 4 2

♦ J 9 4 3

♣ K 7 3

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Shape 1624 4243 4423 4153 HCP 12 5 11 12 Losers 6 10 8 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♠ ²	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !S

4 ♥ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

19 boards f

1321E243CF470F5F00719BD0AA6A

Board 13

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 9 7

♥ Q J 10 9 7

♦ J 9 8

♣ A 6

♠ K J 4

♥ 6

♦ A K Q 7 6 4

♣ K 3 2

♠ 5 3

♥ A K 3 2

♦ 10

♣ Q J 10 9 8 5

♠ Q 10 8 6 2

♥ 8 5 4

♦ 5 3 2

♣ 7 4

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Shape 3532 5332 2416 3163 HCP 12 2 10 16 Losers 8 10 6 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
3 ♦	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♥ by North
Made 4 — NS +620

20 boards f

120CE66A43424FAD1EE33ACC14C2

Board 14

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 6 4 2		♠ A 7 5 3
♥ 5		♥ A J 10 9 4 2
♦ Q 5		♦ K 3
♣ K Q 10 7 5 2		♣ 8

♠ 8

♥ K Q 8 6

♦ A 9 8 7 4

♣ J 9 6

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♠ Q J 10 9

♥ 7 3

♦ J 10 6 2

♣ A 4 3

Shape 4621 4243 1453 4126 HCP 12 8 10 10 Losers 6 9 7 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !C

4 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +680

21 boards f

114B2DE33EB79C303424917A799A

Board 15

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q		♠ K J 8 7 6
♥ J 10 8 7 4 3		♥ A
♦ 10 7 6		♦ A 4 3 2
♣ J 4 2		♣ K 5 3

♠ A 4 3

♥ 9 5 2

♦ K J 9

♣ 9 8 7 6

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♠ 10 9 5 2	
♥ K Q 6	
♦ Q 8 5	
♣ A Q 10	

Shape 5143 3334 4333 1633 HCP 15 8 13 4 Losers 6 10 7 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♥ ²	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 2. shortness !H
 4 ♠ by North
 Made 5 — NS +450

23 boards f

101D2E40C308E467C8C96EB95E9A

Board 16

North Deals

None Vul

♠ J 9 7 6

♥ 4

♦ A K 5 3

♣ K 5 3 2

♠ A K 10

♥ Q J 10 7 6

♦ Q J

♣ A 6 4

♠ Q 8 5 3

♥ A 3 2

♦ 9 8

♣ Q 10 9 7

♠ 4 2

♥ K 9 8 5

♦ 10 7 6 4 2

♣ J 8

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Shape 3523 4324 2452 4144 HCP 17 8 4 11 Losers 7 8 9 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 NT	Pass	Pass
1 N by North			
Made 1 — NS +90			

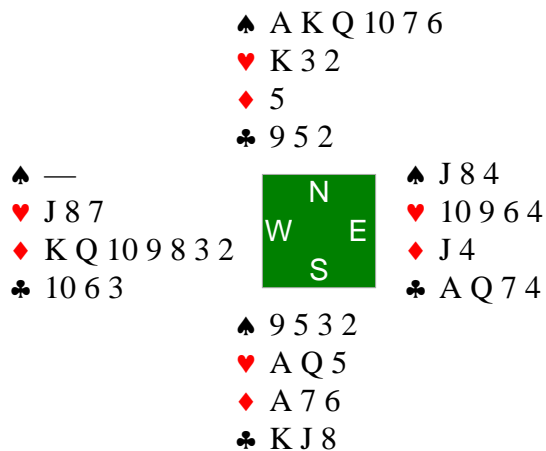
24 boards f

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Board 17

North Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 6313 3424 4333 0373 HCP 12 8 14 6 Losers 6 9 8 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♦ ²	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♥ ³	Pass	5 ♣ ⁴
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
2. shortness !D
3. Cue bid, a !H stopper
4. Cue bid, a !D stopper

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

26 boards f

1030A08921BFEE167A3A66006496

Board 18

North Deals

None Vul

♠ 9		♠ A J 8 6 4
♥ A 10 7 6		♥ Q 4
♦ 10 9		♦ A K J 4
♣ 9 8 7 6 5 2		♣ Q J

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♠ 7 5 3
♥ 8 2
♦ 8 5 3 2
♣ A K 4 3

♠ K Q 10 2
♥ K J 9 5 3
♦ Q 7 6
♣ 10

Shape 5242 3244 4531 1426 HCP 18 7 11 4 Losers 7 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♥ ²	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter
 2. surplus
 4 ♠ by North
 Made 5 — NS +450

28 boards f

13AE214E9A1B6A7756CDC5A04BC2

Board 19

North Deals


Both Vul

♠ 6 5 2

♥ 8

♦ K 4 2

♣ A Q J 9 7 2



♠ K 10

♥ Q 6 5 3 2

♦ A Q 6


♣ K 6 5

♠ A J 4

♥ A K 9 4

♦ 8 7 5

♣ 10 8 3



♠ Q 9 8 7 3

♥ J 10 7

♦ J 10 9 3

♣ 4

Shape 2533 5341 3433 3136 HCP 14 4 12 10 Losers 6 9 9 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

4 ♥ by North

Made 5 — NS +650


29 boards f

108AC1A58C52E844DA45C3EDE77F

Board 20

North Deals

None Vul

♠ K 9 7 5 4 3		♠ 10 8 6 2
♥ 2		♥ 10 7
♦ J 4 2		♦ Q 8 6 3
♣ A 10 7		♣ J 9 8

♠ —
♥ A K J 8 6 5
♦ K 10 5
♣ K Q 6 4

♠ A Q J
♥ Q 9 4 3
♦ A 9 7
♣ 5 3 2

Shape 0634 4243 3433 6133 HCP 16 3 13 8 Losers 4 10 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♠ ²	Pass	4 ♦ ³
Pass	4 NT ⁴	Pass	5 ♠ ⁵
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 2. shortness !S
 3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
 4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1
- 6 ♥ by North
- Down 1 — NS -50

30 boards f

12D588CB4C00EEEB9999811B6962

Board 21

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A Q 9 8

♥ —

♦ K Q 8 7 6 4 3

♣ 9 2

♠ 10 4

♥ K Q J 10 5

♦ A

♣ A 7 6 5 3

♠ J 3 2

♥ A 7 6 4

♦ 10 5 2

♣ K J 10

♠ K 7 6 5

♥ 9 8 3 2

♦ J 9

♣ Q 8 4

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Shape 2515 3433 4423 4072 HCP 14 9 6 11 Losers 5 10 9 4

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
3 ♦	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			
4 ♥ by North			
Made 4 — NS +620			

31 boards f

112A0F3AB355CABF6718862F9CDE

Board 22

North Deals


E-W Vul

♠ 9 2

♥ Q J 8

♦ 10 7 5

♣ A Q 9 5 2



♠ 10 7

♥ 10 6 3 2

♦ K 8 4 3 2

♣ 6 3

♠ J 8 5 3

♥ A 7 4

♦ J

♣ K J 8 7 4

Shape 5341 2452 4315 2335 HCP 18 3 10 9 Losers 4 9 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	5 ♦ ⁴
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 2. shortness !C
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 4. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6 ♠ by North
- Made 6 — NS +980

32 boards f

204D2FA18449AC95CA06E87E38D6

Board 23

North Deals

None Vul

♠ 7 5 2

♥ 4 3

♦ A K 9 4

♣ 7 6 4 2

♠ K 6 3

♥ A J 10 7 6

♦ Q

♣ A Q 10 8

♠ A 10 4

♥ 8 2

♦ J 8 6 2

♣ J 9 5 3

♠ Q J 9 8

♥ K Q 9 5

♦ 10 7 5 3

♣ K

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Shape 3514 3244 4441 3244 HCP 16 6 11 7 Losers 6 10 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♦ ²	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !D

4 ♥ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

34 boards f

2104362E99580B22909377C08ED6

Board 24

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 4 2

♥ K 5

♦ A K 5 2

♣ K Q 8 3 2

♠ A K Q 9 8

♥ A 9 4 3

♦ J 10 9

♣ J

♠ 10 5

♥ J 10 7 6 2

♦ Q 3

♣ A 10 7 4

♠ J 7 6 3

♥ Q 8

♦ 8 7 6 4

♣ 9 6 5

W N E S

Shape 5431 2524 4243 2245 HCP 15 7 3 15 Losers 6 9 11 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	Pass
2 ♣	2 ♥	3 ♣	3 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
3 ♠ by North			
Down 1 — NS -50			

35 boards f

2333FC414722A20F1002A85994AA

Board 25

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ K

♥ A K

♦ A Q 10 9 7 6

♣ 10 9 6 2

♠ A 10 8 7 6

♥ Q J 8 6

♦ K 8

♣ Q 4

♠ Q J 4

♥ 7 4 3

♦ 5 4 2

♣ K 7 5 3

♠ 9 5 3 2

♥ 10 9 5 2

♦ J 3

♣ A J 8

W N E

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Shape 5422 3334 4423 1264 HCP 12 6 6 16 Losers 7 10 10 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
3 ♦	Pass	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
3 ♠ by North			
Down 1 — NS -100			

36 boards f

228D231A58C029179AF061BD3BBD

Board 26

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 6		♠ K Q 9 8 3
♥ 6 4 3 2		♥ A 10
♦ Q J 9 7 3		♦ 8
♣ Q 7		♣ A 9 5 4 2

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		♠ J 5
		♥ Q J 8 7
		♦ K 10 6 5
		♣ J 10 6

♠ A 7 4 2
♥ K 9 5
♦ A 4 2
♣ K 8 3

Shape 5215 2443 4333 2452 HCP 13 8 14 5 Losers 5 9 8 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♦ ²	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 ♦ ⁴
Pass	4 NT ⁵	Pass	5 ♥ ⁶
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 2. shortness !D
 3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 4. Cue bid, a !D stopper
 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0
- 6 ♠ by North
- Made 6 — NS +1430

37 boards f

21CFC04BEA200ED56B025070BAEE

Board 27

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A K J 8 2

♥ 4 3

♦ 8

♣ J 9 6 3 2

♠ 10 9 6

♥ A K Q 9 6

♦ Q J 7 3

♣ 8

♠ 3

♥ J 10 7 2

♦ K 10 6 5 4

♣ A Q 7

♠ Q 7 5 4

♥ 8 5

♦ A 9 2

♣ K 10 5 4

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Shape 3541 4234 1453 5215 HCP 12 9 10 9 Losers 6 8 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !C

4 ♥ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

38 boards f

23BF1D137271A861949108243636

Board 28

North Deals

Both Vul


♠ —		♠ K Q 5 4 3 2
♥ A J 10 3 2		♥ 5
♦ Q J 10 8 6		♦ A K
♣ J 3 2		♣ K 10 8 6

W

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♠ A 9 7 6	♠ J 10 8
♥ 9 8 4	♥ K Q 7 6
♦ 7 4 3 2	♦ 9 5
♣ A Q	♣ 9 7 5 4

Shape 6124 3424 4342 0553 HCP 15 6 10 9 Losers 4 9 9 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♥ ²	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 2. shortness !H
 4 ♠ by North
 Made 6 — NS +680

39 boards f

200D156A77CA8C4CCB0DACE7E752

Board 29

North Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 7 4 3

♥ J

♦ A 9 8 6 5

♣ Q 10 2

♠ A K 6

♥ A 10 9 8 7 6

♦ 2

♣ A K 6

♠ 9 5

♥ Q 5 4 3

♦ Q 10 7

♣ J 7 4 3

♠ Q J 8 2

♥ K 2

♦ K J 4 3

♣ 9 8 5

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Shape 3613 4243 2434 4153 HCP 18 10 5 7 Losers 5 8 9 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1 ♥ by North			
Made 5 — NS +200			

40 boards f

21314623B0259C75AC648E3AD92E

Board 30

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 3		♠ A Q 10 4 2
♥ A J 8 4		♥ K 5
♦ K 10 8 6		♦ 4 3
♣ K 5 4 2		♣ A 10 8 3

♠ J 9 7 5

♥ Q 10 7 6 2

♦ A Q J

♣ Q

N

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♠ K 8 6

♥ 9 3

♦ 9 7 5 2

♣ J 9 7 6

Shape 5224 3244 4531 1444 HCP 13 4 12 11 Losers 6 10 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 4 ♠ by North
 Made 5 — NS +450

41 boards f

2385E203141D573CB0281A9ABEE3

Board 31

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 2

♥ 8 7 3

♦ K Q 7 2

♣ K 5 4 3

♠ Q J 10 8 6 5

♥ A Q

♦ 10 8 3

♣ A 10

♠ 9

♥ J 10 9 5 4

♦ 6 5 4

♣ J 8 7 6

♠ A 7 4 3

♥ K 6 2

♦ A J 9

♣ Q 9 2

W N E S

Shape 6232 1534 4333 2344 HCP 13 2 14 11 Losers 7 10 8 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♠ by North
Made 5 — NS +650

42 boards f

20AE0A13C3C5EF484484EC7934AE

Board 32

North Deals

None Vul

♠ J 10 9 5

♥ 4 3

♦ A 9 5 2

♣ A K 2

♠ K Q 3

♥ K J 10 8 7 6

♦ Q J

♣ 10 4

♠ 8 7 4

♥ Q

♦ 10 7 6 3

♣ 8 7 6 5 3

♠ A 6 2

♥ A 9 5 2

♦ K 8 4

♣ Q J 9

W

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Shape 3622 3145 3433 4243 HCP 12 2 14 12 Losers 7 10 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♥ by North
Made 4 — NS +420

43 boards f

223822C6B66DB8AE242394CC11D2

Board 33

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 4 2

♥ A J 9

♦ A 9

♣ K Q J 8 2

♠ A K 7 6 3

♥ Q 4

♦ Q J 7 5

♣ 10 3

♠ 10

♥ 5 3 2

♦ K 6 3 2

♣ A 9 7 5 4

♠ J 9 8 5

♥ K 10 8 7 6

♦ 10 8 4

♣ 6

W

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Shape 5242 1345 4531 3325 HCP 12 7 4 17 Losers 7 8 9 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	Pass
2 ♣	Pass	4 ♣	Pass
Pass	Pass		
4 ♣ by West			
Made 5 — NS -150			

44 boards f

23C7DDDFC1831B6AF064E10F688A

Board 34

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 4

♥ A J 10 4 2

♦ K Q 4

♣ K J 5

♠ A K Q J 7 5

♥ 7

♦ J 10 7 5

♣ 8 2

♠ 8 6 3

♥ K Q 9

♦ 9 8 3 2

♣ 7 6 3

♠ 10 2

♥ 8 6 5 3

♦ A 6

♣ A Q 10 9 4

W

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Shape 2533 3343 2425 6142 HCP 14 5 10 11 Losers 7 10 7 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
3 ♠	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT

4 ♥ by North

Made 4 — NS +620

45 boards f

20892F06F27CAE38649FD7390584

Board 35

North Deals

None Vul

♠ J 5		♠ K Q 8 4 3
♥ J 10 8 4		♥ A Q 3 2
♦ K 10 9 6		♦ J
♣ Q J 9		♣ A 4 3

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W		E
	S	

♠ 10 7
♥ 6 5
♦ Q 7 5 3 2
♣ 10 8 7 2

♠ A 9 6 2
♥ K 9 7
♦ A 8 4
♣ K 6 5

Shape 5413 2254 4333 2443 HCP 16 2 14 8 Losers 5 9 8 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♦ ²	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	5 ♥ ⁴
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
2. shortness !D
3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

48 boards f

304F3F0FE25026CB4D5C14CAA7A2

Board 36

North Deals

None Vul

♠ K Q 9 5
♥ A Q 8 7 4
♦ J 10 2
♣ 7

♠ J 8 4
♥ K
♦ A K Q 7 6
♣ J 9 4 2

♠ A 10 7 6
♥ 10 6 5
♦ 9 5 3
♣ 10 6 5

♠ 3 2
♥ J 9 3 2
♦ 8 4
♣ A K Q 8 3

W N E S

Shape 4531 4333 2425 3154 HCP 12 4 10 14 Losers 6 11 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !C

4 ♥ by North

Down 1 — NS -50

49 boards f

32FD83E5884328C9D8C6976E4CE0

Board 37

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9

♥ K J 10 8 6 3

♦ Q 6 5

♣ A Q 8

♠ A Q 8 7 6 2

♥ A

♦ J 9 8 7

♣ 6 4

♠ 10 4 3

♥ 7 5

♦ K 10 2

♣ J 9 7 3 2

♠ K J 5

♥ Q 9 4 2

♦ A 4 3

♣ K 10 5

N

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Shape 1633 3235 3433 6142 HCP 12 4 13 11 Losers 6 10 8 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
3 ♠	Dbl	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	4 ♠	Dbl
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

4 ♠× by West

Down 2 — NS +300

50 boards f

31BAAE0B1BC75EC0E289D442642C

Board 38

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 8 7 5

♥ A

♦ 10 5 3

♣ A K 9 7 4

♠ Q J 2

♥ Q 10 8 6 4

♦ A Q J 6

♣ 6

♠ 9 4 3

♥ J 9 5

♦ K 9 2

♣ 8 5 3 2

♠ A K 6

♥ K 7 3 2

♦ 8 7 4

♣ Q J 10

W

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Shape 3541 3334 3433 4135 HCP 12 4 13 11 Losers 6 11 8 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !C

4 ♥ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

52 boards f

32A9C16A8580CFEB8A5EE550315E

Board 39

North Deals

N-S Vul


♠ K 9 8 5		♠ 3
♥ 3		♥ K J 10 9 7
♦ A Q 8 7		♦ J 5
♣ Q 7 6 2		♣ A K J 5 3

N

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	♠ Q 6 4 2
	♥ 6 4 2
	♦ K 10 4 3
	♣ 10 4

♠ A J 10 7
♥ A Q 8 5
♦ 9 6 2
♣ 9 8

Shape 1525 4342 4432 4144 HCP 13 5 11 11 Losers 6 9 8 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♠ ²	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 2. shortness !S
 4 ♥ by North
 Made 5 — NS +650

53 boards f

3143858758EC0CB6E3C46DD2CD25

Board 40

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 7 6 4 3	<div style="display: inline-block; background-color: green; color: white; padding: 10px; text-align: center; width: 60px;"> N W E S </div>	♠ A J 5
♥ 8		♥ J 4
♦ K Q 8 6 2		♦ 10 9 5 3
♣ 8 4		♣ J 10 9 6

♠ K Q 8
♥ 10 7 5 2
♦ A 7 4
♣ A Q 7

Shape 2614 3244 3433 5152 HCP 13 7 15 5 Losers 5 10 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♦ ²	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 NT ⁴
Pass	5 ♠ ⁵	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 2. shortness !D
 3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1
- 6 ♥ by North
 Made 6 — NS +980

54 boards f

332EBD73A71AB85E3F18C0738F2A

Board 41

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 10 7 6 2
♥ 5 3
♦ A K 8 7 3
♣ K

♠ 5
♥ K Q 9 7 4
♦ Q 5 4
♣ A 10 8 2

♠ Q 8 4
♥ 10 8 6
♦ 10 9 6 2
♣ 9 6 5

♠ K J 9 3
♥ A J 2
♦ J
♣ Q J 7 4 3

W N E S

Shape 5251 3343 4315 1534 HCP 14 2 13 11 Losers 6 11 7 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♦ ¹
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	5 ♥ ³
Dbl	5 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

5 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +650

55 boards f

300A0E3B04A8085638BC5A059EBA

Board 42

North Deals

None Vul

♠ —	♠ A K Q J 9 7 4
♥ Q 7 6 2	♥ A K J 9 4
♦ K 6 3	♦ —
♣ A K 8 5 3 2	♣ 4

♠ 8 5

♥ 8 5 3

♦ J 8 4

♣ J 10 9 7 6

N

W E

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♠ 10 6 3 2

♥ 10

♦ A Q 10 9 7 5 2

♣ Q

Shape 7501 2335 4171 0436 HCP 18 2 8 12 Losers 2 11 6 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	2 ♣ ¹	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	5 ♣ ³	Pass	5 ♦
Pass	5 ♥ ⁴	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 3. A=0/5 or 3/5
 4. !S queen and !H king
- 6 ♠ by North
 Made 6 — NS +980

56 boards f

3128331596BF52F88CA778652E0A

Board 43

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8		♠ A K Q 3 2
♥ K 10 8 5		♥ 7 2
♦ Q J 6 4		♦ A 8 5 2
♣ J 9 3 2		♣ Q 4

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	♠ J 10 7 6	
	♥ A 6 4 3	
	♦ K 9	
	♣ K 10 6	

Shape 5242 3334 4423 1444 HCP 15 7 11 7 Losers 6 10 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	5 ♦ ³
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

58 boards f

3030035D96B876A48DE7CA1E0B1A

Board 44

North Deals

None Vul

♠ 6 5

♥ A 10 9

♦ Q 7 4

♣ J 9 5 4 2

♠ A K 4 3 2

♥ K 7 5 3

♦ A K

♣ Q 7

♠ J 10 8 7

♥ 8 6

♦ 10 5 3 2

♣ K 6 3

♠ Q 9

♥ Q J 4 2

♦ J 9 8 6

♣ A 10 8

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Shape 5422 2443 4243 2335 HCP 19 10 4 7 Losers 5 9 10 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1 ♠ by North			
Made 5 — NS +200			

60 boards f

339DB73F5C7A3520029B2AACD275

Board 45

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ 3		♠ Q 9 8 7 5
♥ K Q 10 9 2		♥ 7
♦ 8 7 3		♦ A Q J 4
♣ 10 7 5 3		♣ A 9 2

♠ J 10 2

♥ A J 6 3

♦ 10 6 5

♣ J 8 4

N

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		♠ A K 6 4
		♥ 8 5 4
		♦ K 9 2
		♣ K Q 6

Shape 5143 3433 4333 1534 HCP 13 7 15 5 Losers 6 11 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♥ ²	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	5 ♥ ⁴
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 2. shortness !H
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0
- 6 ♠ by North
- Made 6 — NS +1430

61 boards f

304E358C9F24247BB24B1E93027A

Board 46

North Deals

None Vul

♠ —

♥ K 8 7 2

♦ A Q J 5

♣ A 7 5 3 2

♠ K 10 9 5 3

♥ A Q 6 3

♦ 7 4 3

♣ K

♠ A 8 6 2

♥ J 5 4

♦ K 10 9

♣ Q 10 9

♠ Q J 7 4

♥ 10 9

♦ 8 6 2

♣ J 8 6 4

W

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Shape 5431 4333 4234 0445 HCP 12 10 4 14 Losers 7 9 10 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	Pass
Dbl	Pass	2 ♣	2 ♠
3 ♣	Pass	3 NT	Pass
5 ♣	Pass	Pass	Pass
5 ♣ by East			
Down 1 — NS +50			

62 boards f

32B72630BFCC72AC37861226F150

Board 47

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 3

♥ A Q J 9 7 3

♦ —

♣ K 9 6 5 4

♠ K Q 7 5 4

♥ 10 6

♦ A K 7 6 4

♣ 3

♠ 9 2

♥ 5 2

♦ Q 9 5 3 2

♣ Q 10 8 2

♠ A J 8 6

♥ K 8 4

♦ J 10 8

♣ A J 7

W

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Shape 5251 2254 4333 2605 HCP 12 4 14 10 Losers 5 8 9 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
3 ♠ ²	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +680

69 boards f

41236A3A05DE631698BF05927E98

Board 48

North Deals


E-W Vul

♠ 10

♥ Q 6 3

♦ J 8 5

♣ K Q 10 8 4 3



♠ A Q J 8 5

♥ J 5

♦ K Q 7 2

♣ J 5

♠ 7 6 4 2

♥ A K 9

♦ A 9 4

♣ A 9 6

♠ K 9 3

♥ 10 8 7 4 2

♦ 10 6 3

♣ 7 2

Shape 5242 3532 4333 1336 HCP 14 3 15 8 Losers 6 10 8 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 6 ♠ by North
 Down 1 — NS -50

71 boards f

40A1BD4BC5670ADDCCACE338D44C

Board 49

North Deals

None Vul

♠ J 8 7 5 3

♥ K 4

♦ K 8 7 6 2

♣ 9

♠ 9 4

♥ Q J 9 7 2

♦ A 5

♣ A K J 8

♠ Q 10 2

♥ 8 3

♦ J 10 3

♣ 7 6 4 3 2

W

N

E

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♠ A K 6

♥ A 10 6 5

♦ Q 9 4

♣ Q 10 5

Shape 2524 3235 3433 5251 HCP 15 3 15 7 Losers 6 10 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
6 ♥ by North
Made 6 — NS +980

73 boards f

43255E3437469E3CB20B97BC79DA

Board 50

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ 2		♠ A Q J 8 6
♥ Q J 8 7 4 3		♥ 10 6
♦ 7		♦ K 9 8 4
♣ K 10 9 7 2		♣ A 3

♠

♥

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♣

♠ 9 7 5 4	♠ K 10 3
♥ A	♥ K 9 5 2
♦ A Q J 10 5	♦ 6 3 2
♣ J 6 5	♣ Q 8 4

Shape 5242 3433 4153 1615 HCP 14 8 12 6 Losers 6 9 7 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 4 ♠ by North
 Made 6 — NS +680

