

Board 1

North Deals

None Vul

♠ T 7 6
♥ 9 4
♦ J T 4
♣ A Q 8 7 4

♠ K 5

♥ A K T 7 5 3

♦ K 7

♣ J 9 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q J 9 3

♥ 2

♦ Q 5 2

♣ K T 5 3 2

♠ A 8 4 2

♥ Q J 8 6

♦ A 9 8 6 3

♣ -

West	North	East	South
	1 ♥	Pass	4 ♣
Pass	4NT	Pass	5NT
Pass	7 ♥	All Pass	

7 ♥ by North

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SOUTH's jump to 4 is a Splinter bid, at least 4-card

support,

at least opening hand, and a Singleton or Void.

NORTH bids 4NT, Blackwood.

SOUTH's 5NT reply shows two Aces and a Void somewhere, obviously s.

NORTH counts thirteen tricks and bids 7

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Board 2

East Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ A Q J 9 8 4

♥ 6

♦ T 7 2

♣ 8 7 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 5 3
 ♥ K Q J T 3
 ♦ A
 ♣ K Q T 6

♠ T 7 6 2

♥ 8 4 2

♦ Q J 5 3

♣ A 4

West	North	East	South
		1 ♥	Pass
3 ♥	Pass	4NT	Pass
6 ♥	All Pass		

6 ♥ by West

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EAST figures that if WEST holds two Aces he will bid the slam.

WEST only has one Ace, but she has something else just as good - a void in a suit which

is higher-ranking than

s.

EAST manages to figure out that WEST has a void and bids the slam anyway.

Board 3

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J T 2
♥ 9 5 4 3 2
♦ K Q J
♣ 5 2

♠ K 7 5 3

♥ J 8 7

♦ A 8 6 5

♣ 7 4



♠ Q
♥ T 6
♦ T 9 4 3 2
♣ A Q T 9 8

♠ A 9 8 6 4

♥ A K Q

♦ 7

♣ K J 6 3

West

North

East

South

Pass

2♠

Pass

1♠

4♠

All Pass

4♠ by South

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SOUTH may have a good hand but NORTH merely gave a simple raise.

Even if NORTH has a maximum there won't be a slam.

Board 4

West Deals

Both Vul

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

♠ A T 9 6

♥ A 7

♦ T 9 7 3

♣ T 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 7 5 3

♥ T 9 4 2

♦ A 8

♣ K J 4

♠ K J 8 4 2

♥ 5

♦ Q 6 5 4

♣ 9 8 7

West	North	East	South
1 ♥	Pass	3 ♥	Pass
4 ♣	Pass	4 ♦	Pass
6 ♥	All Pass		

6 ♥ by West

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WEST has a tough decision after the two
Control-showing bids.

If he uses Blackwood and EAST shows two Aces he
will be no better off, because he won't know if one

of the Aces is the useless ~~A~~Based on knowing that
EAST holds the

A,

he bids 6

, hoping that he can at least make that and that 7 isn't
a laydown!

Board 5

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 7 6
♥ 9 4
♦ J T 4
♣ A Q 8 7 4

♠ K 5

♥ A K T 7 5 3

♦ K 7

♣ J 9 6



♠ Q J 9 3

♥ 2

♦ Q 5 2

♣ K T 5 3 2

♠ A 8 4 2

♥ Q J 8 6

♦ A 9 8 6 3

♣ -

Board 6

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ -
♥ A 9 7 5
♦ K 9 8 6 4
♣ J 9 3 2

♠ A Q J 9 8 4
♥ 6
♦ T 7 2
♣ 8 7 5

N
W E
S

♠ K 5 3
♥ K Q J T 3
♦ A
♣ K Q T 6

♠ T 7 6 2
♥ 8 4 2
♦ Q J 5 3
♣ A 4

Board 7

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J T 2
♥ 9 5 4 3 2
♦ K Q J
♣ 5 2

