Trick One Tricks

Basics (Second Hand Low)

	Α	В	С	D	E	F
Dummy:	▲ K42	♠ Q42	♦ K42	♠ Q93	♦ A105	♠ Q10
Lead	: ♠6	^ 6	♠Q	♠J	^ 6	^ 6
Declarer:	♠ J5	♠ J53	▲ 1076	♠ K76	♠ J4	♠ A3

In A-D (presume a suit contract) play low from dummy. In E, play low, but unblock the jack from hand. In F, it is a guess.

Using Your Spots

	G	Н	1	J	K	L
Dummy:	♥ K102	♥ Q42	♥AJ4	♥AQ6	♥ K105	♥AQ2
<u>Lead</u> : ♥3		¥ 6	♥ 5	v 3	v 6	v 6
Declarer:	♥ A84	v 1075	y 97	v 1052	v 84	♥ 943

In all cases, play low from dummy – for reasons as explained in lesson.

Trick One Tricks (Continued)

Trick One at Notrump

	М	N	0	Р	Q	R
Dummy:	♦ 102	♦ 102	♦ J32	♦ AKQ84	♦ J32	♦AQ2
Lead	l: ♦ 5	♦ 5	♦ 5	♦ 5	♦ 5	♦ 5
Declarer:	♦AJ4	♦AK4	◆A76	♦ 93	◆ A96	♦ 74

Play low in M, P (unblock from hand), Q and R for reasons explained in the lesson.

Logic and Deception

	S	Т	U	V	W
Dummy:	♣ Q54	♣ AK5	4 1053	4 62	4 32
<u>Lead</u> : 4 9 4 4 4 A 4 K 4 (♣ Q
Declarer:	♣ AJ102	♣ Q72	♣ Q82	♣ AJ83	♣ AK6

Play low on S so as to not waste the queen on a short king with RHO.

Against notrump, win the ace on T and falsecard with the 7.

Falsecard with your 8 on U & V to make a continuation more likely.

On W (and in general) win with your highest of touching cards to best confuse the defense.