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## BORIS THE SPIDER

A Journal of Duplicious Doings, Raw Power, and Naked Greed

"Oh, what a tangled web we weave  
When first we practice to deceive."  
---Sir Walter Scott---



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## AVALONCON VI

Boris and Wayne Morrison ventured forth on Quest for a National Championship plaque at 0900 30 Jul and returned plaqueless 2130 7 Aug. Enroute we enjoyed the hospitality of TJ and DC Klausutis; Paul, Lisa, Michael, and Calvin Saunders; and Chuck, Oeil, Ariel, and Stanley Hanna. We played 1856 with TJ (half a game) and with Chuck (to the bitter 3 AM end), STELLAR CONQUEST with Paul, and FAMILY BUSINESS with Paul and Lisa. At the Con we first shared a room with Mike Taub (who Jedi mindtricked me into losing a game of WE THE PEOPLE) for two days, then called off on our own. Mike won his 1830 heat, but finished just out of the money in the finals. Paul S. made the FLIGHT COMMANDER II finals but was shot down by a flying Frenchman. Wayne made the HISTORY OF THE WORLD semifinals. Boris finished in the money in SLAPSHOT (came in second in his qualifying section), and 8th in CIRCUS MAXIMUS (won his qualifying heat and then narrowly eked out 8th in a 16 chariot final). Boris and Wayne also "raided" five game stores in the Manassas, Sterling, Baltimore, and Birmingham areas amassing more loot. New games introduced at the Con were GERONIMO! and EMPIRE OF THE RISING SUN. Most prevalent non-AH game at the Con (except maybe MAGIC! THE GATHERING, which was played some, but traded more) was a German title DIE SIEDLER, which is supposed to be a CIV-like game played on a MAGIC REALM-like board. It looked interesting; wish I'd managed to get into a game.

**ALTERNATE ALERT:** We need an 1830 standby for next month in case TJ gets lost in his doctoral project again.

### BORIS'S BULLETIN BOARD

**THOUGHT FOR THE MONTH:** "Politics is more dangerous than war, for in war you are only killed once."

---Sir Winston Churchill

Don Del Grande now has two signed for pbem KINGMAKER. He also has two openings for KREMLIN (Politburo: A.P.B.(w), C.N.H.R.(w)). Candidates: E.K.L.M.V. Advanced Rules except D.E. and O) in Lemon Curry, starting now.

Kevin Wilson has been given permission from the copyright holder to duplicate rules and board for pbm play of 4000 A.D. Anyone interested should contact him for a copy.

Brad Wilson, DIP's Muhammed Ali Pasha look-alike winner, is again sponsoring VERTIGO GAMES (oy! IX already), 1-4 Sep at 302 Friendship Dr., Paoli, PA. A better time than ever AvalonCon. Meet the East Coast DIP clique. Game 'til you drop, then game some more. Sample the finest East Coast bottled brews, a hot tub, big-screen TV. See SUB LIST on p18 to contact Brad before the event; during the fun try (610) 952-7479. Boris made VERTIGO GAMES V and would've made everyone since had they been but 800 miles closer.

The Fall semester starts next week down here, so for those of you who are prone to phone, I'll be teaching until 9:20 PM + hrs each Tues and Thurs until early December.

Well, *Boris the Spider* didn't place in this year's Runestone Poll; we evidently didn't get the 10 votes needed to make the cut. Thanks to whichever of you responded. The overall vote was way down from last year, somewhat understandable after Cogniscient's massive "get out the vote" campaign last year and its hiatus since last AvalonCon.

And speaking of Cogniscient, it is not dead, as some have alleged. I talked to Randy at AvalonCon and he says he's already got 40 or so pages already done.

### BOOS & KUBOS

**NOTE:** Beginning with #9, we will be awarding one free issue to the recipient of the Madame Bolduc Press Excellence Award.

This month's Madame Bolduc Press Excellence Award goes to Kevin Wilson for his Vienna Times article in "Boris IX".

The Ma Nar SuperSunday Bomb is lobbed upon the Bros Klausutis for NMRe.

**DEADLINE FOR MOST GAMES IS NOON (CDT) 9 SEP 95**

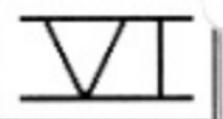
# RUSSIA OPENS NEW FRONT!



## KRONER SLIPS!

Fall 1914

1994BS



**WALL STREET JOURNAL**--The tides of war have shifted. Austria's fortunes are beginning to ebb. England's momentum may be nearly spent. Russia's star is now ascendant. There is no talk of a draw now from liberated St Petersburg with SWE and DEN at Teer David's fingertips and the reborn threat of northern fleets with which to pressure the British homeland. Yet the British Baltic fleets are not without their *st*.

### TROOP MOVEMENTS

Austria retreats A MAR TO PIE. England retreats F MID to BRE.

AUS (Morrison): [A Mun S A Stl-Ber], [A Bil-Ber], [F Spa(sc) S A Pie-Mar](r-??), F Tyn-Lyo, A Bud-Ser, A Gal-Rum, A Rum-Bul, [A Pie-Mar], F Bul(ec)-Gre, A Boh S A Mun, A Trl S A Mun, F Ion-Tyn, [F Mid S F Spa(sc)](r-??), A Tun H(u);  
 ENG (York): F Bre-Mid, F Eng S F Bre-Mid, A Gas S F Lyc-Spa(sc), F Lyc-Spa(sc), F Wes S F Lyc-Spa(sc), [A Mar S F Lyc-Spa(sc)], A Bur S A Mar, F Hol-Nth, F Bal S F Ber, A Kie S F Ber, [A Ruh-Mun], F Ber H.  
 RUS (Anderson): A Ukr is jealous of Boris going to AvalonCon, A StP-Nwy, [A Pru-Ber], F Con S F Aeg, A Sev S A Ukr, F Aeg S AUS F Bul(ec)-Gre, A Moes-3

Orders in brackets fail: d = unit destroyed due to lack of valid retreat; imp = impossible; nea = unit not so ordered; nsp = no such place; nau = no such unit; nvr = no vote received; otb = off the board; otm = unit on the move; r-?? = unit is dislodged; u = unordered. Austrian F SPA(sc) must retreat otb or to POR; F MID must retreat otb or to IRI, NAP, or NAT.

### SUPPLY CENTER CHART

AUS: Bud Trl Ser Nap Ram Ven Vic Gre -Spa Mun -Ber -Mar Per Bul Ram +Tu	(13) Teer 1 *
ENG: Edi Los Lpi Hol -Nwy Bel Kie -StF Den Sve Bre Pur +Ber +Mar +Spa	(13) Build 1
RUS: Mee Sev War Con Smy Ank -Tun +Nwy +SiP	(8) Build 1

\* If Austria retreats one F otb, then Even. If he retreats both fleets otb, then Build 1.

Due next time are orders for the two retreats, for build/tears and for Spring 1915. We'll try a two week deadline for Spring, that is 30 Aug 95.

### ALDA-CHUR

FALL 1914 ACTION: Kroner drop \$2 to \$13, pounds climb to \$13, and rubles go to \$8.

Company	\$	Kroner	Pounds	Rubles	Value
RVE	3	10	358	0	\$4657
PRB	3	0	0	567	\$4539
WOMEX	1	0	333	0	\$4330
NEWBOT	4	192	0	74	\$3092
USED	0	183	20	0	\$2639
RETW	2298	0	0	0	\$2298
CCH	1	80	0	0	\$1041
FROG	10	78	0	0	\$ 959
MT	0	0	0	0	\$ 0

LEGEND: CCH = Corporation for Currency Holding, FROG = Federal Reserve Option and Guarantee, NEWBOT = Neenah World Board of Trade, PRB = People's Revolutionary Bank, RETW = Retired Wayne, RVE = RV Exchange, USED = Ukrainian Circus Exchange & Depository, WOMEX = Wordelmann's Monetary Exchange.

The Alda-Chur Bourse is open next season.

### STELLAR CONQUEST

The games are presently awaiting:

FLESH GORDON -- Combat and production orders for Turn 40.

SIMON WAGSTAFF -- We have orders for Turns 37-40 in hand. ~~but most resolution is a couple of minor GM games in Turn 38 combat and production numbers. Turn 37 combat~~  
 Please expedite your orders. Let's finish these this summer.

*this time,*

TSAR SMASHED!  
AUSTRIA SUCCUMBS!

VII

Fall 1909

1994 AT

MURKWOOD: The Habsburg Empire is no more. The Romanov Empire will soon be joining it in "the dustbin of history" as it is caught between the irresistible German force and the immovable Turkish object. Italy's life expectancy also looks short now that England and Germany have apparently come to a modus vivendi and the full weight of the Royal Navy can be brought to bear upon her.

TROOP MOVEMENTS

Austria retreats A BUD to GAL. English F LYO retreats to PIE. Italy retreats F WES to TYN. Germany retreats A MOS to SEV.