75 boards f

422817C3EA954B82F06B1BC42C82

Board 51

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q J 7 4		♠ A K 5 3
♥ 7		♥ Q 9 8 4 2
♦ A J 9 6 5		♦ K 10 4
♣ J 8 2		♣ 10

♠

♥

♦

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♠

♥

♦

♣

♠ 10 8 2	♠ 9 6
♥ A J 6 3	♥ K 10 5
♦ 3	♦ Q 8 7 2
♣ K Q 9 6 5	♣ A 7 4 3

Shape 4531 2344 3415 4153 HCP 12 9 10 9 Losers 6 8 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !C

4 ♥ by North

Made 4 — NS +620

76 boards f

43EDE38EA05B4A1B82243046164E

Board 52

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ A K		♠ 8 6 5 3
♥ 5		♥ Q 9 7 4 2
♦ K J 7 5		♦ A Q 2
♣ Q 9 7 4 3 2		♣ A

♠

♥

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♦

♣

♠ Q J 7	♠ 10 9 4 2
♥ A K J 6	♥ 10 8 3
♦ 6 4 3	♦ 10 9 8
♣ K 10 8	♣ J 6 5

Shape 4531 4333 3433 2146 HCP 12 1 14 13 Losers 6 12 8 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 2. shortness !C
 3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
- 4 ♥ by North
- Made 4 — NS +620

77 boards f

409A112A347C04E3EA84B27A11A6

Board 53

North Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 7		♠ K Q J 9 3
♥ J 10 5 4		♥ 9 6
♦ 10		♦ K 8 5 3
♣ A Q 7 5 4 2		♣ K 3

♠ 10 4

♥ A K 3

♦ J 9 6 2

♣ J 10 9 6

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♠ A 6 5 2	
♥ Q 8 7 2	
♦ A Q 7 4	
♣ 8	

Shape 5242 2344 4441 2416 HCP 12 9 12 7 Losers 6 9 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♣ ¹
Dbl	4 ♦ ²	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4 ♠ by North

Made 4 — NS +420

78 boards f

424A084F19AB978061F8E1CED766

Board 54

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 6 5 4 3

♥ 6

♦ A K J 10 6

♣ A 4 2

♠ K J

♥ A K Q 8 4

♦ 9 3 2

♣ J 7 5

♠ A Q 7 2

♥ J 9 3

♦ 8 7 5

♣ K 8 6

♠ 10 9 8

♥ 10 7 5 2

♦ Q 4

♣ Q 10 9 3

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Shape 2533 4333 3424 4153 HCP 14 10 4 12 Losers 7 9 10 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	Pass
Dbl	Pass	1 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		
1 ♠ by East			
Made 4 — NS -170			

79 boards f

412BB299301E4EE821A69542DC3E

Board 55

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 3		♠ A J 10 7 2
♥ K J 2		♥ 9 4
♦ 6 5		♦ A Q 8
♣ K 10 9 6 4 2		♣ Q 7 5

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♠ 9 4
♥ Q 10 5 3
♦ 10 9 3 2
♣ J 8 3

♠ K Q 6 5
♥ A 8 7 6
♦ K J 7 4
♣ A

Shape 5233 2443 4441 2326 HCP 13 3 17 7 Losers 7 10 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♦ ²	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♥ ⁴	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter
2. Cue bid, a !D stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

81 boards f

5280CD6789FACE6C5314E38821F6

Board 56

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 10 9 5 2

♥ 10 2

♦ J 10 4

♣ 10 9 2

♠ 6 3

♥ A K J 9 4

♦ Q 6 2

♣ K J 3

♠ Q 8 7

♥ 7 6

♦ A 7 5 3

♣ A 8 6 4

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♠ A J 4

♥ Q 8 5 3

♦ K 9 8

♣ Q 7 5

Shape 2533 3244 3433 5233 HCP 14 10 12 4 Losers 7 8 8 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♥ by North
Made 4 — NS +620

82 boards f

5138222798AE96D48C452B72CF0E

Board 57

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 3
♥ A 4
♦ Q 9 8 6
♣ K 10 9 4 2

♠ A K Q 5 2
♥ 7 6 3 2
♦ A J 5
♣ 6

♠ 6 4
♥ J 9 8
♦ 10 7 3 2
♣ A J 8 7

♠ J 10 9 7
♥ K Q 10 5
♦ K 4
♣ Q 5 3

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Shape 5431 2344 4423 2245 HCP 14 6 11 9 Losers 6 10 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !C

4 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

84 boards f

520A8CCD86E030EEFDB750694C22

Board 58

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 10 8 7

♥ 9 7 6

♦ A 4

♣ A J 8 2

♠ A 9 2

♥ A K Q J 3

♦ J 6

♣ Q 7 4

♠ 5 4 3

♥ 5

♦ 10 9 5 2

♣ K 10 9 5 3

♠ K J 6

♥ 10 8 4 2

♦ K Q 8 7 3

♣ 6

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Shape 3523 3145 3451 4324 HCP 17 3 9 11 Losers 6 9 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 NT	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Stayman
4 ♥ by North
Made 5 — NS +650

87 boards f

50A10FBE35B64B20161B16AA147E

Board 59

North Deals

None Vul

♠ —		♠ K J 8 7 6 5 3
♥ Q J 10 2		♥ K 9
♦ K Q 2		♦ A 8
♣ Q 10 7 5 4 2		♣ A J

♠ 9 2

♥ 7 6 5 3

♦ J 10 7 5 3

♣ 8 3

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♠ A Q 10 4

♥ A 8 4

♦ 9 6 4

♣ K 9 6

Shape 7222 2452 4333 0436 HCP 16 1 13 10 Losers 5 10 8 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♣ ²
Pass	4 ♦ ³	Pass	4 NT ⁴
Pass	5 ♣ ⁵	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
2. Cue bid, a !C stopper
3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for !S
5. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +980


88 boards f

514183CA62DECF8524CC7BA4D42D

Board 60

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 10 9 6 3		♠ A J 5
♥ 5		♥ 10 3
♦ 8 7 4 3		♦ 10 9 6 2
♣ Q J 10		♣ 7 6 4 3

♠ K 8 4
♥ J 7 4 2
♦ A K J
♣ K 9 5

Shape 2623 3244 3433 5143 HCP 15 5 15 5 Losers 6 10 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♣ ²
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +480

89 boards f

538FB186A22F684F42595CC2F9AA

Board 61

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ 4 3		♠ 10
♥ K 3		♥ A Q 8 7 4
♦ K J 7 4		♦ A 10 8 5
♣ Q J 7 4 2		♣ K 6 3

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W		E
	S	

♠ 9 8 7 6 5
♥ 6 5
♦ 9 6 3 2
♣ 9 5

♠ A K Q J 2
♥ J 10 9 2
♦ Q
♣ A 10 8

Shape 1543 5242 5413 2245 HCP 13 0 17 10 Losers 6 10 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♠ ²	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♠ ⁴	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 2. shortness !S
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1
- 6 ♥ by North
Made 6 — NS +1430

93 boards f

500EDA0C8561D5FB289CA7161A8E

Board 62

North Deals

None Vul

♠ K 9 8
♥ 8
♦ A Q 6 2
♣ A K 4 3 2

♠ A Q 7 4 3
♥ A Q J 2
♦ 10
♣ J 10 9

♠ 10
♥ K 9 6 4 3
♦ J 9 5 4
♣ Q 7 6

♠ J 6 5 2
♥ 10 7 5
♦ K 8 7 3
♣ 8 5

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Shape 5413 1543 4342 3145 HCP 14 6 4 16 Losers 6 8 10 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	Pass
2 ♣	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Dbl	Pass	3 ♣	3 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
3 ♠ by North			
Made 3 — NS +140			


94 boards f

5285E152EF5EC8C742DD17C4E2AE

Board 63

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K J 9 8 6 4 3		♠ Q 10 7
♥ —		♥ Q 10 6 5
♦ 9		♦ K Q 7 3
♣ Q 10 7 3 2		♣ 9 4

♠ A 2
♥ K J 3 2
♦ J 10 6 2
♣ J 8 5

Shape 1543 3442 2443 7015 HCP 15 9 10 6 Losers 6 7 9 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♠ ²	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	5 ♥ ⁴
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 2. shortness !S
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0
 - 5 ♥ by North
- Made 5 — NS +650

96 boards f

60E1EFB02D4C47CC41887A9E28D7

Board 64

North Deals

None Vul

♠ A K 8 2

♥ Q 5

♦ K J 10 8 4

♣ 5 4

♠ J 3

♥ 10 9 8 7 6

♦ A Q 7

♣ A J 7

♠ 10 9 7 5

♥ 4 2

♦ 9 2

♣ Q 10 8 6 3

W

N

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♠ Q 6 4

♥ A K J 3

♦ 6 5 3

♣ K 9 2

Shape 2533 4225 3433 4252 HCP 12 2 13 13 Losers 8 9 8 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♥ by North
Made 4 — NS +420

97 boards f

62C8C8218AA65A28909FA1FF4546

Board 65

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A K 4

♥ 4

♦ A K J 9 8

♣ J 10 9 2

♠ Q 8

♥ A K J 3 2

♦ 10 3 2

♣ Q 5 3

♠ 9 3 2

♥ 9 7 6

♦ Q 7 5

♣ A K 8 7

♠ J 10 7 6 5

♥ Q 10 8 5

♦ 6 4

♣ 6 4

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Shape 2533 3334 5422 3154 HCP 12 9 3 16 Losers 8 9 9 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	Pass
Dbl	Pass	2 ♣	2 ♥
Dbl	Pass	Pass	Pass
2 ♥× by North			
Down 1 — NS -200			

99 boards f

63ACCF43B2BA6CFC09CB68B5234A

Board 66

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 8 6
♥ J 10 8 4
♦ Q J 3
♣ J 10 2

♠ 7 3
♥ K Q 7 6 2
♦ A K 9 8
♣ 7 4

♠ Q 9 5 2
♥ —
♦ 10 7 6 5 2
♣ A 9 8 5

♠ A J 10 4
♥ A 9 5 3
♦ 4
♣ K Q 6 3

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Shape 2542 4054 4414 3433 HCP 12 6 14 8 Losers 6 7 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	4 ♦ ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter
4 ♥ by North
Made 5 — NS +650

101 boards f

6135854D204DE1AE7AC7EF4354D2

Board 67

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 6 5 2	<div style="display: inline-block; width: 40px; height: 40px; background-color: green; color: white; text-align: center; line-height: 40px;"> N W E S </div>	♠ Q 10 7 4 3
♥ A 7		♥ 3 2
♦ A K 6 3		♦ Q 10 8 5
♣ 8 7 2		♣ J 3

♠ K 8
♥ J 9 8 5
♦ J 9 4 2
♣ 6 5 4

Shape 2515 5242 2443 4243 HCP 19 5 5 11 Losers 3 8 10 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	2 ♣ ¹	Pass	2 ♦ ²
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
 2. waiting
 4 ♥ by North
 Made 5 — NS +450

102 boards f

6324C2ADC7523AA5648CFC46780A

Board 68

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ K J 5

♥ 9 5 3

♦ K 10

♣ K 10 9 4 2

♠ A 9 2

♥ K J 6 4 2

♦ Q 6 5

♣ Q 8

♠ 10 7 4 3

♥ 10

♦ 9 3 2

♣ A 7 6 5 3

♠ Q 8 6

♥ A Q 8 7

♦ A J 8 7 4

♣ J

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Shape 3532 4135 3451 3325 HCP 12 4 14 10 Losers 8 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	4 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter
4 ♥ by North
Made 4 — NS +620

105 boards f

63066DBF95B6320A23AB5810F97C

Board 69

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ 3

♥ Q 10 9 3 2

♦ 9 7 4

♣ A 10 9 8

W

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♠ K 5 2

♥ J 5 4

♦ 8 6 5 3

♣ 5 4 2

♠ A 9 8 7 4

♥ A 8

♦ K Q 2

♣ K J 3

♠ Q J 10 6

♥ K 7 6

♦ A J 10

♣ Q 7 6

Shape 5233 3343 4333 1534 HCP 17 4 13 6 Losers 6 11 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 NT	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Stayman
4 ♠ by North
Made 5 — NS +650

107 boards f

62260B465E8ED0EB8DC4E6E09312

Board 70

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 8 6 5 4

♥ —

♦ K 8

♣ A Q J 10 5 2

♠ A K 2

♥ K Q 10 7 6

♦ A Q 6 5

♣ 7

♠ Q J

♥ J 9 3 2

♦ 9 4 3 2

♣ 9 6 4

♠ 10 7 3

♥ A 8 5 4

♦ J 10 7

♣ K 8 3

W

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Shape 3541 2443 3433 5026 HCP 18 4 8 10 Losers 4 11 10 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
3 ♥ ¹	3 ♠ ²	Pass	4 ♥
5 ♣	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid
 2. artificial
- 5 ♣× by West
- Down 3 — NS +500

108 boards f

63E18D230A608B9E8ACA54D180AA

Board 71

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 6 4

♥ —

♦ A Q 10 4 3

♣ J 8 7 6 2

♠ Q J

♥ K J 9 7 6 3

♦ K 8

♣ A K 4

♠ 10 5

♥ 8 5 4

♦ J 9 7 6 2

♣ 10 5 3

♠ K 9 8 7 3 2

♥ A Q 10 2

♦ 5

♣ Q 9

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Shape 2623 2353 6412 3055 HCP 17 1 11 11 Losers 6 11 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	4 ♦ ¹
Dbl	4 NT ²	Pass	5 ♦ ³
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 5 ♥ by North
- Made 5 — NS +650

110 boards f

622A819C05AF8E2869C0CAD4D892

Board 72

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 6 5 4 3

♥ —

♦ A 8 7 5 3

♣ A 9 5 2

♠ A J 8

♥ K J 9 6 5

♦ J 4

♣ K J 7

♠ 7

♥ Q 4 3 2

♦ K 6 2

♣ Q 8 6 4 3

♠ K Q 10 9 2

♥ A 10 8 7

♦ Q 10 9

♣ 10

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Shape 3523 1435 5431 4054 HCP 14 7 11 8 Losers 8 7 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	4 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♦ ²	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter
2. surplus
- 4 ♥ by North
- Made 4 — NS +620

112 boards f

7031375D869B9C6B06E134A97C3E

Board 73

North Deals

None Vul

♠ 6

♥ A K 5 3 2

♦ Q 9 3 2

♣ J 7 2

W

N

E

S

♠ A K 7 5 2

♥ J 7

♦ A 6

♣ A Q 6 4

♠ Q 8 3

♥ Q 10 9

♦ K J 7 5

♣ 9 5 3

♠ J 10 9 4

♥ 8 6 4

♦ 10 8 4

♣ K 10 8

Shape 5224 3343 4333 1543 HCP 18 8 4 10 Losers 5 9 11 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	Pass
2 ♥	3 ♣	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
3 ♠ by North			
Made 4 — NS +170			

113 boards f

72A56A7D75B02D102A16A99EF022

Board 74

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 3		♠ 9 8 7 6 2
♥ Q J 10 3		♥ —
♦ K 7 5		♦ A J 6
♣ K 7 6 4 2		♣ A Q J 9 5

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	S	

♠ K Q J
♥ 8 6 4
♦ 10 8 3 2
♣ 10 8 3

♠ A 10 5 4
♥ A K 9 7 5 2
♦ Q 9 4
♣ —

Shape 5035 3343 4630 1435 HCP 12 6 13 9 Losers 6 10 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♦ ²	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♥ ⁴	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter
 2. Cue bid, a !D stopper
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0
- 6 ♠ by North
 Made 6 — NS +1430

114 boards f

71224A248A407C84D2A319B465CE

Board 75

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 2

♥ 9 4

♦ Q 8 4 3

♣ A K J 7 2

♠ A Q 5

♥ K J 10 8 2

♦ K J 5

♣ 5 3

♠ K 10 9 3

♥ 7 5

♦ 9 2

♣ Q 10 9 8 4

♠ J 8 6 4

♥ A Q 6 3

♦ A 10 7 6

♣ 6

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Shape 3532 4225 4441 2245 HCP 14 5 11 10 Losers 7 8 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	4 ♣ ¹
Dbl	4 ♦ ²	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter
2. surplus
4 ♥ by North
Made 5 — NS +450

116 boards f

7226A60D8CF41E93B8621B397B40

Board 76

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10		♠ A Q 9 5 4
♥ 10 7 4 3		♥ Q J 2
♦ 7 5 4 3		♦ A K 10
♣ A K 9 6		♣ Q 4

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♠ 6 3 2
♥ 9 8 5
♦ 8 6 2
♣ J 10 7 2

♠ K J 8 7
♥ A K 6
♦ Q J 9
♣ 8 5 3

Shape 5332 3334 4333 1444 HCP 18 1 14 7 Losers 6 12 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3 NT ²
Pass	4 ♦ ³	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4 NT ⁴	Pass	5 ♥ ⁵
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
2. surplus
3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for !S
5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

6 ♠ by North

Down 1 — NS -100

117 boards f

71368569AE42D324434FE8CD98FE

Board 77

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 5 4 2

♥ A 2

♦ A K 8

♣ A J 10 2

N

W E

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♠ Q 10 7 6

♥ 9 3

♦ J 6 4 2

♣ 8 5 3

♠ K J 3

♥ Q J 8 5

♦ 10 9 7

♣ 9 7 6

Shape 2533 4243 3433 4234 HCP 14 3 7 16 Losers 6 10 10 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	
2 ♥ by North			
Made 3 — NS +140			

118 boards f

73F5AD502127FB35103E9408B8BA

Board 78

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 9

♥ A 9 8 6 3 2

♦ Q J 7

♣ 6 2

♠ J 10 8 7 6 4

♥ 4

♦ K 6

♣ A K J 8

♠ K 5 3 2

♥ K J 10

♦ A 10 8 5

♣ 10 9

♠ Q

♥ Q 7 5

♦ 9 4 3 2

♣ Q 7 5 4 3

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Shape 6124 1345 4342 2632 HCP 12 6 11 11 Losers 6 8 8 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
3 ♥	Dbl	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♠ by North
Made 5 — NS +650

120 boards f

71AB443537993F6DBAB33F16685E

Board 79

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ —

♥ Q J 9 7 6 5

♦ K Q J 4

♣ 7 4 2

♠ Q J 9 5 4

♥ K

♦ A 10 7 3

♣ Q 10 8

♠ K 8 3 2

♥ 10 4 2

♦ 9 8 5 2

♣ K 3

♠ A 10 7 6

♥ A 8 3

♦ 6

♣ A J 9 6 5

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Shape 5143 4342 4315 0643 HCP 12 6 13 9 Losers 7 9 7 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♦ ¹
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter
4 ♠ by North
Made 6 — NS +480

121 boards f

738AC79FCD3879C0ACE66C63467E

Board 80

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ K J 8 6

♥ 10 9 2

♦ 8 4

♣ A 6 3 2

♠ 10

♥ A K J 8 3

♦ Q J 7 5 2

♣ J 9

♠ 9 5 4 3 2

♥ Q

♦ A 10 9

♣ 10 8 7 5

♠ A Q 7

♥ 7 6 5 4

♦ K 6 3

♣ K Q 4

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Shape 1552 5134 3433 4324 HCP 12 6 14 8 Losers 6 9 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♠ ²	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !S

4 ♥ by North

Made 5 — NS +650

123 boards f

720A94B971034A63933C3F28C8A6

Board 81

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 3

♥ Q J 6 5

♦ A Q 9 4 3

♣ A 9 2

♠ A 10 6 5 4

♥ A 10 9 3

♦ K 2

♣ Q J

♠ J 9 8

♥ K 7

♦ J 10 8 7

♣ K 6 4 3

♠ K Q 7 2

♥ 8 4 2

♦ 6 5

♣ 10 8 7 5

W N E S

Shape 5422 3244 4324 1453 HCP 14 8 5 13 Losers 7 9 9 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	Pass
Dbl	Pass	2 ♣	2 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
2 ♠ by North			
Made 3 — NS +140			

124 boards f

73179E2E55B570EC33B84F3A2190

Board 82

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8

♥ 10 9 7 6 4

♦ 9 7 3 2

♣ K Q 4

♠ A Q 7 4 3

♥ 5

♦ K Q 8 5

♣ J 10 3

♠ J 9 5

♥ A K J 2

♦ 6 4

♣ 9 8 6 2

♠ K 10 6 2

♥ Q 8 3

♦ A J 10

♣ A 7 5

W N E S

Shape 5143 3424 4333 1543 HCP 12 9 14 5 Losers 6 9 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♥ ²	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ ³	Pass	4 ♥ ⁴
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
2. shortness !H
3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +650

127 boards f

71418EB25A2E1096BA6B4A301F26

Board 83

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ —

♥ Q 7 4

♦ 8 2

♣ K Q J 10 8 7 5 2

♠ 10 9 4 3 2

♥ A K 5

♦ J 7 6 5

♣ A

♠ A J 6 5

♥ J 9 8 3

♦ K 10 3

♣ 9 4

♠ K Q 8 7

♥ 10 6 2

♦ A Q 9 4

♣ 6 3

W

N

E

S

Shape 5341 4432 4342 0328 HCP 12 9 11 8 Losers 7 9 7 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
5 ♣	Dbl	Pass	5 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
5 ♠ by North
Down 1 — NS -50

128 boards f

80C204EAD36E8484E14BED76499A

Board 84

North Deals

None Vul

♠ K
♥ A K 9 8 6 3
♦ A J 7
♣ 7 5 3

♠ A Q J 7 5
♥ 4
♦ 10 5
♣ A Q 10 4 2

♠ 10 6 4 3
♥ J 2
♦ K 9 8 4
♣ K 9 8

♠ 9 8 2
♥ Q 10 7 5
♦ Q 6 3 2
♣ J 6

W N E S

Shape 1633 4243 3442 5125 HCP 15 7 5 13 Losers 7 9 9 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	Pass
2 ♥ ¹	3 ♥	3 ♠	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♠ by East

Made 4 — NS -420

130 boards f

813A3D88D2A0905BD035372F8CFA

Board 85

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 7 2

♥ A K 6 5 2

♦ 6 5

♣ A J 2

♠ A K 6 5 4

♥ Q 3

♦ A Q 8 2

♣ K 6

♠ 8

♥ J 9 8 7

♦ K 4 3

♣ Q 10 9 7 3

♠ Q 10 9 3

♥ 10 4

♦ J 10 9 7

♣ 8 5 4

W

N

E

S

Shape 5242 1435 4243 3523 HCP 18 6 3 13 Losers 5 8 10 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	Pass
2 ♥	3 ♦	3 ♥	3 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
3 ♠ by North			
Made 3 — NS +140			

132 boards f

8279322909126397A04D6A9237AA

Board 86

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ —		♠ K Q J 10 3
♥ A K 3		♥ J 6
♦ A Q J 5 2		♦ 8 3
♣ K 10 5 4 2		♣ A Q J 6

♠

♥

♦

♣

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W E
S

♠

♥

♦

♣

♠ 8 7 4 2	♠ A 9 6 5
♥ Q 9 7 5 2	♥ 10 8 4
♦ 6	♦ K 10 9 7 4
♣ 9 8 3	♣ 7

Shape 5224 4351 4513 0355 HCP 14 7 2 17 Losers 6 8 9 4

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	Pass
Dbl	Pass	2 ♦	2 ♠
4 ♦	Pass	4 ♠ ¹	Dbl
5 ♣ ²	Pass	6 ♦	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Cue bid, a !S stopper

2. Cue bid, a !H stopper

6 ♦ by East

Made 6 — NS -920

133 boards f

8107E28AEA10DDE456EB4D8C528B

Board 87

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 10

♥ A Q 5 4 2

♦ Q J 6 2

♣ 9 5

♠ K J 9 8 6

♥ —

♦ A 8 7

♣ K Q J 7 3

♠ Q 4 2

♥ K J 8 6

♦ K 10 3

♣ A 6 2

♠ 7 5 3

♥ 10 9 7 3

♦ 9 5 4

♣ 10 8 4

N

W E

S

Shape 2542 3433 3433 5035 HCP 13 0 13 14 Losers 6 12 8 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
3 ♥ ²	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

136 boards f

8127C842E3B968365682EFCC0D9C

Board 88

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K J 5 4

♥ 10 8

♦ A 8 7

♣ Q 8 7 6

♠ A 8 3

♥ K Q 6 4 3

♦ K 10 9

♣ 10 3

♠ Q 9 7

♥ 7 2

♦ 5 4 3 2

♣ K 9 4 2

♠ 10 6 2

♥ A J 9 5

♦ Q J 6

♣ A J 5

W

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Shape 3532 3244 3433 4234 HCP 12 5 13 10 Losers 7 9 9 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♥ by North
Made 4 — NS +420

138 boards f

803E91640C27A6D3B35DB82811FE

Board 89

North Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 2

♥ A 7 5 2

♦ A J 6 2

♣ A 9 2

♠ A J 10 4 3

♥ J

♦ K 8 7 3

♣ K 6 3

♠ Q 6

♥ K 8 6 3

♦ Q 10 9

♣ Q J 5 4

♠ K 9 7 5

♥ Q 10 9 4

♦ 5 4

♣ 10 8 7

W N E S

Shape 5143 2434 4423 2443 HCP 12 10 5 13 Losers 7 8 9 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	Pass
Dbl	Pass	2 ♥	2 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
2 ♠ by North			
Made 3 — NS +140			

