

Deal 1

North Deals

None Vul

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

16
 4 5
 15

♠ K Q 9 5 4
 ♥ A Q 8
 ♦ Q 9 7
 ♣ Q J



♠ J 10 8 6 3
 ♥ K J 7
 ♦ A K 3
 ♣ K 5

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

West	North	East	South
	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	4 NT
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	5 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
5 ♠ by North			

NORTH bids 3 NT to show a good hand with five \hat{a}^{TM} s.

SOUTH shows his

$\hat{a}^{\text{TM}}|$

control, and NORTH then shows her

$\hat{a}^{\text{TM}}\Upsilon$

control.

A final check with Blackwood shows two Aces missing. Too bad.

Deal 2

East Deals

None Vul

♠ K J 9 6
 ♥ K Q 9 8
 ♦ Q 9 4
 ♣ A 5

5
 15 16
 4

West

2 NT

4 ♣

4 ♠

4 ♠ by East

♠ —

♥ 10 7 6 4 2

♦ A 8 7 5

♣ J 8 4 2

N
 W E
 S

♠ 10 4 3

♥ J 5

♦ K 10 3

♣ 10 9 7 6 3

North

Pass

Pass

Pass

East

1 ♠

3 ♠

4 ♥

Pass

South

Pass

Pass

Pass

Pass

♠ A Q 8 7 5 2

♥ A 3

♦ J 6 2

♣ K Q

EAST shows his 6-card ♠ suit by bidding 3♠.

WEST shows her ♣ control and EAST shows his

♠

control,

but it seems neither has a control in

♠

s.

So they stop in game.

Deal 3

North Deals
None Vul

♠ 10 7 5
♥ 10 8 2
♦ 10 8 5 4 2
♣ A 10

15
4 4
17

West

Pass
Pass
Pass

6 ♠ by South

♠ K J 8 4
♥ A K 9 4 3
♦ A 9 6
♣ 7



♠ A Q 9 6 3
♥ Q J 7 5
♦ K Q
♣ Q J

North

1 ♥
4 NT
6 ♠

East

Pass
Pass
Pass

South

2 ♠
5 ♦
Pass

SOUTH might just use Jacoby 2 NT since he has great

â™Ÿ

support and

more than 13 points. But, he has so much more than 13 points that he should inform partner by

making a jump-shift. He plans to return to

â™Ÿ

s later.

NORTH has different plans. Knowing partner has five â™Ÿs and 17 or more points she pushes

straight to the â™Ÿ slam.

It didn't matter, slam is cold in either Major.

Deal 4

West Deals

None Vul

♠ A Q J 8 6
♥ 8 5
♦ 3
♣ A Q 9 6 3

4
13 17
6

West

1 ♠

4 ♣

5 ♥

Pass

7 ♠ by West

♠ 5 4 2
♥ K J 10 7
♦ 7 4
♣ 10 7 4 2



♠ 10
♥ Q 9 6 3
♦ Q J 10 9 6 5
♣ J 5

North

Pass

Pass

Pass

East

2 NT

4 NT

7 ♠

South

Pass

Pass

ALL

♠ K 9 7 3
♥ A 4 2
♦ A K 8 2
♣ K 8

Deal 5

Deal 5

East Deals

None Vul

♠ K Q J
 ♥ A 10 9 3
 ♦ K 8 7 5 4
 ♣ 8

4
 13 16
 7

West

♠ 8 2
 ♥ 8 6 5
 ♦ 10 6 3
 ♣ K J 7 3 2

N
 W E
 S

North

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

East

1 ♥

4 ♦

4 ♠

Pass

South

Pass

Pass

Pass

Pass

6 ♥ by East

WEST bids 4TM£, showingTM¥

support, 13+ points and a singleton

or void in TM£s.

EAST first shows her

TM!

A, then, when WEST signs off,

makes one more try by showing her TM A.

WEST finally gets inspired and bids the slam.

Deal 6

South Deals

None Vul

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

13
 5 7
 15

West

Pass

Pass

Pass

Pass

6 ♠ by South

♠ A J 5 3

♥ A 6

♦ K J 7 2

♣ 8 7 4

W N
 S E

♠ K Q 9 7 6 2

♥ K Q J 2

♦ A 8

♣ 5

North

2 NT

3 ♥

5 ♥

Pass

East

Pass

Pass

Pass

Pass

South

1 ♠

3 ♣

4 NT

6 ♠

NORTH has a very minimum 2 NT bid,
 but when SOUTH shows ♠ shortness
 she can Control-bid

her

♠

A without showing extra values.

SOUTH's hand became huge when he
 heard about NORTH's

♠

A.

When Blackwood shows they hold three
 Aces he bids what he expects to be a
 comfortable slam.