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**Board 1**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4351 2227 5512 2353 HCP 13 8 15 4 Losers 7 7 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠ by South

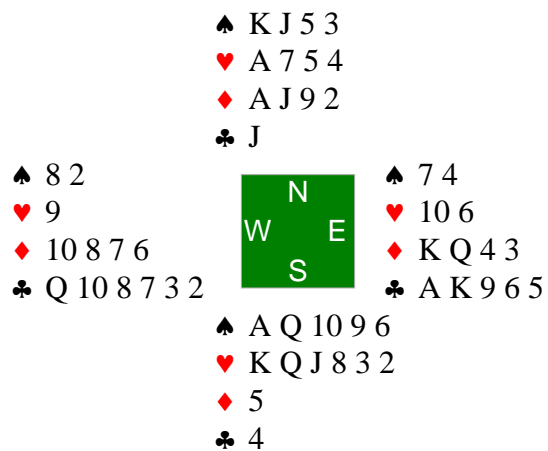
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**Board 2**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 4441 2245 5611 2146 HCP 14 12 12 2 Losers 7 6 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Dbl	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6 ♥× by South

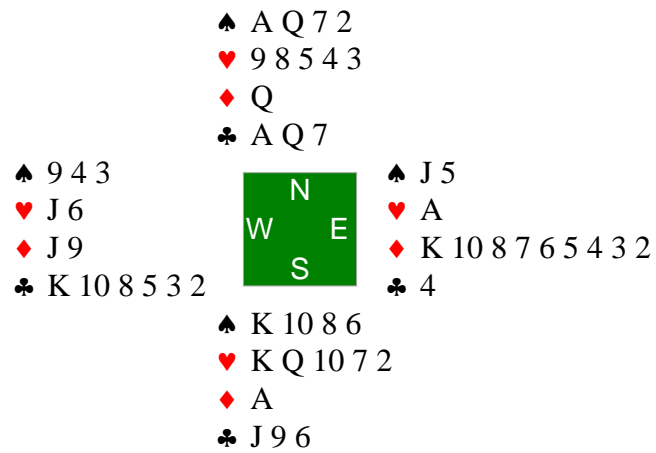
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**Board 3**

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 4513 2191 4513 3226 HCP 14 8 13 5 Losers 6 5 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

1. Splinter  
4 ♥ by South  
Made 6 — NS +480

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**Board 4**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 6412 3361 0544 4126 HCP 16 0 20 4 Losers 5 10 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♥ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	7 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

4. King ask by 5 NT

5. K=2

7 ♥ by South

Made 7 — NS +2210

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**Board 5**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 5512 3145 2533 3253 HCP 14 4 17 5 Losers 5 9 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			
4 ♥ by North			
Made 6 — NS +680			

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# **Board 6**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 1633 4126 3622 5062 HCP 13 7 19 1 Losers 7 6 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Dbl	4 NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	7 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

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

7 ♥ by South

Made 7 — NS +2210

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**Board 7**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 5521 2146 2533 4243 HCP 14 3 18 5 Losers 6 8 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

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

6 ♥ by South

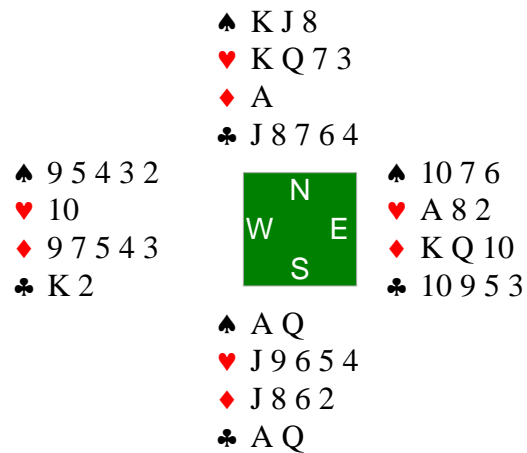
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**Board 8**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 3415 3334 2542 5152 HCP 14 9 14 3 Losers 6 9 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♥

1. Splinter
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1
- 6 ♥ by South  
Made 6 — NS +1430



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**Board 9**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4252 2632 5323 2236 HCP 13 8 17 2 Losers 8 8 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

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

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**Board 10**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 3415 5233 2542 3253 HCP 16 3 18 3 Losers 5 10 5 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♥ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	7 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

4. King ask by 5 NT

5. K=2

7 ♥ by South

Made 7 — NS +2210


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**Board 11**

South Deals

None Vul

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



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

Shape 2434 3325 3532 5152 HCP 15 4 17 4 Losers 7 10 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	4 NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♣ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Stayman
  2. artificial
  3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
  4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  5. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 6 ♥ by South
- Made 6 — NS +980

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**Board 12**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4414 3235 2542 4252 HCP 13 9 18 0 Losers 6 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

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**Board 13**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4135 1525 5323 3460 HCP 15 3 19 3 Losers 5 8 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♦ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	7 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

4. King ask by 5 NT

5. K=1

7 ♠ by South

Made 7 — NS +1510

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**Board 14**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

	♠ A 5
	♥ A 5 4 3 2
	♦ 5
	♣ K Q J 7 5



Shape 5431 3145 2515 3352 HCP 15 8 14 3 Losers 5 8 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter
2. Cue bid, surplus
3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

6 ♥ by South  
Made 6 — NS +1430

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**Board 15**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 2434 3244 3523 5242 HCP 13 7 17 3 Losers 7 9 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 NT
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass			Pass

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

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**Board 16**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

♠ A Q 8 3 2
♥ K Q 9
♦ K Q
♣ Q 7 5

Shape 4513 0445 5323 4162 HCP 15 4 18 3 Losers 6 8 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

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

5 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +680



**Board 17**  
South Deals  
None Vul

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

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



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

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

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♠
Pass	6 ♥ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Stayman
2. artificial
3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
4. A=1/5 or 4/5
5. no !H queen

6 ♥ by South  
Made 6 — NS +980

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**Board 18**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

	♠ —
	♥ J 9 7 6 5
	♦ K 9 5
	♣ 9 8 7 5 4

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

Shape 4261 0535 5323 4324 HCP 13 4 18 5 Losers 5 8 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

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

6 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430


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**Board 19**

South Deals

Both Vul

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



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

Shape 6232 1543 5323 1345 HCP 16 1 17 6 Losers 6 10 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

6 ♠ by South

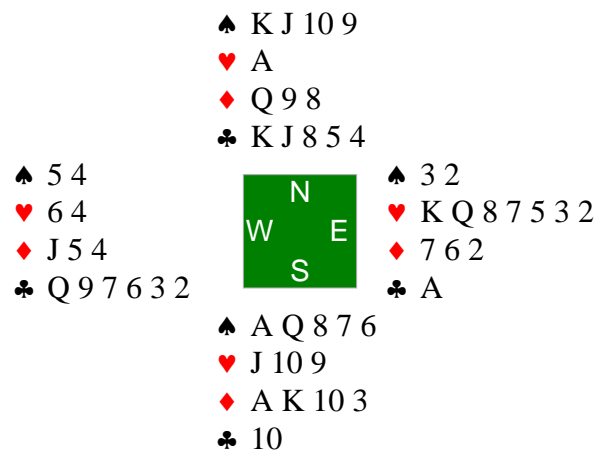
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**Board 20**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 4135 2731 5341 2236 HCP 14 9 14 3 Losers 6 6 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>1</sup>	Dbl	1 ♠
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♠

1. Splinter
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0
- 6 ♠ by South  
Made 6 — NS +1430

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**Board 21**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 5332 2335 6241 0535 HCP 18 2 14 6 Losers 6 11 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>	3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in !S
3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1

6 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

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**Board 22**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4513 1363 5125 3442 HCP 13 9 14 4 Losers 6 7 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Dbl	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

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

5 ♠ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

4BA90F6207152072998ACA9ABCFB

**Board 23**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4423 2335 5323 2362 HCP 13 6 17 4 Losers 8 9 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Stayman  
4 ♠ by South  
Made 6 — NS +680

489BDBA3893E3796346C399DFEAC

**Board 24**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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

	♠ A Q J 8 4 2
	♥ Q 6 2
	♦ Q
	♣ J 5 4

Shape 4144 1453 6313 2533 HCP 18 7 12 3 Losers 5 8 7 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♠ by South

Made 5 — NS +450



4A2F78A7AEA0011448BE62801A10

**Board 25**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 5332 3334 5521 0256 HCP 15 7 12 6 Losers 8 10 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
2 NT <sup>1</sup>	4 ♠	5 ♣	Pass
Pass	5 ♠	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Unusual 2 NT  
5 ♠× by South  
Made 6 — NS +1050

496B3B0AAEA8E004CFAC46464874

**Board 26**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 3613 5044 3550 2236 HCP 14 7 15 4 Losers 5 7 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	
1. Splinter			
4 ♥ by South			
Made 6 — NS +480			

59AB408D24002E36CFA5F66E7815

**Board 27**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 5422 3154 3523 2344 HCP 13 4 17 6 Losers 6 9 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 NT
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass			Pass