139 boards f

8202E4CAA45EF6F9ED08204D432

Board 90

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K Q 9 6 3

♥ 2

♦ Q

♣ A Q J 7 5 2

♠ A 4 2

♥ A Q 10 5 4

♦ K 10 4 3

♣ 10

♠ 10 8

♥ 7 6 3

♦ A 6 5 2

♣ K 6 4 3

♠ J 7 5

♥ K J 9 8

♦ J 9 8 7

♣ 9 8

W N E S

Shape 3541 2344 3442 5116 HCP 13 7 6 14 Losers 6 9 10 4

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
3 ♥ ¹	Pass	3 NT ²	Pass
4 ♣	Pass	5 ♣	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

5 ♣ by West

Made 5 — NS -400

140 boards f

834DE584E938A144E071CBC77A8A

Board 91

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ K J 7 5 4	<div style="display: inline-block; width: 40px; height: 40px; background-color: green; color: white; text-align: center; line-height: 40px;"> N W E S </div>	♠ A 8 6 3
♥ 10 6 3		♥ —
♦ 9 7 6		♦ J 10 5 3 2
♣ 3 2		♣ Q 10 8 7

♠ Q 9 2
♥ K J 9 7
♦ K Q 8 4
♣ 5 4

Shape 1615 4054 3442 5332 HCP 18 7 11 4 Losers 3 7 7 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	2 ♣ ¹	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	5 ♣ ³	Pass	5 ♦
Pass	6 ♣ ⁴	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 3. A=0/5 or 3/5
 4. !H queen and !C king
- 6 ♥ by North
 Made 6 — NS +1430

142 boards f

82C91282C9DD60AC6B8CEC86754A

Board 92

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A J 10 5

♥ 3

♦ A J 7 2

♣ K Q 4 2

♠ K

♥ A Q J 6 4 2

♦ 4 3

♣ A J 10 3

♠ 9 7 3 2

♥ K 10

♦ K Q 9

♣ 9 8 6 5

♠ Q 8 6 4

♥ 9 8 7 5

♦ 10 8 6 5

♣ 7

N

W E

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Shape 1624 4234 4441 4144 HCP 15 8 2 15 Losers 6 8 9 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	Pass
Dbl	2 ♥	Pass	Pass
Dbl	Pass	3 NT	Pass
Pass	Pass		
3 N by East			
Down 1 — NS +50			

144 boards f

900DCA1066935F06A81F87D6BA32

Board 93

North Deals

None Vul

♠ K 4

♥ 3 2

♦ A 9 6

♣ K J 8 4 3 2

♠ A Q 8 6 2

♥ A K 8 5

♦ Q 10 2

♣ A

♠ J 9

♥ Q 10 9 6 4

♦ J 8 5 4

♣ Q 7

♠ 10 7 5 3

♥ J 7

♦ K 7 3

♣ 10 9 6 5

W N E S

Shape 5431 2542 4234 2236 HCP 19 6 4 11 Losers 4 9 10 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	Pass
2 ♣	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
2 ♠ by North			
Made 4 — NS +170			

145 boards f

928E0075BE934F3C4896CA1B1B22

Board 94

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 5

♥ Q J 8

♦ 7 5 4 3

♣ A J 6 5 2

♠ K 8 4 3 2

♥ A K 9 7 5

♦ Q 6

♣ Q

♠ Q 9 7

♥ 10 6 4 3

♦ K 10 2

♣ K 8 7

♠ A J 10 6

♥ 2

♦ A J 9 8

♣ 10 9 4 3

W N E S

Shape 5521 3433 4144 1345 HCP 14 8 10 8 Losers 6 9 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !C

4 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +680

146 boards f

9105F8615FA1244CF2064C96CBA2

Board 95

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 7 3

♥ K 7

♦ A 9 6 4

♣ 7 6 4 2

♠ A 9 6

♥ A 8 6 5 3

♦ K 3

♣ A Q 10

♠ Q J 8 5

♥ J 4

♦ J 8 5

♣ K 9 8 5

♠ 10 4 2

♥ Q 10 9 2

♦ Q 10 7 2

♣ J 3

W N E S

Shape 3523 4234 3442 3244 HCP 17 8 5 10 Losers 6 9 9 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 NT	Pass	Pass
1 N by North			
Made 1 — NS +90			

148 boards f

923F8416E79AAD779042423A2E12

Board 96

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J		♠ A Q 4 3 2
♥ A 8 4		♥ K 6 5
♦ 10 4		♦ K Q J 8
♣ Q 10 6 5 4 3 2		♣ 9

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	♠ 8 6 5
	♥ Q 10 7 2
	♦ 7 6 5 2
	♣ K 7

♠ K 10 9 7
♥ J 9 3
♦ A 9 3
♣ A J 8

Shape 5341 3442 4333 1327 HCP 15 5 13 7 Losers 5 9 9 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ ³	Pass	4 ♥ ⁴
Pass	4 NT ⁵	Pass	5 ♣ ⁶
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 2. shortness !C
 3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
 4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 6. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 6 ♠ by North
- Made 6 — NS +1430

150 boards f

93034A0CE886D71DAEABB14A5262

Board 97

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 9

♥ 5

♦ A 5 3 2

♣ K 10 7 4 3 2

♠ A Q 8

♥ A K Q 10 4

♦ Q 8 7

♣ 8 5

♠ K 4 3 2

♥ 9 8 3

♦ K J 6 4

♣ Q J

♠ 10 7 6 5

♥ J 7 6 2

♦ 10 9

♣ A 9 6

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Shape 3532 4342 4423 2146 HCP 17 10 5 8 Losers 5 9 10 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 NT	Pass	Pass
1 N by North			
Made 1 — NS +90			

151 boards f

90B0238D379E50BED42AEBD0040A

Board 98

North Deals

None Vul

♠ 7 5 4		♠ K J 6 3 2
♥ A J 8		♥ Q 3 2
♦ Q 10 8		♦ A K 9 4
♣ 10 8 6 2		♣ Q

♠ 9

♥ 10 9 7 4

♦ J 7 3

♣ A 9 7 4 3

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♠ A Q 10 8

♥ K 6 5

♦ 6 5 2

♣ K J 5

Shape 5341 1435 4333 3334 HCP 15 5 13 7 Losers 6 9 8 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ ³	Pass	4 ♥ ⁴
Pass	4 NT ⁵	Pass	5 ♦ ⁶
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
2. shortness !C
3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
6. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♠ by North

Down 1 — NS -50

152 boards f

91031520C06A8C9E78C76EBA45E7

Board 99

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 6 2

♥ 7 4

♦ K 6 3 2

♣ 10 8 5 4

♠ A K Q

♥ A J 9 6 3

♦ 10 7 4

♣ K 3

♠ 10 7 5 3

♥ K 8

♦ 9 8 5

♣ Q J 9 7

♠ 9 8 4

♥ Q 10 5 2

♦ A Q J

♣ A 6 2

W N E S

Shape 3532 4234 3433 3244 HCP 17 6 13 4 Losers 6 9 8 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 NT	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Stayman
4 ♥ by North
Made 6 — NS +480

153 boards f

9383BCC1424DEB78323825AB6886

Board 100

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 9

♥ K 8 7 6

♦ A Q J 7

♣ J 7 2

♠ 7 6 5

♥ A Q J 10 2

♦ K 10

♣ Q 10 5

♠ J 10 8 3

♥ —

♦ 9 8 6 4 3

♣ K 8 6 3

♠ A K 4 2

♥ 9 5 4 3

♦ 5 2

♣ A 9 4

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Shape 3523 4054 4423 2443 HCP 12 4 11 13 Losers 7 8 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♥ by North
Down 1 — NS -100

157 boards f

90822AEC95AFB8C4195E34192236

Board 101

North Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 8		♠ K 7 5 4 3 2
♥ 9 5 2		♥ A 8
♦ Q 10 6		♦ A 3
♣ A K 6 3 2		♣ J 7 4

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♠ 6
♥ J 7 6 4
♦ J 8 5 2
♣ Q 9 8 5

♠ A J 10 9
♥ K Q 10 3
♦ K 9 7 4
♣ 10

Shape 6223 1444 4441 2335 HCP 12 4 13 11 Losers 7 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♣ ¹
Dbl	4 ♦ ²	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	5 ♦ ⁴
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter
2. Cue bid, a !D stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
4. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +480

158 boards f

9233099FC73A6BA59452235632B2

Board 102

North Deals


N-S Vul

♠ J

♥ A 10 3 2

♦ K 10 9

♣ 10 6 4 3 2



♠ A K 10 5 3

♥ K J

♦ J 8 7 4

♣ K 8

♠ Q 8 7 2

♥ 9 8 5

♦ Q

♣ A Q J 9 5

♠ 9 6 4

♥ Q 7 6 4

♦ A 6 5 3 2

♣ 7

Shape 5242 3451 4315 1435 HCP 15 6 11 8 Losers 6 8 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 4 ♠ by North
 Made 5 — NS +650

159 boards f

914BE5E48EA59972C6B8004DAC9E

Board 103

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K Q 7
♥ 8 6
♦ K Q 10 7
♣ J 8 7 2

♠ 5
♥ A J 7 5 4
♦ A 9 6
♣ K 10 9 4

♠ A 8 4
♥ 9 2
♦ J 4 3 2
♣ Q 6 5 3

♠ J 10 9 6 3 2
♥ K Q 10 3
♦ 8 5
♣ A

W

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Shape 1534 3244 6421 3244 HCP 12 7 10 11 Losers 7 9 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♠ ²	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !S

4 ♥ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

160 boards f

A0891EF06A062BF84DC0E7586682

Board 104

North Deals

None Vul

♠ K 10 9

♥ A 10 7 6 2

♦ Q 6 2

♣ A 7

♠ Q 8 6 5

♥ Q 8

♦ K 7

♣ K J 10 3 2

♠ A 2

♥ J 9 5 3

♦ A J 9 8 4

♣ 9 5

♠ J 7 4 3

♥ K 4

♦ 10 5 3

♣ Q 8 6 4

W

N

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Shape 3532 4234 2452 4225 HCP 13 6 10 11 Losers 7 9 8 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♥ by North
Made 4 — NS +420

162 boards f

A1018CC32C061BAD6596B6335CD6

Board 105

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 2		♠ A J 10 9 4
♥ 5 4		♥ A K Q 10
♦ 10 7 6 5 2		♦ 9
♣ 10 6 5 2		♣ A 8 7

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	S	

♠ 7 3
♥ 9 6 3 2
♦ K J 8 3
♣ K J 3

♠ K 8 6 5
♥ J 8 7
♦ A Q 4
♣ Q 9 4

Shape 5413 2443 4333 2254 HCP 18 8 12 2 Losers 5 9 8 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♦ ²	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	5 ♥ ⁴
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 2. shortness !D
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0
- 6 ♠ by North
 Made 6 — NS +980

163 boards f

A3840BEE32141B74ED98B2EB0EBC

Board 106

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 7 4
♥ J 8 5 2
♦ J 5
♣ Q J 5 3

♠ K J 10 9 3
♥ A K 3
♦ Q 7 3 2
♣ 7

♠ 8
♥ 10 9 6
♦ K 9 6 4
♣ A 10 8 6 2

♠ A 6 5 2
♥ Q 7 4
♦ A 10 8
♣ K 9 4

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Shape 5341 1345 4333 3424 HCP 13 7 13 7 Losers 6 8 8 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Dbl	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !C

4 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +650

164 boards f

A24429C7EDECBAD940A34FC1C892

Board 107

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K
♥ A Q 7 5 4 3
♦ A Q
♣ K J 8 4

♠ Q J 10 8 4 3
♥ 9
♦ K 9 8 3
♣ 9 2

♠ A 7 5
♥ 8 2
♦ 7 6 4 2
♣ A 10 7 3

♠ 9 6 2
♥ K J 10 6
♦ J 10 5
♣ Q 6 5

W N E S

Shape 1624 3244 3433 6142 HCP 19 8 7 6 Losers 5 9 10 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠ ¹	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♣ ²	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Cue bid, a !S stopper

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4 ♥ by North

Made 5 — NS +650

165 boards f

A185C6EB48EEFD88943020D36B4E

Board 108

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 6 5

♥ A K J 8 2

♦ Q J 8 3

♣ A 9

♠ K Q 10 9 4

♥ 9 6

♦ A K 7

♣ K 10 2

♠ J 3 2

♥ 7 4

♦ 10 9 2

♣ J 8 7 6 5

♠ A 8 7

♥ Q 10 5 3

♦ 6 5 4

♣ Q 4 3

W

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Shape 2542 3235 3433 5233 HCP 15 2 8 15 Losers 6 11 9 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
2 ♠	3 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			
3 ♥ by North			
Made 3 — NS +140			

167 boards f

A06F418AD3648CE80E0AB7E4DD1D

Board 109

North Deals

None Vul

♠ J 8 4 3

♥ 5

♦ A 9 7 3 2

♣ Q 7 6

♠ 7 6 2

♥ K Q 9 7 6

♦ K J

♣ K 3 2

♠ A K 10

♥ J 3 2

♦ 10 5 4

♣ 10 9 8 4

♠ Q 9 5

♥ A 10 8 4

♦ Q 8 6

♣ A J 5

W

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Shape 3523 3334 3433 4153 HCP 12 8 13 7 Losers 7 10 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♥ by North
Made 4 — NS +420

169 boards f

A3C72E1025277210BACD7B9A8088

Board 110

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 6		♠ K Q J 10 8
♥ 9 7 5		♥ A 6 3 2
♦ Q 9 8 3		♦ K 6
♣ K 9 7 4		♣ J 6

♠

♥

♦

♣

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♠

♥

♦

♣

♠ 7 4 3 2		♠ 9 5
♥ K J 10		♥ Q 8 4
♦ A J 10		♦ 7 5 4 2
♣ A 10 5		♣ Q 8 3 2

Shape 5422 2344 4333 2344 HCP 14 4 13 9 Losers 6 9 9 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♣ ²
Pass	4 ♦ ³	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 2. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
- 4 ♠ by North
- Made 5 — NS +650

170 boards f

A0B281DA98383702A82F244675DE

Board 111

North Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 2

♥ A 10 9 3

♦ 6 2

♣ A Q 8 4 2

♠ 10 9 8 6 5

♥ K 8 4

♦ A K 8

♣ K 3

♠ 4 3

♥ Q J 2

♦ 9 5 4 3

♣ J 10 7 5

♠ A K J 7

♥ 7 6 5

♦ Q J 10 7

♣ 9 6

W

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Shape 5332 2344 4342 2425 HCP 13 4 11 12 Losers 7 10 8 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♠ by North
Made 4 — NS +420

171 boards f

A2872A3A3F985C481C1BA572A209

Board 112

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ —	♠ K Q J 7 6 2	♠ 9 8 4
♥ Q J 4	♥ A 8 2	♥ 10 9 7 6
♦ K Q 10 8 6 2	♦ A 5	♦ 4 3
♣ K Q 4 3	♣ 5 2	♣ 10 9 8 7

♠ A 10 5 3
♥ K 5 3
♦ J 9 7
♣ A J 6

Shape 6322 3424 4333 0364 HCP 14 0 13 13 Losers 6 11 9 4

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
3 ♦	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 4 ♠ by North
 Made 5 — NS +650

172 boards f

A30246285997C2A6C2AA8C4C3B6E

Board 113

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 7

♥ 3

♦ A 9 7

♣ A K 9 8 7 6 2

♠ A Q 3

♥ A K 9 7 5 4

♦ 5 4 2

♣ J

♠ K J 4 2

♥ J 10

♦ Q J 6 3

♣ Q 5 4

♠ 10 8 6 5

♥ Q 8 6 2

♦ K 10 8

♣ 10 3

W

N

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Shape 3631 4243 4432 2137 HCP 14 10 5 11 Losers 6 8 9 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	Pass
2 ♣	2 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			
2 ♥ by North			
Made 3 — NS +140			

173 boards f

A0032A9482EAEA1DB344F4460FE4

Board 114

North Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 9 5 2		♠ A K 8 3
♥ 7 5		♥ A J 6 4 3
♦ 8 3		♦ A J 7
♣ K J 10 9 4		♣ 8

N

W

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E

♠ 6 4		♠ Q J 7
♥ Q 8		♥ K 10 9 2
♦ Q 6 5 4 2		♦ K 10 9
♣ Q 6 5 2		♣ A 7 3

Shape 4531 2254 3433 4225 HCP 17 6 13 4 Losers 6 8 8 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	5 ♥ ⁴
Pass	5 NT ⁵	Pass	6 ♦ ⁶
Pass	7 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !C

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

5. King ask by 5 NT

6. K=1

7 ♥ by North

Made 7 — NS +1510

175 boards f

A117AA287BDC08226E14A595F78E

Board 115

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 3
♥ J 3
♦ A 6 5 4 3
♣ K 8 7 2

♠ A Q 9 8 6
♥ 9 2
♦ K Q J 9
♣ 5 4

♠ J 7
♥ A 10 6 4
♦ 10 7 2
♣ Q 10 9 6

♠ K 5 4 2
♥ K Q 8 7 5
♦ 8
♣ A J 3

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Shape 5242 2434 4513 2254 HCP 12 7 13 8 Losers 6 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♠ by North
Made 4 — NS +420

176 boards f

B0313C3B4A0F7B15B09A44F59BB6

Board 116

North Deals

None Vul

♠ 4

♥ A K Q 9 7 4 2

♦ K 10

♣ J 6 2

♠ A K Q 10 8

♥ J 10 5

♦ A 7

♣ A 8 4

♠ J 9 5

♥ 8 6 3

♦ 8 5 4 2

♣ K 7 5

♠ 7 6 3 2

♥ —

♦ Q J 9 6 3

♣ Q 10 9 3

W

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Shape 5323 3343 4054 1723 HCP 18 4 5 13 Losers 6 11 7 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
4 ♠ by North			
Made 6 — NS +480			

177 boards f

B2C1C4EE5D5942A851E4FFA90B8E

Board 117

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A K Q 6 5

♥ 5

♦ 10 8 4 3

♣ Q 9 2

♠ 3

♥ A K 9 3 2

♦ K 6

♣ A J 10 7 4

♠ J 10 9 7

♥ J 10 7

♦ A 9 7

♣ K 8 6

♠ 8 4 2

♥ Q 8 6 4

♦ Q J 5 2

♣ 5 3

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Shape 1525 4333 3442 5143 HCP 15 9 5 11 Losers 5 10 9 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	Pass
1 ♠	2 ♣	2 ♠	3 ♥
3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		
4 ♠ by West			
Made 4 — NS -420			

178 boards f

B11E39B4E722CE68BE0C43979912

Board 118

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 9

♥ K Q 7

♦ Q J 4

♣ A 10 9 7 2

♠ A K 10 6 2

♥ 9 6 5

♦ K 8 3

♣ K 3

♠ 8 5

♥ A 4 3 2

♦ A 9 7 6

♣ Q 8 6

♠ Q 7 4 3

♥ J 10 8

♦ 10 5 2

♣ J 5 4

W

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Shape 5332 2443 4333 2335 HCP 13 10 4 13 Losers 7 8 11 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	Pass
Dbl	Pass	2 ♥	2 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
2 ♠ by North			
Down 1 — NS -50			

179 boards f

B3FC6F3A0E178534F2B89114578A

Board 119

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 7

♥ A Q 8 7 6

♦ 7 5

♣ Q J 7 2

♠ Q J 10 8 4

♥ J 9 2

♦ A K J

♣ 9 5

♠ K 3

♥ 10 5 4 3

♦ Q 6 2

♣ A 8 6 4

♠ 9 6 5 2

♥ K

♦ 10 9 8 4 3

♣ K 10 3

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Shape 5332 2434 4153 2524 HCP 12 9 6 13 Losers 8 8 9 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
3 ♥	Pass	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
3 ♠ by North			
Down 1 — NS −100			

181 boards f

B121FA940D1542BCB7580FA02672

Board 120

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K

♥ K 8 7 2

♦ Q 10 7 3

♣ K 9 3 2

♠ A J 10 5 3

♥ J 9 5

♦ K 6

♣ A J 10

♠ 9 6 2

♥ Q 10 6

♦ J 8 5

♣ Q 8 6 4

♠ Q 8 7 4

♥ A 4 3

♦ A 9 4 2

♣ 7 5

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Shape 5323 3334 4342 1444 HCP 14 5 10 11 Losers 8 10 8 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♠ by North
Made 5 — NS +450

182 boards f

B3377F0A23D071A5C0694049A284

Board 121

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 7		♠ A Q J
♥ A K 9		♥ Q 7 5 4 2
♦ J 10 9 7 5 3		♦ K
♣ Q 3		♣ 9 8 6 4

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	S	

♠ K 9 6 5 4
♥ 10
♦ Q 6 4
♣ 10 7 5 2

♠ 8 3 2
♥ J 8 6 3
♦ A 8 2
♣ A K J

Shape 3514 5134 3433 2362 HCP 12 5 13 10 Losers 7 8 9 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♦ ²	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♦ ³	Pass	4 ♠ ⁴
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
2. shortness !D
3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

5 ♥ by North

Down 1 — NS -100

184 boards f

B17B1B32BA329C4E09D7A0F09B1E

Board 122

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 6 4		♠ A 8
♥ A Q J 10 4		♥ K 9 6 3 2
♦ 6		♦ 9 8 2
♣ Q J 10 8 2		♣ 9 5 4

♠ K Q 10 7 2

♥ 8 7

♦ A K J 7 3

♣ 7

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♠ J 9 5 3

♥ 5

♦ Q 10 5 4

♣ A K 6 3

Shape 5251 2533 4144 2515 HCP 13 7 10 10 Losers 5 9 7 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !C

4 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

189 boards f

B00AFDF5A0B0279F1E0DA71954DA

Board 123

North Deals

None Vul

♠ K Q 2

♥ K Q 10

♦ K 8 7 6

♣ A 7 2

♠ A 9 7 6 4

♥ A 6

♦ J 10

♣ K Q 6 4

♠ 3

♥ 8 7 4 3 2

♦ Q 9 5 3

♣ J 10 3

♠ J 10 8 5

♥ J 9 5

♦ A 4 2

♣ 9 8 5

W N E S

Shape 5224 1543 4333 3343 HCP 14 3 6 17 Losers 6 9 11 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
2 ♠ by North			
Made 3 — NS +140			

190 boards f

B23520B4022F8A135BA04ABA3D5E

Board 124

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ —

♥ A Q 4 3

♦ 9 7 5 4

♣ J 9 5 4 2

♠ A K J 10 8 3

♥ J 9 5

♦ A Q

♣ A 3

♠ 7 5 2

♥ 8 7 2

♦ K J 8 6

♣ K Q 6

♠ Q 9 6 4

♥ K 10 6

♦ 10 3 2

♣ 10 8 7

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Shape 6322 3343 4333 0445 HCP 19 9 5 7 Losers 6 9 10 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	Pass
Dbl	3 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			
3 ♠ by North			
Made 4 — NS +170			

191 boards f

B1B99F378A0FD54E6AC40C60A7EE

Board 125

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 6 2

♥ A Q

♦ Q 9 6 3

♣ J 8 7 2

♠ Q 10 5

♥ J 10 8 6 5

♦ A J 7

♣ A 9

♠ 8 7 4

♥ K 9

♦ K 10 8 5 2

♣ 6 5 4

♠ A K J 3

♥ 7 4 3 2

♦ 4

♣ K Q 10 3

W N E S

Shape 3532 3253 4414 3244 HCP 12 6 13 9 Losers 8 9 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	4 ♦ ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter
4 ♥ by North
Made 5 — NS +450

194 boards f

C185C4A4E1C49F3C2D4A41D6AF42

Board 126

North Deals

E-W Vul


♠ K J 10 4		♠ 8 7
♥ 8		♥ A K 10 6 5 2
♦ A K Q 10 4		♦ 6
♣ 6 4 2		♣ A J 7 5

N

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♠ A Q 9 3		♠ 6 5 2
♥ Q J 7 3		♥ 9 4
♦ J 5 2		♦ 9 8 7 3
♣ 9 3		♣ K Q 10 8

Shape 2614 3244 4432 4153 HCP 12 5 10 13 Losers 6 9 8 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♦ ²	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !D

4 ♥ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

195 boards f

C31DDFA2497714B314F180A6380A

Board 127

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 6

♥ 10 8 6 3

♦ Q 8 6 5

♣ Q 4 2

♠ A 9 7 3 2

♥ J 5 2

♦ A K

♣ A J 6

♠ J 10

♥ A K 9 7

♦ J 3 2

♣ 9 7 5 3

♠ Q 8 5 4

♥ Q 4

♦ 10 9 7 4

♣ K 10 8

W N E

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Shape 5323 2434 4243 2443 HCP 17 9 7 7 Losers 7 9 9 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 NT	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Stayman

2 ♠ by North

Made 4 — NS +170

197 boards f

C142E1C825A2F8C194CFC22C501E

Board 128

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K Q 9 8 6 5

♥ 9

♦ J 7

♣ A 10 5 2

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W E

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♠ J 4 2

♥ A Q 8 6 5

♦ Q 9

♣ K J 8

♠ 10 7

♥ K J 10 4

♦ A K 10 8 5 3

♣ 6

Shape 3523 2335 2461 6124 HCP 13 6 11 10 Losers 8 9 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	4 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter
4 ♥ by North
Made 4 — NS +420