♠ K 7 5 3

♥ J 8 7

♦ A 8 6 5

♣ 7 4



♠ Q

♥ T 6

♦ T 9 4 3 2

♣ A Q T 9 8

♠ A 9 8 6 4

♥ A K Q

♦ 7

♣ K J 6 3

Board 8

West Deals

None Vul

♠ -
♥ K Q J 8 6 3
♦ K J 2
♣ A Q 6 5

♠ A T 9 6
♥ A 7
♦ T 9 7 3
♣ T 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 7 5 3
♥ T 9 4 2
♦ A 8
♣ K J 4

♠ K J 8 4 2
♥ 5
♦ Q 6 5 4
♣ 9 8 7

Board 9

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 7 6
♥ 9 4
♦ J T 4
♣ A Q 8 7 4

♠ K 5

♥ A K T 7 5 3

♦ K 7

♣ J 9 6



♠ Q J 9 3

♥ 2

♦ Q 5 2

♣ K T 5 3 2

♠ A 8 4 2

♥ Q J 8 6

♦ A 9 8 6 3

♣ -

Board 10

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ -
♥ A 9 7 5
♦ K 9 8 6 4
♣ J 9 3 2

♠ A Q J 9 8 4

♥ 6

♦ T 7 2

♣ 8 7 5

N

W E

S

♠ K 5 3

♥ K Q J T 3

♦ A

♣ K Q T 6

♠ T 7 6 2

♥ 8 4 2

♦ Q J 5 3

♣ A 4

Board 11

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J T 2
♥ 9 5 4 3 2
♦ K Q J
♣ 5 2

♠ K 7 5 3

♥ J 8 7

♦ A 8 6 5

♣ 7 4



♠ Q
♥ T 6
♦ T 9 4 3 2
♣ A Q T 9 8

♠ A 9 8 6 4

♥ A K Q

♦ 7

♣ K J 6 3

Board 12

West Deals

N-S Vul

♠ -
♥ K Q J 8 6 3
♦ K J 2
♣ A Q 6 5

♠ A T 9 6
♥ A 7
♦ T 9 7 3
♣ T 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 7 5 3
♥ T 9 4 2
♦ A 8
♣ K J 4

♠ K J 8 4 2
♥ 5
♦ Q 6 5 4
♣ 9 8 7

Board 13

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 7 6
♥ 9 4
♦ J T 4
♣ A Q 8 7 4

♠ K 5

♥ A K T 7 5 3

♦ K 7

♣ J 9 6



♠ Q J 9 3

♥ 2

♦ Q 5 2

♣ K T 5 3 2

♠ A 8 4 2

♥ Q J 8 6

♦ A 9 8 6 3

♣ -

Board 14

East Deals

None Vul

♠ -
♥ A 9 7 5
♦ K 9 8 6 4
♣ J 9 3 2

♠ A Q J 9 8 4
♥ 6
♦ T 7 2
♣ 8 7 5

N
W E
S

♠ K 5 3
♥ K Q J T 3
♦ A
♣ K Q T 6

♠ T 7 6 2
♥ 8 4 2
♦ Q J 5 3
♣ A 4



Board 15

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J T 2
♥ 9 5 4 3 2
♦ K Q J
♣ 5 2

♠ K 7 5 3

♥ J 8 7

♦ A 8 6 5

♣ 7 4



♠ Q
♥ T 6
♦ T 9 4 3 2
♣ A Q T 9 8

♠ A 9 8 6 4

♥ A K Q

♦ 7

♣ K J 6 3

Board 16

West Deals

E-W V_{ul}

♠ —

♥ K Q J 8 6 3

♦ K J 2


♣ A Q 6 5

♠ A T 9 6

♥ A7

◆ T 9 7 3

♣ T 3 2



♠ Q 7 5 3

♥ T 9 4 2

◆ A 8

♣ K J 4

♠ K J 8 4 2

♥ 5

♦ Q 6 5 4

♣ 9 8 7

Board 17

North Deals

None Vul

♠ T 7 6
♥ 9 4
♦ J T 4
♣ A Q 8 7 4

♠ K 5

♥ A K T 7 5 3

♦ K 7

♣ J 9 6



♠ Q J 9 3

♥ 2

♦ Q 5 2

♣ K T 5 3 2

♠ A 8 4 2

♥ Q J 8 6

♦ A 9 8 6 3

♣ -

Board 18

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ -
♥ A 9 7 5
♦ K 9 8 6 4
♣ J 9 3 2

