



THREE IN A ROW FOR MARATHON BRIDGE PAIR

Elizabeth Leslie, left, and her partner 'Hal' Gibbons, made it Geico Kinsmen marathon bridge champions in a row when they won the 1976-77 edition April 24. The tournament concluded with a final bridge night at the home of Kinetic Mrs. Edley McColeman, where five tables of bridge were in play. The team of Pat Scheak and Nellie Goldham was second, while Jean Mackenzie was winner of individual honours on the night.

NORVAL

Airport Visit, Circus are Highlights of School Trip

Grades 1, 2, and 3 of Norval public school enjoyed two special days last week. The first was on Tuesday, May 11 when they visited the Malton airport. They were met by Mr. Belanger who explained some of the procedures then a guide conducted them on a tour of the airport which included going to a plane which was a highlight of the tour.

The students were accompanied by principal Larry Cigen and Mrs. Cigen, the principal's assistant Mrs. Summerville, teacher Mrs. Melnyk, and parents Mrs. Kaufman, Mrs. Even and Mrs. Harrison.

On Thursday, May 13, thirty-seven students of the Grades 1 to 3 attended the 3-ripped circus at Maple Leaf Gardens, Toronto, for the matinee performance. Unfortunately some of the Grade 1 pupils are home with the chicken pox so their tickets were passed on to a few pupils in the other grades who have been helpful in the school and to the winners of the costume contest at the recent Pioneer Day held at the school. Teacher Mrs. Melnyk reported that on arrival at the Gardens they were met with confusion on all sides with thousands of children milling around. When the Norval group reached their seats they found them occupied by another group who had arrived on the wrong day. This group had to be seated elsewhere. The matinee was late in starting and the bus to bring them home was caught in a bus jam so this made it later than expected on arriving home. However, in spite of all the confusion the children really enjoyed all of the circus.

Explain VON Work To IODE Women

Mrs. D. Wingrove, 15 Durham Street, hosted the May meeting of the Countess of Strathmore Chapter, IODE, Mrs. E. J. Smith, 1st vice regent presided in the absence of Mrs. Penrice, due to illness. The April minutes were read by the secretary, Mrs. A. Gilmer, and approved. She also read the correspondence. Mrs. D. Charles reported that a framed picture of the Queen will be presented to the Joseph Gibbons school. A \$10 donation was voted to the CNIB Fund Campaign. The treasurer's report was read by Miss J. Mackenzie, treasurer.

Mrs. G. Farnell, echoes secretary gave a brief report and Mrs. J. Evans, services at home and abroad displayed a layette she had assembled. Mrs. Smith welcomed the members present with a special welcome to Mrs. K. Meers, a guest. She also noted that the IODE members had voted to retain its name, adopted when the order was founded in 1900.

The June meeting will be a pot-luck supper at the home of Mrs. D. Charles with an auction sale to follow the business meeting. The roll call and the collection were taken. Mrs. Smith introduced Miss Barbara Kerby of the Victorian Order of Nurses, whose office is in Oakville, who is in charge of looking after the needs of North Halton. She showed slides and enlightened the members on the work of the VON.

Miss Margery Mackenzie thanked Miss Kerby for coming and she was presented with a gift from the chapter. Lunch was then served. Mrs. R. Jones thanked Mrs. Wingrove for being the hostess of the chapter for lending her home for the meeting.

NOTICE to the PUBLIC

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Monday Eve'g, May 24, 1971

by any person or persons other than the personnel so authorized with regard to the

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on the said evening, is prohibited

The Police Department have been authorized to, and will strictly enforce the above mentioned resolution

C. G. BENHAM, Clerk
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LET'S PLAY BRIDGE

BY BILL COATS

When the dedicated duplicate player sits down to a game of rubber bridge, he still thinks in terms of duplicate. Rubber bridge offers a chance to experiment, to test new ideas, to try out new conventions or unusual plays. Here is a hand that was bid up by a couple of duplicate players at a rubber bridge game.

South dealt with neither side vulnerable.

NORTH
S-Void
H-10 9 8 7
D-A 8 7 6 5 4 3
C-Q 6

WEST EAST
S-9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2
H-A 7 H-Q 4
D-K Q 10 9 D-J
C-7 3 C-K J 9 8 5

SOUTH
S-A K 4
H-K J 8 5 3
D-3
C-A 10 4 3

The Bidding
SOUTH WEST NORTH EAST
1H 18 4H 48
6H Dble. All Pass
Opening lead - King of diamonds.