198 boards f

C33E8C53924B9830E70D12A60066

Board 129

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7

♥ A 8

♦ Q J 8 5 3

♣ A J 5 4 2

♠ A 8 6 5 3

♥ K 10 6 3

♦ A K 6

♣ 6

♠ K J 9 4

♥ 7 4 2

♦ 7 4 2

♣ Q 10 7

♠ Q 10 2

♥ Q J 9 5

♦ 10 9

♣ K 9 8 3

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Shape 5431 3424 4333 1255 HCP 14 8 6 12 Losers 6 8 10 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
2 ♠ by North			
Made 3 — NS +140			

199 boards f

C0C50E24966A5F81C66F88087A2E

Board 130

North Deals

None Vul

♠ A 7

♥ 3

♦ K 9 6 2

♣ K J 10 7 3 2

♠ K Q 4 2

♥ A K 8 7 5 4

♦ 8

♣ A 8

♠ 10 9 6 3

♥ J 9

♦ A Q J 7

♣ Q 5 4

♠ J 8 5

♥ Q 10 6 2

♦ 10 5 4 3

♣ 9 6

W

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Shape 4612 4243 3442 2146 HCP 16 10 3 11 Losers 4 8 10 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	Pass
2 ♣	2 ♠	3 ♣	3 ♥
4 ♣	Pass	Pass	4 ♥
5 ♣	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			
5 ♣× by West			
Down 1 — NS +100			

201 boards f

C3CF1E3CE3A338A95A352895B03A

Board 131

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ A J

♥ Q 9 6 3 2

♦ J 10 3

♣ K 7 2

♠ K Q 9 6 5 2

♥ A

♦ A K Q

♣ 8 6 4

♠ 7

♥ K 7 4

♦ 9 8 7 5 2

♣ Q 9 5 3

♠ 10 8 4 3

♥ J 10 8 5

♦ 6 4

♣ A J 10

W

N

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Shape 6133 1354 4423 2533 HCP 18 5 6 11 Losers 4 8 10 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	4 ♥ ¹	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter
4 ♠ by North
Made 5 — NS +650

204 boards f

C3CECA8FE6B164584CA9BBA001CA

Board 132

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ A K J 2

♥ 10 5

♦ 10 4 3

♣ A K J 2

♠ 3

♥ A K Q 7 3 2

♦ A Q 7

♣ 10 6 3

♠ 9 8 7

♥ 8

♦ K 8 6 5 2

♣ 9 8 7 4

♠ Q 10 6 5 4

♥ J 9 6 4

♦ J 9

♣ Q 5

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Shape 1633 3154 5422 4234 HCP 15 3 6 16 Losers 5 9 9 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♠ ¹	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter
4 ♥ by North
Made 4 — NS +620

205 boards f

C0B987E15D48AC4926C0ECDAB0C6

Board 133

North Deals

None Vul

♠ 7		♠ J 10 8
♥ K 10 8 6 2		♥ J 4
♦ Q 6 3		♦ K 7 2
♣ A Q J 8		♣ 10 9 6 5 3

♠ Q 6 5 4 2			
♥ A 3			
♦ J 9 5			
♣ 7 4 2			

♠ A K 9 3			
♥ Q 9 7 5			
♦ A 10 8 4			
♣ K			



Shape 1534 3235 4441 5233 HCP 12 5 16 7 Losers 6 10 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♠ ²	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	4 ♣ ⁴	Pass	4 ♦ ⁵
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	4 NT ⁶
Pass	5 ♥ ⁷	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 2. shortness !S
 3. surplus
 4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 5. Cue bid, a !D stopper
 6. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 7. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0
- 5 ♥ by North
- Made 6 — NS +480

206 boards f

C20B28B6BA98078B7881634164E2

Board 134

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 2

♥ Q J 7

♦ A K J 10 8 7

♣ Q J 2

♠ A K 9

♥ A 9 8 6 4

♦ Q 9 3

♣ 6 4

♠ 7 5 4 3

♥ 10

♦ 6 5 4 2

♣ K 10 7 3

♠ Q J 10 8 6

♥ K 5 3 2

♦ —

♣ A 9 8 5

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Shape 3532 4144 5404 1363 HCP 13 3 10 14 Losers 7 9 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	4 ♦ ¹
Dbl	Pass	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter
4 ♥ by North
Made 5 — NS +650


208 boards f

D0A17D2095BB5CA9FD381B1E047E

Board 135

North Deals

None Vul

♠ 7		♠ K 9 2
♥ K 10 7 6 2		♥ J 9 5 4
♦ K 9 7 4 2		♦ J 3
♣ 4 2		♣ Q 9 6 3

♠ A J 10 8
♥ A Q 8
♦ 10 8 6 5
♣ 10 5

Shape 5125 3424 4342 1552 HCP 16 7 11 6 Losers 5 9 8 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♣	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	5 ♥ ³
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

210 boards f

D10FA40B562FC604A6B37B1C48BE

Board 136

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9

♥ 6 5 2

♦ K J 9 8 7

♣ J 9 7 2

♠ A Q 10 8 4

♥ A Q 9 8 3

♦ Q 5 3

♣ —

♠ J 5 3

♥ J 4

♦ A 10 4 2

♣ K 8 4 3

♠ K 7 6 2

♥ K 10 7

♦ 6

♣ A Q 10 6 5

W N E

S

Shape 5530 3244 4315 1354 HCP 14 9 12 5 Losers 4 9 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♦ ¹
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	5 ♥ ³
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

211 boards f

D30F99B7BE3E5C26733824DAB961

Board 137

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ 4

♥ Q J 10 7 6 3

♦ 7 2

♣ J 10 8 4

♠ A 10 8 6 5

♥ A

♦ A J 10 9

♣ K 3 2

♠ 9 7 2

♥ K 9 4

♦ K 6 4 3

♣ 9 6 5

♠ K Q J 3

♥ 8 5 2

♦ Q 8 5

♣ A Q 7

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Shape 5143 3343 4333 1624 HCP 16 6 14 4 Losers 6 10 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♥ ²	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	5 ♠ ⁴
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !H

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

212 boards f

D20A07D1625858823F8FC1E7A82A

Board 138

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 5 4

♥ 7

♦ A 10 9 3 2

♣ A J 8 2

♠ A K 7 2

♥ A K 8 6 5

♦ K 4

♣ Q 5

♠ J 10 9

♥ Q 10 9

♦ Q J 8 5

♣ 10 9 3

♠ 8 6 3

♥ J 4 3 2

♦ 7 6

♣ K 7 6 4

W

N

E

S

Shape 4522 3343 3424 3154 HCP 19 6 4 11 Losers 5 10 10 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	Pass
Dbl	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	
2 ♥ by North			
Made 3 — NS +140			

214 boards f

D30D90D2F804A7A8BE1B71071246

Board 139

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q J

♥ J 7 5

♦ K Q 5 3

♣ Q 7 3 2

♠ A 10 6 4 3

♥ A 10 4 2

♦ A 7

♣ A 5

♠ 5 2

♥ K Q 6 3

♦ J 8 6

♣ K J 10 8

♠ K 9 8 7

♥ 9 8

♦ 10 9 4 2

♣ 9 6 4

W N E S

Shape 5422 2434 4243 2344 HCP 16 10 3 11 Losers 6 8 10 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	Pass
Dbl	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
2 ♠ by North			
Made 3 — NS +140			

216 boards f

D10E26B44630A28DE371C848AC4E

Board 140

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 5
♥ Q 10 6
♦ K Q J
♣ A K J 9 2

♠ A K 10
♥ A J 8 5 4 2
♦ 5 4
♣ 8 6

♠ J 6 4 2
♥ —
♦ A 8 3 2
♣ Q 10 5 4 3

♠ Q 9 8 3
♥ K 9 7 3
♦ 10 9 7 6
♣ 7

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Shape 3622 4045 4441 2335 HCP 12 7 5 16 Losers 7 7 8 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
3 ♣	3 ♥	4 ♣	Pass
Pass	Pass		
4 ♣ by West			
Made 5 — NS -150			

217 boards f

D337CCB906A6D0B8B01F0A7F1966

Board 141

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 9

♥ A Q 8 7 4

♦ 9 7

♣ J 10 5 2

♠ A J 6 5 3

♥ K J 5

♦ K 6 4

♣ Q 3

♠ 4 2

♥ 9 6 3

♦ Q 8 5 3

♣ K 9 8 7

♠ Q 10 8 7

♥ 10 2

♦ A J 10 2

♣ A 6 4

W

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Shape 5332 2344 4243 2524 HCP 14 5 11 10 Losers 8 9 8 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♣ ²
Pass	4 ♦ ³	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

3. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4 ♠ by North

Made 4 — NS +620

218 boards f

D08176C89EED48CA15F8A06A6582

Board 142

North Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 10 8 6

♥ K 6

♦ J 10

♣ K J 8 4 2

♠ 7

♥ A Q 9 8 2

♦ A 5 2

♣ A 10 7 3

♠ A J 5 2

♥ 10 5 4 3

♦ Q 9 8 6 4

♣ —

♠ K 9 4 3

♥ J 7

♦ K 7 3

♣ Q 9 6 5

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Shape 1534 4234 4450 4225 HCP 14 9 7 10 Losers 6 8 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	
4 ♥ by North			
Made 5 — NS +450			

220 boards f

D34B2F76060891A233F48A4A1CA0

Board 143

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ 6

♥ Q 7 6

♦ 9 8 7 2

♣ Q J 8 5 4

♠ K J 10 7 3

♥ A J 10 5 4

♦ K 3

♣ 9

♠ A Q 4

♥ 9 3

♦ A 10 5 4

♣ 10 6 3 2

♠ 9 8 5 2

♥ K 8 2

♦ Q J 6

♣ A K 7

W N E S

Shape 5521 3244 4333 1345 HCP 12 10 13 5 Losers 6 8 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
2 ♠ by North			
Made 5 — NS +200			

221 boards f

D0730BC62E98421742B4C96CAE26

Board 144

North Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 5

♥ A 6

♦ J 4 3

♣ Q J 9 7 3 2

♠ K J 8 2

♥ K Q 9 7 5

♦ A 9 7

♣ 5

♠ A 9 7 4

♥ 10 8

♦ Q 8 6 2

♣ 10 6 4

♠ 10 6 3

♥ J 4 3 2

♦ K 10 5

♣ A K 8

W

N

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Shape 4531 4243 3433 2236 HCP 13 6 11 10 Losers 6 9 9 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !C

4 ♥ by North

Made 4 — NS +420

222 boards f

D2320B3AACCC71A3471864C66B82

Board 145

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 4

♥ A Q 9

♦ K Q 6 3

♣ A Q 4 2

♠ A K Q 6

♥ K 10 7 4 2

♦ 7 5 4

♣ 9

♠ 9 7 5 3

♥ 6

♦ A 9 8 2

♣ J 10 6 5

♠ J 8 2

♥ J 8 5 3

♦ J 10

♣ K 8 7 3

W N E S

Shape 4531 4144 3424 2344 HCP 12 5 6 17 Losers 6 9 10 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Dbl	Pass	2 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		
2 ♠ by East			
Down 1 — NS +50			

223 boards f

D186228B11AC1AE446D82EA4156E

Board 146

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 6		♠ K J 9 5 3
♥ —		♥ A Q 7
♦ A 8 7 4 3		♦ Q 9 6
♣ A K 9 7 5 2		♣ J 3

♠ 7 2

♥ J 9 6 3

♦ 10 5 2

♣ 10 8 6 4

N
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♠ A Q 10 4
♥ K 10 8 5 4 2
♦ K J
♣ Q

Shape 5332 2434 4621 2056 HCP 13 1 15 11 Losers 7 11 5 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♣ ¹
Dbl	Rdbl	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	5 ♥ ³	Pass	5 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

5 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

225 boards f

E2AA05A2C7635E40FBF402C4AC4E

Board 147

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 7 6 4		♠ K 5
♥ 7 6		♥ K J 8 5 4 2
♦ A 7		♦ K J 6 4
♣ A Q 9 5 2		♣ K

♠ A Q 3

♥ A Q 10 3

♦ 9 3 2

♣ J 10 7

N
E

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♠ 10 9 8 2

♥ 9

♦ Q 10 8 5

♣ 8 6 4 3

Shape 2641 4144 3433 4225 HCP 14 2 13 11 Losers 6 9 8 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	4 NT ⁴	Pass	5 ♠ ⁵
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !C

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1

6 ♥ by North

Down 1 — NS -100

226 boards f

E13415B1AAC49CBD1D4B5722FF22

Board 148

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 3

♥ A Q 8 3

♦ A K 10 5

♣ J 4 2

♠ A K 7 4 2

♥ 10 6

♦ J 6

♣ K Q 8 7

♠ 6 5

♥ K 9 7 5

♦ 9 8 7 3

♣ A 10 9

♠ Q J 9 8

♥ J 4 2

♦ Q 4 2

♣ 6 5 3

W

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Shape 5224 2443 4333 2443 HCP 13 7 6 14 Losers 6 9 10 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
2 ♠ by North			
Made 2 — NS +110			

228 boards f


E24B07EE6C12F29384A96E0AC654

Board 149

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 10 4			
♥ A K 7 4 3			
♦ K 7 3 2			
♣ 6			
♠ Q 9 3			♠ A J 5 2
♥ 9			♥ 10 8 2
♦ A 6 4			♦ 10 9 8
♣ Q 10 9 5 4 3			♣ J 7 2



♠ 8 7 6	
♥ Q J 6 5	
♦ Q J 5	
♣ A K 8	

Shape 3541 4333 3433 3136 HCP 13 6 13 8 Losers 6 11 8 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♦ ³	Pass	4 ♠ ⁴
Pass	4 NT ⁵	Pass	5 ♦ ⁶
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 2. shortness !C
 3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
 4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 6. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 5 ♥ by North
- Made 5 — NS +650

230 boards f

E302200F61752E9A983B8392206A

Board 150

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ —

♥ 10 6

♦ A K J 5 4 3

♣ A 9 8 4 2

♠ A K Q 9 6 3

♥ A Q 5

♦ Q 9

♣ J 10

♠ J 10 2

♥ 8 7 4

♦ 8 7 6 2

♣ K 7 3

♠ 8 7 5 4

♥ K J 9 3 2

♦ 10

♣ Q 6 5

W N E S

Shape 6322 3343 4513 0265 HCP 18 4 6 12 Losers 5 11 8 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
3 ♦	4 ♦ ¹	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. artificial
4 ♠ by North
Made 4 — NS +620

231 boards f

E02172166A041BBB475E8E9E00AE

Board 151

North Deals

None Vul

♠ —

♥ K 8

♦ 6 5 4 2

♣ K Q J 6 5 4 2

♠ A Q 10 9 3

♥ 10 7 5 3

♦ A K 3

♣ A

♠ K J 7 6

♥ Q 9 6 4

♦ Q 10 7

♣ 10 3

♠ 8 5 4 2

♥ A J 2

♦ J 9 8

♣ 9 8 7

W N E S

Shape 5431 4432 4333 0247 HCP 17 8 6 9 Losers 5 8 11 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
3 ♣	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			
4 ♠ by North			
Made 4 — NS +420			

232 boards f

E12813B289AC36F55B5D97046216

Board 152

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8		♠ A K 9 4 2
♥ Q 9 8		♥ J 4
♦ 9 8 5 4 2		♦ A J 7
♣ Q 9 3 2		♣ J 8 6

♠

♥

♦

♣

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♥

♦

♣

♠ 7 6 3		♠ Q J 10 5
♥ K 7 6 5 2		♥ A 10 3
♦ 10 6		♦ K Q 3
♣ A 10 4		♣ K 7 5

Shape 5233 3523 4333 1354 HCP 14 7 15 4 Losers 8 9 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♣ ²
Pass	4 ♦ ³	Pass	4 ♥ ⁴
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 2. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
 4. surplus
- 4 ♠ by North
Made 5 — NS +450

234 boards f

E00636128B90A1D0A326786F34FE

Board 153

North Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 2

♥ K 5 3 2

♦ 4 2

♣ A K Q 6 2

♠ A K Q 6 3

♥ A J

♦ Q 10 9 8 7

♣ 9

♠ 5 4

♥ Q 10 8

♦ A K 6 3

♣ 10 8 5 3

W

N

E

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♠ J 10 9 7

♥ 9 7 6 4

♦ J 5

♣ J 7 4

Shape 5251 2344 4423 2425 HCP 16 9 3 12 Losers 4 8 11 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	Pass
2 ♣	2 ♦	3 ♣	3 ♠
4 ♣	4 ♠	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		
4 ♠× by North			
Down 1 — NS -100			

235 boards f

E2019902FAA6AE84CC6C615384FA

Board 154

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 7 2

♥ J 2

♦ K J 2

♣ Q J 10 9 2

♠ A Q

♥ A Q 8 7 3

♦ 10 8 3

♣ A K 5

♠ 6 5 4

♥ K 4

♦ A Q 5 4

♣ 8 7 6 3

♠ K 10 9 8 3

♥ 10 9 6 5

♦ 9 7 6

♣ 4

W N E S

Shape 2533 3244 5431 3235 HCP 19 9 3 9 Losers 6 8 9 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	Pass
Dbl	Rdbl	2 ♣	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			
4 ♥ by North			
Down 1 — NS -100			

238 boards f

E28B8D304E114F1ABF37317B98D2

Board 155

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 2		♠ Q 10 8 6 5
♥ Q 7 6 5 4		♥ A K J 9
♦ A 8 4 3		♦ 6
♣ J 8 2		♣ K 10 5

♠

♥

♦

♣

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♠

♥

♦

♣

♠ A K 7 3
♥ —
♦ K J 9 7
♣ A 9 7 6 4

Shape 5413 3442 4045 1543 HCP 13 5 15 7 Losers 6 10 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♥ ¹
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	5 ♦ ³	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	6 ♣ ⁴	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. !S queen and !C king

6 ♠ by North

Down 1 — NS -100

242 boards f

F13A1F1172BF7A22CB8038249CBE

Board 156

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7

♥ A J 10 9 5 2

♦ 4

♣ A J 9 8 2

N

W E

S

♠ J 9

♥ K Q 3

♦ K 10 3 2

♣ 6 5 4 3

♠ 10 6 3 2

♥ 8 4

♦ Q J 8 6

♣ K 10 7

Shape 6241 2344 4243 1615 HCP 15 9 6 10 Losers 5 8 9 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
3 ♥	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			
4 ♠ by North			
Down 1 — NS -50			

245 boards f

F1B3097AA79552354F249E0EE01E

Board 157

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 3		♠ K 8 6 4 2
♥ A Q 8		♥ K 7 4
♦ J 10 8 6		♦ K Q
♣ Q 9 5 4 2		♣ K 10 8

♠ A J 10 5

♥ J 6 3

♦ A 9 3

♣ A J 7

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♠ Q 9 7

♥ 10 9 5 2

♦ 7 5 4 2

♣ 6 3

Shape 5323 3442 4333 1345 HCP 14 2 15 9 Losers 7 10 9 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♣ ²
Pass	4 ♦ ³	Pass	4 ♥ ⁴
Pass	4 NT ⁵	Pass	5 ♣ ⁶
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	5 NT ⁷
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
2. Cue bid, a !C stopper
3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
4. surplus
5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
6. A=0/5 or 3/5
7. !S queen no !H king no !C king no !D king

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

246 boards f

F3012AA46608228EB89ED5163A6A

Board 158

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ 5		♠ A K 10 9 4 3
♥ 7 3		♥ A 10 8
♦ A 9		♦ 8 6
♣ K J 9 8 6 4 3 2		♣ A 5
	<div style="display: inline-block; background-color: green; color: white; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> N W E S </div>	♠ J 2
		♥ 6 5 4
		♦ K 10 7 3 2
		♣ Q 10 7
		♠ Q 8 7 6
		♥ K Q J 9 2
		♦ Q J 5 4
		♣ —

Shape 6322 2353 4540 1228 HCP 15 6 11 8 Losers 6 9 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♣ ¹
Dbl	4 ♥ ²	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	5 ♣ ⁴
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter
2. surplus
3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠ by North

Down 1 — NS -100

247 boards f

F035FC22A77A939D4816053F5F8A

Board 159

North Deals

None Vul

♠ K

♥ A K 10 4

♦ K 8 4 3

♣ Q 10 6 2

♠ A Q 6 5 4

♥ 7 5 2

♦ Q 9

♣ A 8 5

♠ 10 7 3

♥ 9 8 6 3

♦ A J 6 5

♣ K 7

W

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♠ J 9 8 2

♥ Q J

♦ 10 7 2

♣ J 9 4 3

Shape 5323 3442 4234 1444 HCP 12 8 5 15 Losers 8 9 11 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	Pass
Dbl	Pass	2 ♥	2 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
2 ♠ by North			
Down 1 — NS -50			

249 boards f

F30429873D1F92AB14AEDA3072DA

Board 160

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ 5 2		♠ A K J 10 7 4
♥ J 4 3		♥ A Q
♦ 9 4 3		♦ J 10 6
♣ 9 6 5 3 2		♣ K J

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 3		♠ Q 9 8 6
♥ 10 9 7 5 2		♥ K 8 6
♦ K 8 5 2		♦ A Q 7
♣ A 7 4		♣ Q 10 8

Shape 6232 1543 4333 2335 HCP 19 7 13 1 Losers 6 8 7 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♦ ²
Pass	4 ♥ ³	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

252 boards f

F3EE0CCAF790646348858CCA2FD2

Board 161

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ A Q J 4 2

♥ J

♦ 10 8 2

♣ A Q 4 2

♠ K 3

♥ K Q 7 6 5 4

♦ A K 5 3

♣ 6

♠ 9 8 7

♥ 10 2

♦ Q 7 4

♣ K 10 9 7 5

♠ 10 6 5

♥ A 9 8 3

♦ J 9 6

♣ J 8 3

N

W E

S

Shape 2641 3235 3433 5134 HCP 15 5 6 14 Losers 4 9 11 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
2 ♠	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			
4 ♥ by North			
Made 4 — NS +620			

253 boards f

F0BF0262156956BF75268C1336

Board 162

North Deals

None Vul

♠ —

♥ A 8 6 2

♦ A 8 7 4

♣ K Q 9 5 2

♠ K J 5 3 2

♥ K 4

♦ K Q 3

♣ J 10 6

♠ Q 10 9 6

♥ J 9 3

♦ J 9 6 5 2

♣ 4

♠ A 8 7 4

♥ Q 10 7 5

♦ 10

♣ A 8 7 3

W N E S

Shape 5233 4351 4414 0445 HCP 13 4 10 13 Losers 7 9 7 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♠ by North
Made 4 — NS +420

254 boards f

F2CFC12BACA0D608F3916E3442C9

Board 163

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A K 9 7 2

♥ 7 4

♦ Q 8 2

♣ 9 5 3

♠ Q 8 4

♥ A K 8 3 2

♦ 9 4

♣ K 6 2

♠ J 10 6

♥ Q J 10 5

♦ A J 5

♣ A Q 7

♠ 5 3

♥ 9 6

♦ K 10 7 6 3

♣ J 10 8 4

W

N

E

S

Shape 3523 2254 3433 5233 HCP 12 4 15 9 Losers 7 9 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♥ by North
Made 4 — NS +620

257 boards f

0245BFA802B45F7AD0B6130D282A

Board 164

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 7

♥ K 10 8 6

♦ Q 8 3 2

♣ J 8 6 2

♠ J 5 4 3 2

♥ A J 4

♦ A 10 6

♣ A 4

♠ A 9 8

♥ 9 7 5

♦ J 7 5

♣ Q 10 7 3

♠ K Q 10 6

♥ Q 3 2

♦ K 9 4

♣ K 9 5

W

N

E

S

Shape 5332 3334 4333 1444 HCP 14 7 13 6 Losers 8 10 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♠ by North
Made 5 — NS +650

258 boards f

01248B258DDE91570EF217ACD431

Board 165

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 6 3		♠ A Q 7 5 2
♥ 6 2		♥ K J 7
♦ A Q 8 5 3		♦ K
♣ 10 7 6		♣ Q J 9 2

W

N

E

S

	♠ 8
	♥ 10 9 8 5 3
	♦ J 10 7 4
	♣ A 4 3

♠ K J 9 4
♥ A Q 4
♦ 9 6 2
♣ K 8 5

Shape 5314 1543 4333 3253 HCP 16 5 13 6 Losers 6 9 8 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♦ ²	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ ³	Pass	4 ♥ ⁴
Pass	4 NT ⁵	Pass	5 ♥ ⁶
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
2. shortness !D
3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

5 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

260 boards f

02B92D0265BEBC1CC09E304A3D62

Board 166

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 7		♠ K Q 8 5 3
♥ A 10 9 5 3		♥ Q 7 4
♦ A 4		♦ J
♣ Q 10 6 4 2		♣ A K J 3

♠ J 4 2

♥ 8 6

♦ Q 7 5 2

♣ 9 8 7 5

N

W E

S

♠ A 10 9 6
♥ K J 2
♦ K 10 9 8 6 3
♣ —

Shape 5314 3244 4360 1525 HCP 16 3 11 10 Losers 5 10 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♥ ²	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♠ ⁴	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter
2. surplus
3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1

5 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +650

261 boards f

01B1B51A1A67AD77542114A24D3E

Board 167

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ —		♠ Q J 6 5 2
♥ A K 8 2		♥ 3
♦ K 10 8 7 5		♦ Q J
♣ Q J 4 2		♣ A K 9 6 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 10 8 7 3
♥ Q J 7 5
♦ 9 3 2
♣ 7 5

