

Board 1

North Deals

None Vul

♠ T 7
♥ J T 5
♦ A 9 7 6 2
♣ A Q J

♠ A

♥ K Q 9 8 7 4 2

♦ K Q

♣ K 4 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 8 6 3
♥ 6 3
♦ J 8 4 3
♣ 8 7 5

♠ K Q 9 5 4 2
♥ A
♦ T 5
♣ T 9 6 3

West North East South
1♥ All Pass

1♥ by North

bid.

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NORTH has 20 points because she gets to add one point each for her fifth, sixth and

seventh

s. So she opens 1

SOUTH, with just 2 points, would have passed almost anything NORTH bid. Certainly he

passes the 1

Board 2

South Deals
None Vul

♠ A 9 3
♥ A T 5 3
♦ 6 5 3
♣ 9 5 4

♠ J 8 4 2

♥ 9 7 6

♦ Q J

♣ A K 7 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 7

♥ J 8 4

♦ A T 9 4 2

♣ Q J T 6

♠ K Q T 6 5
♥ K Q 2
♦ K 8 7
♣ 8 3

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
All Pass			

4 ♠ by South

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SOUTH has 14 points so he opens one of his 5-card Major suit, 1 .

NORTH has some good but with four of partner's Major she doesn't bother bidding anything else.

Since she has 11 points she jumps to 3 a Limit Raise.

SOUTH is very close to passing. He now gets to add a point for his doubleton which takes

him up to 15 points. So he has enough to bid 4 .

Board 3

North Deals

None Vul

♠ A Q 4

♥ T 7 6 3

♦ 8 6 2

♣ Q 8 3

♠ K J 8 7 2

♥ A 9 8

♦ K Q J

♣ 6 5



♠ 6

♥ Q 5 4

♦ T 9 7 4 3

♣ A J T 9

♠ T 9 5 3

♥ K J 2

♦ A 5

♣ K 7 4 2

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	3♠
Pass	4♠	All Pass	

4 ♠ by North

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NORTH has a normal opening bid of 1 .

SOUTH has a Limit Raise in s, 1 points and 4 s.

He responds 3

NORTH figures that 15 points is enough for game with partner showing 11/12.

She bids 4 .

Board 4

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ K T 8 2

♥ -

♦ 8 7 4 2

♣ A K 7 6 3

♠ 5 4 3

♥ K 5 3

♦ T 6 5

♣ Q J 8 5

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q J 9 7

♥ J T 9

♦ K Q J 9

♣ T 9

♠ A 6

♥ A Q 8 7 6 4 2

♦ A 3

♣ 4 2

West	North	East	South
	Pass	Pass	1♥
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥
All Pass			

3♥ by South

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NORTH has 6 points and wouldn't dream of opening.

SOUTH has 17 points, counting three extra length points, so she opens 1

NORTH does have enough to raise to 2

SOUTH makes one more try, inviting with a 3

bid but NORTH just passes.