♠ A Q J 9 8 4
♥ 6
♦ T 7 2
♣ 8 7 5

N
W E
 S

♠ K 5 3
♥ K Q J T 3
♦ A
♣ K Q T 6

♠ T 7 6 2
♥ 8 4 2
♦ Q J 5 3
♣ A 4

Board 19

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J T 2
♥ 9 5 4 3 2
♦ K Q J
♣ 5 2

♠ K 7 5 3

♥ J 8 7

♦ A 8 6 5

♣ 7 4



♠ Q
♥ T 6
♦ T 9 4 3 2
♣ A Q T 9 8

♠ A 9 8 6 4

♥ A K Q

♦ 7

♣ K J 6 3

Board 20

West Deals

Both Vul

♠ -
♥ K Q J 8 6 3
♦ K J 2
♣ A Q 6 5

♠ A T 9 6
♥ A 7
♦ T 9 7 3
♣ T 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 7 5 3
♥ T 9 4 2
♦ A 8
♣ K J 4

♠ K J 8 4 2
♥ 5
♦ Q 6 5 4
♣ 9 8 7

Board 21

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 7 6
♥ 9 4
♦ J T 4
♣ A Q 8 7 4

♠ K 5

♥ A K T 7 5 3

♦ K 7

♣ J 9 6



♠ Q J 9 3

♥ 2

♦ Q 5 2

♣ K T 5 3 2

♠ A 8 4 2

♥ Q J 8 6

♦ A 9 8 6 3

♣ -

Board 22

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ -
♥ A 9 7 5
♦ K 9 8 6 4
♣ J 9 3 2

♠ A Q J 9 8 4

♥ 6

♦ T 7 2

♣ 8 7 5

N

W E

S

♠ K 5 3

♥ K Q J T 3

♦ A

♣ K Q T 6

♠ T 7 6 2

♥ 8 4 2

♦ Q J 5 3

♣ A 4

Board 23

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J T 2
♥ 9 5 4 3 2
♦ K Q J
♣ 5 2

♠ K 7 5 3

♥ J 8 7

♦ A 8 6 5

♣ 7 4



♠ Q

♥ T 6

♦ T 9 4 3 2

♣ A Q T 9 8

♠ A 9 8 6 4

♥ A K Q

♦ 7

♣ K J 6 3

Board 24

West Deals

None Vul

♠ -
♥ K Q J 8 6 3
♦ K J 2
♣ A Q 6 5

♠ A T 9 6
♥ A 7
♦ T 9 7 3
♣ T 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 7 5 3
♥ T 9 4 2
♦ A 8
♣ K J 4

♠ K J 8 4 2
♥ 5
♦ Q 6 5 4
♣ 9 8 7

Board 25

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 7 6
♥ 9 4
♦ J T 4
♣ A Q 8 7 4

♠ K 5

♥ A K T 7 5 3

♦ K 7

♣ J 9 6



♠ Q J 9 3

♥ 2

♦ Q 5 2

♣ K T 5 3 2

♠ A 8 4 2

♥ Q J 8 6

♦ A 9 8 6 3

♣ -

Board 26

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ -
♥ A 9 7 5
♦ K 9 8 6 4
♣ J 9 3 2

♠ A Q J 9 8 4
♥ 6
♦ T 7 2
♣ 8 7 5

N

W E

S

♠ K 5 3
♥ K Q J T 3
♦ A
♣ K Q T 6

♠ T 7 6 2
♥ 8 4 2
♦ Q J 5 3
♣ A 4

Board 27

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J T 2
♥ 9 5 4 3 2
♦ K Q J
♣ 5 2