AUS (J. Shacklett): [A Gal-Bud]:

ENG (Hanna): F Nth-Eng, F Eng-Bre, [A Par-Gas], [F Spa(sc) S F Pie-Mar], [F Pie-Mar], F Wee-Tun:

GER (Morrison): [A StP S A Sev-Mos], A Pru-Lvn, F Bel S A Pru-Lvn, F Swr-Bot, F Bel H, A Mun-Tri, [A Boh-Vie], A War S A Sev-Mos, A Ruh-Bur, A Sev-Mos:

ITA (York): F Tyn S F Lyo, [A Tus-Spa], F Lya C A Tus-Spa, [A Gas S A Tus-Spa], [F Mar S A Tus-Spa], [F Alb-Tri]:

RUS (Carbonneau): [A Bud S A Vie], A Ukr-Sev, [F Lvn-StP(sc)](d), [A Vie S A Bud], [A Mos S F Lvn-StP(sc)](d):

TUR (Anderson): [A Ser-Tri], F Ion-Adr, F Gre S F Eas-Ion, A Rum S RUS A Ukr-Sev, A Arm S RUS A Ukr-Sev, F Eas-Ion.

Orders in brackets fail: d = unit destroyed due to lack of valid retreat; imp = impossible; nou = not own unit, neo = unit not so ordered; nsp = no such place; neu = no such unit; otb = off the board, atm = unit on the move, r-??? = unit is dislodged and must retreat; u = unordered.

SUPPLY CENTER CHART

AUS: -Bud

ENG: Edi Len Lpt For Spa Par +Bre +Tun

GER: Ber Kie Den Hol Swr Mun Bel Nwy StP +War

ITA: Nap Ross Ven -Tun Mar -Bre

RUS: Scr -Rum Tri Vie -War +Bud

TUR: Ank Com Smy Grs Bul Ser +Rum

(0) Tear 1 = OUT

(1) Build 2

(11) Build 1

(4) Tear 2

(4) Build 1\*

(7) Build 1

\* But has no open home center, so must play 1 short.

Due next time are the build/tears, and orders for Spring 1910. I'd like to thank Jack for jumping into a hostile situation and making the most of it.

EMBASSY BEAT  
MOSCOW: The idea that the Czar is defeated was ignored.

BORIS WORLD PRESS REVIEW

Pravda: Government sources report that the Czar and Sultan of Turkey are in total agreement to defeat Austria and Germany.

CLASSIFIEDS

Do not forsake longterm friendship for promises that are most likely false.

Fortune Cookie Man strikes again!

BOLDHOME

Fall 1909 Action

PRB sells 500 crowns, 500 marks, 500 lira, 500 rubles, and 500 piasters and then buys 2200 pounds (\$124+365+825+435+480+580-2574 = \$69).  
RVE sells 500 rubles, then buys 1500 pounds (\$1660+480-1755 = \$835).

	USA	AUS	ENG	GER	ITA	RUS	TUR	
SPR 09:	1.00	0.75	1.17	1.65	0.87	0.86	1.16	
FAL 09:	1.00	0.00	1.55	1.60	0.82	0.76	1.16	
Corp	USA	AUS	ENG	GER	ITA	RUS	TUR	Value
PRB	69	0	3400	2900	1000	0	2000	\$12986
RVE	335	0	3000	4000	0	500	0	\$11735
CLOWNS	57	300	2700	1400	0	1500	400	\$8031
Par	0	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	\$5830

# STALEMATE LINE FORMS!

# VII

## Fall 1986

## 1994 AD

  
**CLIFFHANGER**—Wormtongue has hastily, and inconspicuously, skedaddled out of Rome ahead of a massive Italian counterattack. Now with the recapture of BUL, he seems stalled out just two centers shy of victory. The Western defense stretches from STP to ION, looks secure, and indeed offers prospects of counteroffensives against BER and from ION. If a military solution cannot be forced, perhaps diplomatic means can be brought to bear upon the problem. Perhaps England could be turned if the proper coin could be found.

### TROOP MOVEMENTS

AUS (Fryling): A Con-Bul, A Smg H, A Rum S A Con-Bul, [A Ser-Gre], F Adr S A Rom-Ven, [F Ion-Nap][r=??], A Rom-Ven, A Tri S A Rom-Ven, [A Tri-Mun], [A Mun-Kie], A Sch S A Tri-Mun, A Sil S A Tri-Mun, A Ber S A Tri-Mun, A Liv S A Mos-StP, A Mos-StP;

ENG (Anderson): A StP H, F Bar S A StP, F Naf-Wes, F Den-Bal, F Wes-Lyo, A Nwy-Swe, F Nth-Ska;

GER (Carbonneau): [A Kie S A Ruh], A Ruh S A Kie, A Hol S A Kie, A Bel S A Ruh;

ITA (Zodda): A Apu-Rom, [A Nap S A Apu-Rom], A Tus S A Apu-Rom, A Pie H, [A Bur-Mun], F Tun-Ion, F Tyn S F Tun-Ion, [F Bul(sc)-Gre][r=??].

Orders in brackets fail: d = unit destroyed due to lack of valid retreat; imp = impossible; nso = unit not so ordered; nsp = no such place; neu = no such unit; otb = off the board; ottm = unit on the move; (u) = unit unordered. Austrian F ION must retreat otb or to AEG, ALB, APU, or EAS. Italian F BUL(sc) must retreat otb or to AEG. Should both fleets be ordered to AEG, both go otb.

### SUPPLY CENTER CHART

AUS: Bud Tri Vie Gre Ser Con Rum Sev War Mos Mun Smg Ank Ber Ven +Bul	(16) Build 1*
ENG: Edi Lon Lpi Hwy Swe Par StP	(7) Even
GER: Kie Den Bel Hol	(4) Even
ITA: Nap Rom Tun Mar Spa Bre Par -Bul	(7) Tear 1**

\* If F ION is retreated otb, may Build 2.

\*\* If F BUL(sc) is retreated otb, is Even.

Due next time are orders for retreats, builds/tears, and Spring 1908.

### EMBASSY BEAT

KIEL: English and Italian ambassadors are invited to keep talking about combined reactions to Austria's movements.

### BORIS WORLD PRESS REVIEW

Kiel Times: Government sources say that despite recent setbacks, the German army still has enough power to stop Austria's aggression.

### CLASSIFIEDS

A \$190 million dollar cash payment is offered to anyone who deposes the Austrian monarchy.

Me Nar-Officer: Now that's my kind of bribe! Send certified check and it shall be done well (*bene geserif*, in Latin).

VIE to NAP: This is a test. This is only a test. Had this been an actual alliance I would have ordered MUN to support BUR into RUH as planned. The results of this season will determine your suitability as an ally. This is only a test.

GM-Germany: Loved the postcard.

### \*INSHULLANA\* (continued from p 6)

(2.1:4+1.3; 6.4:5+1.3; 4.2:2+1.2 -IAVI,1OIV,C,F+e), 1P @ BeB (3.3:1 -1BF), 1A @ Sum, 1A @ PSD (6.4:3.2 -1OIV,C+e), 1A @ Zag (5.5:4 -1PV), 2A @ EAm (2.2:0, 5.3:1 -1AVI,1PV). Score: 102 + C(1x2) + e(3) + M(6) + S(2) + Mid E(D=4) + India(D=5) + S Eur(P=2) + SE Asia(P=2) + Eurasia(P=1) = 130.

SCORE (SP/VP): R(44/84), O(50/125), G(57/132), B(62/151), P(64/132), A(69/130).

Due next time are everyone's pass/keep orders for Epoch VII. I'll also need retreat orders for NEP, Man, Lrh, WGs, Alb, App, BSb, etc. You have drawn \_\_\_\_\_. The passing order is R>O>G>B>P>A. Please expedite your pass/hold orders. Orders for the Russians, Manchu, and Dutch from our snail-mailers would be appreciated. E-mailers will be notified ASAP.



# EUROPE MOBILIZES!!

**IX**

Winter 1901/02

1995X

**CLEARWINE:** Europe's mobilization continues apace. Austria's fleet build signals a belligerence against Turkey while the Sultan's build of A ANK betrays a mistrust of the Tsar. England's F LPL is anti-French, while President Gorham's two new armies are likely to keep Kaiser Jack and Minister Fisher up late on their hot line. The Kaiser's own fleet build is perhaps as much a hedge against as it is a threat to perfidious Albion; a build in BER would have signaled uneasiness over the rapid growth of the Russian Bear. The Tsar seems to be looking westward along the Baltic. Italy's build is noncommittal, but will likely make the Sultan nervous nonetheless.

## TROOP MOVEMENTS

Austria builds A BUD and F TRI. England builds F LVP. France builds A MAR and A PAR. Germany builds F KIE. Italy builds F NAP. Russia builds F STP(wc) and A WAR. Turkey builds A ANK.

AUS (K. Wilson): A Ser, A Tri, F Gre, A Bud, F Tri;  
 ENG (Zodda): F Ney, F Nth, A Len, F Lvp;  
 FRA (Gorham): A Por, A Bur, F Bel, A Mar, A Par;  
 GER (J. Shacklett): A Sil, A Mun, F Hol, F Kie;  
 ITA (R. Fisher): A Tun, A Ven, F Ion, F Nap;  
 RUS (Meinick): A Rum, A Gal, F Sve, F StP(wc), A War;  
 TUR (Deb Goborne): A Bul, A Con, F Bls, A Ank.