♠ A K 9 4
♥ 10 9 6 4
♦ A 6 4
♣ 10 8

Shape 5125 4432 4432 0454 HCP 13 3 11 13 Losers 6 10 8 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♥ ²	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 2. shortness !H
 4 ♠ by North
 Made 6 — NS +480

263 boards f

004EF2818B53264440E8A73AD62E

Board 168

North Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 4 2
♥ A Q J 8 7
♦ K Q 10 7
♣ Q

♠ K 6 3
♥ K 4
♦ A 2
♣ A K 9 4 3 2

♠ A 10 8 7
♥ 10 3
♦ 9 8 5 3
♣ 8 7 6

♠ Q J 5
♥ 9 6 5 2
♦ J 6 4
♣ J 10 5

W N E S

Shape 3541 4243 3433 3226 HCP 14 4 5 17 Losers 6 10 11 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	Pass
Dbl	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♥
3 ♣	Pass	Pass	3 ♥
4 ♣	Pass	Pass	Pass
4 ♣ by West			
Down 1 — NS +50			

264 boards f

013BBF00A5A218F524B01B54D97E

Board 169

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 3		♠ A Q 9 7 5
♥ A K 8 6 2		♥ Q
♦ J 8 7 4		♦ A 9 5 3
♣ 10 2		♣ J 8 3

W

N

E

S

	♠ 4 2
	♥ 9 5 4 3
	♦ K 2
	♣ Q 9 7 6 4

♠ K J 10 6
♥ J 10 7
♦ Q 10 6
♣ A K 5

Shape 5143 2425 4333 2542 HCP 13 5 14 8 Losers 7 8 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♥ ²	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ ³	Pass	4 ♥ ⁴
Dbl	4 NT ⁵	Pass	5 ♥ ⁶
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
2. shortness !H
3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

5 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

265 boards f

03CD48EF429ACC6083AAC754233E

Board 170

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ A Q 9 5

♥ 2

♦ J 8 7 3

♣ J 10 6 2

♠ 3 2

♥ A K J 9 7 5

♦ A Q 9 2

♣ A

♠ K J 8 4

♥ 10 4

♦ K 10 6

♣ K 9 8 4

♠ 10 7 6

♥ Q 8 6 3

♦ 5 4

♣ Q 7 5 3

W N E S

Shape 2641 4234 3424 4144 HCP 18 10 4 8 Losers 4 8 9 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	Pass
Dbl	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			
4 ♥ by North			
Made 5 — NS +650			

267 boards f

0219ED087A6A478089B3982D63C2

Board 171

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 2

♥ J 6

♦ A Q J 10 7 5

♣ J 10 2

♠ A Q 4

♥ Q 9 8 7 2

♦ 9

♣ A K 7 4

♠ J 10 9 3

♥ A 5

♦ 8 6 3 2

♣ Q 8 5

♠ 8 7 6 5

♥ K 10 4 3

♦ K 4

♣ 9 6 3

W

N

E

S

Shape 3514 4243 4423 2263 HCP 15 7 6 12 Losers 5 9 9 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
3 ♦	3 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			
3 ♥ by North			
Made 3 — NS +140			

268 boards f

03AB1CCDB302AAC855E5E640421B

Board 172

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 8 6 5

♥ J

♦ J 10 4 3

♣ 10 9 5 3

♠ K 10 2

♥ Q 10 8 4 3

♦ K Q

♣ Q 7 6

♠ 7 4 3

♥ K 7 2

♦ A 9 8 2

♣ K 8 4

♠ A J 9

♥ A 9 6 5

♦ 7 6 5

♣ A J 2

W

N

E

S

Shape 3523 3343 3433 4144 HCP 12 10 14 4 Losers 7 9 9 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♥ by North
Made 4 — NS +620

270 boards f

02B7270075081A8A5E037A9EE0AC

Board 173

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 3		♠ K Q 10 9 6
♥ A J 5		♥ Q 10 8 6
♦ 10 9 8 5		♦ A K J
♣ 9 8 7 5 4		♣ J

♠

♥

♦

♣

N

W E

S

♠

♥

♦

♣

♠ A 8 4 2	♠ J 7 5
♥ K 3 2	♥ 9 7 4
♦ 7 4 2	♦ Q 6 3
♣ A K 6	♣ Q 10 3 2

Shape 5431 3334 4333 1345 HCP 16 5 14 5 Losers 5 10 8 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ ³	Pass	4 ♥ ⁴
Pass	4 NT ⁵	Pass	5 ♥ ⁶
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
2. shortness !C
3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

5 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +680

272 boards f

1081F8A7ED250F660B8C75F648DC

Board 174

North Deals

None Vul

♠ K J 4 2		♠ 10 9 7
♥ K 5 4		♥ A 9 7 6 3
♦ J 9 6 2		♦ A
♣ 8 4		♣ A J 10 5

♠

♥

♦

♣

N
E

W
S

♠

♥

♦

♣

♠ A Q 6	♠ 8 5 3
♥ Q J 10 8	♥ 2
♦ K 7 3	♦ Q 10 8 5 4
♣ Q 9 7	♣ K 6 3 2

Shape 3514 3154 3433 4342 HCP 13 5 14 8 Losers 7 8 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♦ ²	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	4 NT ⁴	Pass	5 ♦ ⁵
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 2. shortness !D
 3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 5. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6 ♥ by North
- Down 1 — NS -50

273 boards f

12F9152028D91170BF9BA46B8B36

Board 175

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 10

♥ A 8 7 2

♦ A J 10 6 4 3

♣ 2

♠ K Q J 9 2

♥ 3

♦ K 5 2

♣ A K 10 9

♠ 8 4

♥ K 10 9 6

♦ Q 9 8

♣ Q J 8 5

W

N

E

S

♠ 7 6 5 3

♥ Q J 5 4

♦ 7

♣ 7 6 4 3

Shape 5134 2434 4414 2461 HCP 16 8 3 13 Losers 5 8 9 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	Pass
2 ♦	Pass	Pass	2 ♠
3 ♦	Pass	Pass	Pass
3 ♦ by West			
Made 4 — NS -130			

274 boards f

11A5CE0191369E18A452332E2E4E

Board 176

North Deals

E-W Vul


♠ K		♠ Q 10 8 5 4 3
♥ 10 5		♥ K Q 2
♦ A 10 7		♦ 8
♣ K 10 9 6 4 3 2		♣ A Q J

W

N

E

S



	♠ A J 9 7	♠ 6 2
	♥ A 7 4 3	♥ J 9 8 6
	♦ Q J 6 5	♦ K 9 4 3 2
	♣ 5	♣ 8 7

Shape 6313 2452 4441 1237 HCP 14 4 12 10 Losers 5 9 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♥ ²	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. Splinter
- 2. surplus
- 4 ♠ by North
- Made 5 — NS +450

275 boards f

130246B88E9840F32C8528B5E16A

Board 177

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 3

♥ Q 8 4

♦ A 9 8 3

♣ A K J 2

♠ A 7 5

♥ A K J 9 6

♦ J 7

♣ 6 4 3

♠ K 9 2

♥ 10

♦ Q 10 5 2

♣ Q 10 9 7 5

♠ Q J 10 6 4

♥ 7 5 3 2

♦ K 6 4

♣ 8

W

N

E

S

Shape 3523 3145 5431 2344 HCP 13 7 6 14 Losers 8 7 8 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	
2 ♥ by North			
Made 4 — NS +170			

279 boards f

10DA0D067343C66DE7C56FD8A09A

Board 178

North Deals

None Vul

♠ K Q
♥ K Q 10 9 6
♦ J 10 3
♣ K 8 6

♠ A 9 7 6 4
♥ J
♦ K 8 5
♣ A Q 9 2

♠ J 10 8 5
♥ A 4 2
♦ Q 9 7 6
♣ 4 3

♠ 3 2
♥ 8 7 5 3
♦ A 4 2
♣ J 10 7 5

W N E S

Shape 2533 4342 2434 5134 HCP 14 7 5 14 Losers 7 9 10 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	Pass
1 ♠	Pass	Pass	2 ♥
Dbl	Pass	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		
3 ♠ by West			
Made 4 — NS -170			

282 boards f

1022A2425C4C24BC1F4A2AAF0692

Board 179

North Deals

None Vul

♠ —
♥ 8
♦ J 10 8 7 4
♣ A K Q 6 5 3 2

♠ A 9 7 5 3
♥ Q 10 6 3
♦ A K Q 2
♣ —

♠ K 8 4 2
♥ A K 9 5 4
♦ 6 5
♣ 7 4

♠ Q J 10 6
♥ J 7 2
♦ 9 3
♣ J 10 9 8

W N E S

Shape 5440 4324 4522 0157 HCP 15 5 10 10 Losers 4 10 7 4

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
4 NT ²	5 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. Unusual 4 NT

5 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

283 boards f

12A93B07B81C2CBA70530E219A34

Board 180

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ —		♠ K Q 10 9 5 4 2
♥ K J 8 7 2		♥ Q 5
♦ A K J 8 3		♦ Q 2
♣ 8 5 3		♣ A 4
	<div>♠ N ♥ W ♦ S ♣ E</div>	♠ 7 6
		♥ 10 6 3
		♦ 7 6 4
		♣ J 10 9 7 2
		♠ A J 8 3
		♥ A 9 4
		♦ 10 9 5
		♣ K Q 6

Shape 7222 2335 4333 0553 HCP 13 1 14 12 Losers 6 11 8 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
3 ♠ ²	Dbl	4 ♥	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +650

284 boards f

13AE2CC37423B4014A0A14BA9FDA

Board 181

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 2		♠ K 10 8 6 5
♥ J 9 4		♥ Q 8 7 6
♦ Q 10 8		♦ A K 3
♣ A 7 6 4 2		♣ 8

♠

♥

♦

♣

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W E

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♠

♥

♦

♣

♠ A 9 4 3	♠ J 7
♥ A K 10	♥ 5 3 2
♦ J 9 5	♦ 7 6 4 2
♣ Q 10 3	♣ K J 9 5

Shape 5431 2344 4333 2335 HCP 12 5 14 9 Losers 6 10 8 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ ³	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 2. shortness !C
 3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
- 4 ♠ by North
- Made 5 — NS +650

287 boards f

1103E8264F60544891B62D8636CF

Board 182

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 2		♠ A Q 5 3
♥ 6 3		♥ A J 8 4 2
♦ Q 9 6 4 3		♦ K 8
♣ Q 6 4 3		♣ 7 5

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W		E
	S	

♠ J 10 9 8
♥ 9 7
♦ J 5 2
♣ K 10 9 8

♠ 7 6 4
♥ K Q 10 5
♦ A 10 7
♣ A J 2

Shape 4522 4234 3433 2254 HCP 14 5 14 7 Losers 6 10 8 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♣ ²
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 2. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 4 ♥ by North
 Made 6 — NS +480

288 boards f

201BE16D412796CAA44DFE48F48F

Board 183

North Deals

None Vul

♠ K 8 5 3

♥ 5 3

♦ Q 6 5 2

♣ 9 8 5

♠ A 10

♥ J 8 6 4 2

♦ K J

♣ K Q J 6

♠ Q J 6 4

♥ A 9

♦ 10 9 7 3

♣ 7 4 3

♠ 9 7 2

♥ K Q 10 7

♦ A 8 4

♣ A 10 2

W

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Shape 2524 4243 3433 4243 HCP 15 7 13 5 Losers 6 9 8 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♣ ²
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4 ♥ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

290 boards f

21160D2378B34780F5980EA21CFE

Board 184

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 2

♥ J 10 7 2

♦ A 9 7

♣ A 5 4 2

♠ A K Q 5 3

♥ K 9 8 5

♦ J 6

♣ K 7

♠ J 9

♥ A 6 3

♦ K 5 3 2

♣ J 8 6 3

♠ 10 8 6 4

♥ Q 4

♦ Q 10 8 4

♣ Q 10 9

W N E S

Shape 5422 2344 4243 2434 HCP 16 9 6 9 Losers 5 9 9 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			
3 ♠ by North			
Made 3 — NS +140			

291 boards f

2300F2614CAAAA4F0A8F9C9B43E2

Board 185

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 7
♥ A J 8 7 6 3
♦ J 8 6 5
♣ Q

♠ K 2
♥ K
♦ A K Q 3 2
♣ K 10 9 7 2

♠ Q J 8 3
♥ 5 4
♦ 10 9 7 4
♣ A J 5

♠ 10 9 6 5 4
♥ Q 10 9 2
♦ —
♣ 8 6 4 3

W N E S

Shape 2641 4243 5404 2155 HCP 12 8 2 18 Losers 7 9 8 4

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	
4 ♥ by North			
Made 4 — NS +620			

292 boards f

22C95ACF8488CE33732209A4606E

Board 186

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A Q 9
♥ 8 7
♦ A K 10 5
♣ K 9 6 2

♠ 8 6 5
♥ A Q J 10 9 5
♦ J 4
♣ A 5

♠ K 7 3 2
♥ K
♦ 8 7 6 3
♣ J 10 4 3

♠ J 10 4
♥ 6 4 3 2
♦ Q 9 2
♣ Q 8 7

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Shape 3622 4144 3433 3244 HCP 12 7 5 16 Losers 7 9 10 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	Pass
Dbl	2 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			
2 ♥ by North			
Down 1 — NS -100			

293 boards f

214DCA8B6EC2EAA48C13EE548402

Board 187

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 6 2

♥ A K Q 10 7 3 2

♦ K Q 9

♣ A

♠ K 10 9 5

♥ —

♦ 8 4 3

♣ K J 10 9 5 2

♠ A J 4

♥ 6 4

♦ A J 7 5

♣ 8 7 4 3

♠ Q 8 7 3

♥ J 9 8 5

♦ 10 6 2

♣ Q 6

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Shape 2731 3244 4432 4036 HCP 18 10 5 7 Losers 3 9 10 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	2 ♣ ¹	Pass	2 ♦ ²
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
4 ♥ by North
Made 4 — NS +420

301 boards f

20D0C941C27BE3570CA68CD8AD6E

Board 188

North Deals

None Vul

♠ 7
♥ K Q J 7 5
♦ A Q J 9
♣ K Q 3

♠ A K J 9 4
♥ 10
♦ 7 5 3 2
♣ J 6 2

♠ Q 10 8 2
♥ A 8 4
♦ 8 6
♣ A 7 5 4

♠ 6 5 3
♥ 9 6 3 2
♦ K 10 4
♣ 10 9 8

W N E S

Shape 1543 4324 3433 5143 HCP 18 10 3 9 Losers 4 8 11 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	Pass
1 ♠	2 ♦	2 ♠	3 ♥
Pass	Pass	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	4 ♥	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		
4 ♠ by West			
Down 1 — NS +50			

304 boards f

3009CF67AD7A0D1C1C978AE404BE

Board 189

North Deals

None Vul

♠ K 4		♠ A 9 8 7 3
♥ 10 2		♥ A K 9 5 3
♦ K J 9 8 7 2		♦ —
♣ 10 5 2		♣ A J 9

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♠ Q 10
♥ 8 7 6
♦ Q 6 4 3
♣ 8 7 4 3

♠ J 6 5 2
♥ Q J 4
♦ A 10 5
♣ K Q 6

Shape 5503 2344 4333 2263 HCP 16 4 13 7 Losers 5 10 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♦ ²	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	5 ♦ ⁴
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	6 ♣ ⁵
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 2. shortness !D
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 4. A=1/5 or 4/5
 5. !S queen and !C king
- 6 ♠ by North
 Made 6 — NS +980

305 boards f

320A13B27D2FBB313C48558BB462

Board 190

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ —

♥ Q J 9 8 7 3

♦ A 9 6 4

♣ A Q 2

♠ A K 10 8 7

♥ A 6 4

♦ 5 3

♣ J 8 5

♠ J 6 5 2

♥ K 5

♦ K Q 8 2

♣ 7 6 3

♠ Q 9 4 3

♥ 10 2

♦ J 10 7

♣ K 10 9 4

W N E

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Shape 5323 4243 4234 0643 HCP 12 9 6 13 Losers 8 8 9 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
3 ♥	Pass	Pass	Pass
3 ♥ by West			
Made 4 — NS -170			

306 boards f

3184E149E786DF98140F68A6FD8E

Board 191

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K J 9 3

♥ 3

♦ A J 10 7 4

♣ 10 4 2

♠ 7 6

♥ A Q 10 6 2

♦ Q 8 5

♣ K Q 3

♠ Q 5

♥ 9 8 7

♦ 9 6 3 2

♣ A 8 7 5

♠ A 10 8 4 2

♥ K J 5 4

♦ K

♣ J 9 6

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Shape 2533 2344 5413 4153 HCP 13 6 12 9 Losers 6 10 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♥ by North
Made 4 — NS +420

308 boards f

321F068AAEE976C00C4C80CE60E2

Board 192

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A K 7
♥ K Q 8 7 6 5 4
♦ K 9
♣ 10

♠ 10 8 4 2
♥ 9
♦ Q 10
♣ K Q J 9 4 2

♠ 9 6 3
♥ A
♦ 8 5 3 2
♣ 8 7 6 5 3

♠ Q J 5
♥ J 10 3 2
♦ A J 7 6 4
♣ A

W N E S

Shape 3721 3145 3451 4126 HCP 15 4 13 8 Losers 4 9 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	4 ♣ ¹
Dbl	4 ♦ ²	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♠ ⁴	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter

2. surplus

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

309 boards f

312BA5C4D56FCE49B644C2806C43

Board 193

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q J 9 5	<div style="display: inline-block; width: 40px; height: 40px; background-color: green; color: white; text-align: center; line-height: 40px;"> N W E S </div>	♠ 10 8 6 3 2
♥ 7		♥ J
♦ K Q J 7 6		♦ 10 9 3
♣ 9 7 5		♣ Q 6 4 3

♠ K 7 4	
♥ A K 10 3	
♦ 5 4 2	
♣ A 10 2	

Shape 1723 5134 3433 4153 HCP 14 3 14 9 Losers 5 9 8 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♠ ²	Pass	4 ♣ ³
Pass	4 ♦ ⁴	Pass	4 NT ⁵
Pass	5 ♠ ⁶	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 2. shortness !S
 3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 4. surplus
 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1
- 6 ♥ by North
 Made 6 — NS +980

310 boards f

338E8AA304883E784510D338E326

Board 194

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ 5 3		♠ J 9 6 4 2
♥ 9 8 4		♥ A K J 10 7
♦ Q 6 5 3		♦ A 9
♣ A K 9 2		♣ 7

♠

♥

♦

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♣

♠ A K Q 10	♠ 8 7
♥ Q 3 2	♥ 6 5
♦ J 7 2	♦ K 10 8 4
♣ Q 5 3	♣ J 10 8 6 4

Shape 5521 2245 4333 2344 HCP 13 4 14 9 Losers 6 9 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ ³	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4 NT ⁴	Pass	5 ♠ ⁵
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
2. shortness !C
3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for !S
5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1

5 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +680

311 boards f

308D693795D4007F38AC32FA2297

Board 195

North Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 4

♥ Q 8 7 5 4

♦ A 8 6

♣ 5 4 3

♠ Q 9 7 5 3

♥ A 9

♦ 9 5 3

♣ A K J

♠ K 8

♥ J 10 2

♦ Q J 10 2

♣ 10 9 7 6

♠ A J 6 2

♥ K 6 3

♦ K 7 4

♣ Q 8 2

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Shape 5233 2344 4333 2533 HCP 14 7 13 6 Losers 7 9 8 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♠ by North
Made 4 — NS +420

312 boards f

31060FEA94A75584FF0810BF7B2E

Board 196

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 7
♥ 7 4 3
♦ A J 10 9 8
♣ A Q 2

♠ A K 6 5 2
♥ A K 8 6
♦ Q 6 3
♣ 9

♠ 9 3
♥ J 9 5
♦ K 7 4 2
♣ J 8 6 5

♠ J 10 8 4
♥ Q 10 2
♦ 5
♣ K 10 7 4 3

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Shape 5431 2344 4315 2353 HCP 16 5 6 13 Losers 5 10 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
4 ♠ by North			
Made 5 — NS +450			

313 boards f

330961438FE690F65F7E24C008AA

Board 197

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 8 4

♥ 8 6

♦ K Q 9 4

♣ 10 8 6 2

♠ A 5 3

♥ A Q J 4 3

♦ J 7 6

♣ A K

♠ J 9 2

♥ K 10 5 2

♦ 10 8 5

♣ Q J 7

♠ K Q 7 6

♥ 9 7

♦ A 3 2

♣ 9 5 4 3

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Shape 3532 4234 3433 3244 HCP 19 9 7 5 Losers 6 8 10 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			
3 ♥ by North			
Made 3 — NS +140			

314 boards f

303007BE813C76940AA3EB54CB36

Board 198

North Deals

None Vul

♠ 5 3

♥ A Q 10 9 2

♦ Q 10

♣ Q 9 7 2

♠ A K 10 7 2

♥ K J 7 3

♦ A J 6

♣ J

♠ 9 4

♥ 8 4

♦ K 9 8 4 2

♣ A 10 8 4

♠ Q J 8 6

♥ 6 5

♦ 7 5 3

♣ K 6 5 3

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Shape 5431 2254 4234 2524 HCP 17 7 6 10 Losers 6 8 9 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			
3 ♠ by North			
Made 4 — NS +170			

317 boards f

30853F1A98E10E0E1AC47B987786

Board 199

North Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 6
♥ K 5 3
♦ K 9 8
♣ Q 9 8 7 2

♠ K Q 9 8 7
♥ A 9 8 6 2
♦ 10
♣ A 10

♠ 5 3
♥ Q J 7 4
♦ A 6 3 2
♣ J 6 4

♠ A J 4 2
♥ 10
♦ Q J 7 5 4
♣ K 5 3

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Shape 5512 2443 4153 2335 HCP 13 8 11 8 Losers 5 9 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♥ ¹
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	5 ♦ ³
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

318 boards f

322AC17A0F0714D098B20398AE2E

Board 200

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 8

♥ Q 6

♦ A Q 7 4

♣ A Q 6 3 2

♠ A J 10 9 5 2

♥ K J 10 5

♦ 10 9

♣ K

♠ Q

♥ 9 8 7 4

♦ K 8 6 5

♣ 9 8 7 4

♠ 7 6 4 3

♥ A 3 2

♦ J 3 2

♣ J 10 5

W N E

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Shape 6421 1444 4333 2245 HCP 12 5 6 17 Losers 7 9 11 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
3 ♣	3 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			
3 ♠ by North			
Made 3 — NS +140			

319 boards f

31BB0B712086629436641D7A1897

Board 201

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ —		♠ K J 7 5 3
♥ A Q 7 4		♥ K 10
♦ 10 8 7 6 2		♦ A K 4 3
♣ 10 9 7 4		♣ Q 5

♠

♥

♦

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♦

♣

♠ A 10 8 2
♥ J 9 6
♦ Q J 9
♣ A K 2

Shape 5242 4414 4333 0454 HCP 16 3 15 6 Losers 6 9 8 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3 NT ²
Pass	4 ♦ ³	Pass	4 ♥ ⁴
Pass	4 NT ⁵	Pass	5 ♥ ⁶
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 2. surplus
 3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
 4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0
- 6 ♠ by North
- Made 6 — NS +980

320 boards f

400EB6600EC79CB13B073867489E

Board 202

North Deals

None Vul

♠ 10
♥ K 8 7 5
♦ A J 9 2
♣ A K J 2

♠ A J 7 6 5
♥ A J 10 6 3
♦ Q 8
♣ 8

♠ Q 4 3
♥ 9 2
♦ K 10 6 4
♣ Q 9 5 3

♠ K 9 8 2
♥ Q 4
♦ 7 5 3
♣ 10 7 6 4

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Shape 5521 3244 4234 1444 HCP 12 7 5 16 Losers 7 8 10 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	Pass
Dbl	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
2 ♠ by North			
Made 3 — NS +140			

322 boards f

4137B83B87AC78127B421DA41A66

Board 203

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ —

♥ A K Q 9 7

♦ A J 4 2

♣ 8 6 3 2

♠ A Q 8 5 3

♥ J 6

♦ K Q 9 7 3

♣ 5

♠ K J 10 4

♥ 10 4 2

♦ 8 6

♣ A Q J 7

♠ 9 7 6 2

♥ 8 5 3

♦ 10 5

♣ K 10 9 4

W

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Shape 5251 4324 4324 0544 HCP 12 3 11 14 Losers 5 10 8 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !C

4 ♠ by North

Made 4 — NS +420

323 boards f

432B710F88B152072A8C3892D666

Board 204

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ 3

♥ K 10 5

♦ K 10 9 4

♣ 9 7 4 3 2

♠ A Q 8 7 5

♥ Q J 8 6

♦ Q 6

♣ K 10

♠ K 9 2

♥ 9 4 3

♦ A J 7 5

♣ J 6 5

♠ J 10 6 4

♥ A 7 2

♦ 8 3 2

♣ A Q 8

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Shape 5422 3343 4333 1345 HCP 14 9 11 6 Losers 6 10 9 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♠ by North
Made 4 — NS +620