♠ K 7 5 3

♥ J 8 7

♦ A 8 6 5

♣ 7 4



♠ Q

♥ T 6

♦ T 9 4 3 2

♣ A Q T 9 8

♠ A 9 8 6 4

♥ A K Q

♦ 7

♣ K J 6 3

Board 28

West Deals

N-S Vul

♠ -
♥ K Q J 8 6 3
♦ K J 2
♣ A Q 6 5

♠ A T 9 6
♥ A 7
♦ T 9 7 3
♣ T 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 7 5 3
♥ T 9 4 2
♦ A 8
♣ K J 4

♠ K J 8 4 2
♥ 5
♦ Q 6 5 4
♣ 9 8 7

Board 29

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 7 6
♥ 9 4
♦ J T 4
♣ A Q 8 7 4

♠ K 5
♥ A K T 7 5 3
♦ K 7
♣ J 9 6



♠ Q J 9 3
♥ 2
♦ Q 5 2
♣ K T 5 3 2

♠ A 8 4 2
♥ Q J 8 6
♦ A 9 8 6 3
♣ -

Board 30

East Deals

None Vul

♠ -
♥ A 9 7 5
♦ K 9 8 6 4
♣ J 9 3 2

♠ A Q J 9 8 4
♥ 6
♦ T 7 2
♣ 8 7 5

N
W E
S

♠ K 5 3
♥ K Q J T 3
♦ A
♣ K Q T 6

♠ T 7 6 2
♥ 8 4 2
♦ Q J 5 3
♣ A 4

Board 31

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J T 2
♥ 9 5 4 3 2
♦ K Q J
♣ 5 2

♠ K 7 5 3

♥ J 8 7

♦ A 8 6 5

♣ 7 4



♠ Q
♥ T 6
♦ T 9 4 3 2
♣ A Q T 9 8

♠ A 9 8 6 4

♥ A K Q

♦ 7

♣ K J 6 3

Board 32

West Deals

E-W Vul

♠ —

♥ K Q J 8 6 3

♦ K J 2

♣ A Q 6 5

♠ A T 9 6

♥ A7

◆ T 9 7 3

♣ T 3 2

♠ Q 7 5 3

♥ T 9 4 2

◆ A 8

♣ K J 4

♠ K J 8 4 2

♥ 5

♦ Q 6 5 4

♣ 9 8 7

Board 33

North Deals

None Vul

♠ T 7 6
♥ 9 4
♦ J T 4
♣ A Q 8 7 4

♠ K 5

♥ A K T 7 5 3

♦ K 7

♣ J 9 6



♠ Q J 9 3

♥ 2

♦ Q 5 2

♣ K T 5 3 2

♠ A 8 4 2

♥ Q J 8 6

♦ A 9 8 6 3

♣ -

Board 34

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ -
♥ A 9 7 5
♦ K 9 8 6 4
♣ J 9 3 2

♠ A Q J 9 8 4
♥ 6
♦ T 7 2
♣ 8 7 5

N
W E
S

♠ K 5 3
♥ K Q J T 3
♦ A
♣ K Q T 6

♠ T 7 6 2
♥ 8 4 2
♦ Q J 5 3
♣ A 4

Board 35

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J T 2
♥ 9 5 4 3 2
♦ K Q J
♣ 5 2

♠ K 7 5 3

♥ J 8 7

♦ A 8 6 5

♣ 7 4



♠ Q
♥ T 6
♦ T 9 4 3 2
♣ A Q T 9 8

♠ A 9 8 6 4

♥ A K Q

♦ 7

♣ K J 6 3

Board 36

West Deals

Both Vul

♠ -
♥ K Q J 8 6 3
♦ K J 2
♣ A Q 6 5

♠ A T 9 6
♥ A 7
♦ T 9 7 3
♣ T 3 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 7 5 3
♥ T 9 4 2
♦ A 8
♣ K J 4

♠ K J 8 4 2
♥ 5
♦ Q 6 5 4
♣ 9 8 7