Due next time are orders for Spring 1902.

## EMBASSY BEAT

Italy today announced the return of the Roman Empire, returning classical civilization to the African continent. As of Nov 1901, TUN is now partnered with Italy, bringing trade, commerce, and all other benefits to both partners and Italy opens its arms to any other nations wanting to share the fruits of centuries of great civilization centered on the Med.

**ROME to VIENNA:** I believe we can come to a quick agreement. Rome looks east for a close friend in view of the dark war clouds to the northeast.

**VIENNA to ROME:** Let's give peace a chance. I have tried repeatedly to communicate with you and the previous king. Without communication, I must act to protect myself.

## BORIS WORLD PRESS REVIEW

**Vienna Imperial Times:** According to sources in the Palace, the Archduke is pleased with the change in governments in Italy. The new Italian Foreign Minister is an experienced diplomat and is expected to help relieve tensions along the border. In response to initial dispatches from the Italian Foreign Ministry threatening to "kick the crap out of [our] armies" General Chuck, head of the Imperial General Staff was overheard to say "Oh yeah, him and what army? If he comes our way, we'll murder 'em, we'll punch their lights out, put 'em up, put 'em up."

## CLEARWINE

### WINTER 1901/02 ACTION:

PRB sells 500 crowns and 500 rubles and then buys 1250 pounds (\$28+600+640=1250 = \$13).

RVE sells 500 francs, 500 lire, and 500 piasters then buys 380 pounds and 1000 marks (\$75+565+625=860-380-1000=\$75).

	USA	AUS	ENG	FRA	GER	ITA	RUS	TUR
PAL 01:	1.00	1.20	1.00	1.18	1.09	0.85	1.28	0.96
WIN 01/02:	1.00	1.15	1.16	1.08	1.19	0.80	1.23	0.91
Corp	USA	AUS	ENG	FRA	GER	ITA	RUS	TUR
PRB	18	500	1750	1800	1200	0	1600	500
RVE	75	1500	1380	0	2000	0	2000	0
RetW	0	1500	1000	1500	1000	500	500	1000
Par	0	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000
BUTTS	6963	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
								Value
								\$8018
								\$8241
								\$7620
								\$7520
								\$6968

**LEGEND:** BUTTS = Bankers' Universal Trust & Trade Services, PRB = Peoples' Revolutionary Bank, RetW = Retired Wayne, RVE = RV Exchange.

**NOTE:** Unless we get three more active players, "Clearwine" will close after 1902 with no victor..



# INSHILLANA

EPOCH V-V

1138-1558 AD



## THE CAST

David Anderson (G = Green)  
Rudy Zadra (O = Orange)  
Michael Tsuk (B = Black)

Daniel Farrow (R = Red)  
Debbie Osborne (A = Azure)  
Marcel Corbenneus (P = Purple)

## EPOCH B (continued):

**SFERMA TURKS (P):** Play "Kingdom" in Sib (IBV r-Sha). Play "Crusade". 3PIV @ Pal (5+1.2.6.5.8+1.1.6.2; 5+1.1.6.2; 5+1.5.5.4.2-2IV.1GV+c,F). Play 1A in Tur (1GVr-Tar). 6A.FM @ Tar (4.1.5.4.4.2.5.4.4.2.5.5.6.4.6.5.4.4.3.2; 4.2.5.3.4.4.6.3.4.1.3.2-5PV.2GV). 2A @ PPI (4.3.4.2.3.3.5.3.6.1.5.1-1PV.1RV). 1A @ Zag (3.2.2-1GIV). Score: 71 + C(1x2) + c(4) + M(4) + S(1) + Mid E(P=2) + China(P=3) + S Eur(D=6) + N Eur(P=2) + SE Asia(P=2) + Eurasia(P=1) = 98.

**MONGOLS (A):** Play "Fanaticism". Play 1A in Mon (1RIIr r-Yel). 1A @ Wei (6.5.4.3.2-1RV), SA @ Tar (3.5.1.4+1.3.5.2.6+1; 2.3.1.5+1; 2.5.1.2+1-4AV.1PV,F). 1A @ GPC (6.5.3.5-1RV). 1A @ Sse (6.5.2.2-1AV,C+c). 1A @ Irr (6.5.2.5+1.2-1OII,F). 2A @ GaD (4.5.3.6.1; 6.5.1.6.3-1AV.1BIII,C). 1A @ GaV (3.5.1.3-1GIV). 1A @ Uin (6.5.6.6-1GIV). SA @ Lin (3.5.2.6; 3.5.8.4; 6.5.6.2-2AV,1GIV). 1F @ SoJ. Score: 78 + c(2) + M(5) + S(2) + Mid E(P=2) + China(D=6) + India(D=6) + S Eur(P=3) + SE Asia(P=2) + Eurasia(P=1) = 1

**SCORE (SP/VP):** O(40/96), R(40/71), B(47/114), G(49/101), P(54/98), A(57/102).

## EPOCH BII:

Orange passes to Purple. Red passes to Azure. Black passes to Green. Green passes to Red. Purple passes to Orange. Azure had to pass to Black.

**MONGS (P):** Play "Disaster on Land" @ CEur (-C,M+c). Play 1A,C,F.M @ Che (-1RV, -1RF @ SCS), 1A @ GPC (6.5.4-1AV, -1AF @ SoJ), 1F @ SCS, 1A @ Mal (3.2.1+1.1-1BIII,C,F), 2A @ Sib (6.3.6; 3.2.4; 6.4.3; 4.2.1; 6.1.5-3AV,1PVI), 1A @ Yel (5.3.1; 4.1.1-2RII). 1A @ Wei (6.2.6; 4.1.1-1AV). 1A @ Sse (6.4.6; 3.1.4-1PVI). Score: 98 + C(2x2) + c(4) + S(2) + Mid E(D=6) + China(D=6) + S Eur(D=6) + N Eur(P=2) + SE Asia(P=2) + Eurasia(P=1) = 182.

**TURKIPS (G):** Play "Black Death" in Eurasia & China: Dni(6), Cau(5), WSt(6), Tur(3), EST(6.5), Mon(1, -1AV), Tar(1, -1AV), Wei(1, -1PVI), Yel(1, 1PVI), GPC(3), Che(6), Sib(2), Sse(3), Yan(6.3). Play "Engineering". Play 1A.C @ Tur (1PVr-PPI). 1A @ Tar & Wei & Yel. 1A @ Sse (6.4.1-1AV,c). 3A @ Hin (2.1.3.2; 3.3.5.4; 6.1.3.2-2GVL1RIV). 1F @ Tar & Hin. Score: 101 + C(2x2) + c(2) + M(6) + S(1) + Mid E(P=2) + N Afr(P=2) + China(D=6) + India(P=3) + N Eur(D=4) + Eurasia(D=2) + SS Afr(P=1) = 132.

## ATTESS & INKAS (R):

Play "Disaster" @ Che (-C,F,M+c). Play "Kingdom" @ Gal (+1RLc,F). Play 1A,C @ Mex & NAN. 1A @ P3b & SAn, 1M @ NAn. Score: 71 + C(2x2) + c(1) + M(1) + China(P=3) + S Amer (P=2) + N Amer(P=1) + SS Afr(P=1) = 84.

## OTTOMAN TURKS: No show.

**SAFFAVIANS (OIV):** Play 1A,C @ PSD (1AVr-Lin), 1A @ Lin (3.1.2; 6.6.2-2AV), 1A @ Uin (6.5.6; 3.1.6-1OIV).

**PORTHGAL (O):** Play "Naval Supremacy". Play 1A.C @ Wlb (1PINr-Sib), 1F @ Atl ((6+1,1.1.1-1BF), 1F @ Nth (3+1.1.1; 6+1,5.1.5-1BF), 1F @ Car (4+1.3.1; 3+1.3.1.3-1OF,1BF), 1F @ WMS (6+1.4.2.4-1BF), 1F @ EMS (6+1.2.2.2-1PF). 1A @ Sra, 1A @ Pyr (4.3.1-11PHI). 1A @ Cre (6.6.5.4-1PIII,c). Score: 96 + C(3x2) + M(2) + S(5) + Mid E(P=2) + India(D=6) + S Eur(D=4) + N Eur(P=2) + S Amer (P=2) = 125.

**SPHAN (B):** Play "Shipbuilding". Play 1A,C,M in Pyr (1OVIr-Wlb), 1F @ Atl, 1F @ Ind, 1A @ Cey, 3F @ BoB (2.2.4; 6.2.6; 2.1.5; 6.5.5-2BF,1OF), 1A @ Mal (6.2.6.2; 4.4.3.1-1PVI), 1A @ Con, 1A @ Pat, 2A @ SAn (1.1.6.6; 5.3.5.4; 2.1.2.1; 6.6.3.2-1BVI,1RVI), 1A @ NAn (5.2.3-1RVI,C+c), 1A @ Bra (6.4.3-1OVI), 1A @ Irr (5.1.6.1; 4.1.1.1-1BVI,1AV), 1A @ Sse (6.3.2.1-1OVI). Score: 114 + C(2x2) + c(1) + M(5) + S(1) + Mid E(P=2) + N Afr(D=4) + China(P=3) + India(P=3) + S Eur(P=2) + N Eur(P=2) + SE Asia(P=2) + Eurasia(P=1) + N Amer(P=2) + S Amer(C=6) + SS Afr(P=1) = 151.