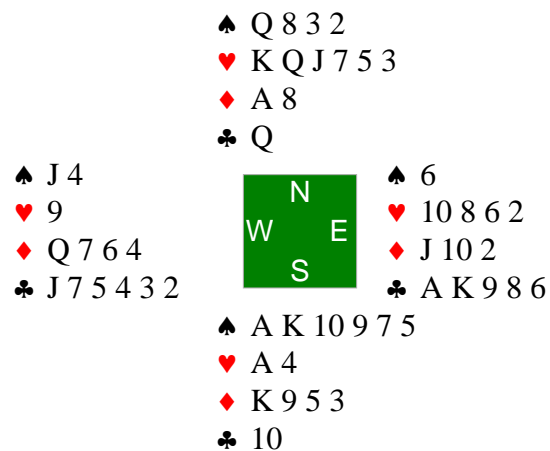
1. Stayman  
4 ♥ by South  
Made 6 — NS +480

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**Board 28**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 4621 1435 6241 2146 HCP 14 8 14 4 Losers 5 8 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Dbl	1 ♠
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass			Pass

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

6 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

5A258B4648E8228C78E5AC78CB3B

**Board 29**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ Q J 7 4

♥ —

♦ K J 10 7 4 3 2

♣ Q 9

N
E

W
S

♠ K 8 5
♥ A 10 9 6 5
♦ A Q 6
♣ A 6

Shape 3523 4072 3532 3316 HCP 13 9 17 1 Losers 7 6 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♦	Dbl	2 NT <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Extended acceptance after NT

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

3. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4. Cue bid, a !D stopper

5. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6 ♥ by South

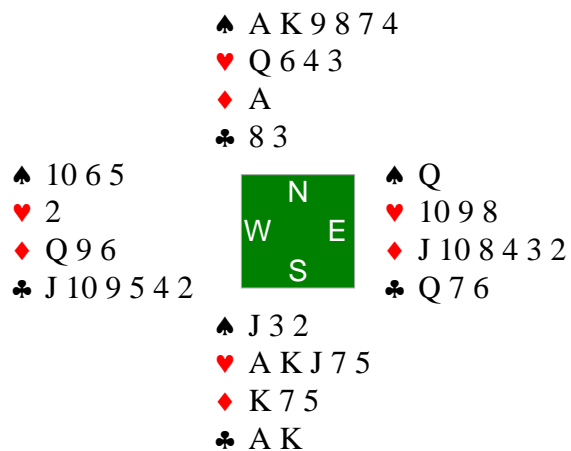
Made 7 — NS +1460

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**Board 30**

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 6412 1363 3532 3136 HCP 13 5 19 3 Losers 5 9 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6 ♥ by South

Made 7 — NS +1010

5A2D19B745311A8097DA333398B8

**Board 31**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 6214 1552 5134 1543 HCP 14 7 17 2 Losers 5 7 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

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

6 ♠ by South

Made 7 — NS +1460

59292093F002867F1BDEDEB996AC

**Board 32**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4243 1525 5332 3343 HCP 15 2 17 6 Losers 6 8 6 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>7</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Stayman
  2. artificial
  3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
  4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
  5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  6. A=0/5 or 3/5
  7. !S queen and !H king
- 6 ♠ by South  
 Made 7 — NS +1010



69A2094BD1C663CCAAFEF6CC2765

**Board 33**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 9 2
♥ J
♦ 10 5 3 2
♣ A 10 7 6 5

♠ A 7
♥ A 9 7 3 2
♦ K Q 7
♣ K J 2

Shape 2533 3145 2533 6232 HCP 15 7 17 1 Losers 6 8 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>6</sup>
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>7</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Extended acceptance after NT
2. Cue bid, surplus
3. Cue bid, 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)=1

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +980

68CD8C23011587C7BA7CB62E5DBC

**Board 34**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4513 2263 5224 2443 HCP 13 7 13 7 Losers 6 8 8 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Dbl	Pass
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter  
4 ♠ by South  
Made 5 — NS +450

6A812B87A3515A14B2D8BF3BC824

**Board 35**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4315 2452 5332 2344 HCP 15 3 17 5 Losers 5 9 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Stayman

2. artificial

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

6 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

680EE8A9A33874A89E5ABF6C3018

**Board 36**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4162 3343 5521 1417 HCP 14 8 12 6 Losers 5 10 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
3 ♣	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠

1. limit raise or better in !S

4 ♠ by South

Made 4 — NS +420

6A06E6220DFB636741D51220F948

**Board 37**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

Shape 5413 4234 0544 4252 HCP 13 9 13 5 Losers 7 8 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0
- 5 ♥ by South
- Down 1 — NS -100

**Board 38**  
South Deals  
E-W Vul



♣ A Q 4

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Stayman
2. artificial
3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
5. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South  
Made 7 — NS +1010

7A9B09B90E5E3CE1A2909D328D70

**Board 39**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

	♠ A Q 7 6 5 3
	♥ 8 7
	♦ —
	♣ K Q 8 5 3



Shape 4351 2434 6205 1453 HCP 13 14 11 2 Losers 7 7 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +680

7AB72BAFE0A313FE939A19583BE4

**Board 40**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4027 1552 5521 3343 HCP 14 3 16 7 Losers 4 8 4 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

6 ♠ by South

Made 7 — NS +1460



7912AB4AA68AC74BBE3DB4381F7C

**Board 41**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4414 3235 5251 1543 HCP 13 14 13 0 Losers 6 7 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

5 ♠ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

79054A594FED36750E31AEEC22E0

**Board 42**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

	♠ K Q J 8
	♥ Q
	♦ A 9 8
	♣ K 9 7 5 3

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



Shape 5431 4135 1525 3352 HCP 13 15 11 1 Losers 7 6 6 11

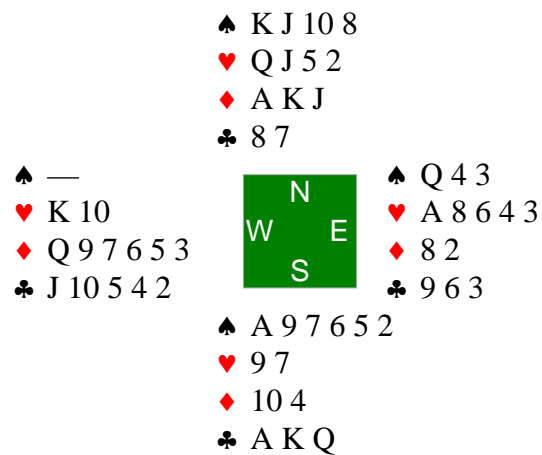
West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	
1. Splinter			
4 ♥ by South			
Made 6 — NS +480			

7B953549043CAA13AB9A885C5A80

**Board 43**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 4432 3523 6223 0265 HCP 15 6 13 6 Losers 7 9 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
2 NT <sup>1</sup>	3 ♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Unusual 2 NT
  2. strength cue bid
- 4 ♠ by South  
 Made 5 — NS +650

78A7E3832F6FC6661554CC5C8BB5

**Board 44**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 2416 4342 4522 3163 HCP 13 1 19 7 Losers 5 11 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +980

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**Board 45**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4333 2452 5422 2236 HCP 13 4 19 4 Losers 7 10 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3 NT <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

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

6 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

7A2DE60932E7ECC9886E1262EC48

**Board 46**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

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

Shape 4441 3145 1723 5134 HCP 13 6 16 5 Losers 6 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

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

6 ♥ by South  
 Made 7 — NS +1460

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**Board 47**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

W

S

N  
E  
S

N

E

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

Shape 4513 3154 1651 5125 HCP 15 6 14 5 Losers 6 8 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1
- 6 ♥ by South
- Down 1 — NS -50

8A87871DDDBED822B2FAA4FB181D

**Board 48**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4243 0544 5233 4423 HCP 19 3 17 1 Losers 5 8 6 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	7 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Stayman

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

7 ♠ by South

Made 7 — NS +2210

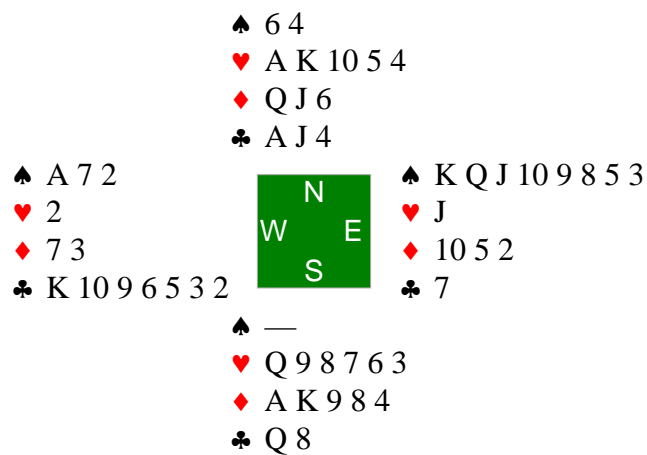


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**Board 49**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 2533 8131 0652 3127 HCP 15 7 11 7 Losers 7 6 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
3 ♣	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. limit raise or better in !H