North's leap to four hearts shows a highly distributional hand with trump support. Since North-South were not opening four card majors, it was safe to jump to four with just four trump. East sacrificed at four spades but South took a flyer at six hearts. There is no good way to bid to six hearts so South was taking a definite gamble with his bid.

RIGHT ACTION

In a sense West was right to double. If he had led the ace and another heart, declarer cannot come to 12 tricks. At the most he takes two spades, a diamond and a club plus six heart tricks. He does not have sufficient entries to establish the diamond suit. However West made the safe lead of the diamond king and declarer scrambled home.

Declarer won the diamond with the ace and ruffed a diamond. The ace and king of spades were cashed declarer discarding a club and a diamond from dummy. The club ace was cashed, and a club was ruffed. Another diamond was ruffed and declarer ruffed a spade in dummy.

Sheridan Co-operates With County, Helps Those on Welfare

Sheridan College and Halton County's social and family services department may embark on a project to keep welfare recipients abreast of the latest budgeting and household hints.

Rene Vivian, assistant director of the county department, told the county social and family services committee this week informative inserts would be printed by Sheridan College free of charge as practice for its printing students.

They would be put into all monthly welfare cheques. The program would last a year on an experimental basis he said.

GOOD EFFORT
Declarer led a club and West made a good effort by ruffing with the trump ace and leading a trump. It was too late for the defense as declarer continued his cross ruff. In all he took his four side tricks plus three ruffs in dummy and all five trump in his hand.

It would not do East any good to discard clubs on declarer's diamond leads from dummy. In that case declarer could afford to draw two rounds of trump since the club ten would become established. It is also interesting to note that declarer must take the first diamond ruff in his hand before he takes a ruff in dummy. If he doesn't he will end up having to lead away from his king jack of hearts at trick twelve.



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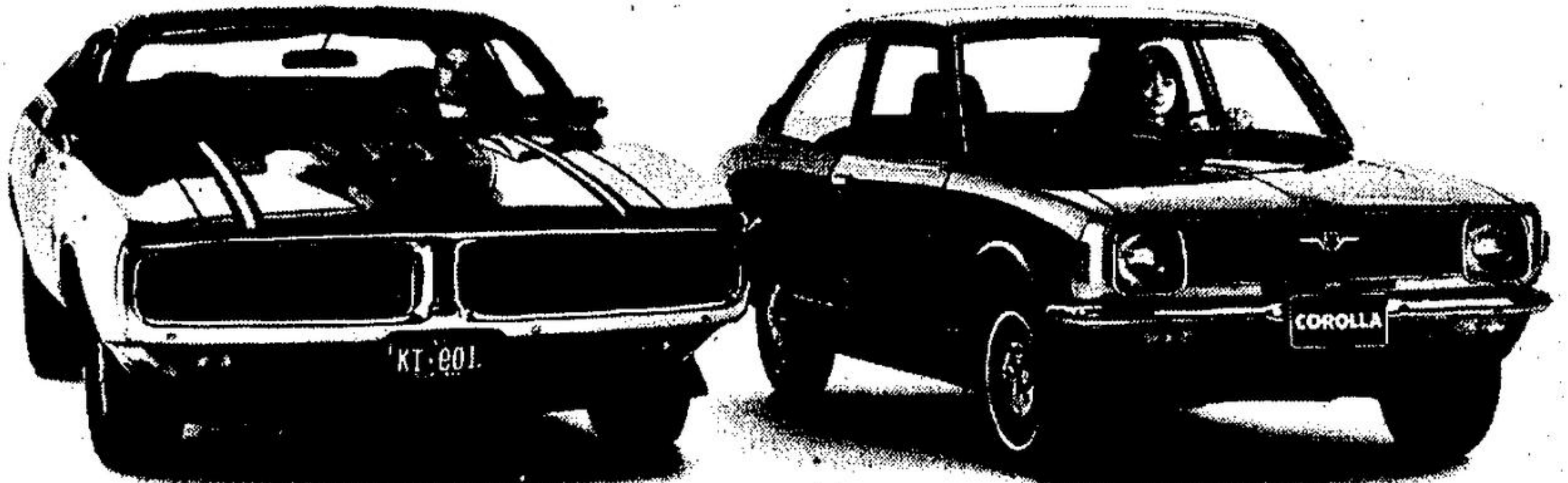


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