**MAKHAIS (A):** Play "Pestilence": WDe(6.5.5; 5.3.1-1OII), EDe(6.2), EGH(5.5), LIn(6.1-1DIV), UIn(6.3), GaV(4.1-1AV). Play 1A,C @ GaV. 1A @ Uin (-1AV), 1A @ Lin, 2A @ EDe

--Continued on p 4



# UTNAPISHTIM

EPOCH II

1488-138 BC



## THE CAST

Paul Saunders (O = Orange)  
Chuck Hanna (A = Azure)  
Kevin Wilson (R = Red)

Wayne Morrison (G = Green)  
Paul Zieske (P = Purple)  
Dan Osborne (B = Black)

## BOARD:

AI: PSD, Zag.  
BI: MT(C), UTL, Lev.  
GI: Che(f), GPC, BlK, Yel(C,f).  
OI: Ara, Lib, Nil(C), Nub, Sha, UNI.  
PI: Min, Lln(c,AM), PPI, Tar(PM), Tur, Uln; PV: EAn(C,f), WAn.  
RI: Cre(C,RM).  
WI: LTh(S,C,f).  
Fleets: EMS(R), Red(O).

SCORE (SP/VP): R(4/9), A(4/7), B(4/6), O(4/4), P(5/11), G(5/8)

## EPOCH II:

Red passes to Azure and remarks "Tell him to say 'Thank you.'" Azure passes to Green. Black holds. Green passes to Red. Purple holds. Orange had to hold.

ASSYRIA (P): Play "Rebellion" @ Cre (9.1:5 failed). Play 1A,C,PM @ UTl (1B1r-MT), 1A @ Lev 3.15:4, 3.2-1PII.1BI), 1A @ Pal, 1A @ Nil 6.3:2-1OI,C+c), 1A @ Nub (3.2:5:5.2:5:6.2:2-1PII.1CI), 1A @ UNI 3.1:3; 5.3:2-1OI). Score: 11 + C(2x2) + c(2) + M(2x2 + 1) + Mid E(D=6) + N Afr(D=4) + China (P=2) + India(D=4) = 41

CHOM DYNASTY (R): Play "Weaponry". Play 1A,C,f @ Wet, 2A @ Tar (4+1.2:6; 1+1.1:6-2RII), 1A @ Yel (5+1.3:8+1-1OI,C,f+c), 1A @ GPC (6+1.5:4). Score: 9 + C(2x2) + c(1) + S(1) + China(D=4) + 5 Eur(P=2) = 21.

GREEK CITY STATES: No Show.

GREEK CITY STATES (B): Play 1A,C,BM @ Mor, 1A @ Pin, Bal, Dal, CEu, NAp & CMa, 1F @ WMS, 1A @ Slb. Score: 6 + C(2x2) + M(1x2) + Mid E(P=2) + 5 Eur(D=6) = 20.

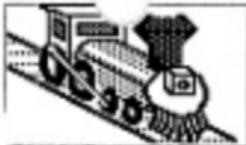
SCYTHIANS (O): Play 1A @ Cau, ...

SCORE (SP/VP): A(4+/7+), O(4+/4+); R(10/21), O(12/8+), P(13/40), B(13/20)

We'll halt here while awaiting Paul's orders. I expect to have the Epoch finished by the weekend and will inform all by e-mail or postcard what the draw order will be and what your card is. Red will pass/hold first. If possible, due by 30 Aug are your pass/keep orders and orders Celts, Macedonia, & Maurya from the email-mallers.

## BOARD:

AI: PSD, Zag.  
BI: MT(2,C); BII: Bal, CEu, CMa, Dal, Mor(C,BM), NAp, Pin, Slb.  
GI: Che(f), BlK.  
OI: Ara, Lib, Sha.  
PI: Min, Lln(e,AM), PPI, Tar(PM), Tur, Uln; PII: Lev, Nil(c), Nub, Pal, UTl(C,PM), UNI;  
PV: EAn(C,f), WAn.  
RI: Cre(C,RM); RII: GPC, Wei(C,f), Yel(c).  
WI: LTh(S,C,f).  
Fleets: EMS(R), Red(O), WMS(B).



## VENGEANCE IS MINE

### TJ NMR!

SB 1 (Cont.)



Stock Round #1

Paul - Pass (Has \$215)

Chuck - Buy share of B&O for \$100 (Has \$300)

T.J. - ...no orders received ... (Has \$815)

Wayne - (Orders received via Paul Zieske - you addressed orders to the wrong address)

Buy 1-B&O for \$100 (Has \$70)

Dan - Pass (Has \$380)

John - Buy President's share of NYC, set par @ \$100/share (Has \$45), also turns in M&H company for a share of NYC

Paul - Pass

Chuck - Buy share of B&O for \$100 (Has \$200)

T.J. & Wayne - Pass

Dan - Buy share of NYC for \$100 (Has \$180)

John - Pass

Paul - Pass

Chuck - Buy share of B&O for \$100 (Has \$100) B&O FLOATS!

T.J. & Wayne - Pass

Dan - Buy share of NYC for \$100 (Has \$180)

John - Pass

Paul - Buy share of B&O for \$100 (Has \$115)

Chuck - Buy share of B&O for \$100 (Has \$0) B&O Take-over!

T.J. & Wayne - Pass

Dan - Buy share of NYC for \$100 (Has \$80) NYC FLOATS!

John - Pass

Paul - Buy share of NYC for \$100 (Has \$15)

Chuck, T.J., Wayne, Dan, John and Paul - Pass... Stock Round #1 is over.

Chuck Hanna has the priority card for next stock round. Since I have experienced numerous computer difficulties in June and July (and still having trouble sending material via CServe), I will be willing to accept orders from T.J. if he sent them to me via computer. However, if T.J. has decided to pass on this game, I would like a volunteer to take-over his position for next stock round.

#### PLAYER HOLDINGS:

Chuck Hanna: 4-B&O(P); \$0 (Priority Card)

T.J. Klausutis: D&H; \$315

Wayne Morrison: 3-B&O, B&O Co.; \$70

Dan Chinnery: 3-NYC, SVRNR; \$80

John Butitta: 3-NYC(P), C&SL; \$45

Paul Zieske: 1-B&O, 1-NYC, 1-PRR, C&A; \$15

#### COMPANY STATUS:

Name	Trains	Value	Pool	I.O.	Par	Treas	Tokens
B&O	0	A 100a	0	2	\$100	\$1000	3
NYC	0	A 100b	0	3	\$100	\$1000	4
PRR	0	---	0	9	?????	-----	4

Trains Available: 222222, 333333, 44444, 555, 66, DDDDDDD

Tiles Available: 1(1), 2(1), 3(2), 4(2), 7(4), 8(8), 9(7), 55(1), 56(1), 57(4), 58(2), 69(1)

**DUE NEXT:** Orders due for next time will be Operating Round #1 and Stock Round #2. They are due 6 Sep to Mark Fruch (not Paul Zieske nor to Boris, although a cc to the latter wouldn't hurt if Mark's computer problems persist). Boris is also the primary standby for this game, so don't give away your whole game plan in your cc's. Good luck to everyone.