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

Made 7 — NS +1460

89A0C205AB1EE0E668C2B638C514

**Board 50**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4441 1255 3532 5215 HCP 15 5 13 7 Losers 5 7 9 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	
1. Splinter			
4 ♥ by South			
Made 5 — NS +450			

89940B390E9BE4BE35739C9A0AC4

**Board 51**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 5413 1444 5152 2434 HCP 13 9 11 7 Losers 6 8 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
1. Splinter			
4 ♠ by South			
Made 4 — NS +420			

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**Board 52**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4621 1165 5233 3424 HCP 13 5 17 5 Losers 5 6 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Texas

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6 ♥ by South

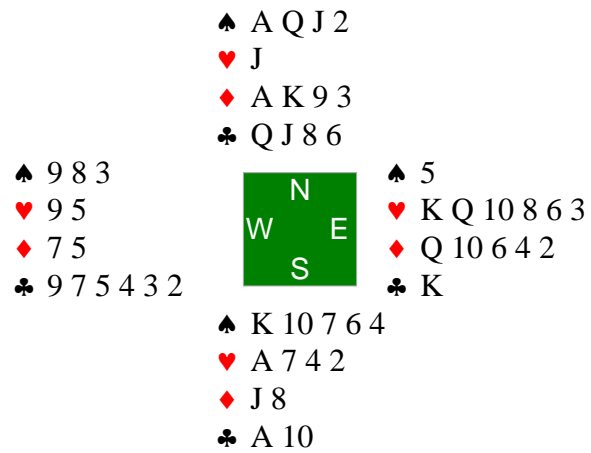
Made 6 — NS +1430

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**Board 53**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 4144 1651 5422 3226 HCP 18 10 12 0 Losers 5 5 7 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>1</sup>	Dbl	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
1. Splinter			
4 ♠ by South			
Made 6 — NS +680			

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**Board 54**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4414 1552 5053 3424 HCP 16 7 11 6 Losers 6 7 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠

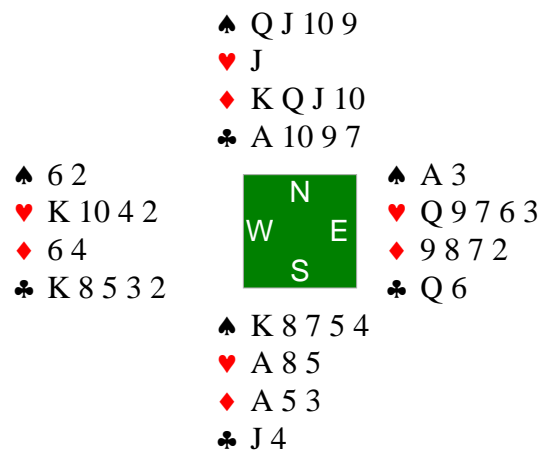
1. Splinter  
4 ♠ by South  
Made 6 — NS +480

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**Board 55**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 4144 2542 5332 2425 HCP 14 8 12 6 Losers 6 8 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠

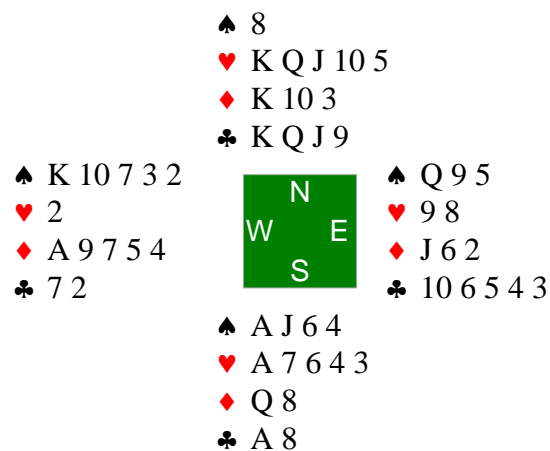
1. Splinter  
4 ♠ by South  
Made 6 — NS +680

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**Board 56**

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 1534 3235 4522 5152 HCP 15 3 15 7 Losers 5 10 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
2 ♥ <sup>1</sup>	3 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid
  2. Splinter
  3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
  4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  5. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 6 ♥ by South  
 Made 6 — NS +980



**Board 57**

E-W Vul

♥ Q 7 4 3

♠ 7 6

♥ K 6 2

♦ 10 8 7

♣ 10 9 7 6 2

♠ 2

♥ 10 8

♦ K Q J 9 6 5 4 3 2

♣ J

♠ J 10 9 8 3

♥ A J 9 5

◆ A

♣ Q 8 5

West

North

East

South

*EPBot4*

*EPBot1*

*EPBot2*

*EPBot3*

Pass

4 ♦ 1

Pass

1 ♠

Pass

 $4 \text{ NT}^2$ 

Pass

4 ♠

Pass

5 NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass

5 ♥ 3

Pass

6 ♠

Pass

 $6\clubsuit^5$ 

Pass

## 1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

#### 4. King ask by 5 NT

## 5. K=0

6 ♠ by South

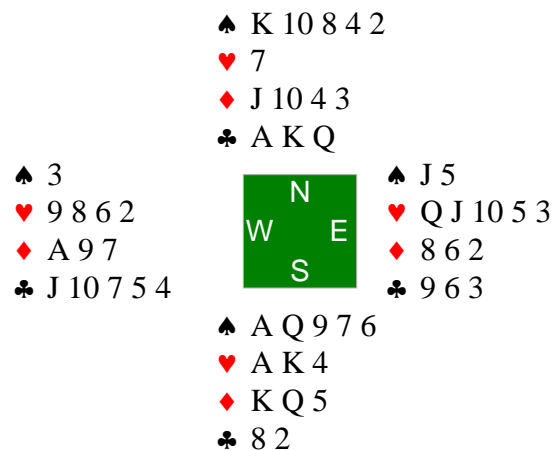
Made 6 — NS +980

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**Board 58**

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 5143 2533 5332 1435 HCP 13 4 18 5 Losers 6 10 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♠

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

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**Board 59**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

Shape 1534 7123 2533 3253 HCP 13 3 17 7 Losers 7 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>6</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>7</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Extended acceptance after NT
2. Cue bid, surplus
3. Cue bid, 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 South

Made 6 — NS +980

ABB5A74276C5CA6ACC76026FA9E8

**Board 60**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

	♠ N	
W		E
	♠ S	

Shape 1552 5026 3523 4342 HCP 13 8 14 5 Losers 5 6 7 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	4 NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter
2. Cue bid, surplus
3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
5. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South  
 Made 6 — NS +1430

A8228AE92D56E204DC644797C811

**Board 61**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4432 3424 2533 4054 HCP 13 8 17 2 Losers 7 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 NT
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass			Pass

1. Stayman  
4 ♥ by South  
Made 5 — NS +450

A80129AEB8DC1A3A1CA6E89CAAF8

**Board 62**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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

Shape 5170 0445 5512 3316 HCP 15 4 19 2 Losers 3 7 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	7 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

7 ♠ by North

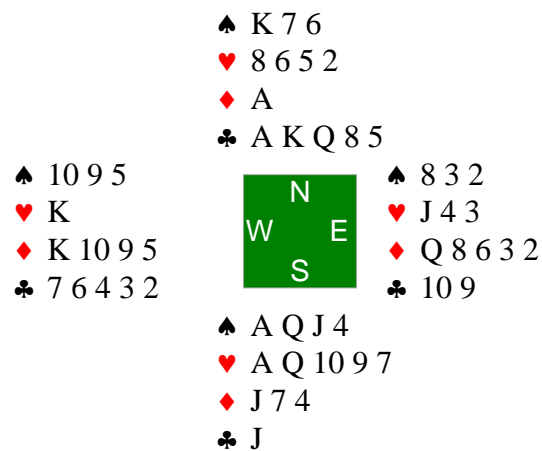
Made 7 — NS +1510

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**Board 63**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 3415 3352 4531 3145 HCP 16 3 15 6 Losers 5 10 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6 ♥ by South

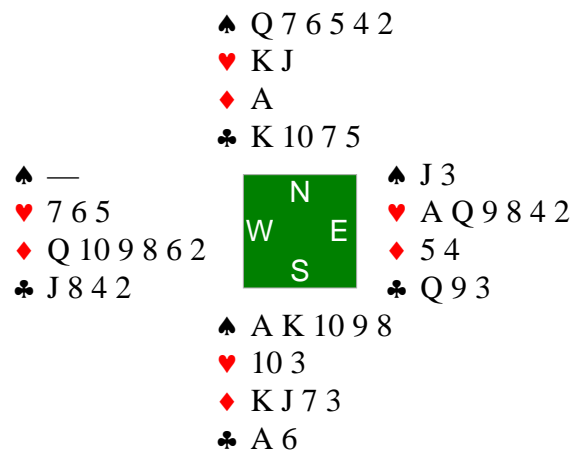
Made 6 — NS +1430

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**Board 64**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 6214 2623 5242 0364 HCP 13 9 15 3 Losers 5 7 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>1</sup>	Dbl	1 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠
1. Texas			
4 ♠ by South			
Made 6 — NS +680			



