



BORIS THE SPIDER

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Rude Power, and Naked Breed

"Oh, when a tangled web we weave...

...Boris the no pleasure to deserve."

--de Walker Beech--



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"Boris XII" Begins!

We have cast "Boris XII". The players shall be Wade Fowble as Russia, Phil McCabe as Italy, Jack Stockert as England, Ron Piatto as Germany, Jim "Wormington" Frying in the familiar role of Austria, Peter Bryant as France, and Matt Matteson (now in email) as Turkey. Your first deadline will be in for the April issue, so you'll have two months to plot those plots and achieve those schemes. Interestingly, no one got worse than their fourth choice. Some press appears on p.8.

The considerable difference in the print quality between this issue and last issue is due to using an Epson Color 600 printer this time rather than our Imagerunner II dot matrix we used last issue.

STANDBY ALERT: We have possible openings for the following positions

STELLAR CONQUEST, "Whatta F-Kiss"; position e-mail player

Interested parties should send in orders for each position they are interested in. If the present player agrees fails to submit orders within a reasonable time, a random drawing will be held.

BORIS'S BULLETIN BOARD

THOUGHT FOR THE MONTH: "It's not hard to reason ... Reason always means what someone else has to say." --Elizabeth Gaskell

The 1998 Midwest Open VICTORY IN THE PACIFIC Tournament will be held 7 & 8 March at the Days Inn #94 at Highway 80 in Kenosha, WI. Six rounds, Open Setsas competition. Registration \$20 by 21 Feb, \$25 at the door. 1st Place \$100 and plaque, 2nd Place \$50 and plaque, 3rd place \$20 and plaque. Best Allardt Aces each \$10 and plaque. Contact Glenn Petracola, 6020 23rd Ave., Kenosha, WI 53143-1233, 6141688 3044; gdp@juno.com.

WORLD DIPCON VIII will be part of DIPCON XI and be held Memorial Day weekend 22-24 May 98 in Chapel Hill, NC. Registration is \$1, rooms are \$35/night in the dorms for a double. TITAN, 1998 HISTORY OF THE WORLD, ADV CIV are also on the vision. Contact David Howell, 2008 20th St NE, History, NC 27599, dhowell@kku.edu. Or visit the website: <http://people.duke.edu/~jquinn/adct.htm>.

Lee Krentler is looking for someone with e-mail savvy to take over as Miller Number Custodian. The Miller numbers are in DIP variants as the Boardman numbers (e.g., 10889G for "Boris X") are in regular DIP groups, providing a means of identification and archiving of results. If interested, contact him at the address on pp. 18 & 19.

Someone has been messing with Debbie Deloach's mail (a federal offense). I've lost her work address at the moment, so call her if you need to contact her. She'll be working soon, so she'll have a new address shortly.

BOOK & BUDOS

This month's Madison Herald Press Excellence Award (and free travel) goes to Rich Copeland for his Berkeller-Venice article to "What Inquisition?".

This month's Ma Na Super-shady Blotch is inflicted at Julie Bryden for lack of updates to orders.

PERSONAL COMMUNICATION ISSUE (mcyley):

Deadline for most games is Noon CST 14 Mar 98



RUSSIANS SNATCH HOLLAND

WINTER 1911/12

X

1996G

TROOP MOVEMENTS

Russia returns FRISK to HOL, as Germany ends with 12 and Russia 2.

MEMORIALS: The dynamics of this game were pretty well determined by the number and frequency of MRBs and paraded charges. France changed hands five times between three players. Italy was paralysed by a string of MRBs. Turkey played short of cuts due to MRBs in the Winter/Spring turns and probably ought to have been eliminated early rather than emerging the eventual winner. Congratulations to Andy York for steering a shaky, undemanded Turkey to victory — his success as a stand-up player. Germany ought have been able to win if had had more cooperation from the Russians or elected to let France do her Imperial MRBs. Over all, an interesting study.





Austria Annihilated! Germany Persists!