324 boards f

4202D5CB2C2E601F4ED28A9A41A6

Board 205

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K Q 6

♥ —

♦ Q 5 4

♣ A 10 7 6 5 4 2

♠ A J 10 8

♥ A Q 7 5 3

♦ K 2

♣ K 3

♠ 9 7 3

♥ K 8 6 4

♦ A 9 6 3

♣ J 9

♠ 5 4 2

♥ J 10 9 2

♦ J 10 8 7

♣ Q 8

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Shape 4522 3442 3442 3037 HCP 17 8 4 11 Losers 5 9 11 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	Pass
2 ♣	Dbl	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	
2 ♥ by North			
Made 3 — NS +140			

326 boards f

43A9FC2A3D24712F74A2DF989932

Board 206

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 5

♥ K J 9 7 2

♦ 9 6 2

♣ Q 6 2

♠ Q J 10 8 2

♥ —

♦ K J 8 5

♣ A J 9 3

♠ 9 7

♥ 5 4 3

♦ A Q 4 3

♣ K 10 7 4

♠ A 6 4 3

♥ A Q 10 8 6

♦ 10 7

♣ 8 5

W N E S

Shape 5044 2344 4522 2533 HCP 12 9 10 9 Losers 6 8 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♥ ²	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
2. shortness !H
4 ♠ by North
Made 4 — NS +620

328 boards f

410E3C013795D862997E952FB366

Board 207

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9

♥ K J 6 3

♦ J 10 5 2

♣ A 8 6 2

♠ A K Q J 4

♥ A Q

♦ 9 7

♣ Q 10 7 5

♠ 8 6 2

♥ 10 9 7 5

♦ A K 6 4

♣ K 9

♠ 10 7 5 3

♥ 8 4 2

♦ Q 8 3

♣ J 4 3

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Shape 5224 3442 4333 1444 HCP 18 10 3 9 Losers 5 8 11 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	Pass
Dbl	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
2 ♠ by North			
Made 2 — NS +110			

330 boards f

4009AE688DE35C7D2046B4FCC70B

Board 208

North Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 4 3
♥ 8 5 4
♦ K J 9 8 4
♣ K 6

♠ A 7 2
♥ A J 6 3 2
♦ 10 7
♣ A J 8

♠ Q 9 8 6
♥ 9
♦ 6 5 3
♣ Q 9 7 5 4

♠ K J 5
♥ K Q 10 7
♦ A Q 2
♣ 10 3 2

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Shape 3523 4135 3433 3352 HCP 14 4 15 7 Losers 8 8 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♥ by North
Made 5 — NS +450

335 boards f

412ACEC6D83FB23C45604B2CAF82

Board 209

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K Q J
♥ 10 9 8
♦ Q 7
♣ A K Q 9 2

♠ A 10 8 4
♥ K Q 7 5 2
♦ A J 5
♣ 7

♠ 7 6 5
♥ J
♦ K 10 8 4 3
♣ J 8 6 4

♠ 9 3 2
♥ A 6 4 3
♦ 9 6 2
♣ 10 5 3

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Shape 4531 3154 3433 3325 HCP 14 5 4 17 Losers 6 9 11 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	Pass
Dbl	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	
2 ♥ by North			
Made 2 — NS +110			

338 boards f

51422A8CE58132D4041E426F4FA6

Board 210

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 8

♥ 9

♦ J 8 7 2

♣ A K 9 6 5 2

♠ K 9 7 6

♥ A Q 10 7 5 3

♦ K

♣ J 10

♠ A 5 4 3

♥ 8 6

♦ Q 6 4 3

♣ Q 8 7

♠ Q 10 2

♥ K J 4 2

♦ A 10 9 5

♣ 4 3

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Shape 4612 4243 3442 2146 HCP 13 8 10 9 Losers 6 8 8 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♦ ²	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !D

4 ♥ by North

Made 4 — NS +420

339 boards f

5365371E17BE128C5B7388FDB43A

Board 211

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ 4

♥ K 10 6 4 3 2

♦ 9 6

♣ Q 10 9 2

♠ K Q J 9 2

♥ 8 5

♦ Q 10 8 4

♣ A 4

♠ A 7 6

♥ Q J 9 7

♦ 7 5 2

♣ 8 5 3

♠ 10 8 5 3

♥ A

♦ A K J 3

♣ K J 7 6

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Shape 5242 3433 4144 1624 HCP 12 7 16 5 Losers 6 10 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♠ by North
Made 6 — NS +680

340 boards f

523DE00AAE48C68C69F11F5C03E2

Board 212

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 9 6 2

♥ A 6

♦ Q 10 7

♣ Q J 9 2

♠ A Q 5 3

♥ Q 10 9 8 3

♦ 9

♣ A 7 6

♠ 10 7 4

♥ 5 4

♦ K 6 3 2

♣ K 10 8 4

♠ J 8

♥ K J 7 2

♦ A J 8 5 4

♣ 5 3

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Shape 4513 3244 2452 4234 HCP 12 6 10 12 Losers 6 9 8 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♦ ²	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !D

4 ♥ by North

Made 5 — NS +650

341 boards f

512269A0151265349EB59B117E3E

Board 213

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ —		♠ A J 10 8 4 2
♥ 8 6 3 2		♥ —
♦ J 9 8 6		♦ K 5
♣ A 10 7 3 2		♣ K J 9 6 4

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W		E
	S	

♠ K 9 3
♥ J 10 7 5 4
♦ 7 3 2
♣ Q 8

♠ Q 7 6 5
♥ A K Q 9
♦ A Q 10 4
♣ 5

Shape 6025 3532 4441 0445 HCP 12 6 17 5 Losers 5 10 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♥ ²	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	5 ♠ ⁴
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
2. shortness !H
3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1

6 ♠ by North

Down 1 — NS -50

344 boards f

51060469D64A81A68051DECCA062

Board 214

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 5 4

♥ —

♦ A K J 8

♣ A J 10 8 5 2

♠ A K

♥ A K 10 9 7 4

♦ Q 10

♣ Q 9 6

♠ Q 10 6 2

♥ J 6 5

♦ 5 4

♣ K 7 4 3

♠ 9 8 7 3

♥ Q 8 3 2

♦ 9 7 6 3 2

♣ —

Shape 2623 4324 4450 3046 HCP 18 6 2 14 Losers 5 9 8 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	
4 ♥ by North			
Made 5 — NS +450			

345 boards f

53616F233DB10813197EB3A698DA

Board 215

North Deals


Both Vul

♠ 2

♥ J 10 6 5

♦ A Q 10 8 5

♣ 6 4 2



♠ Q J 9 8 7

♥ 9

♦ K J 6

♣ A J 10 7

♠ 10 5 4 3

♥ A K Q 4

♦ 4

♣ K Q 8 5

♠ A K 6

♥ 8 7 3 2

♦ 9 7 3 2

♣ 9 3

Shape 5134 3442 4414 1453 HCP 12 7 14 7 Losers 7 9 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♦ ¹
Dbl	4 NT ²	Pass	5 ♦ ³
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 5 ♠ by North
- Down 1 — NS -100

346 boards f

501A363D24985FB841E2F788912E

Board 216

North Deals

None Vul

♠ 6 5
♥ K Q 8 5
♦ Q 9 2
♣ A K 6 2

♠ A K Q J 2
♥ 7 4
♦ 7 6 3
♣ Q 7 3

♠ 9 7
♥ A 10 9 3
♦ K J 5
♣ J 10 8 4

♠ 10 8 4 3
♥ J 6 2
♦ A 10 8 4
♣ 9 5

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Shape 5233 2434 4342 2434 HCP 12 9 5 14 Losers 7 9 10 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
2 ♠ by North			
Made 2 — NS +110			

348 boards f

532F8E5477107112264EB0B9A319

Board 217

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ —	♠ A 10 8 7 2	♠ Q J 9 6
♥ J 9 5 4	♥ K 6	♥ Q 10 8 2
♦ 10 9 8 5 3	♦ A K 6	♦ 4 2
♣ K 8 7 6	♣ 9 4 2	♣ Q 10 5
	♠ K 5 4 3	
	♥ A 7 3	
	♦ Q J 7	
	♣ A J 3	



Shape 5233 4423 4333 0454 HCP 14 7 15 4 Losers 7 8 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♣ ²
Pass	4 ♦ ³	Pass	4 ♥ ⁴
Pass	4 NT ⁵	Pass	5 ♣ ⁶
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	5 ♠ ⁷
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 2. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
 4. surplus
 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 6. A=0/5 or 3/5
 7. no !S queen
- 6 ♠ by North
Down 1 — NS -100

349 boards f

50031BA6DD7670081CA6BEB1DB20

Board 218

North Deals

None Vul

♠ J 3		♠ A K 8 7 2
♥ 10 9 5 4		♥ A 8
♦ J 7 5		♦ A 9 4 2
♣ Q 10 6 5		♣ J 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 10 9
♥ K J 7 3
♦ Q 10 6
♣ 9 8 7 2

♠ Q 6 5 4
♥ Q 6 2
♦ K 8 3
♣ A K 3

Shape 5242 2434 4333 2434 HCP 16 6 14 4 Losers 6 9 7 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3 NT ²
Pass	4 ♦ ³	Pass	4 ♥ ⁴
Pass	4 NT ⁵	Pass	5 ♦ ⁶
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	6 ♣ ⁷
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 2. surplus
 3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
 4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 6. A=1/5 or 4/5
 7. !S queen and !C king
- 6 ♠ by North
Made 6 — NS +980

350 boards f

520B1C7D298C8ED06919C0AA82E2

Board 219

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 5 2

♥ Q

♦ A J 7 6 4

♣ 9 4 3 2

♠ A K J 6

♥ A 10 9 5 3

♦ —

♣ Q J 7 6

♠ Q 7

♥ K 8 6

♦ 8 5 3 2

♣ K 10 8 5

♠ 10 9 4 3

♥ J 7 4 2

♦ K Q 10 9

♣ A

W N E S

Shape 4504 2344 4441 3154 HCP 15 8 10 7 Losers 5 9 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♦ ²	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !D

4 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +680

353 boards f

624BDB850F66BFC06AE12291C04A

Board 220

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 8 6 3

♥ 9

♦ A K 7 2

♣ 10 7 5 2

♠ J 5

♥ A Q J 8 3 2

♦ Q 10

♣ Q 6 4

♠ A 10 7 2

♥ K 4

♦ 8 6 5 4 3

♣ 8 3

♠ Q 9 4

♥ 10 7 6 5

♦ J 9

♣ A K J 9

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Shape 2623 4252 3424 4144 HCP 12 7 11 10 Losers 7 8 8 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♥ by North
Down 1 — NS -100

354 boards f

61E1A98E8697C8B9401D668C56EE

Board 221

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 9 2		♠ 6
♥ 8		♥ Q J 9 7 4
♦ J 10 5 3		♦ K 9 8
♣ Q J 5 3 2		♣ A K 8 6

♠ 7 5 3

♥ 10 6 3

♦ Q 6 4 2

♣ 9 7 4

N

W E

S

		♠ K Q J 10 8 4
		♥ A K 5 2
		♦ A 7
		♣ 10

Shape 1534 3343 6421 3145 HCP 13 2 17 8 Losers 6 11 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♠ ²	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♦ ⁴	Pass	5 ♠
Pass	6 ♣ ⁵	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
2. shortness !S
3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
4. A=1/5 or 4/5
5. !H queen and !C king

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

355 boards f

63CFECC568EE8BF0040A771A56AE

Board 222

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7 6 4
♥ A Q 9 7 6
♦ A K 10 2
♣ Q

♠ A K Q 10 8
♥ 8 5
♦ 8
♣ 10 6 4 3 2

♠ J 5 3
♥ 4 3
♦ J 9 6 4
♣ K J 8 7

♠ 9 2
♥ K J 10 2
♦ Q 7 5 3
♣ A 9 5

W N E S

Shape 3541 3244 2443 5215 HCP 15 6 10 9 Losers 6 10 8 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !C

4 ♥ by North

Made 5 — NS +650

357 boards f

610B12E7E4AEC0388E04F14D6F9E

Board 223

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q J 9 5
♥ 8 5
♦ Q J 6
♣ K 10 7 2

♠ A K 8 6
♥ A 9 7 6 4
♦ A 8
♣ 5 4

♠ 4 3
♥ K 2
♦ 10 7 4 3 2
♣ J 9 8 6

♠ 10 7 2
♥ Q J 10 3
♦ K 9 5
♣ A Q 3

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Shape 4522 2254 3433 4234 HCP 15 4 12 9 Losers 6 9 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♥ by North
Made 5 — NS +450

358 boards f

63D1353E7077B6A910A76D981E1E

Board 224

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ A		♠ K Q 7 3 2
♥ K Q J 10 9		♥ —
♦ A J 7		♦ Q 5 3 2
♣ Q 9 3 2		♣ A K 8 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 10 5
♥ A 7 4 3 2
♦ 8 4
♣ J 7 4

♠ 9 8 6 4
♥ 8 6 5
♦ K 10 9 6
♣ 10 6

Shape 5044 3523 4342 1534 HCP 14 6 3 17 Losers 4 10 10 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	Pass
Dbl	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♠
3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠ ¹	Pass
4 ♥	Pass	Pass	4 ♠
5 ♥	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. limit raise or better in !H
 5 ♥ by West
 Down 1 — NS +100

361 boards f

63A50BE40774E5EC54D9CCC2027A

Board 225

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ K J 3

♥ K J 5 4 3

♦ 8 5

♣ A 9 6

♠ Q 9 8 6 5 4

♥ 10 2

♦ 4 3

♣ 4 3 2

♠ 10 7 2

♥ 7 6

♦ K 6 2

♣ Q 10 8 7 5

♠ A

♥ A Q 9 8

♦ A Q J 10 9 7

♣ K J

Shape 3523 3235 1462 6223 HCP 12 5 21 2 Losers 8 9 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	5 ♥ ³	Pass	7 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

7 ♥ by North

Down 1 — NS -100

364 boards f

63831135E4F8A76D4CDAC98B4AE2

Board 226

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ K Q
♥ A 7 5 4 3
♦ 8 7
♣ K Q 8 5

♠ J 10 6 5 2
♥ Q 10
♦ A K 2
♣ 6 3 2

♠ 8 7 3
♥ K 6
♦ 10 6 5 4 3
♣ J 10 7

♠ A 9 4
♥ J 9 8 2
♦ Q J 9
♣ A 9 4

W N E S

Shape 2524 3253 3433 5233 HCP 14 4 12 10 Losers 6 10 9 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♥ by North
Made 4 — NS +620

365 boards f

60E53D18F22C6F024D9AA8969706

Board 227

North Deals

None Vul

♠ A J

♥ K J

♦ K 10 9 7

♣ J 8 6 4 2

♠ K Q 10 8 2

♥ 8 7 2

♦ J 8

♣ A K 7

♠ 9 7

♥ Q 6 4 3

♦ A 4 3 2

♣ Q 10 5

♠ 6 5 4 3

♥ A 10 9 5

♦ Q 6 5

♣ 9 3

W N E S

Shape 5323 2443 4432 2245 HCP 13 8 6 13 Losers 7 8 9 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
3 ♣	3 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			
3 ♠ by North			
Made 3 — NS +140			

367 boards f

6131402E916C733AA7F49D083E86

Board 228

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 6

♥ A 9 8 6 3

♦ 7 6 2

♣ Q 8 3 2

♠ A Q 8 4 3

♥ K 4 2

♦ 8 4

♣ A J 5

♠ K 10 9

♥ J 5

♦ Q 10 5 3

♣ K 10 6 4

♠ J 7 5 2

♥ Q 10 7

♦ A K J 9

♣ 9 7

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Shape 5323 3244 4342 1534 HCP 14 9 11 6 Losers 7 8 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♠ by North
Made 4 — NS +420

369 boards f

72CF148B2E59818350E9C67AE86D

Board 229

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 6 5 3

♥ 4

♦ Q 10 6 4 3

♣ J 5 4

♠ K J

♥ A Q 9 8 5

♦ K 5

♣ 10 9 6 2

♠ 10 7 4 2

♥ K 10 7

♦ 9 8 7

♣ K 7 3

W

N

E

S

♠ Q 9 8

♥ J 6 3 2

♦ A J 2

♣ A Q 8

Shape 2524 4333 3433 4153 HCP 13 6 14 7 Losers 6 10 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♥ by North
Made 5 — NS +650

370 boards f

71CECBA5C71C6285CE60E841578E

Board 230

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A K J 7 5

♥ —

♦ Q J 8 3

♣ A 9 7 2

♠ 10

♥ A K J 8 7 4 2

♦ K 5

♣ Q 8 4

♠ 9 6 4 3

♥ 10 3

♦ A 10 7 2

♣ 10 6 5

♠ Q 8 2

♥ Q 9 6 5

♦ 9 6 4

♣ K J 3

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Shape 1723 4243 3433 5044 HCP 13 4 8 15 Losers 5 10 9 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
2 ♠	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			
4 ♥ by North			
Made 4 — NS +420			

371 boards f

73100DB23997F9021CA74B5760B2

Board 231

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9

♥ Q J 9 2

♦ A Q 8 3 2

♣ Q 8 2

♠ A K J 8 7

♥ K 8 5

♦ K 7

♣ K J 9

♠ 5 4 3

♥ A 10 7 4

♦ J 9 5

♣ A 7 3

♠ Q 10 6 2

♥ 6 3

♦ 10 6 4

♣ 10 6 5 4

W N E

S

Shape 5323 3433 4234 1453 HCP 18 9 2 11 Losers 6 10 10 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	Pass
Dbl	Rdbl	2 ♥	2 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
2 ♠ by North			
Made 3 — NS +140			

372 boards f

7286E6889B432EEFD68009325022

Board 232

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 8 7

♥ 4

♦ Q J 5

♣ A K 9 7 4 2

♠ 9 5 4 2

♥ A Q 10 6 5

♦ A K 7

♣ 5

♠ 10 3

♥ J 7 3

♦ 10 6 4 3 2

♣ Q 6 3

♠ A Q J 6

♥ K 9 8 2

♦ 9 8

♣ J 10 8

W

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Shape 4531 2353 4423 3136 HCP 13 3 11 13 Losers 6 10 8 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
3 ♣	Dbl	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♥ by North
Made 6 — NS +680

373 boards f

710EA0058BF6F860AA4A921C4EAE

Board 233

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 9

♥ 10 9

♦ Q 10

♣ A 10 7 6 5 3 2

♠ A Q 4

♥ A Q J 6 3

♦ J 9 7 6

♣ Q

♠ 8 6 3

♥ 5 4

♦ A 4 3 2

♣ K 9 8 4

♠ K J 7 5 2

♥ K 8 7 2

♦ K 8 5

♣ J

W

N

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S

Shape 3541 3244 5431 2227 HCP 16 7 11 6 Losers 6 9 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !C

4 ♥ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

374 boards f

733F871AB62CB72A69BEDA701108

Board 234

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ 5

♥ A J 9 6 4

♦ 4 3

♣ Q J 8 6 5

♠ A Q 10 8 3 2

♥ K 2

♦ A 10 6

♣ 7 3

♠ 7 4

♥ Q 5 3

♦ Q 8 7 5 2

♣ 10 4 2

♠ K J 9 6

♥ 10 8 7

♦ K J 9

♣ A K 9

W

N

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S

Shape 6232 2353 4333 1525 HCP 13 4 15 8 Losers 6 9 8 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♠ by North
Made 5 — NS +650

375 boards f

70399027928C74FC093B794A3F96

Board 235

North Deals

None Vul

♠ 8

♥ A 9 8 6 5 3

♦ 10 8 3

♣ J 4 2

♠ A Q 7 6 3

♥ 10 7 4

♦ K J

♣ A 7 5

♠ 9 5 4

♥ K J 2

♦ Q 9 2

♣ K 10 9 8

W

N

E

S

♠ K J 10 2

♥ Q

♦ A 7 6 5 4

♣ Q 6 3

Shape 5323 3334 4153 1633 HCP 14 9 12 5 Losers 7 9 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♦ ²
Pass	4 ♥ ³	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +450


376 boards f

710FAA046BD71FB04FC6E83DA4CE

Board 236

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 6 5 2		♠ J 7
♥ 8 4		♥ 10 9
♦ Q 10 6 3		♦ A 9 7 4 2
♣ K 6 2		♣ Q 8 5 3

♠ K 8 3
♥ K J 5 3
♦ 8
♣ A J 10 9 7

Shape 4531 2254 3415 4243 HCP 16 7 12 5 Losers 5 8 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	4 ♦ ¹
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	5 ♥ ³
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0
- 6 ♥ by North
- Made 6 — NS +980

377 boards f

732FD5BA3807B811B0657BBC316E

Board 237

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ K

♥ Q J 9 7 5 4 3

♦ 8 7 3

♣ Q 2

♠ A J 10 8 3

♥ 10

♦ A 4 2

♣ K 8 6 3

♠ 6 5 2

♥ K 8

♦ Q J 9 5

♣ J 9 7 4

♠ Q 9 7 4

♥ A 6 2

♦ K 10 6

♣ A 10 5

W N E S

Shape 5134 3244 4333 1732 HCP 12 7 13 8 Losers 7 9 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♥ ²	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 ♦ ⁴
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
2. shortness !H
3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
4. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +650

379 boards f

721F3196D78AA86029BCF02D7602

Board 238

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 5

♥ K 6 5 3

♦ 10 9 7

♣ Q 10 3 2

♠ A K 7 4 2

♥ 10 2

♦ Q J 3

♣ K 7 4

♠ 8 3

♥ A Q J

♦ K 8 5 2

♣ 9 8 6 5

♠ Q 10 9 6

♥ 9 8 7 4

♦ A 6 4

♣ A J

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Shape 5233 2344 4432 2434 HCP 13 10 11 6 Losers 7 8 8 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♠ by North
Made 5 — NS +650

380 boards f

739EEF0EF187CC14A04656204A6A

Board 239

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ K J 9

♥ J

♦ J 7 4

♣ A Q 6 5 3 2

♠ Q 8 4

♥ Q 10 9 6 3

♦ A K Q 9

♣ J

♠ 6 5 3 2

♥ A 8 5

♦ 3 2

♣ 9 8 7 4

W

N
E
S

♠ A 10 7

♥ K 7 4 2

♦ 10 8 6 5

♣ K 10

Shape 3541 4324 3442 3136 HCP 14 4 10 12 Losers 5 10 8 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !C

4 ♥ by North

Made 4 — NS +620

381 boards f

7029D5CEAC6E9C1967728287460A

Board 240

North Deals

None Vul

♠ K Q

♥ 6

♦ Q J 10 9

♣ Q 10 6 5 3 2

♠ A 8 2

♥ Q 5 4 3 2

♦ 6 5

♣ A K 8

♠ 10 7 6 3

♥ K 9 8

♦ K 7 4 3

♣ J 9

♠ J 9 5 4

♥ A J 10 7

♦ A 8 2

♣ 7 4

W

N

E

S

Shape 3523 4342 4432 2146 HCP 13 7 10 10 Losers 7 9 9 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♥ by North
Made 5 — NS +450

383 boards f

7131078FB19C17E83F9604D1573E

Board 241

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 4		♠ A K 9 7 5 2
♥ A J 7 2		♥ K Q 5
♦ K 9 6 5 3		♦ 8
♣ 6 2		♣ A J 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 3		♠ Q J 10 6
♥ 10 9 6 4 3		♥ 8
♦ Q 10 7 2		♦ A J 4
♣ 10 8 5		♣ K Q 9 7 3

Shape 6313 1543 4135 2452 HCP 17 2 13 8 Losers 5 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♥ ¹
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	5 ♦ ³
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6 ♠ by North
- Made 6 — NS +980

384 boards f

801AE1BB3D70732F98B46C04923D

Board 242

North Deals

None Vul

♠ K

♥ Q J 10 9 6 2

♦ J 8 5 2

♣ A 3

♠ A J 8 4 2

♥ 4

♦ K 10 9 3

♣ K J 2

♠ 10 9 5

♥ A 7 3

♦ 6 4

♣ 10 7 6 5 4

♠ Q 7 6 3

♥ K 8 5

♦ A Q 7

♣ Q 9 8

W

N

E

S

Shape 5143 3325 4333 1642 HCP 12 4 13 11 Losers 7 10 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♥ ²	Pass	4 ♦ ³
Pass	4 ♥ ⁴	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
2. shortness !H
3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4 ♠ by North

Made 4 — NS +420

385 boards f

8297020FAE7381E9CE71C86664D2

Board 243

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 7 5 2

♥ 10 6

♦ 8 5

♣ K J 7 4 2

♠ K Q

♥ K Q 9 7 5

♦ A 4 3

♣ 9 8 6

♠ A J 9

♥ J 8 4 3

♦ Q J 7

♣ A Q 10

♠ 10 6 4 3

♥ A 2

♦ K 10 9 6 2

♣ 5 3

W

N

E

S

Shape 2533 4252 3433 4225 HCP 14 7 15 4 Losers 7 8 8 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♥ by North
Made 5 — NS +650


386 boards f

810BB5A62E5A9517BC166DEF200E

Board 244

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 4		♠ 10 5
♥ K 7		♥ 10 9 8 6
♦ K Q 9 8 6		♦ J 7 5 4 2
♣ Q J 10 6 2		♣ 7 3
		♠ K Q 9 7
		♥ Q J 5 4 3
		♦ 3
		♣ A 8 4

Shape 6223 2452 4513 1255 HCP 16 1 12 11 Losers 6 10 6 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♦ ¹
Dbl	4 ♥ ²	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter
 2. surplus
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 4. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 6 ♠ by North
Made 6 — NS +980

