

After East opens 1♥ and rebids 2♠, West has to settle for game

When you try spades you find they split 2-1. There is a play to guarantee 6♠- but it involves managing your entries properly. You have a loser in diamonds- after drawing trumps what are the options?

Alternatively you can play for no club losers, but you can take the finesse either way, and there is no clue from the bidding about how to play it.

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If you have kept the correct spades you can now lead 4♠ from hand to the 5♠ on table and ruff your last heart. Now lose the diamond and the opposition will have to either lead into your club finesse, or give you a ruff and discard!

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		♠	Q10				1♥	P
		♥	3		1♠	P	2♠	P
		♦	Q87432		4♠	P	P	P
		♣	Q642					
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♠	KJ9764				♠	A532		
♥	AJ				♥	K852		
♦	106				♦	A9		
♣	KJ5				♣	A107		
		S	hxlizb					
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