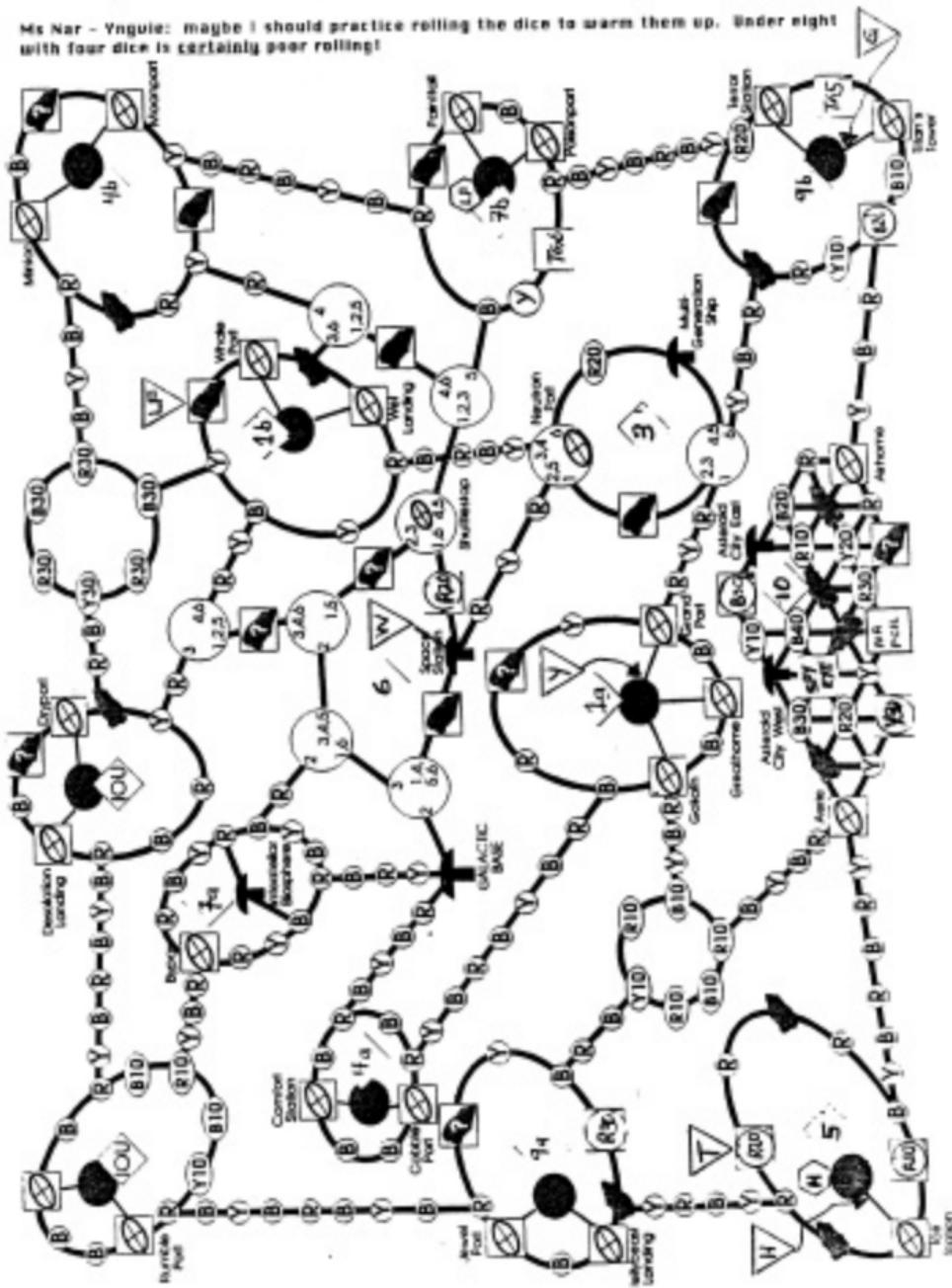
GM: Mark Fruch - CIS: 70413.2331

PRESS:

Yngule - Boris: Are you sure Ms. Nar isn't sneaking those dice out of the Rail Baron box just to roll for me? It sure seems like it.

Boris - Yngule: I'm sure. One of the RAIL BARON dice is red. She usually uses the RAIL dice. BTW, I barely escaped SRB by \$500 in a 3-man, two-woman RB section at RailCon. Come to think of it, #1 and #2 were using another set of dice for their rolls. Hmm....

Ms Nar - Yngule: maybe I should practice rolling the dice to warm them up. Under eight with four dice is certainly poor rolling!



## Kerr Tsuk Assumes Command!



**Errata:** Fisher's 'mulligan' was #6 in F14(e).

**Spieldurchlagerung:** (Aktienlimit = 9)

Farrow	88M, 3 BY(Dir)
Burkitt	46M, 3 SX(Dir)
Freuh	85M, Braun, #3,
Chinnery	120M, Horn, #1, #5
Mure	105M, #6, 2 SX
R. Fisher	108M, OR, #3, 2 BY
Zieske	78M, PB, #4, 1 BY

**Gesellschaftsteilung:**

Name	Value	Pool	I.O.	Cash	Trains	Tokens
#1	0	20	2			H2
#2	0	90	2			E19N
#3	0	20	2			F14
#4	0	95	2			G5
#5	0	20	2			E19S
#6	0	25	2			C11N
BY	C100	0	4	222	22,2+	O15,L14N(3)
SX	D78	0	5	290	2,2+	H18,(2)

**Aktienrunde 4.**

Frueh passes. Chinnery buys SX ( $120M \cdot .88 = 105M$ ).

Tsuk buys 1 SX ( $105M \cdot .88 = 92M$ ).

Fisher buys 1 BY ( $108M \cdot .92 = 100M$ ).

All pass.

**Betriebsrunde 4:**

Privates pay Fisher (+10M), Zieske (+15M), Frueh (+25M), and Chinnery (+30M).

- #1: Lay #9 in J2(mw). Run H2-H4 (40M). Pay (#1 + 20M & DC + 20M).
- #2: Lay #8 in D14(c). Run E19-C11E (70M). Pay (#2 + 35M, MNP + 35M).
- #3: Lay #8 in E11(mw). Run F14-F12. Pay (#3 + 20M, RF + 20M).
- #4: Lay #4 in F8(e). Run G5-F4 (30M). Pay (#4 + 15M & PZ + 15M).
- #5: Lay #8 in F20(se). Run E19-E21 (40M). Pay (#5 + 20M & DC + 20M).
- #6: Lay #5B in B10(e). Run C11W-B12. Pay (#6 + 25M, MT + 25M).
- BY: Lay #5B in M15(mw) (-50M). #9 in M17(e) (-50M) closing O15. Run O15-L14S-M15-M19 (80M) & JB-L14N (70M). Pay dividends (DF + 45M, RF + 45M, PZ + 15M). Price reverts to C110.
- SX: Lay #9 & K15(mw) (-70M) & #4 & I15(w). Place token at H22 (-40M). Run H18-H22 (50M) & H22-E21-E19 (70M). Pay dividend (JB + 36M, MT + 24M). Price reverts to D84.

Due next time are your orders for Aktienrunde 5 (SR 5) and Betriebsrunde 5 (OR 5). Remember that the BY and SX can lay two tiles a turn during Phase 1.

**Spieldurchlagerung:** (Aktienlimit = 9)

Farrow	133M, 3 BY(Dir)
Burkitt	82M, 3 SX(Dir)
Freuh	145M, Braun, #2,
Chinnery	94M, Horn, #1, #5, 1 SX
Tsuk	42M, #6, 2 SX
R. Fisher	125M, #3, 3 BY
Zieske	124M, PB, #4, 1 BY

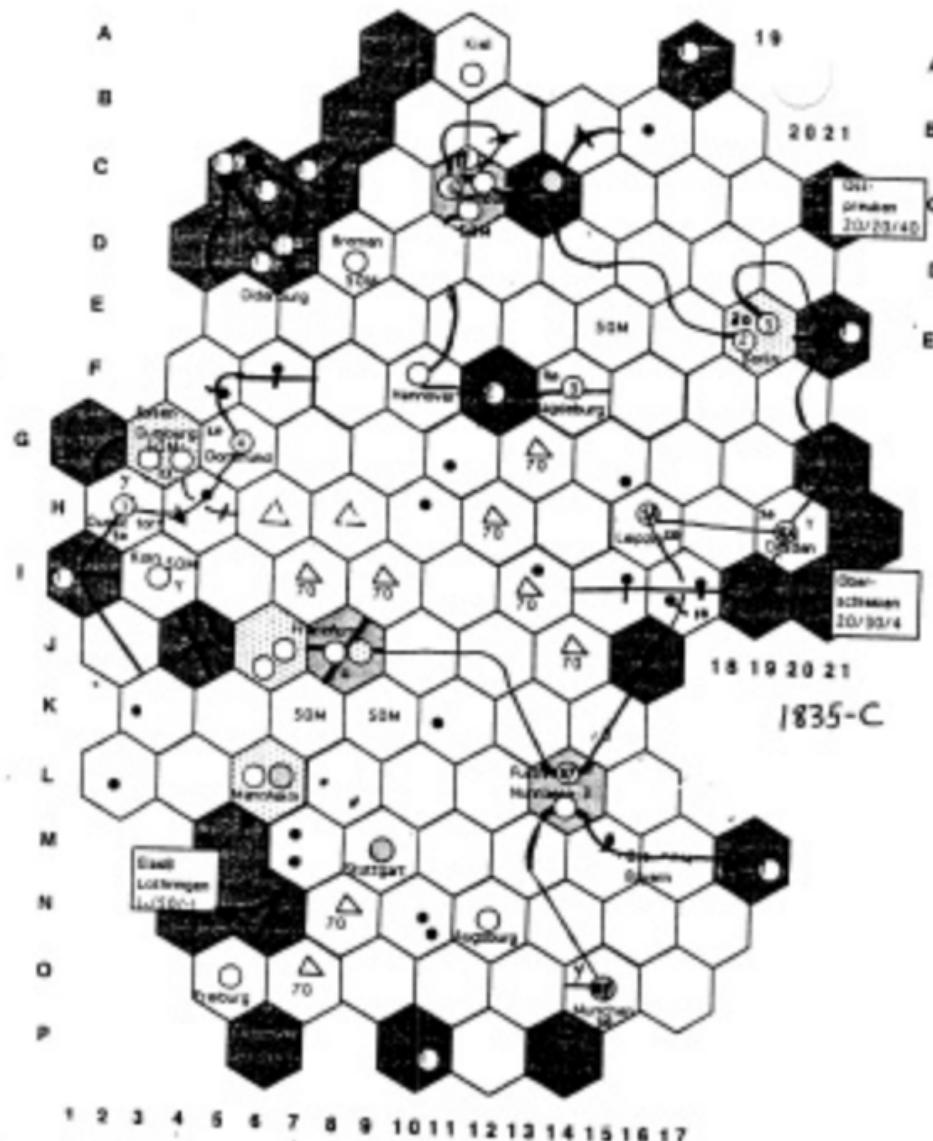
**Gesellschaftsteilung:**

Name	Value	Pool	I.O.	Cash	Trains	Tokens
#1	0	40	2			H2
#2	0	125	2			E19N
#3	0	40	2			F14
#4	0	110	2			G5
#5	0	40	2			E19S
#6	0	50	2			C11N
BY	C110	0	3	214	22,2+	O15,L14N(3)
SX	D84	0	3	356	2,2+	H18,H20(1)

**Berfuegbare Zuege:** 2+2+, 3333, 8+8+8+, 444, 4+, 55, 5+, 88, 6+6+6+6+

The Bank has 10,280M.