389 boards f

81E30A204E0EADD63CB0B515209E

Board 245

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 8		♠ K Q 10 7 4 3
♥ 7 6 5		♥ K J 10
♦ 8 5 4		♦ K
♣ K J 10 8 2		♣ 9 5 4

♠ J

♥ 8 4 2

♦ J 10 9 7 2

♣ Q 7 6 3

N
W E
S

♠ 9 6 5 2
♥ A Q 9 3
♦ A Q 6 3
♣ A

Shape 6313 1354 4441 2335 HCP 12 4 16 8 Losers 7 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♦ ²	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♦ ⁴	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	6 ♦ ⁵	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
2. shortness !D
3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
4. A=1/5 or 4/5
5. !S queen and !D king

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

390 boards f

83BD232B706A3D1EB4B8D1B43917

Board 246

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ 5		♠ K Q 9 8 3 2
♥ A J 9 7 6 4 3		♥ —
♦ K J 5		♦ A 9 8
♣ 10 8		♣ A 9 5 3

♠ J 10

♥ 8 5 2

♦ Q 10 6 3

♣ J 7 6 4

N

W

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S

♠ A 7 6 4
♥ K Q 10
♦ 7 4 2
♣ K Q 2

Shape 6034 2344 4333 1732 HCP 13 4 14 9 Losers 5 10 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
3 ♥	Dbl	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	5 ♦ ³
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

391 boards f

800AE38C1EC461E44486A3DF83F6

Board 247

North Deals

None Vul

♠ A J
♥ A Q 10 7 6 3
♦ K 9 5 3
♣ 9

♠ K 10 8 4 2
♥ 2
♦ Q J 4
♣ A J 6 2

♠ 9 7
♥ J 4
♦ 10 8 7 6 2
♣ Q 10 8 7

♠ Q 6 5 3
♥ K 9 8 5
♦ A
♣ K 5 4 3

W N E S

Shape 2641 2254 4414 5134 HCP 14 3 12 11 Losers 5 9 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !C

4 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +480

392 boards f

81C31B8E38B615E3CCE2049C2A9C

Board 248

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 8 7 6		♠ K J 9 5 3
♥ J 10		♥ A Q 7 5
♦ 10 9 5		♦ K J 3
♣ Q 10 6 3		♣ 9

♠

♥

♦

♣

N

W E

S

♠

♥

♦

♣

♠ Q 10 4 2	♠ —
♥ 8 6 3	♥ K 9 4 2
♦ A 8 6	♦ Q 7 4 2
♣ A K 8	♣ J 7 5 4 2

Shape 5431 0445 4333 4234 HCP 14 6 13 7 Losers 6 7 8 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ ³	Pass	4 ♥ ⁴
Pass	4 NT ⁵	Pass	5 ♠ ⁶
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
2. shortness !C
3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1

5 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

393 boards f

831FB62EA091FCCA161849772B82

Board 249

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 8
♥ K 9 4
♦ J 10 2
♣ K Q 8 7 2

♠ A Q 7 6 3
♥ 8 5 2
♦ A Q 9
♣ 10 5

♠ 5 4
♥ A 10 7 6
♦ 8 6 5 3
♣ J 9 6

♠ K J 10 2
♥ Q J 3
♦ K 7 4
♣ A 4 3

W

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Shape 5332 2443 4333 2335 HCP 12 5 14 9 Losers 7 10 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♠ by North
Made 4 — NS +620

395 boards f

820BCC6CC3D486399EC5E9A85362

Board 250

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 8

♥ A K J 9 6

♦ 10 9 6

♣ 8 6 5

♠ K J 10 6 5

♥ 8

♦ A 8 5 4

♣ 9 7 2

♠ 9 7 4

♥ Q 5 4 2

♦ K Q 7

♣ A J 3

♠ Q 3 2

♥ 10 7 3

♦ J 3 2

♣ K Q 10 4

W

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Shape 2533 3334 3433 5143 HCP 12 8 12 8 Losers 8 9 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♥ by North
Made 4 — NS +620

398 boards f

8202F9286F680A495DC0648F8B9A

Board 251

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 6

♥ K

♦ K Q 10 9 8 3 2

♣ A 9 2

♠ A Q 9

♥ A 9 8 6 4 3

♦ 5

♣ K 8 7

♠ J 10 8 7 5

♥ 7 2

♦ A 6

♣ Q 10 6 5

W

N

E

S

♠ 4 3 2

♥ Q J 10 5

♦ J 7 4

♣ J 4 3

Shape 3613 5224 3433 2173 HCP 13 7 5 15 Losers 6 8 11 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	Pass
2 ♦	2 ♥	Pass	Pass
3 ♦	Pass	Pass	3 ♥
4 ♦	Pass	Pass	Pass
4 ♦ by West			
Made 4 — NS -130			

402 boards f

918EE9638BCE92700714EC58E5CA

Board 252

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 6

♥ A J 10 7 2

♦ K J 4 2

♣ K 3

♠ K 10 5 3 2

♥ 8

♦ 7 6 3

♣ A 10 9 2

♠ A J 9

♥ K Q 5 3

♦ Q 9 8

♣ Q J 7

♠ Q 8 4

♥ 9 6 4

♦ A 10 5

♣ 8 6 5 4

W

N

E

S

Shape 2542 3334 3433 5134 HCP 12 6 15 7 Losers 7 10 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♥ by North
Made 4 — NS +420

405 boards f

9103B42A875E3227D8BC59B80CE2

Board 253

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 2		♠ 10 5
♥ K 9 6 4		♥ 10 7 5
♦ K J 8		♦ 10 6 3
♣ Q 10 9 2		♣ K 7 6 4 3

♠ A Q 9 8 3		♠ K J 6 4
♥ A J 3		♥ Q 8 2
♦ Q 7 5 4		♦ A 9 2
♣ 5		♣ A J 8

	W	N	E	
		S		

Shape 5341 2335 4333 2434 HCP 13 3 15 9 Losers 6 10 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♥ ³	Pass	4 NT ⁴
Pass	5 ♠ ⁵	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
2. shortness !C
3. Cue bid, a !H stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for !S
5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

407 boards f

90066FC6C118E8542F8F51C8AEB2

Board 254

North Deals

None Vul

♠ Q J 9 4

♥ 2

♦ K 7 6 3

♣ A Q 3 2

♠ A 10 7

♥ A Q J 6 4

♦ J 5 2

♣ J 5

♠ K 8 5

♥ 10 8 5

♦ A Q 8

♣ 10 9 8 4

♠ 6 3 2

♥ K 9 7 3

♦ 10 9 4

♣ K 7 6

W N E S

Shape 3532 3334 3433 4144 HCP 13 9 6 12 Losers 8 9 10 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

2 ♥ by North

Made 2 — NS +110

408 boards f

911AE40E17F288C007475EA16CAA

Board 255

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 10 8

♥ 10

♦ K J 7 6

♣ A Q 10 5 2

♠ A Q J 7

♥ Q 9 8 7 6

♦ A 9 2

♣ 4

♠ 9 4 2

♥ K 4 3 2

♦ 10 8 4

♣ J 7 6

♠ 6 5 3

♥ A J 5

♦ Q 5 3

♣ K 9 8 3

W

N

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Shape 4531 3334 3433 3145 HCP 13 10 4 13 Losers 6 9 11 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	Pass
Dbl	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	
2 ♥ by North			
Made 2 — NS +110			

410 boards f

904EDD820E171438AE8FA94C656A

Board 256

North Deals

None Vul

♠ K

♥ 8

♦ A K J 7 6 4

♣ A Q J 7 2

♠ J 10 9 8

♥ A Q J 6 4

♦ Q

♣ K 5 3

♠ A 4 3 2

♥ K 10 9

♦ 10 9 3

♣ 9 8 4

♠ Q 7 6 5

♥ 7 5 3 2

♦ 8 5 2

♣ 10 6

W N E S

Shape 4513 4333 4432 1165 HCP 13 7 2 18 Losers 7 10 10 4

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	Pass
4 NT ¹	Pass	5 ♣	Pass
Pass ²	Pass		

1. Unusual 4 NT

2. bidable suit

5 ♣ by East

Made 5 — NS -400

411 boards f

92C9CA59AB864FE7C070A137502E

Board 257

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A K 8 7
♥ 6 4
♦ A K Q J
♣ K 10 2

♠ 4 2
♥ A K 10 9 7
♦ 10 8 4
♣ A Q 5

♠ Q 9 6 3
♥ Q 3
♦ 7 6 5 3
♣ 7 6 3

♠ J 10 5
♥ J 8 5 2
♦ 9 2
♣ J 9 8 4

W

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Shape 2533 4243 3424 4243 HCP 13 4 3 20 Losers 7 10 11 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	Pass
Dbl	Pass	1 ♠	2 ♥
2 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass
2 ♠ by East			
Made 3 — NS -140			

413 boards f

903DACA1406A2E9C596126B42E36

Board 258

North Deals

None Vul

♠ —

♥ A 4 2

♦ A K 9 8 3

♣ 10 9 5 3 2

♠ A 9 5 3 2

♥ J

♦ Q J 6

♣ A Q 7 6

♠ J 10 7 6

♥ 8 7

♦ 5 4 2

♣ K J 8 4

♠ K Q 8 4

♥ K Q 10 9 6 5 3

♦ 10 7

♣ —

W

N

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Shape 5134 4234 4720 0355 HCP 14 5 10 11 Losers 6 10 4 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♥ ²	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter

2. surplus

4 ♠ by North

Made 4 — NS +420

414 boards f


92A98EC560CF0084EE4672BCD1E2

Board 259

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9		♠ J 6 5
♥ K Q 10 9 8 6		♥ 3
♦ Q 8 6		♦ J 9 5 3 2
♣ A Q 3		♣ J 9 8 4
♠ Q 10 7 3 2		
♥ 5 4		
♦ A		
♣ K 7 6 5 2		



♠ A K 8 4		
♥ A J 7 2		
♦ K 10 7 4		
♣ 10		

Shape 1633 3154 4441 5215 HCP 13 3 15 9 Losers 5 10 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♠ ²	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	4 ♣ ⁴	Pass	4 ♦ ⁵
Pass	4 NT ⁶	Pass	5 ♥ ⁷
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
2. shortness !S
3. surplus
4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
5. Cue bid, a !D stopper
6. Blackwood 0314, for !H
7. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

417 boards f

A2854AAA8B9DE267C80B4810A172

Board 260

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 7

♥ 2

♦ K Q J 7 6 5

♣ K Q 9 2

♠ 6 4

♥ A K J 7 6 5

♦ A 8

♣ A 10 3

♠ K 8 5 2

♥ 10 4

♦ 9 4 3 2

♣ 7 5 4

♠ A Q J 10 3

♥ Q 9 8 3

♦ 10

♣ J 8 6

W

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Shape 2623 4243 5413 2164 HCP 16 3 10 11 Losers 6 10 7 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
3 ♦	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♥ by North
Made 6 — NS +680

418 boards f

A10BA6D40BB26F40921CBB34FD1A

Board 261

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 3		♠ A J 6 4 2
♥ 10 5 4 3		♥ A J 8
♦ K Q 4		♦ A J 5 2
♣ K 10 7 2		♣ 3

♠

♥

♦

♣

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♠

♥

♦

♣

♠ K 10 7 5	♠ 9 8
♥ K 9	♥ Q 7 6 2
♦ 10 8 7	♦ 9 6 3
♣ A J 9 5	♣ Q 8 6 4

Shape 5341 2434 4234 2434 HCP 15 4 11 10 Losers 7 9 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	3 ♥ ³
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4 NT ⁴	Pass	5 ♥ ⁵
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
2. shortness !C
3. Cue bid, a !H stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for !S
5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

419 boards f

A30FE382AF3CA6441641224A5050

Board 262

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ K		♠ 8 6 4 3 2
♥ 10		♥ 7 3 2
♦ K Q 6 5 3 2		♦ 4
♣ Q 9 7 5 4		♣ 10 8 3 2

♠ A 10 7 5
♥ A Q 8 6 4
♦ A J 10
♣ 6
♠ Q J 9
♥ K J 9 5
♦ 9 8 7
♣ A K J

Shape 4531 5314 3433 1165 HCP 15 0 15 10 Losers 6 10 8 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♦ ³	Pass	4 ♠ ⁴
Pass	4 NT ⁵	Pass	5 ♥ ⁶
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 2. shortness !C
 3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
 4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0
- 6 ♥ by North
 Made 6 — NS +1430

420 boards f

A23B32249955B8AF3F3CA958D542

Board 263

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 3

♥ A K 9 7 6

♦ A J 9 5 4

♣ K 2

N

W E

S

♠ 10 4 2

♥ J 10 4 3

♦ K 2

♣ Q 9 6 4

♠ J 9 8 5

♥ Q 8 5

♦ 8 7 6

♣ A 8 7

Shape 5134 3424 4333 1552 HCP 12 6 7 15 Losers 6 9 10 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
3 ♠ ¹	Pass	4 ♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♥ by East

Made 5 — NS -450


421 boards f

A1C743E9FA415A82E86F946ACD9E

Board 264

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A Q J 7 3		♠ K 10 9 6 4
♥ J		♥ 9 5 2
♦ A 5		♦ 6 3 2
♣ J 9 8 4 2		♣ 7 5

♠ 8 5 2
♥ Q 7 6 4
♦ K 10 8
♣ A K 6

Shape 0553 5332 3433 5125 HCP 12 3 12 13 Losers 5 10 8 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♠ ²	Pass	4 ♣ ³
Pass	4 NT ⁴	Pass	5 ♦ ⁵
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
2. shortness !S
3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
5. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

424 boards f

A1A5CA2CCF62DAF5427C49A38C12

Board 265

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K J 9 8

♥ 8 6

♦ A 8

♣ K 10 9 7 2

♠ Q 2

♥ K J 7 5 3

♦ K 9 5

♣ A 8 5

♠ 10 7 6 5

♥ 9 2

♦ Q J 6 3

♣ Q 6 3

♠ A 4 3

♥ A Q 10 4

♦ 10 7 4 2

♣ J 4

W

N

E

S

Shape 2533 4243 3442 4225 HCP 13 5 11 11 Losers 8 9 8 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♥ by North
Made 4 — NS +420

426 boards f

A032B0D42732B9FAAF5801B4531A

Board 266

North Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 8

♥ A K 10 9 8 4

♦ 7

♣ A 10 8 2

♠ A J 10 5 2

♥ 5

♦ A K 10 5 3

♣ 9 5

♠ K 9 7 4

♥ J 7

♦ 9 8 6 2

♣ J 7 3

♠ 6 3

♥ Q 6 3 2

♦ Q J 4

♣ K Q 6 4

W

N

E

S

Shape 5152 2434 4243 2614 HCP 12 10 5 13 Losers 6 7 10 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	Pass
2 ♥	Pass	Pass	2 ♠
3 ♥	3 ♠	4 ♥	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
4 ♠ by North			
Down 1 — NS -50			

427 boards f

A239898A2890B72F131E5964D83E

Board 267

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 3

♥ A 9 2

♦ A K Q J 5 3

♣ Q 6 2

♠ A J 8 7 6 2

♥ K Q

♦ 9 4

♣ A K 5

♠ 5 4

♥ 10 7 6 5 3

♦ 10 7

♣ J 10 4 3

♠ K Q 10 9

♥ J 8 4

♦ 8 6 2

♣ 9 8 7

W N E S

Shape 6223 2524 4333 1363 HCP 17 1 6 16 Losers 6 10 10 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
3 ♦	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			
4 ♠ by North			
Made 4 — NS +620			

428 boards f

A3F53309970C7352048A95D2249A

Board 268

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 4

♥ A K 9

♦ K 9 8 4

♣ 8 6 4 2

♠ K Q 10 7 3

♥ Q 10 7 6

♦ 10

♣ A Q 5

♠ 9 8

♥ J 8 5 4 2

♦ Q 6 2

♣ 10 7 3

♠ J 6 5 2

♥ 3

♦ A J 7 5 3

♣ K J 9

W N E S

Shape 5413 2533 4153 2344 HCP 13 3 10 14 Losers 5 10 8 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♦ ²	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
2. shortness !D
4 ♠ by North
Made 5 — NS +650

430 boards f

A2490B84F3EF4E688410D1E9B82E

Board 269

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 10 5 4

♥ J 3

♦ A K 8 4 3

♣ 9 2

♠ K 6 2

♥ A K Q 9 7

♦ Q 7

♣ A 5 4

♠ A 9 8

♥ 6 5

♦ J 6 5

♣ Q 8 7 6 3

♠ Q 7 3

♥ 10 8 4 2

♦ 10 9 2

♣ K J 10

W N E

S

Shape 3523 3235 3433 4252 HCP 18 7 6 9 Losers 6 9 10 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			
4 ♥ by North			
Made 4 — NS +620			

431 boards f

A1031761CEC2FAE40B50D060056E

Board 270

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 10 9 8 5

♥ 9

♦ K 8 3

♣ J 10 9 2

♠ A K 7 3

♥ A J 10 7 3

♦ 9 7

♣ Q 3

♠ —

♥ Q 8 4 2

♦ A Q 10 6 5 4

♣ A K 7

♠ Q 6 4 2

♥ K 6 5

♦ J 2

♣ 8 6 5 4

W

N

E

S

Shape 4522 4324 0463 5134 HCP 14 6 15 5 Losers 7 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
6 ♥ by North
Made 6 — NS +980

432 boards f

B0C68D0288975166A8C4374AE2EE

Board 271

North Deals

None Vul

♠ A 6 3 2

♥ 5

♦ K 2

♣ A Q 8 4 3 2

♠ Q 5

♥ A K Q J 6 4

♦ Q 9 3

♣ K 9

♠ 9 8 4

♥ 10 9

♦ A 10 8 6 5

♣ J 7 6

♠ K J 10 7

♥ 8 7 3 2

♦ J 7 4

♣ 10 5

W

N

E

S

Shape 2632 3253 4432 4126 HCP 17 5 5 13 Losers 5 10 10 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	Pass
2 ♣	3 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			
3 ♥ by North			
Down 1 — NS -50			

433 boards f

B225ACD3CA4F4B08A89C224532F8

Board 272

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q J 2

♥ 3 2

♦ J 9 8 7 2

♣ J 5 3

♠ A 8 5 3

♥ J 10 9 8 4

♦ A 4

♣ A 4

♠ 10 9 4

♥ Q 6

♦ Q 5 3

♣ K 8 7 6 2

W

N

E

S

♠ K 7 6

♥ A K 7 5

♦ K 10 6

♣ Q 10 9

Shape 4522 3235 3433 3253 HCP 13 7 15 5 Losers 7 9 7 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♥ by North
Made 6 — NS +680

434 boards f

B1E1BA8D0273BC12101D74122ABE

Board 273

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A		♠ J 8 7 6 4 3
♥ K 10 9 5 2		♥ Q J
♦ 5		♦ K 3
♣ K J 8 4 3 2		♣ A Q 6

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W		E
	S	

♠ 10 5
♥ 8 7 6 4
♦ Q 9 6 2
♣ 9 7 5

♠ K Q 9 2
♥ A 3
♦ A J 10 8 7 4
♣ 10

Shape 6223 2443 4261 1516 HCP 13 2 14 11 Losers 7 10 5 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♣ ¹
Dbl	4 ♦ ²	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♦ ⁴	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter
2. Cue bid, a !D stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
4. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

435 boards f

B307522E87C9A246D8DC29E9C093

Board 274

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 7 6 4 3

♥ —

♦ K 9 3 2

♣ K Q 9 8

♠ A Q 5

♥ A J 10 8 3

♦ Q 6

♣ 10 5 4

♠ K 8

♥ K 7 6 2

♦ 10 7 5 4

♣ 7 6 3

♠ J 9 2

♥ Q 9 5 4

♦ A J 8

♣ A J 2

W

N

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Shape 3523 2443 3433 5044 HCP 13 6 13 8 Losers 8 9 9 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♥ by North
Made 4 — NS +620

437 boards f

B10524171DFE68889FA60B67F79E

Board 275

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 3

♥ 10 3

♦ A K Q 6 4 3

♣ 10 6 2

♠ A K Q J 5

♥ A 8 5

♦ 9 8 5

♣ A J

♠ 9 4

♥ Q J 7 2

♦ J 10 7 2

♣ K 9 8

♠ 8 7 6 2

♥ K 9 6 4

♦ —

♣ Q 7 5 4 3

W

N

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S

Shape 5332 2443 4405 2263 HCP 19 7 5 9 Losers 6 9 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
4 ♠ by North			
Made 6 — NS +480			

438 boards f

B3AFD1460E4A20DEE7CA8863B449

Board 276

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 9
♥ Q J 10 6 5 2
♦ A J 8
♣ K 2

♠ K 8 7 6
♥ 3
♦ K 9 4
♣ Q J 10 8 6

♠ A 5 3
♥ A 9 7 4
♦ Q 7 3
♣ A 7 4

♠ Q 10 4 2
♥ K 8
♦ 10 6 5 2
♣ 9 5 3

W N E S

Shape 2632 4243 3433 4135 HCP 12 5 14 9 Losers 7 9 8 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♥ by North
Made 5 — NS +650

442 boards f

B00EAB117BD094303E5B9BFDB506

Board 277

North Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 4

♥ J 8 7 4 3

♦ A 7 4

♣ A 7 2

♠ A Q 8 7 2

♥ A 2

♦ Q 10 8

♣ Q 4 3

♠ J 6

♥ Q 10 9 6 5

♦ 9 3 2

♣ 10 9 8

♠ K 9 5 3

♥ K

♦ K J 6 5

♣ K J 6 5

W

N

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S

Shape 5233 2533 4144 2533 HCP 14 3 14 9 Losers 6 10 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♣ ²
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

446 boards f

B208862E221AF2FB256C95508F92

Board 278

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 8

♥ 9 8

♦ A 10 8

♣ K Q J 10 9 2

♠ A Q J 10 7

♥ A K 3

♦ K 7 5

♣ 7 5

♠ 6 4

♥ 10 5 4 2

♦ J 9 4 2

♣ A 6 4

♠ K 5 3 2

♥ Q J 7 6

♦ Q 6 3

♣ 8 3

W

N

E

S

Shape 5332 2443 4432 2236 HCP 17 5 8 10 Losers 6 10 8 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 NT	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Dbl	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Stayman

4 ♠ by North

Made 4 — NS +620

447 boards f

B12BBF1DC83014AA7631AE5992FF

Board 279

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 2		♠ A Q 10 9 6
♥ K 10 7 6 2		♥ J
♦ 9 7		♦ A J 8 4
♣ 8 7 5 3		♣ Q 6 4

♠

♥

♦

♣

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♠

♥

♦

♣

♠ K 8 5 3	♠ 7 4
♥ A 8 5	♥ Q 9 4 3
♦ 10 6 3	♦ K Q 5 2
♣ A K 2	♣ J 10 9

Shape 5143 2443 4333 2524 HCP 14 8 14 4 Losers 6 8 8 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♥ ²	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ ³	Pass	4 ♥ ⁴
Pass	4 NT ⁵	Pass	5 ♣ ⁶
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
2. shortness !H
3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
6. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

448 boards f

C02099B93EB01B453E0CAA5068F6

Board 280

North Deals

None Vul

♠ 2		♠ A J 9 7 6
♥ Q J 10 7 2		♥ 8 6
♦ J 7 6		♦ A 10 4
♣ J 7 5 2		♣ K Q 8

♠ 8 4 3

♥ K 9 4

♦ 8 2

♣ A 10 6 4 3

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♠ K Q 10 5
♥ A 5 3
♦ K Q 9 5 3
♣ 9

Shape 5233 3325 4351 1534 HCP 14 7 14 5 Losers 7 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♣ ²
Pass	4 ♦ ³	Pass	4 NT ⁴
Pass	5 ♥ ⁵	Pass	5 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
2. Cue bid, a !C stopper
3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for !S
5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

5 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +480

449 boards f

C259A7A54D2F7230DAB5383F1892

Board 281

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 7

♥ 9 8 6 5 4

♦ A 7 5 3

♣ 9 7 2

W

N

E

S

♠ A J 9

♥ A 7 3 2

♦ 9 8 2

♣ 8 5 3

♠ K Q 6 2

♥ K Q 10

♦ J 10 4

♣ K 10 4

Shape 5134 3433 4333 1543 HCP 13 9 14 4 Losers 6 10 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♥ ²	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !H

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4 ♠ by North

Made 4 — NS +620

450 boards f

C129F33A3FC213928CD8653A9C9E

Board 282

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 10 6		♠ A Q J 9 4
♥ K Q J 4		♥ 10 7
♦ 5		♦ A Q 6 4
♣ Q 10 8 4 2		♣ A 5

♠ 5

♥ 9 8 6 3 2

♦ J 7 3 2

♣ 7 6 3

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♠ 8 7 3 2	
♥ A 5	
♦ K 10 9 8	
♣ K J 9	

Shape 5242 1543 4243 3415 HCP 17 1 11 11 Losers 5 10 8 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♣ ²
Pass	4 ♦ ³	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4 NT ⁴	Pass	5 ♦ ⁵
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
2. Cue bid, a !C stopper
3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for !S
5. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

