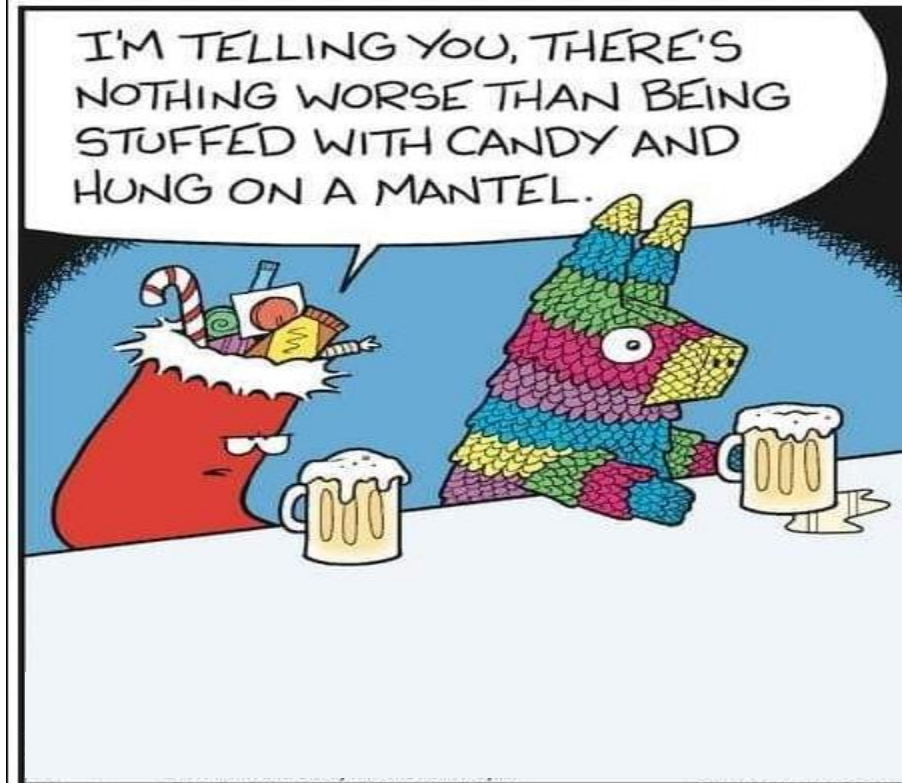


# Careful Play

## Part 2



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# Time for a Joke

A ninety-four-year-old man is sitting on a park bench, sobbing, when a young man walks by and asks him what's wrong.

Through his tears, the old man answers, "I'm in love with a twenty-two-year-old woman."

"What's wrong with that?" asks the young man.

Between his sobs, the old man replies, "You don't understand, every morning before she goes to work, we make love. At lunchtime, she comes home, and we make love again, and then she makes my favorite meal. In the afternoon when she gets a break, she rushes home and we have sex again, the best ever. And then at suppertime, and all night long, we make love." He breaks down, no longer able to speak.

The young man puts his arm around him. "I don't understand. It sounds perfect to me. Why are you sitting here crying?"

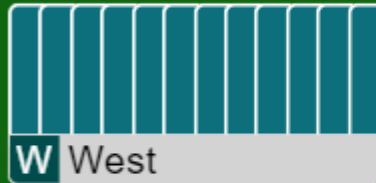
The old man answers, again through his tears, "I forgot where I live."

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Take the opening lead and draw 2 top rounds of trumps (only). Then cash your other ♥ and run your ♣'s. If they trump with the Q♠, they must give you a ruff-sluff or expose the Q♦.

North	West	East	South
K♠, 10♠, 5♠, 4♠, A♥, K♥, Q♣, J♣, 5♣, 4♣, A♦, 9♦, 8♦	Q♠, 9♠, 8♠, Q♥, J♥, 10♥, 9♥, 10♣, 9♣, 7♦, 6♦, 5♦, 4♦	7♠, 6♠, 8♥, 7♥, 6♥, 5♥, 4♥, 8♣, 7♣, 6♣, Q♦, 3♦, 2♦	A♠, J♠, 3♠, 2♠, 3♥, 2♥, A♣, K♣, 3♣, 2♣, K♦, J♦, 10♦

You wind up in 5S after Blackwood.  
Lead = 10♦.

# Careful Play Hand #5

What is your line of play?

The diagram shows a bridge hand with the following cards:

- North:** 4♠, 3♠, 2♠, K♥, 4♥, 3♥, K♣, Q♣, J♣, 10♣, Q♦, 9♦, 4♦
- South:** A♠, K♠, Q♠, J♠, 10♠, 9♠, A♥, 2♥, 3♣, 2♣, K♦, 3♦, 2♦
- West:** 8 cards (represented by blue bars)
- East:** 8 cards (represented by blue bars)

In the center of the table, two 10♦ cards are shown, representing the lead.

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**N North**  
4♠ 3♠ 2♠ K♥ 4♥ 3♥ K♣ Q♣ J♣ 10♣ Q♦ 9♦ 4♦

**W West**  
8♠ 7♠ 6♠  
10♥ 9♥ 8♥ 7♥ 6♥ 5♥  
A♣ 4♣  
10♦ 5♦

**S coinerbop**  
A♠ K♠ Q♠ J♠ 10♠ 9♠ A♥ 2♥ 3♣ 2♣ K♦ 3♦ 2♦

**E East**  
5♠  
Q♥ J♥  
9♣ 8♣ 7♣ 6♣ 5♣  
A♦ J♦ 8♦ 7♦ 6♦

The Barricade Coup.

Play dummy's Q♦!  
East must take his A♦ but cannot continue the suit safely.

Be sure to take the ♥ return in your hand.

Draw trumps and knock out the A♣.

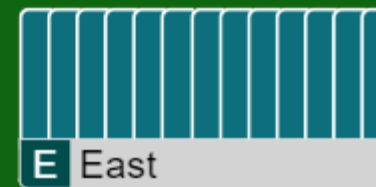
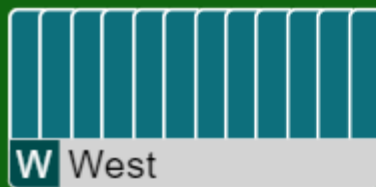
# Another Joke (It's a Visual)



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Plan your play.





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**N North**

4♥ 3♥ 2♥ A♠ 5♠ 4♠ 5♦ 4♦ 6♣ 5♣ 4♣ 3♣ 2♣

**W West**

6♥ 5♥  
J♠ 9♠  
K♦ Q♦ J♦ 10♦ 9♦ 8♦  
Q♣ 10♣ 9♣

**E East**

9♥ 8♥ 7♥  
Q♠ 10♠ 8♠ 7♠ 6♠  
7♦ 6♦  
K♣ J♣ 8♣

**S** coinerbop **J**

A♥ K♥ Q♥ J♥ 10♥ K♠ 3♠ 2♠ A♦ 3♦ 2♦ A♣ 7♣

Duck the 1<sup>st</sup> ♦ and take the 2<sup>nd</sup> one. Now play your 3<sup>rd</sup> ♦ and pitch a ♠ from dummy.

Now you can ruff your 3<sup>rd</sup> ♠ in the dummy, but only after you draw 2 rounds of trumps.



**Time for the Game**