Illawarra Swiss Pairs early December

By Frank Budai

(ed. Frank and Julian Abel won the event. This hand may show why!)

Here is your hand:-

♠Q6
♥7
♦AKQT9875
♣83

But the auction is:-

West	North	East	South
	2C (1)	P	2D (2)
??? (3)			

(1) Shows less than opening hand, with both majors 5+, 4+
(2) No preference
(3) What did Frank bid?

Those of you that know Frank would write down 3NT.
He won the first trick with ♠Q, then 8 Diamonds, ♥A & ♣ for 11 tricks.
As he says "When it's your day – good things happen.

The whole hand was:-

Board 13
Dlr: N
Vul: All

	♠AK753 ♥986532 ♦--- ♣74	
♠Q6 ♥7 ♦AKQT9875 ♣83		♠982 ♥AT4 ♦J64 ♣AQ65
	♠JT4 ♥KQJ ♦32 ♣KJT92	