BARCLAY ON BRIDGE

COUNTING IT ESSENTIAL

THERE IS no such thing as a good bridge player who does not count his winning tricks when he is a No Trump declarer or his losing tricks when he is a suit declarer. Before ever playing a single card on the first trick, he should always do that simple counting job as soon as he sees the dummy. If he is going to be too lazy to make the logical inferences from the bidding and the lead, and count up the probable suit lengths and location of hostile honors, that is bad enough. But failing to count his winners or losers as the cards pass, he is worse still.

♠ Q 7 5
♥ Q 10
♦ K 7 5 2
♣ K Q 10 4

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

(Dealer: East. Both sides vulnerable.)

East	South	West	North
Pass	1 NT	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 NT		

South got the spade 2 lead with the J, led to the club K, took the diamond A, cashed the club A, went over to the club Q, and led the club 10, thus forcing the diamond J, which West won with the Q. The spade 4 return was won by the K and the diamond K taken to see if the diamond suit could evenly, but it would not. Westpa 10 was set up, giving Eastpaid a spade.

South now led the heart 8, which West took with the K, following with the spade A and 9 and the diamond 10 to beat the contract.

If South had counted, he would have reckoned four tricks in clubs, two in spades and two in diamonds, totaling eight and leaving him only one more required. It could have been scored as a certainty in hearts, instead of trying two doubtful ways in diamonds. Building the heart trick would have necessitated losing the lead twice, but that could have been afforded as the spade suit was not dangerous, marked as being only four cards long when the 3 was led and South had the 2.

Upon winning the first spade and taking the club K and A to assure that this suit would break, he should have switched to a heart, and when the second spade got led to him, he should have led hearts again. That would have assured his contract.

Tomorrow's Problem

♠ Q 10
♥ J 9 6 4
♦ 8 4
♣ K Q 9 7 2

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

Dealer: North. Neither side vulnerable.

What is the sound way to play for 3 No Trumps here if West leads the spade 4 against South's contract?

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Secretary Of C Of C To Be Named Soon

Direct is a the Henderson Chamber of Commerce Monday night instructed the executive committee, which consists of the officers, to employ a secretary to succeed Arthur H. Sappenfield, who recently resigned to become personnel director of The Cardell Company in Hendersonville.

Meanwhile, Mrs. Nellie Gray, Kittrell, who has been acting in the secretary and appointed acting secretary until a permanent official is [illegible].

The board had several matters before it for consideration, but the only resolution was referred to the executive committee.

President J. C. Gardner, who presided, was authorized to appoint a committee to make arrangements for a banquet to be held probably late in January. The committee when named will arrange for the time and place and select the speaker. Another committee is to be appointed later to present the officers for 1945.

Aside from these items it became the business that only routine work had to be done at the meeting.

Thacker, Roberson Tried in Police Court for Assault

L. W. Thacker and J. J. Roberson were tried in police court Monday on charges of assault with a deadly weapon, resulting from a brawl at Thacker's store on Garnett street on September 29. Thacker was injured and Roberson allegedly received a knife wound.

Thacker was tried on an assault with a deadly weapon charge, the jury returning a verdict of guilty. He was sentenced upon payment of the costs, $50 and cost, and provided the defendant not be guilty of violating any law in Vance county for the next two years.

Roberson was tried for assault with a deadly weapon, arising out of an affray on L. W. Thacker. He was adjudged not guilty.

F. W. Gupton and R. B. Frazier, white, were tried in separate cases for engaging in the business of bagging leaf tobacco without first obtaining the license required by the state. Frazier's judgment was continued for each upon payment of costs and entering the proper bond.

Joe Porter, white, was adjudged not guilty of a charge of vagrancy.

On Furlough Here

Private Franklin E. Gordon, who is stationed at Fort Benning, Ga., is spending a 14-day furlough with his wife and baby at 704 Andrews avenue. Pvt. Gordon has been 27 months in the "Wing" and boasts of the United States Army paratroopers. He has completed four weeks of jump training, during which time he made five jumps, the last a tactical jump at night involving a combat problem on landing.

Saw Leyte Action

Thomas Sam'el Reed, GM 2c, said and here yesterday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Reed, Route 2, after participating in the Leyte Invasion in the Philippine Islands on October 20, 1944, it was learned here today. The citation, in part, read as follows:

"Hearty wholehearted congratulations are extended to you for the splendid manner in which you fulfilled your duties during the subject engagement involving Your truly loyal service to the American spirit in coming Back With Mac!

"You, as an individual member of the crew of the LST 738, deserve all the praise that goes with the Navy's phrase, 'Well Done.'"