Spring 1996

XI

1997D

MIRKWOODS: The last Austrian army has been driven into the sea, thus ending Emperor Peter's dreams of glory. True, should Turkey capriciously abdicate GMF in the fall, the Habsburgs would still technically remain in the fight, but they would be unable to raise a unit and be unable to recognize a home order to do so. England and France, having disposed of their mutual Germanion, now appear to be at each other's throats and oblivious to the growing Russian resurgence. Meanwhile Russia and Turkey spar off over the Aegean spoils.

TROOP MOVEMENTS

England builds A EDI and F LON. France builds F BRE. Germany removes A RUD. Italy builds A VEN & F REP.

AUSTRIA (Beyond): 18 Ger-Hed;

ENGLAND (Underwood): A SAP HL, F Sig-Mat, F Ital-Spa, F NW; C A Ital-Dra, F Eng C A Wal-Pir, (A Wal-Pol, F Lgi-WE), A Ital-Dra, F Ger & F Eng;

FRANCE (Marshallas): A Ital-H, (F Mat-Ird), A Pte-Bur, A Bur-Mun, (A Pic) S A Bel, (F Bre-Eng);

GERMANY (Wicks): (A Sel-War);

ITALY (Wilson): A Vir-Bud, A Tri-Si A Vir-Hed, A Ven-Ni A Tri, F Adr-Si A Tri, F Ital-Eas, F Tys-Inv, A Ben & French A Ber-Man, F Rep-S F Tys-Inv;

RUSSIA (Pisker): 18 Russ-War!, A Gal-Vie, (A Bud-S A Gal-Vie)(-?97), F Russ-Ela, A Ser-S Tur F Adr-Gre;

TURKEY (McCabe): A Bud-S F Adr-Gre, F Adr-Gre, F Ang-S F Adr-Gre, F Con-Stry.

Orders in brackets fail, amb = ambiguous orders, d = unit destroyed due to lack of valid reagent; imp = impossible; inv = unit not so ordered; rep = no such place; nro = no such unit; off = off the board; offn = unit on the move; und = unit unorderd.

Russia & RUD must retreat either off board to GMF or RUSS.

Our next time are the retreat and orders for Fall 1996.

EMBASSY BEAT

France to England--The deal is off. Germany's gone and you're boozing me to.

France to Russia--Russia help me out here.

BORIS XII PRESS

Betelpewse Bullets: Galactic Emperor Womtongus has established a new colony on a rather attractive and pleasant little planet in the Milky Way galaxy. Once the local inhabitants have recognized his authority over their local planetary affairs he intends to open the planet up to tourists. Needless to say, all the standard rules about appearing to be a planetary native will still apply, but the abundance of water on the planet and the truly exquisite food (sainted human species in a petri-dish status, for example) will make this a garden spot worth visiting. The Emperor once again demonstrates his tender care for all the worthy life forms under his dominion!



SALVIAN WAR VI
SERBIA, TURKEY CLOSERERED
RUMANIA LEADS!
Fall 1911



MAP CLARIFICATION: The territory west of SBD is Trans (TR), not Italy.

CLIFFHORDE: Perhaps his recent state visit to St Petersburg has left Sultan Ali Rıza confused, but the Black Sea has not frozen over in many a millennium. His unshakable conviction that he had an army stationed in SBS is otherwise inexplicable. That Pali of Serbia took it on the chin this year will bring much of Balkana becoming the greater power to the region. Bulgaria has recovered last year's losses. Time for a five-way on Balkana?

TRICKY MOVEMENTS

Serbia retreats to A SBD to MS. Turkey retreats A TR to SBD.

ALB (R. Wilson): A Mor-Biel, A Sko S A Min-Tr, A Val S A Sko, F Tr-Cre
BUL (Czernowitz): A Pls-S A Thz, A Thz S A Pls, F Cre-Irr;

GRE (Athl): A Epi S A Sel, A Sel R A Epi, F Cre-Cre;

HEM (Adrian): A Bus S A Dub-Sel, A Cro-Bus, F NDS-SBS, A Dub-Sel, A Trs S A Bus;

SER (McCabe): A Bel S A Bel-Min, (A Var-Sof), (A Min-Tr), A Bel-Min, A Min S A Min-Tr;

TUR (Fisher): (A SBS-Crete-Irr), (A And S A SBS-Crete-Irr), (F Ang S A SBS-Crete-Irr), F SBS-Mil, F SBS-Hid.