**Berfuegbare Gleisstellen:** #1(1), #2(1), #3(0), #4(1), #5(1), #6(2), #7(6), #8(7), #9(5), #55(1), #50(0), #57(1), #58(2), #69(1), #201(1), #202(0)



"Remind me, Albert. How did I sneak through German lines in 1944?"

# SILVERTON

## TURN 12B/13A

**ERRATA:** Mike prospected #57 from the deck last time.

### PLAYER STATUS

#1: Don Chinnery	\$7925, (S+1, P), #80, #2(0.5 Au), P1, #11(0.5 Ag, D), #62(1 C), #61,
	#24(0.5 Ag), #13, #29
#2: Bill Werdemann	\$18225, (S, P+1), P2, P3, #60(0.5 Au, D), P7, P4, #56, #18(1 Ag)
#3: Wayne Morrison	\$2350, (S+1, P), #64, #39, #59(5 C),
#4: Paul Zieske	\$3975, (S, P+1), P5, #12, P11, #52(5 C), P12
#5: Michael Quist	\$11050, (S+1, P), #9(2 Au), #16(1 Ag)
#6: Dan Farrow	\$750, (S, P+1), P6, #34, #26(1.5 Ag), #27

### AVAILABLE CLAIMS:

#8: Fairplay (Au, \$500/\$250)	#13: Eureka (Ag, \$300/\$200)?
#29: Lake City (Ag, \$200/\$150)	#36: Pagosa Springs (L, \$200/\$100)
#47: Sunnyside (C, \$500/\$100)	#53: Craig (C, \$200/\$100)
#57: Crested Butte (C, \$400/\$200)?	Passenger Cards B, 9, 10, 13, 14, 16

The Deck

### TURN 12B/13A ACTION:

- #1: Buy #13 (-\$200). Operate #2 (-\$200; 11 -> 0.5 Au), #13 (-\$200; 2+6 -> 0.5 Ag), #24 (-\$200; 11 -> 2 Ag), #60(-100; 5 -> 1 C), #61-\$150; 5 -> 3 C), #62 (-\$100; 10 -> 3 C), &. Run P1 (+\$100). Deliver 7 C to Denver (+\$200) from the Canon City mines. / Survey 8-length west in G4 (-\$1500). Prospect #29 (-\$300).
- #2: Operate #56 (-\$150; 5 -> D1, #18(-\$200; 8 -> 0.5 Ag) & #30(-\$200; 4+6 -> 2 L). Run P2, P3, P4 & P7 (+\$250+400+1350+600). Sell 1.5 Leadville Ag at Denver (+\$6000). / Survey to Steamboat Springs G2 (-\$800). Prospect #53 (dispute).
- #3: Operate #84 (-\$250; 9 -> 4 C) and #59 (-\$100; 11 -> 4 C). / Survey to Vallecitos (-\$800). Prospect Deck (#46).
- #4: Operate #12 (-\$250; 9 -> 1 Ag). Run P5, P11 & P12 (+\$100+700+1250). / Survey to Sunnyside (-\$800). Prospect #47 (-\$500).
- #5: Accept #57 (-\$400). Operate #16 (-\$200; 8 -> D) & #57 (-\$200; 4+6 -> 5 C). Deliver 1 Aspen Ag to SLC (+\$1200). / Survey Rangeley-Elk Springs (-\$400). Prospect #53 (dispute).
- #6: /Prospect #36 (-\$200).

**DISPUTES:** Werdemann (P+1) vs Quist (P) for #53: 3+1 vs 11. Quist prevails (-\$200).

### THE MARKETS:

Gold	4 -> -1 ->	\$5000	Denver Silver	12-4+3 -> -2 ->	\$2400
SLC Silver	6+2 -> -2 ->	\$1000	Denver Lumber	11-4 -> -1 ->	\$ 800
SLC Lumber	6-4 -> +2 ->	\$1500	Pueblo Lumber	5-4 -> +3 ->	\$1000
SF Lumber	10-4 = nc ->	\$600	Denver Coal	7-4+4 = nc ->	\$ 400
SLC Coal	6-4 -> +2 ->	\$500	Pueblo Coal	6-4 -> +3 ->	\$ 400
SF Coal	12-4 = nc ->	\$600			

### PLAYER STATUS

#1: Don Chinnery	\$7475, (S+1, P), #80(1 C), #2(1 Au), P1, #11(0.5 Ag, D), #62, #61,
	#24(2.5 Ag), #13(0.5 Ag), #29
#2: Bill Werdemann	\$25475, (S, P+1), P2, P3, #60(0.5 Au, D), P7, P4, #56
#3: Wayne Morrison	\$1200, (S+1, P), #84(4 C), #39, #59(7 C), #48?
#4: Paul Zieske	\$4475, (S, P+1), P5, #12(1 Ag), P11, #52(5 C), P12, #
#5: Michael Quist	\$10550, (S+1, P), #9(2 Au), #57(5 C), #53
#6: Dan Farrow	\$550, (S, P+1), P6, #34, #26(1.5 Ag), #27, #36

### AVAILABLE CLAIMS:

#8: Fairplay (Au, \$500/\$250)	#32: South Fork (L, \$200/\$100)
#40: Lumberton (L, \$300/\$200)	#45: Scofield (C, \$200/\$1
#48: Price (C, \$400/\$200)?	#54: Bowie (C, \$400/\$200)

Passenger Cards B, 9, 10, 13, 14, 16

Due next time are your Turn 13 operate and deliver decisions for your claims, and your surveying and prospecting druthers for Turn 14.

### DEFUNCT CLAIMS:

\*Leadville depletion (1).

### THE MAP:

Owned routes have their prices replaced by the owning player's number. Purple (snow-blocked) routes have their price/owner # underlined. Current prices have a black dot (or arrowhead) in the appropriate box.

### PRESS:

After successfully negotiating contracts for sale of silver from the Heber City mine catastrophe strikes and mode led all of the sudden disappears. We have Gold available at Marysville. Special terms available. D & B is pleased to announce developments of a silver mine at Eureka and operation of a silver mine at Ouray.

# SILVERTON

THE GAME OF COLORADO GOLD RUSHING





# MERCHANT OF VENUS

## NEW TYRONE!



Turn 6.6-7.6

Mike Klausutis has NMR'd out, so Debbie Osborne has taken over Tyrone. Expect a name change soon.

The Cast:	Role	Race	Ship	This Time... (Next)
Mike Quist:	Little Fuzzy	Nik	Sc	6,3,2/6,5,5 (6,1,1)
Debbie Osborne:	Tyrone	Wynnon	Sc	6,5,5 (5,5,3/6,4,3)
Chris Hassler:	V.U.C.H.	Human	Cl	2,2,1,1 (5,4,4,2)
Richard Weiss:	H.E.B.B.	Quossuth	Sc	6,4,2 (4,1,1)
Don Chinnery:	Gizmo	Keepereep	Sc	5,4,2 (5,5,4)
Bill Werdelemane:	W.D.M.	Bell	Sc	6,6,2 (6,5,3)

URNS 6.6-7.6:

Little Fuzzy: (6,3,2) Picks up Fare to Base. Paintfall(s)-#8-? (pick up Gate to Tyrone: (6,5,5) #8(Berlie)-(Y)-(VSB)-(V)-? (Air Foil)-#-(Y)-(VSB)-(Y)-Berlie-(Y)-R-B-R-B-(V)-B-R-B-R-B.

V.U.C.H.: (2,2,1,1) NC! (sw of M65)-R-Y-R-#8-Grand Port(s). No trading.

H.E.B.B.: (6,4,2) Ice Planet(s). Sell Finest Dust (-\$5B, Volt Silk). Buy Pet Monsters (-\$8B-\$4B).

Gizmo: (5,4,2) Asteroid City last Jump Starts to T65-Titan's Tower(0B)-land. Trade 100 for Megalithic Paperweight.

W.D.M.: (6,6,2) Rise of Wet Planet)-NC2-NC8(Switch Switch)-R2B-SpaceStat  
Sell wine (-\$6B draw draw draw Demand for Genes at 2). Buy grease (-\$5

Little Fuzzy: (6,5,5) Fine Polluted Planet)-R-B-NC6-R-NC6-R-#8-? (Autopilot--stop and get).

Due next time are two orders from Tyrone and one order from everyone else. Your rolls are above. On p9, a map. Triangles are ships, hexagons are factories.

