When you have a lot of offense and shaky defense, declare.

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Board	Result	We	They	We	They	
6	5 ♦ Sx+2	750		9.3		
7	4 ♥ S+1	650		2.4		
8	4 ♠ S-1		50		1.4	
9	4 ♥ N=	420		6		
10	5 ♦ S=	600		5.8		
			47.5	6.3		
6 P						
₩ Rob ♠QJ8 ♥AQ9 ♣ J54	3642 9	Pa 1♠ Dbl 2	ss 1♦ ♦ 3♦ ♦ 5♦	E Robot ▲K953 ♥KJ108 ◆J742 ♣9		
		S texashen	89			

S 1D

W 1S

N DBL (Negative double, 4+ hearts, 6+ points)

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♦KQ98653 ♣AQ2 5+x

South

E 2D (Limit raise in spades, 10-12 points, 3+ spades)

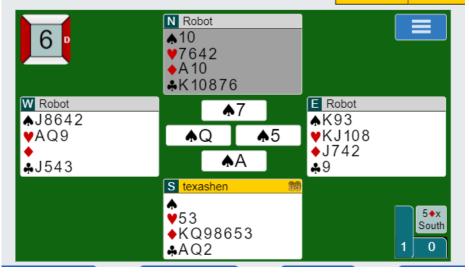
S 3D (I have 7 diamonds and 2 outside aces, I'm not going quietly. I might even have a game.)

W 3S (6 spades and no diamonds. West is not going quietly either)

N DBL (8+ hcp. The 10's maybe useful and the ace of trump)

E 4S

S 5D (A two way bid. I may make 5 diamonds, and they may make 4S.)



I get the friendly lead of the Queen of spades. Defense is hard.

I play a diamond and West shows out. So, I get to finesse East out of the Jack of diamonds.

6	N Robot ▲10 ♥7642 ♦ K10876	3		
W Robot ▲J864 ♥AQ9 ◆ ♣J43	♠2	10 ●2 •5	E Robot ▲K93 ♥KJ108 ◆J7 ♣9	
	S texashen ♦ ♥53 ♦KQ986 ♣AQ2	\$9		5◆x South 3 0

I come back to my hand with a club and pull trump.

When the clubs go 3-1 (the expected break), I get to discard my hearts on dummy's long clubs.