Orders in brackets fall: exp = impossible, nro = not so ordered, ncu = no such unit, obo = off the board, r= REPORT REPORT TO, u = unordered.

SUPPLY CENTER CHART:

ALB: -Min Tr Val Trr >Sko

MI: Build 1

BUL: Pls Var-Var >Irr <Thz

SI: Build 2

GRE: Ath Sel-Spa >Cre

SI: Build 1

HEM: Bus Corra-Gal-Che-Dub >Bus >Sel

SI: Build 2

SBS: Bel-Nis >Sko-Bus-Sof >Hon

SI: Train 2

TUR: Core-Irr -Trs-Hid

SI: Train 1

Due next time are builds/trains and orders for Spring 1912.



CIRCVS MAXIMVS

A Game of
Chariot Races



SECOND DIVISION

| ORDERS | COLOR | DRIVER | ICOM/DAM | CART | Wheels | TEAM | END | Speed | D/V |
|--------|--------|-------------------|----------|------|--------|------|-----|-------|-----|
| 4-1 | Red | Raisidle Al-Ghul | (+0/+0) | L | 0/0 | 7038 | 17 | 23 | 1/1 |
| 4-1 | Blue | Petrushka | (0/0) | - | - | 6433 | 30 | 17 | 1/0 |
| 5-1 | Black | Josephus | (0/0) | M | 0/0 | 5434 | 39 | 18 | 1/0 |
| 6-1 | White | Sertorius | (+2/+0) | L | 0/0 | 6405 | 35 | 21 | 1/1 |
| 7-1 | Purple | Roman Holiday | (+1/+0) | - | - | 6435 | 30 | 19 | 1/0 |
| 12-1 | White | Filippo Mediceo | (+0/+0) | M | 0/0 | 5445 | 20 | 19 | 1/1 |
| 22-1 | Green | Dentice Quastilio | (+0/+0) | L | 0/0 | 7036 | 47 | 20 | 1/1 |
| 247-1 | Yellow | Wu Hung Lo | (+2/+0) | H | 0/0 | 2025 | 5 | 14 | 1/1 |

Turn 1

WU HUNG LO: 18, no whip. Ahead 1, to 4, ahead 5.

ROMAN HOLIDAY: 29, being dragged. Ahead 19. Free 7-1 > 6 so no. Damage 3/2 = 2 driver hits, DDM loss 0.

RAISIDLE AL-GHUL: 22, no whip. Ahead 20, corner strike at 5 over (7-2 + 5 = -1) -5 END). ahead 2.

DAVIDUS DEBERTUS: 20, whip (+5) -5 END = 20. Ahead 5, to 8, ahead 12.

FILIPPO MEDICEO: Speed 18, whip (+2) -2 END = 21. In 2, corner strike at 5 over (11-1 = 10 = -1 END) ahead 7, attack Sertorius out-lane. Sertorius broken (+2 to 4+1) -2 END. Ahead 9.

SERTORIUS: 21, no whip. Ahead 14, to 1, ahead 5.

JOSEPHUS: 18, no whip. Ahead 1, corner strike at 1 over (35-2 = 16 = 30) ahead 17.

NOTASALERUS: 17, being dragged. Ahead 17. Free 6-0 > 3 no no, take 3/2 = 2 driver hits.

Due next turn are orders for Turn VIII. Those should include the usual: speed, whether to whip or not, when to attack and how if the opportunity arises, to brake, swerve, or take it if attacked, and what lane to finish in if possible. Orders for Wu Hung Lo will be randomly chosen from those submitted except that RII and N have priority.

The Boys on the Bend
grow in disappointment...

Aaaaaaaaah!

...as you deftly avoid disaster.

Hold the Corner

← Raisidle Al-Ghul

Josephus →

The Boys on the Bend
display their wit with
cries of...

Huzzah! comin' ap

...in anticipation of
your gory demise.