### Culture Summary:

- 1a: Giant Planet. Bionic Perfume(5), port(3), factory
- 1b: Water World. Volt Silk(6), port(2), factory
- 2: ??????. IOU. Space Spice(6), port(2), factory, demand for Genes (-\$4B).
- 3: Multigeneration Ship. Mulch Wine(4), port, factory
- 4a: Colong World. Finest Dust(5), port(2), factory
- 4b: Inhabited Moon. Rock Videos(4), port(2), factory
- 5: Ice Planet. Melt Pelts(6), port.
- 6: Space Station Planet. Immortal Grease(3), port, factory, demand for Pelts (-\$5B).
- 7a: Interstellar Biosphere. Chicle Liquor(5), port, factory.
- 7b: Polluted Planet. Servomechanisms(3), Pedigreed Bolts, port(2), demand for Dust (-\$5B).
- 8: ??????. IOU. Impossible Furniture(5), port(2), factory.
- 9a: Jungle World. Designer Genes(5), port(2), factory, demand for Grease -
- 9b: War-Torn System. Megalithic Paperweights(3), port(2), factory
- 10: Asteroid System. Psychotic Sculptures(3), port(2), factory

### Tyrone

Thunderball /Immortal GreaseSlapper (Sc)

Hull: Yellow Drive

Holds: Immortal Grease, Psychotic Sculpture

Cash: \$8

IOUs: \$18B(#6)

Horizon Expanding Aphrodisiac Headheads

Weir (Sc)

Hull: Shield

Holds: Designer Genes, Pet Monsters

Cash: \$18B

IOUs: \$8B(#4a)

We're Bell, Men

Firebreathing Breathopter (Sc)

Hull: Shield, Switch Switch

Holds: Mulch Wine, Immortal Grease

Cash: \$4B

### Yngwie's Universal Clearing House

Profit Mooger II (Cl)

Hull:

Holds: Megalithic Paperweights

Cash: \$4B

IOUs: \$18B(#7a)

Gizmo

Pacific Z-Z-1 (Sc)

Hull: Jump Start

Holds: Megalithic Paperweight

Cash: \$21B

IOUs:

Little Fuzzy

NT-3 Seeker (Sc)

Hull: Gate Lock, Autopilot

Holds: Servomechs, Fare to Base (\$1B)

Cash: \$19B

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# DUNE

## Emperor Invades!

### TURN 3

#### THE CAST

**ATREIDES** (Weiss): 2C, 10S, 7T @ Arrakeen, 8T @ Broken Land(s12), 6T in Rock Outcroppings(s14)

**BENE GESSERIT** (Deb Osborne): 2C, 2S, 1T @ Carthag, Arrakeen, Habbanya Ridge Sietch, Tuck's Sietch, Polar Sink, The Great Flat.

**EMPEROR** (Teuk): 2C, 10S.

**FREMEN** (Morrison): 3C, 0S, 1L, 5T & 1\* @ Sietch Tabr, 4T @ False Wall South, 2T @ False Wall West.

**GUILD** (Anderson): 2C, 3SS, 9T @ Tuck's Sietch.

**HARKONNEN** (Bryden): 6C, 16S, 7L, 10T @ Carthag, 1T @ The Great Flat.

**TANKS**: F 4T & 1\*, H 3T. Jamie, Stilgar.

#### TURN 3:

1. The Storm moves to Sector 11: Carthag is weathered in.
2. Spice blows occur at Rock Outcroppings(5) and Celago North (8). But Shai-Hulud appears twice at The Great Flat (-7S, -1H, -1B)! We have a Nexus! B & G ally! F neglects to send second worm somewhere!
3. Bidding: B & F collect 28 CHOAM charity. There are six cards up for bid.  
 O bids 5S, E bids 3S, H bids 2S, A & F bid 1S. G gets \_\_\_\_\_ (5S to E).  
 O bids 9S, H bids 8S, A & E bid 3S, F bids 1S. G gets \_\_\_\_\_ (9S to E).  
 E bids 3S, F bids 1S. E gets \_\_\_\_\_ (-3S).  
 H bids 4S, A & E bid 3. F bids 1S. H gets \_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_ (6S to E).  
 B & E bid 3S, F bids 1S. E gets (most spice tie break) \_\_\_\_\_ (-3S).  
 A bids 2. F bids 1S. A gets \_\_\_\_\_ (2S to E).
4. Revival: B revives 1T, F revives 2T & 1\*. H revives 2T.
5. Shipping: E ships 1ST & 5\* into Arrakeen (1SS to G); B hitchhikes 1T. F places 2T & 1\* in Polar Sink. H ships 4T into Habbanya Ridge Sietch (4S to O). B hitchhikes 1T.
6. Movement: A plays "Hajr"; moves 8T Broken Land to Polar Sink & 5T Rock Outcroppings to Polar Sink. F moves 4T from False Wall South to False Wall East(s2?). H moves 4T from Habbanya Ridge Sietch to Celago North(s3).
7. Combat: A (@ 7T) vs E (1ST, 5\*) at Arrakeen.

Due next time are combat orders for the brawl at Arrakeen and orders covering Turn 3 Spice Collection to Turn 4 Spice Blow.

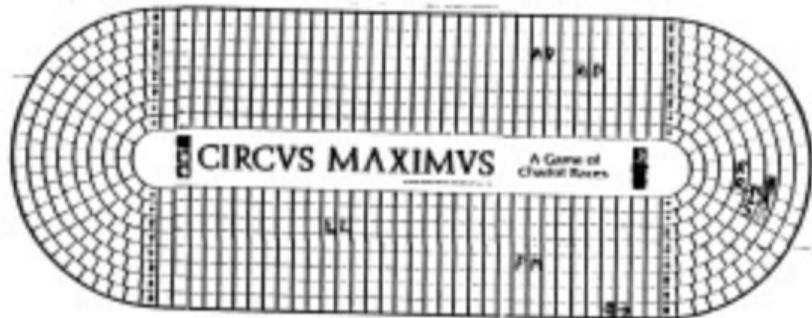
**ATREIDES** (Weiss): 2C, 8S, 7T @ Arrakeen, 8T @ Polar Sink, 9T @ Rock Outcroppings(s14).  
**BENE GESSERIT** (Deb Osborne): 2C, 4S, 2T @ Arrakeen & Habbanya Ridge Sietch, Tuck's Sietch, 1T @ Carthag, Polar Sink.  
**EMPEROR** (Teuk): 4C, 18S, 1ST & 5\* @ Arrakeen  
**FREMEN** (Morrison): 3C, 2S, 1L, 5T & 1\* @ Sietch Tabr, 4T @ False Wall East(s7), 2T @ False Wall West(s18), 2T & 1\* @ Polar Sink  
**GUILD** (Anderson): 4C, 4SS, 9T @ Tuck's Sietch.  
**HARKONNEN** (Bryden): 8C, 8S, 7L, 10T @ Carthag, 4T @ Celago North(s3).  
**TANKS**: F 2T, H 2T. Jamie, Stilgar.

**LEGEND:** \* = starred token, (@) = aggressor. A = Atreides, B = Bene Gesserit, C = card, E = Emperor, F = Fremen, G = Guild, H = Harkonnen, KH = Kwisatz Haderach, L = leaders, S = spice, ST = sector #, T = token.

#### PRESS:

Death to the Harkonnen.

Berie-H: Obviously from an enthusiastic fan of yours.



### FIRST WHEEL CHECK!

OPP	NAME	POWER (DM/MP)	CART	WHEELS	TEAM	END	SPEED	P/E
2-1	White	Angela Amazonae (0/6)	H	0/0	2445	12	15	1/1
7-1	Purple	Sartorius (+2/9)	M	0/0	5434	11	18**	1/1
8-1	Blue	Quintus (+1/6)	H	0/0	644-	16	15	1/1
9-1	Black	Flippus Maximus (+1/6)	H	0/0	543-	03	18*	1/1
11-1	Red	Marcia Victoria (+1/6)	M	0/0	7436	08	20	2/1
17-1	Green	Maddus Davidus (0/5)	H	0/0	6542	10	17	2/1
20-1	Yellow	Rendius Rebus (+2/8)	H	0/0	-234	16	11	1/1
71-1	Pink	Luscious Lucius (+2/7)	H	0/0	532-	14	12	1/1

\* Must cut horse free before moving.

\*\* Has used 2 MP from next turn's orders to evade.

F. Maximus: 13, can't whip. Cut horse free (save the entrails for dinner later... 18-(18-1) = cut free & 1 MP), ahead 1.

M. Victoria: 20, no whip. Attack Maddus Davidus cart to horse; MD fails to avoid (4 vs 10+1) for 6 -> 1 injury to #4 horse. Ahead 19.

M. Davidus: 17(-1), no whip. Ahead 16.

Sartorius: 16, no whip. Lose 2 MP for last turn's evasion. Ahead 1, out 1, attack Angela Amazonae with driver lash; AA doesn't avoid (7 vs 11+2). The lash column is +5 (8+2-3) and the result is 7 - Swerve. AA slides out one lane. Ahead 1, out 1, attack AA cart-horse; AA again fails to avoid (5 vs 7+2), so 5 -> 0 injury points. Ahead 10.