### Board 65

None Vul

♥ A Q 6 2



♠ 6 5 2

♥ K 10 8 7 5

◆ K 7 4

♣ 6 2



♠ 9

♥ J 9 4 3

♦ Q J 10 9 6 5 2

♣ 5

♠ Q 8 7 4 3

♥ \_\_\_\_\_

♦ A 8 3

♣ A K Q J 3

West

North

East

South

*EPBot4*

*EPBot1*

*EPBot2*

*EPBot3*

Pass

4 ♦ 1

Pass

1 ♠

Pass

 $4NT^3$ 

Pass

4 ♥ 2

Pass

 $5 \text{ NT}^5$ 

Pass

5 ♠ 4

Pass

6 ♠

Pass

6 ♦ 6

Pass

1. Splinter
2. Cue bid, surplus
3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1
5. King ask by 5 NT
6. K=1

6 ♠ by South

Made 7 — NS +1010

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**Board 66**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4234 2524 5242 2443 HCP 14 7 16 3 Losers 7 8 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♣ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	5 ♠
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

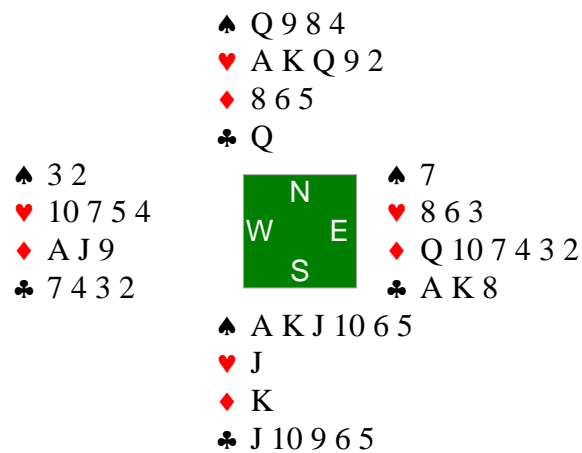
1. Stayman
  2. artificial
  3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
  4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
  5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  6. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 6 ♠ by South  
Down 1 — NS -100

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**Board 67**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 4531 1363 6115 2434 HCP 13 9 13 5 Losers 6 7 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	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 South

Made 5 — NS +650

C8201F2A93D52CDCA738BEB6AF0C

**Board 68**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 6124 0463 5521 2335 HCP 15 9 12 4 Losers 5 6 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

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

CBA10384AE56DAB0183FE937C2B1

**Board 69**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4333 1354 5323 3433 HCP 13 8 17 2 Losers 7 8 7 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

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

C889287D63EAC4FD6E48883EA86C

**Board 70**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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♠ Q J 7 6 2
♥ —
♦ Q 8 7 4 2
♣ 10 7 4

♠ A 5 3
♥ K J 10 7 3 2
♦ J
♣ A Q 8

Shape 2461 5053 3613 3316 HCP 15 5 15 5 Losers 5 7 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	5 NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	6 ♣ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	6 ♦ <sup>7</sup>
Pass	7 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter
  2. Cue bid, surplus
  3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  4. A=0/5 or 3/5
  5. !H queen no !S king no !C king no !D king
  6. King ask by available bid
  7. K=0
- 7 ♥ by South  
 Made 7 — NS +1510

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**Board 71**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 3433 4234 3523 3253 HCP 16 3 17 4 Losers 7 10 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Stayman

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by South

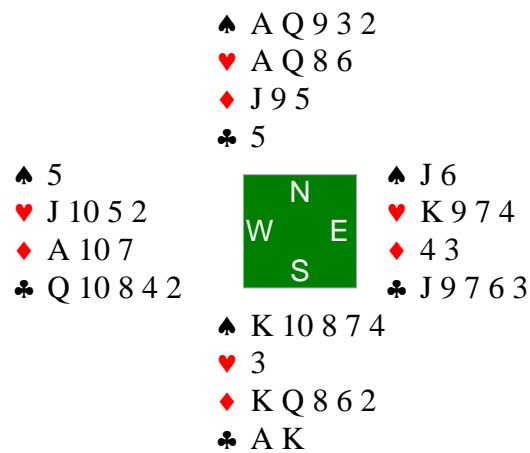
Made 6 — NS +1430

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**Board 72**

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 5431 2425 5152 1435 HCP 13 5 15 7 Losers 6 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

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

5 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +480



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**Board 73**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 5314 1444 5242 2443 HCP 14 6 17 3 Losers 7 8 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

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

5 ♠ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

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**Board 74**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 6331 1237 5422 1453 HCP 16 4 14 6 Losers 5 8 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>4</sup>
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 South

Made 6 — NS +980

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**Board 75**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 3424 1255 3532 6232 HCP 14 3 17 6 Losers 7 9 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Stayman
2. artificial
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 South

Made 6 — NS +1430

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**Board 76**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4441 1363 3514 5125 HCP 14 9 13 4 Losers 6 7 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

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

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**Board 77**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 3433 5125 2542 3343 HCP 13 8 15 4 Losers 8 7 7 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Dbl	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Stayman  
4 ♥ by South  
Made 5 — NS +450

**Board 78**

E-W Vul

Shape 2443 5125 2542 4333 HCP 14 9 15 2 Losers 7 6 6 11

1. Stayman
2. artificial
3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1

6 ♥ by South  
Made 6 — NS +980

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**Board 79**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 3541 5233 2542 3127 HCP 13 8 18 1 Losers 6 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

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

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

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**Board 80**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4315 0355 6322 3451 HCP 14 4 17 5 Losers 6 8 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

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

6 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +980

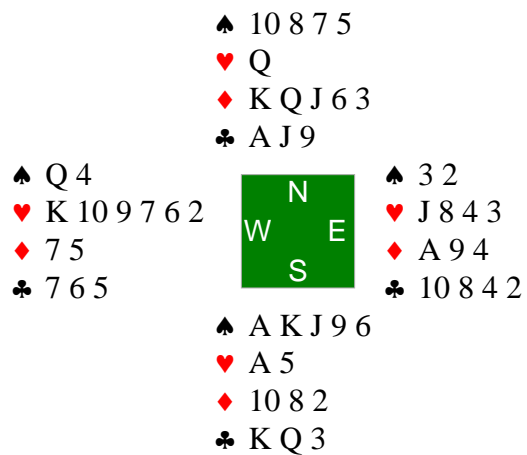


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**Board 81**

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 4153 2434 5233 2623 HCP 13 5 17 5 Losers 7 10 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

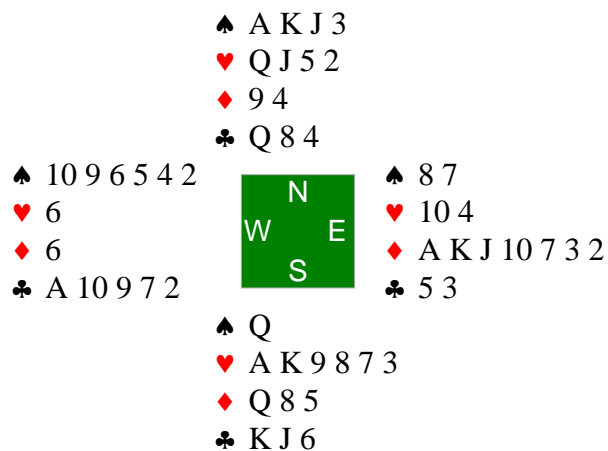
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4 ♠ by South  
Made 6 — NS +480

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**Board 82**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 4423 2272 1633 6115 HCP 13 8 15 4 Losers 7 7 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
2 ♠	3 ♠ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Dbl	5 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. limit raise or better in !H

2. Cue bid, a !S stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♥ by South

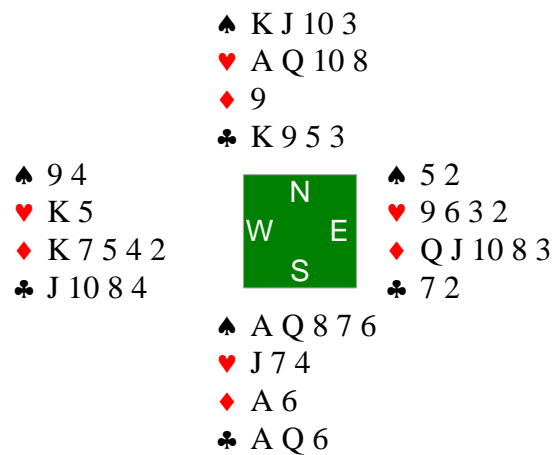
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**Board 83**

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 4414 2452 5323 2254 HCP 13 3 17 7 Losers 6 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Stayman  
6 ♠ by South  
Made 6 — NS +980

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**Board 84**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4261 2434 5215 2533 HCP 14 4 16 6 Losers 5 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