Slide out 2 Lanes



EXC-AT-1: London's shipment of 41 to Bruges illegal (ship capacity only 25, only 21 allowed, other 21 to York). Paris's movement of 24 to Basel illegal (no covered and movement of 41 to Bruges insufficient (need 64 to attack London's 20); so Paris attacks Bruges with 61). Conflict result is 2-tokens; 2+black, 2-white. Paris conquer! Paris buys a card 1-36; and 21 are lost for lack of place to use them. Paris has an income of 548; London's income is unchanged.

THE 1-67 (an off-break order)

LONDON (Ferret): 881, 1K, OM, 4C

BARCELONA (Frisbee): 948, 4K, OM, 7C

GENOA (Ostrich): 654, 2K, OM, 4C

VENICE (Barghest): 843, 3K, DM, 4C

PARIS (Crackerman): 649, 4K, OM, 5C

TURN 1.7: Buy Tokens

London buys 61 (1-68). Venice buys 7 (1-67). Genoa buys 9 (1-89). Barcelona buys 12 (1-83). Paris buys 261 (1-838). London does not suffer shortage or surplus.

TURN 2.3: Play Cards

London plays "Stress". Barcelona, London, & Paris collect 61.

Venice plays no cards.

Genoa plays "Metal". Barcelona & Genoa collect 86.

Barcelona plays "Enlightened Ruler", "Pirates/Vikings" of Portsmouth (London's C converted to 1T). Paris plays "Arrow".

STATES

LONDON (Ferret): 645, 6K, OM, 3C, 6L Gal-2

VENICE (Barghest): 835, 3K, OM, 4C, 7L Gal-2

GENOA (Ostrich): 551, 1K, OM, 4C, 5L

BARCELONA (Frisbee): 945, 2K, OM, 7C, 13L ADV: 1

PARIS (Crackerman): 814, 4K, OM, 6C, 261

JX/AT:

B: C @ Bar, Basq, Gia, Lus, Mos, Sen; Val: 1T @ Toc

G: C @ Flo, Gen, Lys, Mex; ST @ Bonn

L: C @ Edi, Lon, SKM; 2T @ Toc; 1T @ Car, Por

P: C @ Bro, Dig, Par, SW

V: C @ Dub, Mil, Ven; Ven: 1T @ Bel, Salo, SWG

Your cards (Kactions) are:

SECOND: B = Burgher, C = Established Market (locked circles), r = new market (white circle); G = Genoa, K = Kurds, L = London, M = money level, P = Paris, T = established tokens, t = new tokens, V = Venice.

Due next time are Turn 2 Purchase and Movement Phases.

Players (Capital Choices):

Alan Buegerster (VENICE, 1st)
 Phillip McCabe (PARIS, 3rd)
 Richard Copeland (HAMBURG, 5th)

Paul Boller (LONDON, 6th)
 Deirdre O'Leary (GENOA, 2nd)
 FBI Coordinator (BARCELONA, 2nd)

GM - Mack Fresh

Turn 2:

Surplus of Wine & Shortage of Timber

Total Cash for Turn 2

HAM = 639
 LON = 633

VEN = 639
 BAR = 642

PAR = 681
 GEN = 651

Tokens Allocations:

Genoa - 18 Tr, Paris - 11 Tr, Hamburg - 18 Tr, Barcelona - 34 Tr, Venice - 6 Tr & London - 10 Tr.

The order for turn 3 will be: Venice, London, Paris, Genoa, Hamburg, Barcelona. Venice passes on the Surplus/Shortage option.

Card Plays:

Venice: Plays "Chackmages" (list Leader for Venetoi and "Enlightened Ruler".