451 boards f

C3243933B292D70D50ACAD595636

Board 283

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9

♥ K Q J 2

♦ Q J 10 7

♣ J 10 3 2

♠ A K Q 8 2

♥ 8

♦ 8 6 5

♣ K 8 5 4

♠ 7 4 3

♥ 10 9 7 4 3

♦ K 4

♣ A 7 6

W

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♠ J 10 6 5

♥ A 6 5

♦ A 9 3 2

♣ Q 9

Shape 5134 3523 4342 1444 HCP 12 7 11 10 Losers 6 9 9 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♥ ²	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !H

4 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +650

452 boards f

C287C6142392EC2B78BA81375222

Board 284

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 9		♠ Q J 8 4 2
♥ 7 6 4		♥ A K 5
♦ 8 7 6		♦ A K Q 4
♣ K 10 6 3 2		♣ 5
	<div style="display: inline-block; background-color: green; color: white; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> N W E S </div>	♠ 7 3
		♥ Q 10 3
		♦ J 10 5 3 2
		♣ Q 9 7
		♠ A 10 6 5
		♥ J 9 8 2
		♦ 9
		♣ A J 8 4

Shape 5341 2353 4414 2335 HCP 19 5 10 6 Losers 4 9 8 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	5 ♥ ⁴
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
2. shortness !C
3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

454 boards f

C3163120D84AA3376E4A438D80AA

Board 285

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ J

♥ K 8

♦ K Q 9 5 3

♣ A 10 7 6 2

♠ A K Q 8

♥ 10 6 5 4 3

♦ 7 4

♣ K 4

♠ 10 7 6 5

♥ A J

♦ J 10 6 2

♣ Q J 3

♠ 9 4 3 2

♥ Q 9 7 2

♦ A 8

♣ 9 8 5

W

N

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Shape 4522 4243 4423 1255 HCP 12 9 6 13 Losers 6 9 9 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	
2 ♥ by North			
Made 2 — NS +110			

455 boards f

C007938AD7C169E260D2CCB6E648

Board 286

North Deals

None Vul

♠ A
 ♥ A Q 10 5 2
 ♦ K 10 8 7 6
 ♣ 10 9

♠ J 10 8 6 5 3
 ♥ 4
 ♦ 5
 ♣ Q 8 6 4 3

♠ K Q 4
 ♥ 9 8 7 3
 ♦ Q 9 2
 ♣ A K J

♠ 9 7 2
 ♥ K J 6
 ♦ A J 4 3
 ♣ 7 5 2

N
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 S

Shape 1552 3343 3433 6115 HCP 13 9 15 3 Losers 5 10 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♠ ²	Pass	4 ♣ ³
Pass	4 NT ⁴	Pass	5 ♦ ⁵
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
2. shortness !S
3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
5. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♥ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

456 boards f

C1993085917D3331B677631E144E

Board 287

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ —		♠ K 9 8 4 3
♥ K 10 9 8 7 6		♥ Q 2
♦ Q 7 6 3		♦ A
♣ 7 4 2		♣ A Q J 10 8

♠ 10 6 5 2

♥ A J 4 3

♦ 10 4 2

♣ K 3

N
E

W
S

♠ A Q J 7
♥ 5
♦ K J 9 8 5
♣ 9 6 5

Shape 5215 4432 4153 0643 HCP 16 8 11 5 Losers 5 9 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♥ ¹
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	5 ♦ ³
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	6 ♦ ⁴
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
 4. !S queen and !D king
- 6 ♠ by North
 Made 6 — NS +980

457 boards f

C3B1AE032489B6EE3B5E1B781610

Board 288

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8

♥ A 9 7 4

♦ A Q 2

♣ K 9 8 6 3

W

N

E

S

♠ 6 4

♥ 6 5 3 2

♦ 10 7 5 4

♣ J 4 2

♠ Q J 7 5 3 2

♥ Q 10

♦ K 8 6

♣ A 10

♠ A K 10 9

♥ K J 8

♦ J 9 3

♣ Q 7 5

Shape 6232 2443 4333 1435 HCP 12 1 14 13 Losers 7 11 8 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♠ by North
Made 4 — NS +620

458 boards f

C01EE507228B0018B65F5CCCAAB2

Board 289

North Deals

None Vul

♠ K 4

♥ 7 2

♦ A 6 5 4

♣ A J 7 3 2

♠ A Q J 9 8

♥ Q 10 9 4

♦ J 9 2

♣ K

♠ 6 5

♥ A 8 6 5

♦ K Q 7

♣ 9 8 5 4

♠ 10 7 3 2

♥ K J 3

♦ 10 8 3

♣ Q 10 6

W N E S

Shape 5431 2434 4333 2245 HCP 13 9 6 12 Losers 7 8 10 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
2 ♠ by North			
Made 2 — NS +110			

459 boards f

C20F2ADD0D73CAF46482825328A8

Board 290

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A K J 3
♥ A J 9 6 5
♦ 8 7
♣ Q J

♠ Q 9 8
♥ 10 8
♦ K 9 3 2
♣ K 9 6 5

♠ 10 7 4
♥ Q 4
♦ 10 6 5 4
♣ 8 7 3 2

♠ 6 5 2
♥ K 7 3 2
♦ A Q J
♣ A 10 4

W N E S

Shape 4522 3244 3433 3244 HCP 16 2 14 8 Losers 7 11 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 NT ²
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. surplus

5 ♥ by North

Made 5 — NS +650

460 boards f

C32E6F19208C8E38B3137BF4AE7A

Board 291

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ 4		♠ A Q J 8 6
♥ 8 7 5 4 2		♥ 10 9
♦ J 7 6		♦ A K 10 9 3
♣ A 9 3 2		♣ Q

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♠ 10 9 7 3	♠ K 5 2
♥ A K J 3	♥ Q 6
♦ 4	♦ Q 8 5 2
♣ K 7 6 5	♣ J 10 8 4

Shape 5251 3244 4414 1534 HCP 16 8 11 5 Losers 5 9 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♦ ¹
Pass	4 ♥ ²	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	5 ♦ ⁴
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter
 2. surplus
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 4. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 5 ♠ by North
 Made 5 — NS +650

461 boards f

C0F83D41BD3FAB955A240E34578A

Board 292

North Deals

None Vul

♠ A

♥ A K J 10 4

♦ K J 10 5

♣ 7 5 2

♠ K 10 6 5 4

♥ Q 5 2

♦ Q

♣ K Q J 8

♠ J 9 8 2

♥ 9 6

♦ A 9 7 2

♣ 10 9 3

♠ Q 7 3

♥ 8 7 3

♦ 8 6 4 3

♣ A 6 4

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Shape 5314 3343 4243 1543 HCP 13 6 5 16 Losers 6 10 10 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
3 ♥	3 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			
3 ♠ by North			
Made 3 — NS +140			

462 boards f

C2B72F49179B7A108C367E03D1B2

Board 293

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 3		♠ K J 8 6 4
♥ A 9 6 5 2		♥ Q 7 4
♦ Q 10 9		♦ A J 6
♣ 9 6 5 2		♣ Q 3

♠ Q 9 5

♥ J 10 8 3

♦ 8 4 3 2

♣ 8 7

N

W E

S

♠ A 10 7 2

♥ K

♦ K 7 5

♣ A K J 10 4

Shape 5332 3442 4135 1534 HCP 13 3 18 6 Losers 8 10 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	5 ♥ ³	Pass	5 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

5 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +680

463 boards f

C179BB182417E01276A278859F0E

Board 294

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9

♥ A K 7 5

♦ J 10 7 4

♣ 8 7 6 2

♠ Q J 10 8 2

♥ 4 2

♦ A K Q 5

♣ A 4

♠ A 7 5

♥ Q 10 8 3

♦ 3 2

♣ Q J 9 5

♠ K 6 4 3

♥ J 9 6

♦ 9 8 6

♣ K 10 3

W

N

E

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Shape 5242 3424 4333 1444 HCP 16 9 7 8 Losers 5 8 10 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			
3 ♠ by North			
Made 4 — NS +170			

464 boards f

D039F99A17A80CB116B2C85C0B76

Board 295

North Deals

None Vul

♠ K 5

♥ A K 8 6 2

♦ 9 4

♣ Q 7 6 2

W

N

E

S

♠ A J 9 7 3

♥ 9 5 3

♦ 8 6

♣ A K 8

♠ 4 2

♥ Q J 7 4

♦ J 7 2

♣ 10 9 5 4

♠ Q 10 8 6

♥ 10

♦ A K Q 10 5 3

♣ J 3

Shape 5323 2434 4162 2524 HCP 12 4 12 12 Losers 8 10 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♥ ¹
Dbl	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter
4 ♠ by North
Made 5 — NS +450

465 boards f

D2AEC5CB286E844A53E0C9D4D78C

Board 296

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J

♥ K Q 9 8 5 2

♦ K 9 4 3

♣ K 5

♠ K Q 6 5 4 3

♥ —

♦ Q J 8 5

♣ A 10 8

♠ 10 8 7

♥ 7 4 3

♦ 7 6

♣ J 9 6 4 2

♠ A 9 2

♥ A J 10 6

♦ A 10 2

♣ Q 7 3

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Shape 1642 3325 3433 6043 HCP 12 1 15 12 Losers 5 11 8 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
3 ♠	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT

4 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +680

467 boards f

D30F9DAAC2C9A0D356A46BC8C902

Board 297

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 2
♥ A J 10 4 3 2
♦ A K
♣ K 10 3

♠ J 10 8 4 3
♥ —
♦ J 9 8 2
♣ Q J 7 2

♠ 7 5
♥ K 8 7
♦ Q 10 5 4 3
♣ 9 6 4

♠ K Q 9 6
♥ Q 9 6 5
♦ 7 6
♣ A 8 5

W N E S

Shape 2623 2353 4423 5044 HCP 19 5 11 5 Losers 5 9 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠ ²
Pass	4 ♦ ³	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	4 NT ⁴	Pass	5 ♦ ⁵
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. Cue bid, a !S stopper

3. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

5. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

468 boards f

D23AC1CBA49F422B103297997C0E

Board 298

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K Q

♥ A 6 3

♦ A Q 8 4

♣ A 9 6 2

♠ A 8 7 6 2

♥ K Q 9 2

♦ J 5

♣ K 4

♠ 9 3

♥ 10 7 5 4

♦ K 9 7 6

♣ J 7 3

♠ J 10 5 4

♥ J 8

♦ 10 3 2

♣ Q 10 8 5

W N E S

Shape 5422 2443 4234 2344 HCP 13 4 4 19 Losers 6 10 10 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	Pass
2 NT	Pass	Pass	Pass
2 N by West			
Made 2 — NS -120			

470 boards f

D35585EB31CE6234C88E481BE3A0

Board 299

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 10 7 3

♥ J 8

♦ J 9 3 2

♣ 10 9 6

♠ J 8 4

♥ K 10 7 6 5

♦ 10 6

♣ A K J

♠ A 9 5

♥ A 4

♦ Q 7 5 4

♣ 8 7 5 2

♠ K 6 2

♥ Q 9 3 2

♦ A K 8

♣ Q 4 3

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Shape 3523 3244 3433 4243 HCP 12 10 14 4 Losers 8 8 7 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♥ by North
Made 5 — NS +650

471 boards f

D013E23CAA2D22479CD87685842E

Board 300

North Deals

None Vul

♠ K 6

♥ Q 5

♦ Q 10 7 2

♣ K J 9 5 2

♠ A Q 10 9 2

♥ 8 4 3

♦ A K 9

♣ 10 4

♠ 8 5

♥ A 7 6

♦ 8 5 4 3

♣ Q 7 6 3

♠ J 7 4 3

♥ K J 10 9 2

♦ J 6

♣ A 8

W

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Shape 5332 2344 4522 2245 HCP 13 6 10 11 Losers 7 9 8 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♠ by North
Made 4 — NS +420

473 boards f

D3CE87653C2030CF768850CFAA6A

Board 301

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 8 4		♠ J 10 9
♥ J 9 7		♥ A K 8 6 4
♦ 10 9 5		♦ A J 8 4
♣ A 7 3 2		♣ Q

♠

♥

♦

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♦

♣

♠ K 6 3	♠ Q 7 5 2
♥ Q 10 3 2	♥ 5
♦ K Q 7	♦ 6 3 2
♣ K 8 4	♣ J 10 9 6 5

Shape 3541 4135 3433 3334 HCP 15 3 13 9 Losers 7 9 7 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !C

4 ♥ by North

Made 5 — NS +650

474 boards f

D07A822325309FA972547F993636

Board 302

North Deals

None Vul

♠ —

♥ A 10 7 5 3 2

♦ 9 5

♣ A K 7 3 2

♠ Q J 10 3 2

♥ K

♦ K Q 10 7

♣ J 8 4

♠ A 7 6 5

♥ 9 6 4

♦ J 6 3 2

♣ 10 6

♠ K 9 8 4

♥ Q J 8

♦ A 8 4

♣ Q 9 5

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Shape 5143 4342 4333 0625 HCP 12 5 12 11 Losers 7 10 8 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
3 ♠ ²	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. Michaels Cuebid

4 ♠ by North

Down 1 — NS -50

475 boards f

D2CAC19834002B2B43AB7D68819A

Board 303

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A K

♥ J 5

♦ A Q 9 8 6 4 2

♣ A 2

♠ J 10 9 8

♥ A K 10 7 3

♦ J

♣ K 5 3

♠ 7 5 4

♥ Q 2

♦ K 10 7 3

♣ Q J 10 4

♠ Q 6 3 2

♥ 9 8 6 4

♦ 5

♣ 9 8 7 6

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Shape 4513 3244 4414 2272 HCP 12 8 2 18 Losers 7 9 9 4

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	Pass
Dbl	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♥
5 ♦	Pass	Pass	Pass
5 ♦ by West			
Made 5 — NS -400			

476 boards f

D3027926B2690F1B2A8555DAB096

Board 304

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ 4

♥ K J 3

♦ A J 3

♣ A Q J 7 4 2

♠ A Q 9 8 7

♥ A 9 6

♦ 9

♣ K 10 6 5

♠ K 10 5

♥ 8 5 4 2

♦ K 10 8 7 4

♣ 3

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♠ J 6 3 2

♥ Q 10 7

♦ Q 6 5 2

♣ 9 8

Shape 5314 3451 4342 1336 HCP 13 6 5 16 Losers 6 8 9 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	Pass
Dbl	Pass	2 ♥	2 ♠
3 ♣	Pass	3 ♦	Pass
Pass	Pass		
3 ♦ by East			
Made 4 — NS -130			

479 boards f

D11127048F027EFFA0DD481AAEB6

Board 305

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 6		♠ A K Q 10 4
♥ 9 8 2		♥ Q J 10 5
♦ K Q 2		♦ 5 4
♣ 10 9 4 3 2		♣ A 6

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♠ 9 5
♥ A 6 4
♦ J 9 8 6 3
♣ Q 7 5

♠ J 7 3 2
♥ K 7 3
♦ A 10 7
♣ K J 8

Shape 5422 2353 4333 2335 HCP 16 7 12 5 Losers 5 9 9 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♣ ²
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

481 boards f

E28AC196C06DC701985BF1EF6D6A

Board 306

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K J 9 5 4

♥ 5

♦ A 7 6 2

♣ A Q 2

♠ 8

♥ A K J 9 8

♦ Q 9

♣ K 10 8 5 3

♠ 10 6 3 2

♥ Q 7 6

♦ K J 8 5

♣ J 7

♠ A Q 7

♥ 10 4 3 2

♦ 10 4 3

♣ 9 6 4

W N E S

Shape 1525 4342 3433 5143 HCP 13 7 6 14 Losers 6 9 10 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
2 ♠	3 ♥	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		
3 ♠ by West			
Made 4 — NS -170			

482 boards f

E12BC4978374AC3CF50E56802E01

Board 307

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 7		♠ A 8 6 3 2
♥ 10 8 7		♥ K J 6 4 2
♦ K Q 10 7 5		♦ A
♣ 6 5 3		♣ 7 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 10 5		♠ Q J 9 4
♥ Q 5		♥ A 9 3
♦ 9 8 6 3		♦ J 4 2
♣ K 10 9 8 4		♣ A Q J

Shape 5512 2245 4333 2353 HCP 12 5 15 8 Losers 6 9 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♦ ²	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ ³	Pass	4 ♥ ⁴
Pass	4 NT ⁵	Pass	5 ♠ ⁶
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
2. shortness !D
3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1

6 ♠ by North

Down 1 — NS -50

483 boards f

E323C8EDCE4F9040A348B1A3419A

Board 308

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ K Q J

♥ 5

♦ A 9 8 7 5 4 3

♣ J 2

♠ A

♥ K J 10 8 6 3

♦ Q J 10

♣ Q 5 3

♠ 10 8 6 3

♥ 9 2

♦ K 6 2

♣ K 9 8 6

♠ 9 7 5 4 2

♥ A Q 7 4

♦ —

♣ A 10 7 4

W

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Shape 1633 4234 5404 3172 HCP 13 6 10 11 Losers 6 9 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	4 ♦ ¹
Dbl	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. Splinter			
4 ♥ by North			
Made 6 — NS +680			

484 boards f

E2A9CBC7E420B97DCA80614394B2

Board 309

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K Q J 7
♥ 9 8 2
♦ A K 9 7
♣ 7 2

♠ 10
♥ K Q 7 6 4
♦ Q J 3
♣ A 9 8 5

♠ 8 5 4
♥ 3
♦ 10 6 5 4 2
♣ J 10 6 3

♠ A 9 6 3 2
♥ A J 10 5
♦ 8
♣ K Q 4

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Shape 1534 3154 5413 4342 HCP 12 1 14 13 Losers 6 10 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	4 ♦ ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			
	1. Splinter		
	4 ♥ by North		
	Made 6 — NS +680		

485 boards f

E1C53844AF5A2D309CB73F9207C2

Board 310

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 2

♥ K 8 6 5

♦ A Q 6 3

♣ 10 4 2

♠ K 9 8 5 3

♥ A Q 3 2

♦ K 10

♣ A 9

♠ J 7 6 4

♥ J 9

♦ 8 4 2

♣ J 6 5 3

♠ Q 10

♥ 10 7 4

♦ J 9 7 5

♣ K Q 8 7

W

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Shape 5422 2344 4234 2443 HCP 16 8 3 13 Losers 5 9 11 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	Pass
1 NT	Pass	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
2 ♠ by North			
Made 3 — NS +140			

486 boards f

E33B0E4248328B0B909484266332

Board 311

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ —

♥ A 10 2

♦ Q 10 7 3 2

♣ K Q 10 4 2

♠ A K 10 8 4 2

♥ K Q J 9 8 5

♦ K

♣ —

♠ —

♥ A 10 2

♦ Q 10 7 3 2

♣ K Q 10 4 2

♠ Q J 3

♥ 7 6

♦ A J 9 8

♣ J 7 6 5

♠ 9 7 6 5

♥ 4 3

♦ 6 5 4

♣ A 9 8 3

Shape 6610 3244 4234 0355 HCP 16 9 4 11 Losers 3 9 10 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	Pass
2 ♦	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
4 ♠ by North			
Made 5 — NS +650			

487 boards f

E032708A3FA5160828B7B540E66E

Board 312

North Deals

None Vul

♠ A J 9 8 7
♥ Q 8 4
♦ A K 4
♣ 10 5

♠ 3
♥ A K J 6 5
♦ J 2
♣ A Q 9 3 2

♠ K 4 2
♥ 9
♦ 10 9 6 5 3
♣ K 8 7 4

♠ Q 10 6 5
♥ 10 7 3 2
♦ Q 8 7
♣ J 6

W N E S

Shape 5332 3154 4432 1525 HCP 14 6 5 15 Losers 7 8 9 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	Pass
2 ♠ ¹	Pass	2 NT ²	3 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

3 ♠ by North

Down 1 — NS -50

489 boards f

E39F1309E5B6796A5C00B3203592

Board 313

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ J

♥ 10 9 5 3

♦ K 6 5 4 2

♣ 10 8 2

♠ K Q 6 4 3

♥ Q 6

♦ A 7

♣ Q J 9 3

♠ 9 8 7

♥ A K 7 2

♦ Q 9 8

♣ 7 6 4

♠ A 10 5 2

♥ J 8 4

♦ J 10 3

♣ A K 5

W

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Shape 5224 3433 4333 1453 HCP 14 9 13 4 Losers 6 9 9 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
4 ♠ by North
Made 4 — NS +620

490 boards f

E0E198A5CD284E5E4CFF2B46871D

Board 314

North Deals

None Vul

♠ A J 6
♥ 6
♦ J 9 8 7 6 2
♣ 9 8 4

♠ 10 5 2
♥ J 9 7 4 3
♦ A
♣ A Q J 2

♠ 9 8 7 4
♥ K 8 2
♦ Q 4 3
♣ K 10 7

♠ K Q 3
♥ A Q 10 5
♦ K 10 5
♣ 6 5 3

W N E S

Shape 3514 4333 3433 3163 HCP 12 8 14 6 Losers 7 9 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♦ ²	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !D

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4 ♥ by North

Made 4 — NS +420

491 boards f

E26E4D3784A40267F2DBE01E4A88

Board 315

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 7 6 5

♥ Q 7

♦ 6 3 2

♣ A 9 7 4 3

♠ Q 9 4

♥ K J 9 3 2

♦ Q J 10 8

♣ K

♠ A K 8 3

♥ 6 4

♦ 9 7 5

♣ J 10 5 2

♠ J 10 2

♥ A 10 8 5

♦ A K 4

♣ Q 8 6

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Shape 3541 4234 3433 3235 HCP 12 8 14 6 Losers 7 9 8 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. shortness !C

4 ♥ by North

Made 4 — NS +620

492 boards f

E322A93C159571ECD43A702AADAA

Board 316

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 7

♥ Q 9 6 5

♦ A 9 5

♣ A 6 4 2

♠ A Q J 6 4

♥ —

♦ Q 8 3

♣ K J 10 9 3

♠ 9 5

♥ J 10 7

♦ K 6 4 2

♣ Q 8 7 5

♠ K 10 3 2

♥ A K 8 4 3 2

♦ J 10 7

♣ —

W N E S

Shape 5035 2344 4630 2434 HCP 13 6 11 10 Losers 5 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	5 ♥ ³
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

5 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +650

493 boards f

E0953DCC2FABBE6623F044931D16

Board 317

North Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 6

♥ K 9 6

♦ K Q J 9 3

♣ 9 8 2

♠ K J 7 3 2

♥ Q 5

♦ 7 6 4

♣ A K 3

♠ 8 5

♥ A 4 3 2

♦ A 8 5 2

♣ Q 6 5

♠ A 10 9 4

♥ J 10 8 7

♦ 10

♣ J 10 7 4

W

N

E

S

Shape 5233 2443 4414 2353 HCP 13 10 6 11 Losers 8 8 9 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	Pass	Dbl	Pass
3 ♦	3 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			
3 ♠ by North			
Made 4 — NS +170			


495 boards f

E1A239FAF5AC90A42D511030F91E

Board 318

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q J 3		♠ 6
♥ K Q J 4 3		♥ 9 6 5 2
♦ J 8		♦ 10 7 2
♣ A Q 2		♣ 10 9 8 5 4

♠ A 10 9 8
♥ A 10 8 7
♦ A 9 6 5 4
♣ —

Shape 5035 1435 4450 3523 HCP 12 0 12 16 Losers 5 10 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	3 ♥ ²	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	5 ♣ ⁴
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	5 ♠ ⁵
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
2. shortness !H
3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
4. A=0/5 or 3/5
5. no !S queen

5 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +480

496 boards f

F0C3A60C8D5B3C2CAEB147AE5406

Board 319

North Deals

None Vul

♠ A

♥ 9 6

♦ Q J 9 8 7 4

♣ K 7 4 2

♠ Q 9 8 2

♥ A Q J 5 2

♦ A 6

♣ J 6

♠ 10 5 3

♥ 10 3

♦ K 5 3 2

♣ Q 9 8 3

♠ K J 7 6 4

♥ K 8 7 4

♦ 10

♣ A 10 5

W N E

S

Shape 4522 3244 5413 1264 HCP 14 5 11 10 Losers 6 9 7 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	4 ♦ ¹
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	5 ♥ ³
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

5 ♥ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

497 boards f

F287B167CACEF3225C96E442640E

Board 320

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 10 9 5

♥ K 9

♦ J

♣ J 10 8 6 4 2

W

N

E

S

♠ 8 2

♥ A J 10 4 2

♦ A Q 6 5 3

♣ K

♠ A K 6

♥ Q 8 5 3

♦ 10 7 2

♣ A Q 9

♠ Q 7 4 3

♥ 7 6

♦ K 9 8 4

♣ 7 5 3

Shape 2551 4243 3433 4216 HCP 14 5 15 6 Losers 6 9 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♥	Pass	2 NT ¹
Pass	4 ♦	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	5 ♥ ³	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

498 boards f

F1067B46913FBC171A422CD5AF82

Board 321

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 4

♥ K 10 9

♦ A Q 8 4

♣ A Q 7 6 2

♠ A 10 8 7 5

♥ A Q 6 2

♦ K 7

♣ J 4

♠ K Q 6

♥ J 8 7 4

♦ 10 9 5 3

♣ 9 5

♠ J 9 3 2

♥ 5 3

♦ J 6 2

♣ K 10 8 3

W N E S

Shape 5422 3442 4234 1345 HCP 14 6 5 15 Losers 6 9 10 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
	1 ♠	Pass	Pass
Dbl	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
2 ♠ by North			
Made 3 — NS +140			