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

5 ♠ by South

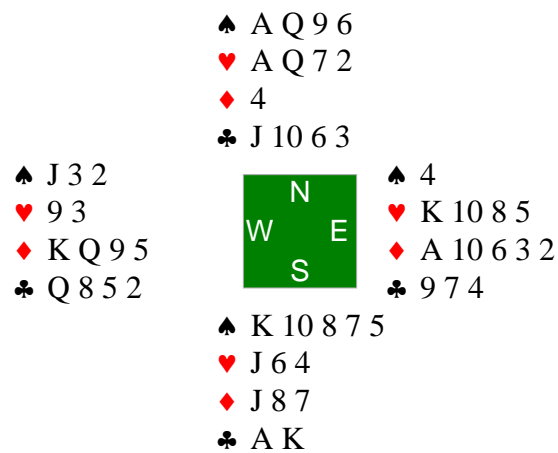
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**Board 85**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 4414 1453 5332 3244 HCP 13 7 12 8 Losers 6 8 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠

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

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**Board 86**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4333 2434 5323 2353 HCP 17 3 17 3 Losers 7 10 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	7 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Stayman
  2. artificial
  3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  4. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 7 ♠ by South  
Down 1 — NS -50

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**Board 87**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

W

S

N

E

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

♠ K 10 9 7 2
♥ 5
♦ A K J 7 2
♣ K 3

Shape 4216 2641 5152 2434 HCP 13 10 14 3 Losers 6 7 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

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

5 ♠ by South

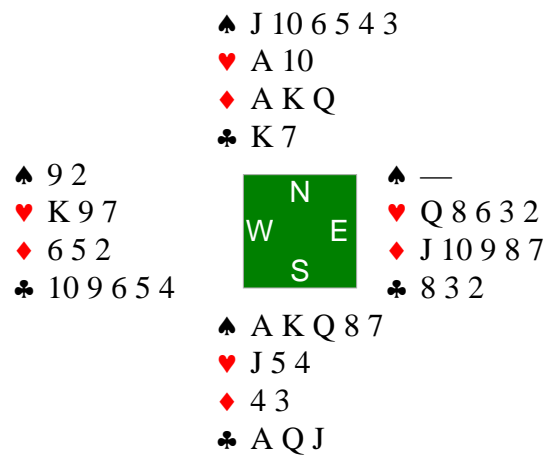
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**Board 88**

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 6232 0553 5323 2335 HCP 17 3 17 3 Losers 5 8 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	5 NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Texas
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  3. A=0/5 or 3/5
  4. !S queen no !H king no !C king no !D king
- 6 ♠ by South  
Made 7 — NS +1010

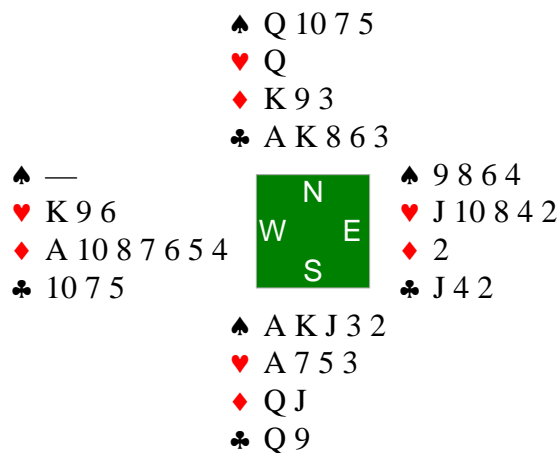


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**Board 89**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 4135 4513 5422 0373 HCP 14 2 17 7 Losers 6 10 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
3 ♦	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. limit raise or better in !S

2. Cue bid, surplus

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

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**Board 90**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 5431 2443 5233 1336 HCP 13 5 19 3 Losers 6 10 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	6 ♣ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	7 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter
2. Cue bid, surplus
3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1
5. King ask by 5 NT
6. K=0

7 ♠ by South

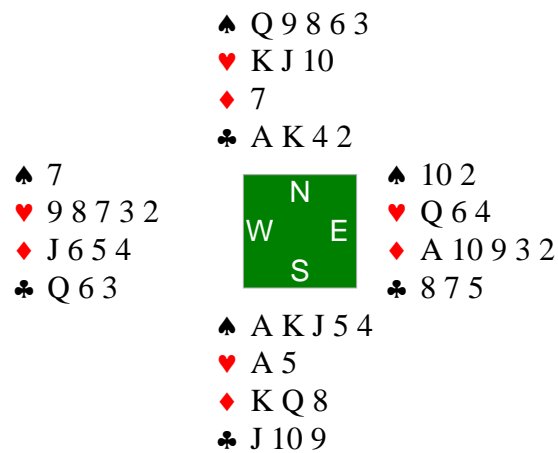
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**Board 91**

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 5314 2353 5233 1543 HCP 13 6 18 3 Losers 6 9 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

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

6 ♠ by South  
Made 6 — NS +980

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**Board 92**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 2533 4144 3712 4054 HCP 14 12 10 4 Losers 6 7 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
Pass			Pass
4 ♥ by South			
Made 4 — NS +620			

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**Board 93**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4441 3334 2524 4144 HCP 15 8 14 3 Losers 5 10 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter
2. Cue bid, surplus
3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
4. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +650

0AA50DFE0A33BA109076AA8CF91D

**Board 94**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 5341 1345 5224 2533 HCP 13 4 19 4 Losers 6 9 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	7 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

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

7 ♠ by South  
Made 7 — NS +2210

19AB13B14A8DAA9C14E2FF340476

**Board 95**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4333 2344 5332 2434 HCP 16 5 17 2 Losers 7 10 7 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	5 NT <sup>7</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Stayman
  2. artificial
  3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
  4. Cue bid, a !D stopper
  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 South  
 Made 6 — NS +980

1B8FA32C0A9AE3E32AC180C912F0

**Board 96**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4504 0274 4522 5143 HCP 15 4 18 3 Losers 5 7 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♦ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	7 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

4. King ask by 5 NT

5. K=1

7 ♥ by South

Made 7 — NS +2210



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**Board 97**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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

	♠ A 9
	♥ A Q 8 6 3
	♦ 3
	♣ A K Q J 3



Shape 3541 4162 2515 4225 HCP 13 5 20 2 Losers 7 7 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	6 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
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 7 — NS +1010

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**Board 98**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4315 1633 6151 2344 HCP 15 12 10 3 Losers 6 6 5 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			
4 ♠ by South			
Made 5 — NS +450			

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**Board 99**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

		♠ 10 8 7 4
		♥ 10 5
		♦ 10 9 8 7 2
		♣ 8 5

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

Shape 4414 4252 5431 0346 HCP 18 0 17 5 Losers 5 10 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6 ♥ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	7 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter
2. Cue bid, surplus
3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1
5. King ask by 5 NT
6. K=2

7 ♠ by South

Made 7 — NS +1510

2B05AC55EAE3CD0664C17612BAE8

**Board 100**

South Deals

Both Vul


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

N

W

S

E



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

Shape 3451 3235 2524 5233 HCP 14 5 16 5 Losers 6 10 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	7 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter
2. Cue bid, surplus
3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

7 ♥ by South

Made 7 — NS +2210


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**Board 101**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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



	♠ A 9 5	
	♥ J 10 9 7 5	
	♦ A 9 5	
	♣ K 10	

Shape 2443 2254 3532 6214 HCP 13 9 12 6 Losers 7 8 8 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
2 ♠	3 ♠ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	3 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass			Pass

1. limit raise or better in !H

2. Cue bid, a !S stopper

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +650

28233216680C276645A6C26FA4CC

**Board 102**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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W		E
	S	

♠ J 8 7 4
♥ Q
♦ 10 4 2
♣ K Q 8 6 5

♠ 6 3
♥ A J 9 8 6 4 3
♦ A K 5
♣ 7

Shape 5413 4135 2731 2164 HCP 14 8 12 6 Losers 6 8 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6 ♥ by South

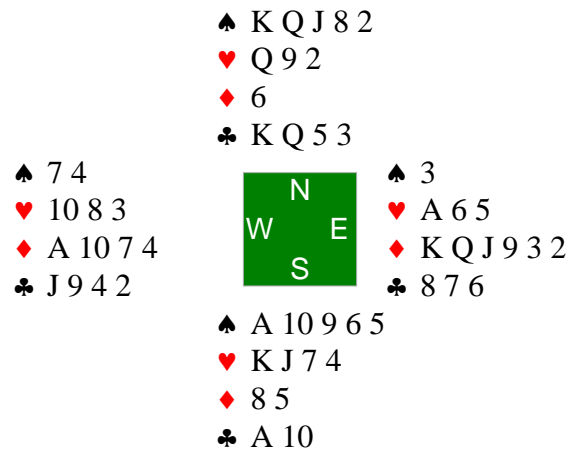
Made 7 — NS +1010

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**Board 103**

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 5314 1363 5422 2344 HCP 13 10 12 5 Losers 5 7 7 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Dbl	Pass
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter  
4 ♠ by South  
Made 5 — NS +450

3A8EA90E106622B88D2BF9F208B8

**Board 104**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 5431 1165 5413 2434 HCP 15 10 13 2 Losers 5 5 6 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Dbl	4 ♦ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Cue bid, surplus

4. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

6 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430



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**Board 105**

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ —

♥ K J 10 5 4 3

♦ A K Q 8 7

♣ K 3

N
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♠ 10 9 7 6 5

♥ 2

♦ 4 2

♣ Q 10 9 5 4

Shape 4531 5125 0652 4135 HCP 15 2 16 7 Losers 6 8 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

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

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +980

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**Board 106**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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

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



Shape 5440 2335 2533 4135 HCP 17 5 12 6 Losers 4 9 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +980

3AED6F05036B6065D0827BC95280

**Board 107**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

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

Shape 2524 6232 2524 3163 HCP 17 3 15 5 Losers 6 9 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	4 NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Extended acceptance after NT
2. Cue bid, surplus
3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
5. A=0/5 or 3/5

5 ♥ by North

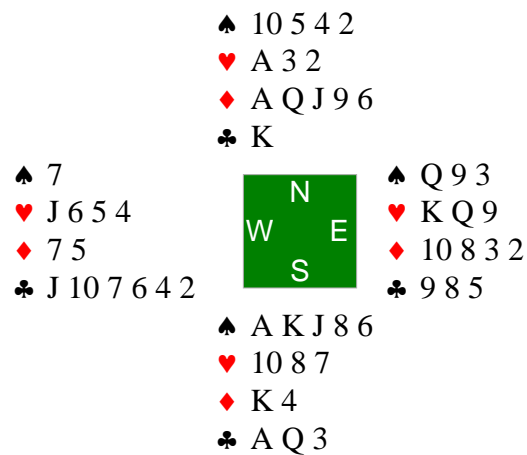
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**Board 108**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 4351 3343 5323 1426 HCP 14 7 17 2 Losers 7 9 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	6 ♦ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	7 ♠	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Stayman
2. artificial
3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
4. A=0/5 or 3/5
5. !S queen and !D king

7 ♠× by South

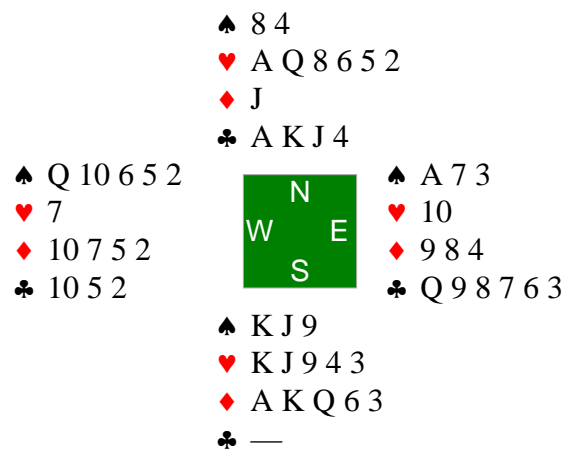
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**Board 109**

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 2614 3136 3550 5143 HCP 15 6 17 2 Losers 5 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6 ♥ by South

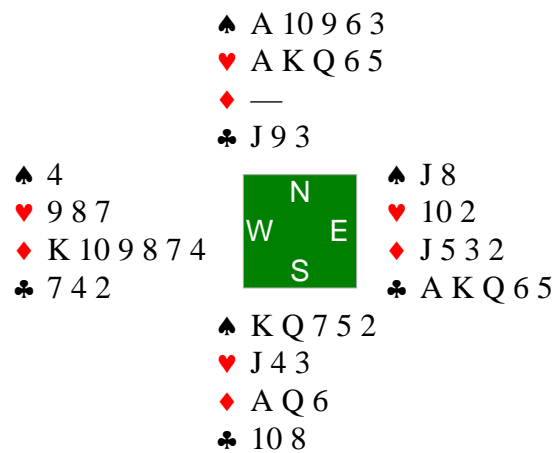
Made 6 — NS +980

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**Board 110**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 5503 2245 5332 1363 HCP 14 11 12 3 Losers 5 7 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

5 ♠ by South

Made 5 — NS +650

4A67D71B47C3D2E04DAA6445EF70

**Board 111**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 1426 6322 1552 5143 HCP 13 12 12 3 Losers 6 7 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>1</sup>	Dbl	1 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	3 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass			Pass

1. Splinter

2. Cue bid, a !S stopper

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +650

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**Board 112**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4144 2722 5233 2344 HCP 13 6 17 4 Losers 6 8 7 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Stayman  
4 ♠ by South  
Made 5 — NS +450



4B3D8F1B80BD3A12735C829FC888

**Board 113**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4504 2443 6052 1444 HCP 15 3 15 7 Losers 4 10 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♥ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	7 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
  4. King ask by 5 NT
  5. K=2
- 7 ♠ by South  
Made 7 — NS +2210

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**Board 114**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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

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

Shape 4450 3325 2524 4144 HCP 13 5 18 4 Losers 5 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter

2. Cue bid, surplus

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +480

4A63AFC363F8D406874776516C68

**Board 115**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

Shape 1426 7222 2551 3244 HCP 15 5 11 9 Losers 4 8 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♣ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

5 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +650

5842A32337CED6CD842EEFB5263E

**Board 116**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 5404 1156 3532 4351 HCP 13 8 17 2 Losers 5 6 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Dbl	1 NT
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass			Pass

1. Stayman  
4 ♥ by South  
Made 5 — NS +450

5A97862B0B15F2318108DCB25498

**Board 117**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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♠ 3
♥ A 10 5 3 2
♦ Q J 6 2
♣ K 9 4

♠ A K 7 4 2
♥ Q
♦ A K 10 3
♣ 10 8 7

Shape 5413 1543 5143 2344 HCP 14 10 16 0 Losers 6 7 6 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

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

6 ♠ by South  
Made 6 — NS +1430

59271EA1D84F3C064FC97A686824

**Board 118**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 5413 5233 1552 2245 HCP 13 11 11 5 Losers 7 8 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

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

5B876D932E8A901B40CAA930F90A

**Board 119**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4513 2344 5323 2263 HCP 15 8 17 0 Losers 6 8 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Stayman

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

5A2FA5189BCE917476BC3E38B11B

**Board 120**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 5143 2443 5233 1624 HCP 15 6 17 2 Losers 6 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 NT <sup>1</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Extended acceptance after NT  
6 ♠ by North  
Made 7 — NS +1460



59AB49C22FFB84D667E7CF3DA6F6

**Board 121**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

Shape 2416 2164 3532 6331 HCP 13 5 19 3 Losers 6 7 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	7 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

7 ♥ by South

Made 7 — NS +1510

6991AB0A82ACB477518234DC362C

**Board 122**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠ 8 7

♥ A 7 4

♦ 9 8 5 3

♣ Q J 6 3

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♠ A K J 10 9 6
♥ K 10 2
♦ K Q
♣ A 7

Shape 4342 2344 6322 1435 HCP 13 7 20 0 Losers 7 9 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass			Pass

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

6 ♠ by South  
Made 6 — NS +980

68BFA302C71C07CCD2A36D66D8EC

**Board 123**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 3415 2353 3541 5134 HCP 13 6 15 6 Losers 6 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

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

6987C927667526E7BEBC2F3B48C4

**Board 124**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

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



Shape 4405 3073 3532 3433 HCP 15 9 13 3 Losers 4 7 7 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Dbl	1 ♥
Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	Rdbl
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass			Pass

1. Splinter
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 5 ♥ by South
- Made 6 — NS +480

6A450137950A549090009E06FEB8

**Board 125**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 5521 2524 5053 1345 HCP 14 5 16 5 Losers 5 9 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>4</sup>
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 South

Made 6 — NS +1430

6B2183DBB318F0958180317903A0

**Board 126**

South Deals

Both Vul


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

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

♠ K J 8 7 6 2
♥ A 2
♦ —
♣ A 8 7 5 4

Shape 4414 1390 6205 2434 HCP 13 10 12 5 Losers 6 4 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Dbl	1 ♠
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♠

1. Splinter
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6 ♠ by South  
Made 7 — NS +1460

6AE7A7084FFA5AF1F2A20C29688D

**Board 127**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

♠ K 6 2
♥ A K 6 4 3
♦ A K
♣ 8 4 2

Shape 3433 3154 3523 4333 HCP 14 3 17 6 Losers 8 9 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Stayman
  2. artificial
  3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
  4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
  5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  6. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6 ♥ by South  
Made 6 — NS +1430

69EBAB0240334AAC7ED5BF6C6D46

**Board 128**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

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

Shape 2434 6124 3532 2353 HCP 15 3 17 5 Losers 7 8 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Stayman
  2. artificial
  3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
  4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
  5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  6. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6 ♥ by South  
 Made 6 — NS +980



7B1F9C1B9F9D5BFBF96AB6972410

**Board 129**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4036 2812 5242 2353 HCP 13 10 12 5 Losers 5 5 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>1</sup>	Dbl	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