Reed, who attended Henderson high school, entered the navy in February, 1942. He received training at Norfolk, New York, New Orleans and Texas. In May, 1944, he was transferred to the Pacific coast base from which he received orders for Pacific duty.

FUNERAL HELD FOR MRS. ELLA WEST

Services Held at Brown's Church, Warren County, for Franklin Native

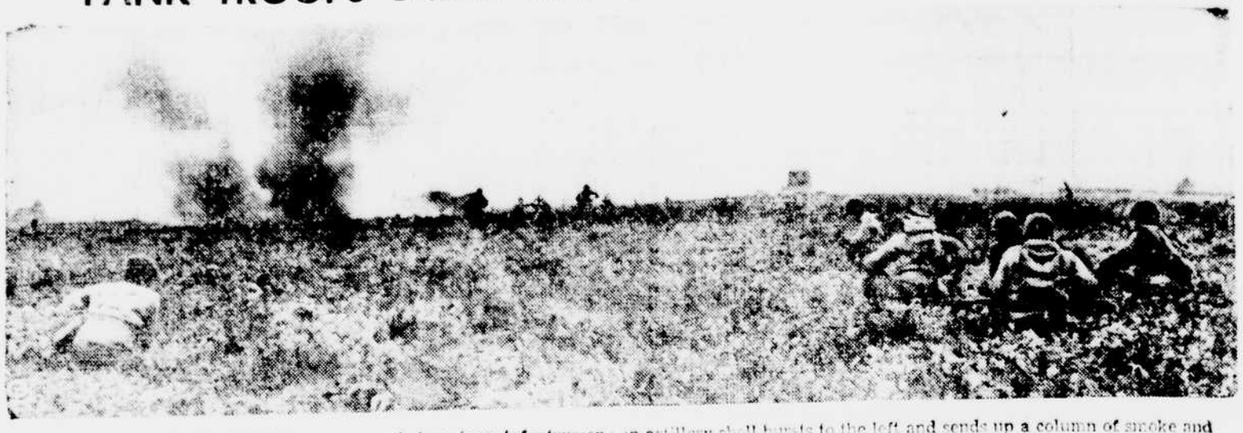
Funeral services for Mrs. Ella Maude West, who died Saturday night in a Norfolk, Va., hospital after a long illness, were held at Brown's Baptist church in Warren county, yesterday afternoon, conducting the services were Rev. Mr. Bunterburke, of Wake Forest, pastor of the church.

Mrs. West was a native of Franklin county. She had been in bad health for about two years and had been seriously ill for five days.

Active pallbearers for the funeral were Albert Harris, Roger Avent, L. T. Avent, Edward Powell, Edward Ellis, and Elmus Pegram. Flower girls were Misses Lola Avent, Annie Wiggins, Virginia Wiggins, Nellie Faulkner, Mary Avent, Dot West, Elizabeth Lee, and Annie Mary Short, and Mrs. Jane Clark and Mrs. Elmus Pegram.

It won't be long now until the Nazis, who thought they needed all Europe for living room, will be willing to settle for a breakfast nook.—Gist.

YANK TROOPS DUCK FIRE DURING DRIVE INTO REICH



MOVING FORWARD CAUTIOUSLY, a group of American infantrymen move on Nazi soil, this somewhere in the vicinity of Uaoch, Germany. As the men at the head of the scattered line start to advance on the run, an artillery shell bursts to the left and sends up a column of smoke and debris. In the foreground, other troops instinctively crouch in the low bushes around them. (International)

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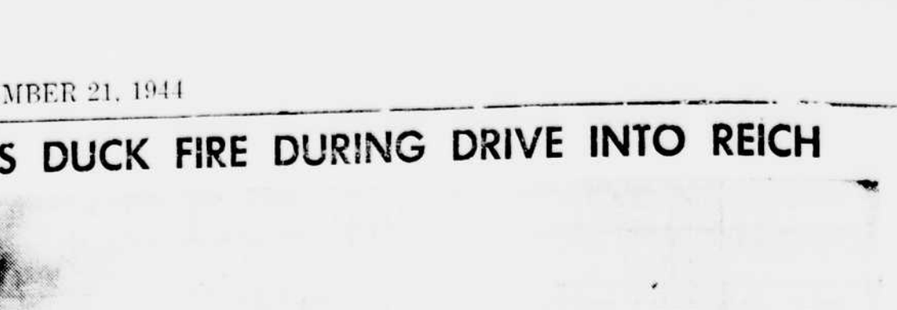

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