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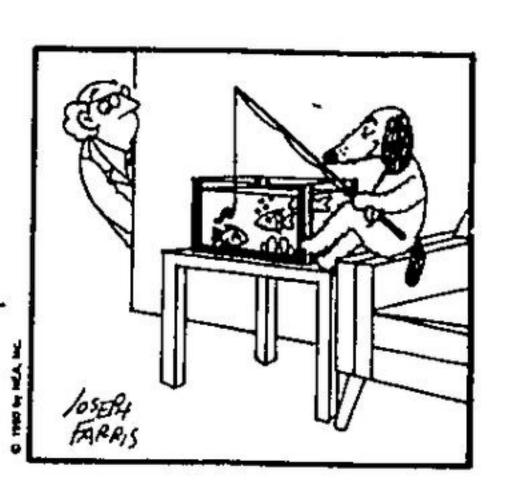
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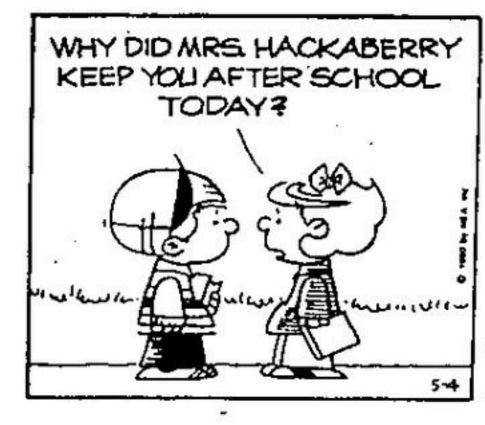




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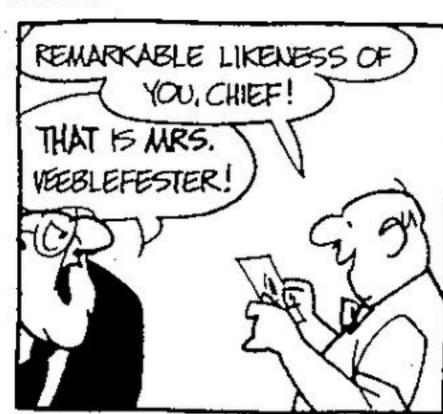






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## **ASTRO-GRAPH**



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May 3, 1990

In the year ahead you will be more mentally curious and experimental than you have been in the past. Life will become more meaningful, because you will have many fresh interests upon which to draw.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Don't take run pastimes too seriously today, even it you have to compete against someone you would rather beat than be president. The more relaxed you are, the better you'll play. Trying to patch up a broken romance? The Astro-Graph Matchmaker can help you to understand what to do to make the relationship work.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Providing for the concerns of people for whom you are responsible should take precedence over all of your other interests today. Make them your no. 1 priorities. CANCER (June 21-July 22) Conditions in general look hopeful for you today, especially in involvements you have with friends. Collective objectives can be achieved to everyone's satisfaction. LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) You'll be in your element today in situations that are meaningful to you financially. However, outside of purely commercial areas your judgment may be less dependable. VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Although you won't be able to please everyone today, you're still likely to have a high batting average. Your fly in the cintment will be someone with whom no one can get along.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Leave the door of opportunity open today so that It is possible for persons who want to do you favors to be able to do so. Your luck could spring from the most unlikely sources.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) For best results today keep things on a purely social basis in your involvements with friends. Stay out of their business affairs and keep them out of yours.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) You could be rather ingenious today in circumventing barriers that bar you from your objectives. Success is likely whether you receive cooperation from associates or not.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) in order to accommodate fluctuating conditions today, it might be necessary for you to revise your original game plan. The changes you make will be both effective and constructive.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) You should be able to manage with exceptional effectiveness today that which is necessary for your own needs. Additionally, you'll also be very clever at masterminding things for friends.

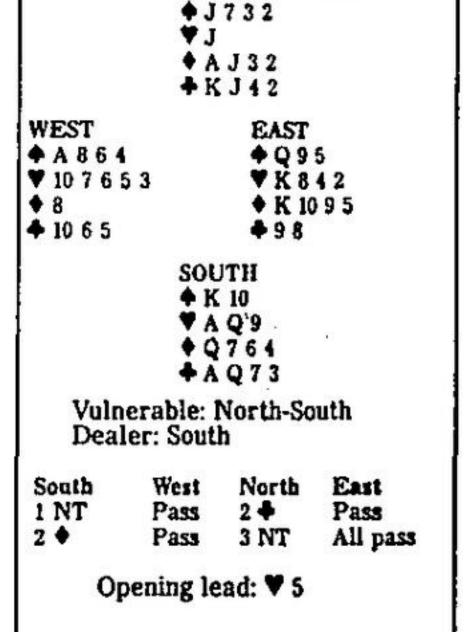
PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Even though you'll be a good achiever independent of others today, your greatest successes are likely to come from your partnership arrangements.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Put your ingenuity to work .or you today to devise some labor saving techniques, especially in assignments or tasks that are more physical than mental.

#### BRIDGE



**JAMES JACOBY** 



NORTH

# Nine tricks are all you need

By James Jacoby

The right play in a particular suit is often the wrong play for a particular deal. When declarer won East's king with his ace, he immediately led a diamond. West followed with the eight, and dummy's jack lost to East's king. Back came a heart, clearing the suit. Everything would have been all right if diamonds had split normally, but they were 4-1. That left South with only eight tricks, and West was able to set the contract when he got in with the ace of spades.

Although declarer's play in the diamond suit gave him the best chance of taking all four tricks (West might hold K-x of diamonds), that was not the objective. Because declarer's goal is simply to take nine tricks, all he needs to do is establish two more tricks before West sets up his heart suit. He should play so that if East wins the king of diamonds, he can still make his contract. The right play is a diamond to dummy's ace and a low diamond exit from dummy. If East goes up with the king, three diamond tricks are ensured. And what happens when East correctly plays low? South wins the queen. Since East now has the K-10 over the jack in dummy, declarer goes to dummy's king of clubs and plays a low spade. When East plays low, South can play either the king or the 10. West may win the trick, but he cannot profitably attack hearts, and declarer even has time to play a second spade, if need be, for his ninth trick.

James Jacoby's books "Jacoby on Bridge" and "Jacoby on Card Games" (written with his father, the late Oswald Jacoby) are now available at bookstores. Both are published by Pharos Books.

## CELEBRITY CIPHER

Celebrity Cipher cryptograms are created from quotations by famous people, past and present. Each letter in the cipher stands for another. Today's clue: Y equals P.

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