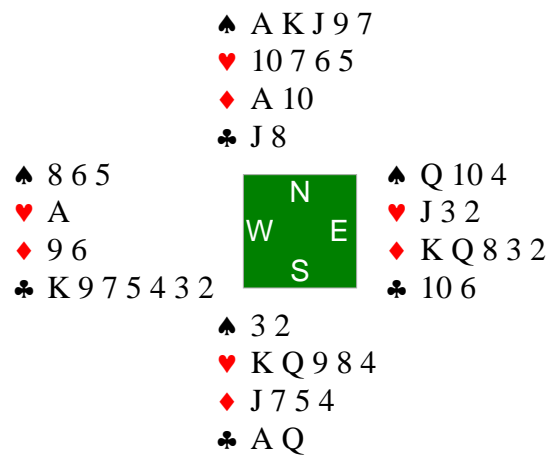
1. Splinter  
4 ♠ by South  
Made 6 — NS +680

78392C6D134A24EF00C6C0609C9C

**Board 130**

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 5422 3352 2542 3127 HCP 13 8 12 7 Losers 7 8 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
3 ♣	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. limit raise or better in !H

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

7B8F1A3C9F025B828CCCA63AA870

**Board 131**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

♠ 9 2

♥ K J 9

♦ 10 8 2

♣ K 10 8 5 4

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♠ A J 8 7 5 3
♥ 5 3
♦ A Q J 7 6
♣ —

Shape 4513 2335 6250 1345 HCP 14 7 12 7 Losers 6 9 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♠
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	7 ♠
Pass	Pass	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

7 ♠× by South

Made 7 — NS +2470

79AB067B231A046E3F9EA7FCB894

**Board 132**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 5215 2344 5440 1444 HCP 15 8 15 2 Losers 5 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6 ♣ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter
2. Cue bid, surplus
3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
4. A=0/5 or 3/5
5. King ask by 5 NT
6. K=0

6 ♠ by South

Made 7 — NS +1010

8BA78F0273706A084179E1AF3BE0

**Board 133**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

	♠ J 10 9 7 6
	♥ —
	♦ Q J 10 7 5 2
	♣ Q 9

♠ A K 4
♥ A 9 5 4 2
♦ K 4
♣ 7 6 5

Shape 3415 5062 3523 2443 HCP 19 6 14 1 Losers 4 7 7 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♥ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	7 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter
2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0
4. King ask by 5 NT
5. K=2

7 ♥ by South

Made 7 — NS +2210

8829856F7DEED3207EF4470CCFA3

**Board 134**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 3415 4162 2533 4333 HCP 13 6 17 4 Losers 6 7 6 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Stayman  
4 ♥ by South  
Made 7 — NS +510

88139AABB091361488E55F9AD714

**Board 135**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4144 1813 6232 2254 HCP 15 10 13 2 Losers 5 5 7 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>1</sup>	Dbl	1 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠

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

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**Board 136**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 5431 1255 5323 2434 HCP 14 2 17 7 Losers 5 9 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Stayman
2. artificial
3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

6 ♠ by South  
Made 6 — NS +1430



998751A1CD6B2DE044C4D14ECE64

**Board 137**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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W		E
	S	

♠ K 10 7 4 2
♥ K 5
♦ A 7 6 2
♣ 4 3

♠ A Q
♥ Q 10 9 8 2
♦ 10
♣ K Q J 9 5

Shape 1642 5242 2515 5044 HCP 14 10 14 2 Losers 5 7 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	3 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass			Pass

1. Splinter

2. Cue bid, surplus

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +980

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**Board 138**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

	♠ K J 3
	♥ K 9
	♦ 9 8 7 4 3
	♣ 8 3 2

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



Shape 2416 3253 2542 6232 HCP 13 7 19 1 Losers 6 9 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0
- 6 ♥ by South  
 Made 6 — NS +1430

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**Board 139**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4441 4126 2533 3343 HCP 13 6 17 4 Losers 5 8 7 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

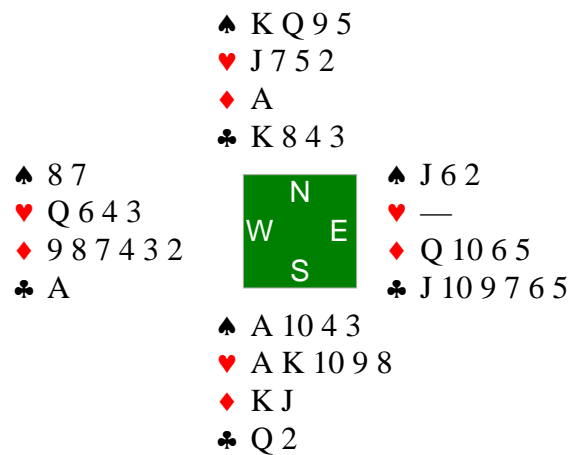
1. Stayman  
4 ♥ by South  
Made 6 — NS +480

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**Board 140**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 4414 3046 4522 2461 HCP 13 4 17 6 Losers 6 8 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +680

98A90035328E5DED46C8FA6AE42A

**Board 141**

South Deals

None Vul

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 7 4
♥ 9
♦ 10 9 8
♣ J 10 7 5 4 2

♠ A 10
♥ A 8 4 3 2
♦ K J
♣ A Q 9 8

Shape 4450 3136 2524 4333 HCP 13 1 18 8 Losers 5 10 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6 ♦ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	7 ♥	Pass	Pass
Dbl	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. Splinter
  2. Cue bid, surplus
  3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  4. A=0/5 or 3/5
  5. King ask by 5 NT
  6. K=1
- 7 ♥× by South
- Made 7 — NS +1770

9A02C7656E4AD9C6E2ECD6E30FE4

**Board 142**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 2533 3226 0652 8032 HCP 15 8 10 7 Losers 7 8 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			
4 ♥ by South			
Made 5 — NS +650			

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**Board 143**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

W

S

N  
E  
S

N

E

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

♠ K 5
♥ J 10 9 7 3
♦ A Q J 8 5
♣ 10

Shape 1435 4243 2551 6214 HCP 13 13 11 3 Losers 6 7 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
2 ♠	3 ♠ <sup>1</sup>	4 ♠	1 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	Dbl

1. limit raise or better in !H

4 ♠× by West

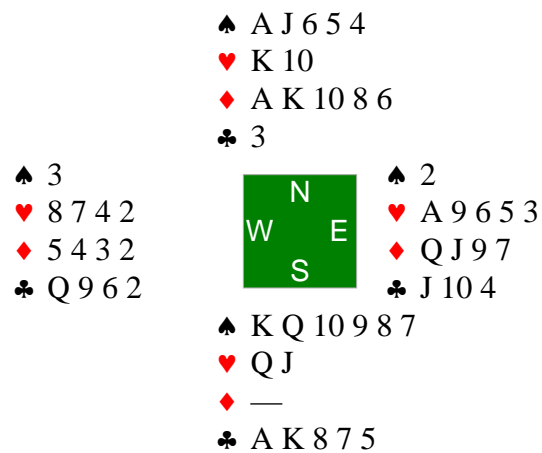
Down 2 — NS +300

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**Board 144**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 5251 1543 6205 1444 HCP 15 8 15 2 Losers 5 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

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

6 ♠ by South  
Made 6 — NS +1430



A92A0EE1802D384E41D060A5D454

**Board 145**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

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

Shape 4450 4333 2524 3136 HCP 14 7 13 6 Losers 5 10 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6 ♥ by South

Made 7 — NS +1010

AB410EA55679E8E3C6842CC812A0

**Board 146**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 3541 3244 3523 4135 HCP 13 14 13 0 Losers 6 8 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

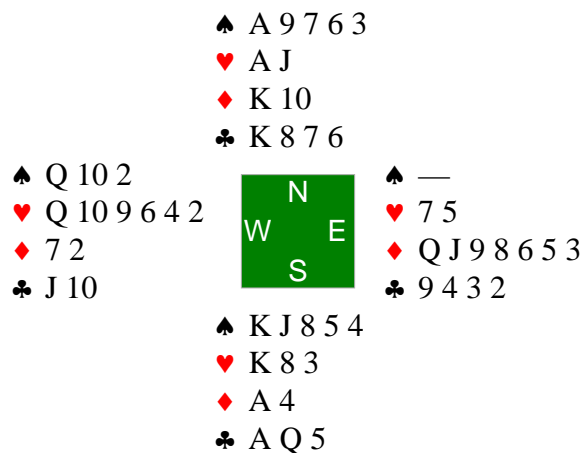
1. Splinter  
4 ♥ by South  
Made 5 — NS +650

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**Board 147**

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 5224 0274 5323 3622 HCP 15 3 17 5 Losers 6 7 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 NT <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	7 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

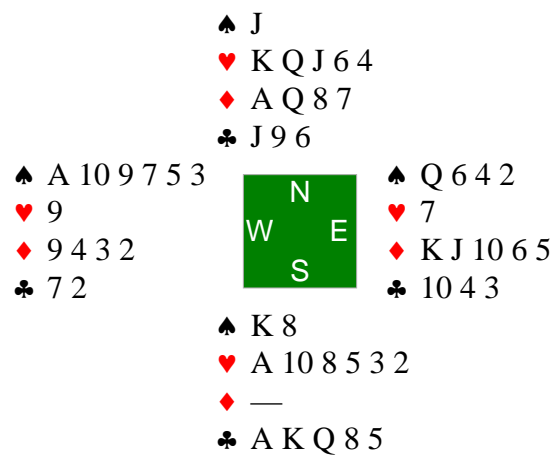
1. Extended acceptance after NT
  2. Cue bid, surplus
  3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
  4. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  5. A=0/5 or 3/5
  6. !S queen and !H king
- 7 ♠ by North
- Made 7 — NS +1510