Quintus: 15, no whip. Ahead 6, in 1, attack Flippus Maximus cart-to-horse; FM fails to avoid (5+1 vs 12+1), so takes 2+3 -> 0 injury points. Ahead 5, out 2, attack Rendius Rebus cart-cart; RR doesn't avoid (2+2 vs 9+1) and damages (4+1-2) the attacker's (l) cart (7+3 -> 4 pts; immediate wheel check B). Ahead 7.

A. Amazonae: 15, no whip. Ahead 1, attack Rendius Rebus cart-horse. RR brakes (7+2 vs 8, -2 END). Ahead 13.

L. Luccus: 12, tries to whip (but see Press). Ahead 12.

R. Rebus: 11, whip (+6 MP, -4 END) = 15 MP. Ahead 3, in 3, ahead 9.

Our next time are orders for Turn 11. These should include the usual: speed, whether to whip or not, whom to attack and how if the opportunity arises, to brake, evade, or take it if attacked, and what lane to finish in if possible.

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#### PRESS:

Attack Fryling if and when circumstances warrant. **NO MATTER WHAT!!!** But M.V. gets it first.

Just as Luscious Lucius is about to bring his whip hand forward, a pink cloud appears about him and he is confronted by a vision: "Greetangth! The goddeeth Nar, patron of rockie chariotheerth, hath thent me, your Fairy Godfather, to deliver thith methage: 'You thilly thavagel! You're thillin in the Turn! Don't whip yet!' The vision and the cloud disappear with a swish! Lucius finds that his whip is now in his other hand!

FREE to RACERS: The initial issue of *Flipping Out* compliments of AvalonCon.



# BRITANNIA

Turn 11  
785-860 AD



## The Cast:

PURPLE: Paul Zeeke  
GREEN Chuck Hanna

BLUE: David Anderson  
RED: Wayne Morrison

## The Board:

**ROMANO-BRITISH** (0.5): 2A @ Sussex, S Mercia.  
**BELGAE** (0): 2A @ Lindsey.  
**WELSH** (1.5): 2A @ Cheshire & Devon, 1A @ Clwyd, Cornwall, Dyfed, Gwent, Gwynedd, March, Powys.  
**PICTS** (2.5): 2A @ Skye, 1A each @ Alban, Caithness, Dalriada, Dunedin, Mar, Moray, Orkneys, Strathclyde.  
**CALEDONIANS** (2.5): 1A @ Hebrides.  
**IRISH** (0): 2A @ Avalon.  
**NORSEMAN** (0): 6A @ Icelandic.  
**DANES** (0): 4R @ North, 4R Friesian.  
**JUTES** (1): 1A @ Kent.  
**SAXONS** (1.5): 2A @ Downlands.  
**ANGLES** (1): 1A @ Bernicia, Cumbria, Galloway, Lothian, Pennines, York.

**Score:** Purple 74, Blue 50, Green 99.5, Red 99.

## Turn 11

**BRETWALDA:** Green (3) votes for the Welsh. Red (2) votes for the Welsh. Purple (2) vote for the Romano-British. Blue (7) votes for the Belgae. There is no Bretwala.

**ROMANO-BRITISH** (0.5): Grow 2 Population Pts, 2A S Mercia-Essex, 2A Sussex-Kent (1.1:2; 5.1:4 -1 Jute). Score +1 VP. Jutes eliminated.  
**BELGAE** (0): Grow 0.5 Population Pt. Hold.  
**WELSH** (1.5): Grow 0.5 Population Pts. Add A @ March & Gwynedd. Move 1A Devon-Dyfed, 2A March-Avalon (4.8:5.2; 1:3.2; 6:6.3 -2 Welsh, -1 Irish). 2A Cheshire-Cumbria (6.6:6 -1 each).  
**PICTS** (1.5): Grow 0.5 Population Pts. Add 1A @ Skye & Orkneys. Move 3A Skye-Hebrides (4.1.1:2; 4:3.2:5; 3:2:1; 3:1:5 -2 Picts, 1 Pict r-Skye).  
**CALEDONIANS** (2.5): Grow 0.5 Population Pts. Add 1A @ Hebrides. Hold.  
**IRISH** (2): Grow 1 Population Pt. Add 1A @ Avalon. Move 2A Avalon-Devon (5.4:4; 6:4:6 -1 Irish, 1 Welsh).  
**NORSEMAN** (0): 3A Icelandic-Mar (5.4:3:6; 3:3:2; 3:1:2; 3:2:3; 2:1:1; 6:2:6 -2 Norsemen, 1 Pict) and 3A Icelandic-Moray (6.4:2:5 -1 Norseman, 1 Pict). 1A Moray-Mar, 1A Mar-Dunedin (5:6 -1 Pict, 1 Norman).  
**DANES** (0): 1R North Sea-Norfolk, 1R North Sea-Suffolk, 2R North Sea-York (5.1:5 -1 Dane, 1 Angle), 1R Friesian-N Mercia, 1R Friesian-S Mercia, 1R Friesian-Sussex, 1R Friesian-Wessex. Score 7 VP. All raiders return to sea.  
**SAXONS** (1.5): Grow 0.5 Population pts. Add Egbert to Downlands. Move Egbert & 2A Downlands-Essex (5.3:6.3 -1 RB, 1 RB r-Kent). Score 1 VP.  
**ANGLES** (1): Grow 0.5 Population Pts. Add 1A @ Pennines. Move 1A Bernicia-Pennines, 1A Lothian-Galloway, 1A Galloway & 2A Pennines-Cumbria (6.5.2:4 -1 Welsh).

## The Board:

**ROMANO-BRITISH** (2.5): 3A @ Kent.  
**BELGAE** (0.5): 2A @ Lindsey.  
**WELSH** (2): 2A @ Dyfed & Gwynedd, 1A @ Clwyd, Cornwall, Gwent, March, Powys.  
**PICTS** (2.5): 2A @ Orkneys, 1A each @ Alban, Caithness, Dalriada, Skye, Strathclyde.  
**CALEDONIANS** (0): 2A @ Hebrides.  
**IRISH** (0): 1A @ Devon.  
**NORSEMAN** (0): 1A @ Mar & Moray, 2R @ Irish & Atlantic.  
**DUBLINERS** (0): 2R @ Irish.  
**DANES** (0): 3R @ North, 4R Friesian, 6A & Bros @ North.  
**SAXONS** (2): 1A @ Egbert @ Essex.  
**ANGLES** (1): 3A @ Cumbria, 1A @ Galloway, Pennines.

**Score:** Purple 75, Blue 50, Green 48.5, Red 40.

Due next time is Turn 12 including votes for Bretwala (there is no King). Norsemen and Dubliners have raiders. Alfred is Saxon leader. Norsemen and Danes have boats. Danes score pts at end of own turn.



# MAGIC REALM

## WOLVES SNIFF OUT THORN!

**DAY 2**



### THE CAST:

John Butitta: Willie the Pilgrim  
 Marcel Carbonneau: Amber Rose the Amazon  
 Don Chinnery: Raki the Wizard  
 Dan Farrow: Simplomo the Sorceror (aka Misty)  
 Dan Osborne: Smaug of the Dark Helmet, a Black Knight  
 Debbie Osborne: Thorn of the Grotto, an Amazon

**ERRATA:** Simplomo converted only his MAGIC IV\* chits to PURPLE, retaining his MAGIC IV\* chits for other mayhem. Amber Rose is at BV2, not DV2. Willie and Thorn could slug it out.

### EVENING 1

Willie casts SMALL BLESSING on himself using his MAGIC I4\* chit and the Chapel's inherent WHITE magic ( $6+1.6 = \text{Strength}$ ). Simplomo casts MELT INTO MIST upon himself using the alerted MAGIC VI6\* chit and a PURPLE 4\* chit.

**DAY 2**

### MONSTER ROLL + 3

Willie @ Chapel: H(2+1.2 = y), H, M C11(impossible). Patrol arrives.  
 Simplomo @ Inn: MAV1, MAV4, MOW5, MBV2.  
 Amber Rose @ DV2: H(4.1 = y), M DV5, M CV1, M CV2, S(Loc: 5.1 = nothing).  
 Thorn @ Chapel: T(w/ Order), MBV2, H(4.2 = y), M AV4, M OW5. Reveal Ruins W. A six-pack of wolves arrives at OW5.  
 Raki @ MDW6: H(5.3 = y), H, M DW1, M Ru2: reveal Bones C, Alter 1.  
 Smaug @ BV4: M BV1, M C11, M C11, H(5.2 = y). Reveal Ruins M, Slither.

Willie has no problem ( $3+1.2$ ) with the Patrol.

**COMBAT:** Willie could fight the Patrol and/or the Order. Thorn could break concealment and attack the six-pack of wolves. Neither move would be smart.

Due next time are orders for Evening 2 and Day 1.

### BOARD NOTES

One Giant Bat at DW1. The Order has Cloven Hoof (BLACK, +1 to all rolls) at the Chapel. There is a six-pack of wolves at OW5.

### PRESS:

GM-Wis: Alright which is it? "Razi", "Riki", "Raki", or some other mon?

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