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**Board 148**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 1543 4153 2605 6142 HCP 14 6 16 4 Losers 6 8 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
2 ♠	3 ♠ <sup>1</sup>	4 ♠	1 ♥
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Dbl	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♥

1. limit raise or better in !H

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6 ♥ by South

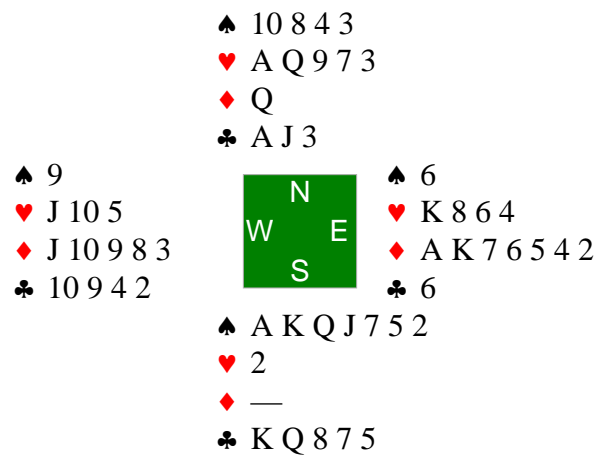
Made 6 — NS +1430

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**Board 149**

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 4513 1471 7105 1354 HCP 13 10 15 2 Losers 7 5 2 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Dbl	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

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

6 ♠ by South

Made 7 — NS +1010

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**Board 150**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 5431 0364 5413 3235 HCP 13 4 16 7 Losers 7 7 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

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

5 ♠ by South

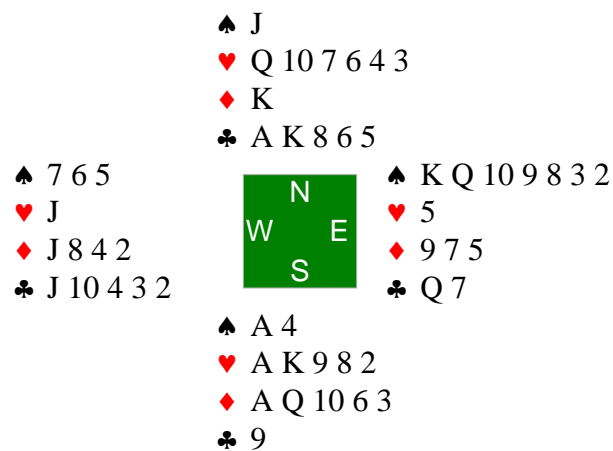
Made 6 — NS +680

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**Board 151**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 1615 7132 2551 3145 HCP 13 7 17 3 Losers 5 7 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>1</sup>	Dbl	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♠
Pass	6 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	7 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. !H queen and !C king

7 ♥ by South

Made 7 — NS +2210

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**Board 152**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

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

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

W N E S

Shape 3451 4261 1615 5116 HCP 13 12 15 0 Losers 7 6 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430



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**Board 153**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 1543 5134 3622 4144 HCP 13 9 13 5 Losers 7 7 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6 ♥ by South

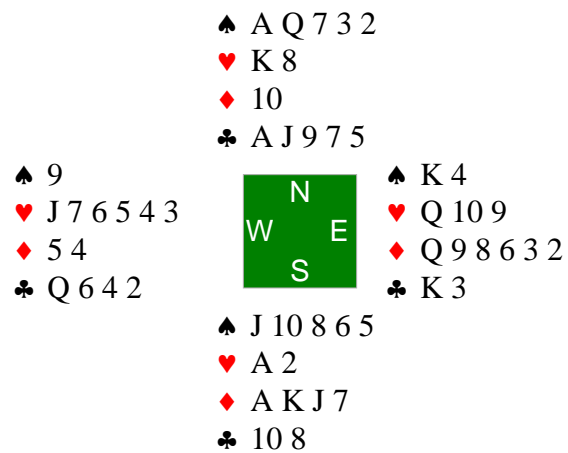
Made 6 — NS +980

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**Board 154**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 5215 2362 5242 1624 HCP 14 10 13 3 Losers 5 6 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠

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

BA9B8726AD19E3F0F33B19BEBA12

**Board 155**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 5125 0454 5323 3541 HCP 13 10 17 0 Losers 6 6 7 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 NT <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Extended acceptance after NT
  2. Cue bid, surplus
  3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
  4. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1
- 5 ♠ by South  
Made 5 — NS +650

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**Board 156**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 2425 5143 1552 5323 HCP 13 12 11 4 Losers 6 7 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	1 ♣	1 ♠	Pass
4 ♠	Pass	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	Dbl
4 ♠× by East			
Down 2 — NS +300			

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**Board 157**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 5233 1543 5242 2425 HCP 14 7 15 4 Losers 7 8 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 NT <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Extended acceptance after NT

2. Cue bid, surplus

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4. Cue bid, a !H stopper

4 ♠ by South

Made 4 — NS +620

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**Board 158**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 5413 2353 5242 1435 HCP 14 3 18 5 Losers 5 10 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

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

6 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

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**Board 159**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4234 1723 6151 2335 HCP 13 10 10 7 Losers 8 7 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♠
Pass	Pass	3 ♥	Pass
Pass	3 ♠	4 ♥	Pass
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			
4 ♠ by South			
Made 6 — NS +480			

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**Board 160**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4504 4153 2551 3235 HCP 15 7 12 6 Losers 5 8 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430



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**Board 161**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 5143 2623 5233 1444 HCP 13 9 14 4 Losers 7 8 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>1</sup>	Dbl	Rdbl
Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

6 ♠ by South

Down 1 — NS -100

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**Board 162**

South Deals

None Vul

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 6 4
♥ 4 2
♦ Q 7 6 4 2
♣ Q 7 5

♠ Q 8
♥ A K 9 6 5
♦ A 3
♣ K 10 9 3

Shape 4441 3253 2524 4225 HCP 14 7 16 3 Losers 6 8 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

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

6 ♥ by South  
Made 6 — NS +980

DB258F28B60CAA40196211C8D02A

**Board 163**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

	♠ N	
W		E
	♠ S	

Shape 6421 2344 3523 2155 HCP 17 1 17 5 Losers 5 11 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	7 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Texas
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  3. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 7 ♠ by South  
 Made 7 — NS +2210

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**Board 164**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 5125 1372 5413 2533 HCP 13 7 15 5 Losers 5 6 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

6 ♠ by South

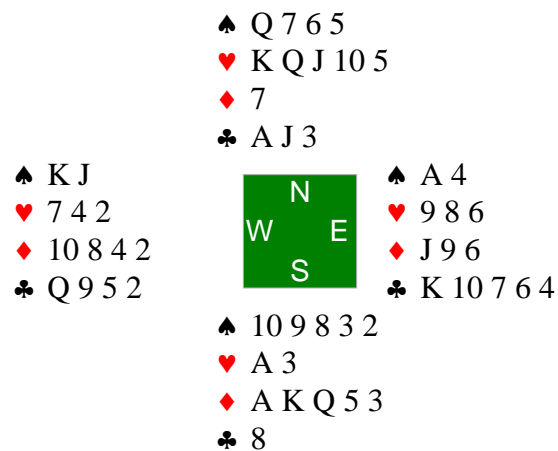
Made 6 — NS +980

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**Board 165**

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 4513 2335 5251 2344 HCP 13 8 13 6 Losers 6 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♠ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

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**Board 166**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 3442 5215 3532 2254 HCP 13 6 17 4 Losers 8 7 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Stayman  
4 ♥ by South  
Made 5 — NS +450

EBA907CD8AC25E24E77418EE716A

**Board 167**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 3442 4225 2533 4243 HCP 15 1 17 7 Losers 6 10 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Stayman
2. artificial
3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
5. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

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**Board 168**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4144 3622 5233 1444 HCP 13 7 14 6 Losers 6 8 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠

1. Splinter  
4 ♠ by South  
Made 4 — NS +420



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**Board 169**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4423 2353 5233 2434 HCP 13 4 17 6 Losers 8 10 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Stayman  
4 ♠ by South  
Made 5 — NS +450

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**Board 170**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

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

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

W N E S

Shape 4603 3172 2542 4126 HCP 13 8 17 2 Losers 5 6 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♥

1. Splinter
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1
- 6 ♥ by South  
Made 6 — NS +1430

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**Board 171**

South Deals

None Vul

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

W

N

S

E

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

Shape 6430 4045 0643 3325 HCP 14 14 12 0 Losers 5 5 5 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Dbl	1 ♥
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	Pass	Dbl	6 ♥
Pass	Pass		Pass

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6 ♥× by South

Made 6 — NS +1210

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**Board 172**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4522 2344 3523 4054 HCP 13 8 17 2 Losers 7 8 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 NT
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass			Pass

1. Stayman  
4 ♥ by South  
Made 6 — NS +680