London: Plays "Firemen/Vikings" @ Genoa (2 tokens is reduced to a token) and "Fusilier" -- +80 Misery to Venice, Genoa, Hamburg & Barcelona; +30 Misery to London & Paris

Paris: Play "Clich/Wise" - declare dividend for wine - since there is a surplus of wine - no payout; play "Rafted ad Dir" - no patronage protection

Genoa: Play "Metal" - +60 to Hamburg, Barcelona & Genoa

Hamburg: Play "Gold/Hoary" - declare dividend for gold - +10 Hamburg & Genoa, play "Wolf" - +10 London & +60 Barcelona

Barcelona: No need play

MapIcons: (DM = Domination Marker, T = Token)

HAM: DM's @ Hamburg, Cologne, Nuremberg & Prague; 1T @ Statis

PAR: DM's @ Paris, St. Malo, Montpellier, Dijon & Strasbourg

BAR: DM's @ Barcelona, Valencia, Granada, Toledo & Jaen; 1T @ Tarragona & Palma

VEN: DM's @ Venice, Pisa/Poitiers, Milan & Dubrovnik; 1T @ St. Gall & Salzburg

LON: DM's @ London, Edinburgh, Portsmouth & York

GEN: DM's @ Genoa, Marseille, Lyons, Arles & Calais; 1T @ Naples & Cosenza

Ship Upgrade: 0 = PAR, VEN & GEN

2-Galley = HAM, BAR & LON

Misery

50 = PAR & LON

60 = VEN & BAR

80 = HAM & GEN

Orders due next are for Purchases and Expansion phases. Conditional orders and/or general intentions are highly encouraged. Deadline is March 11 Mar 98.

Praise:

Blackadder to All - I hope you all enjoyed the fruits of my commodity cards.

Blackadder to Paris - In the spirit of this enlightenment age, I will not contest your numerical monopoly of Beagles.

Blackadder to Venice - Please keep your cassocks out of Daegang. I need the grain to feed my expanding bureaucracy. You may have Prague, if it is absolutely necessary, since I am done with it for now.



2530

7777 Is 7777

Trainwreck Is Mark French
CRS 8.1

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ERRATA: Map corrections: DSO has tile #8800(alt) and NYC has a token in D118. Sorry for the trouble.

PLAYED STATUS w/ all certificates

| | | | | | | | | |
|------------|-------|----------|---------|---------|---------|--------|-------|------------|
| Ringhoffer | 8873 | 4-CMOP1 | 1-BMO | 1-Erie | 1-MTSH | 1-NYC | 89 | (Priority) |
| Farrow | 8352 | 8-BBMP1 | 1-CMO | 1-MTSH | 1-PRR | 1-BBO | 1-NYC | 100 |
| Harris | 61343 | 5-PERCP1 | 5-NYCP1 | 4-BBOPL | 5-CPRP1 | 111 | | |
| Chesney | 8885 | 8-MTMPL | 2-CMO | 2-Erie | 2-BMO | 111 | | |
| Pifer | 9471 | 6-EmpP1 | 1-CPR | 2-BBO | 1-PRR | 91 | | |
| Burts | 61332 | 1-BBO | 2-NYML | 1-CMO | 3-MTC | 1-Erie | 2-BAM | 1-CPR |

CORPORATE STATUS

| Corp. | Value | Post Cash | Treas | Tokens |
|-------|--------|-----------|-------|-----------|
| BMO | C 155 | 0 | 8158 | "3" & "4" |
| NYML | C 140 | 0 | 8062 | 2-3% |
| Erie | D 126 | 0 | 6190 | "5" |
| BAM | C 111* | 0 | 8 3 | "5" |
| NYC | C 111b | 0 | 9918 | "3" & "4" |
| CMO | D 100 | 0 | 8116 | "6" & "7" |
| PRR | F 80 | 2 | 8128 | "8" |
| CPR | J 4000 | 0 | 6 1 | "9" |

CR #81

SDO - Upgrade H10 W/tile #1046L, run train - G19a-G17-H16 for 8149 & G19a-8115-H10-H15 for 81000, payout dividend! +8128 Harris, +8102 Pifer, +8105 Ringhoffer, 835 Farrow & +828 Burts, stock moves to C 170, treasury = 8159

MTSH - Upgrade E18 w/tile #2000L, run train - G19a-F10-H16 for 8180 & G19a-F20-F22 for 8120, payout dividend! +8166 Chesney, +650 Burts, +659 Ringhoffer & +625 Farrow, stock moves to C 155, treasury = 8042

DSO - Place tile K7 in C99aL, run train - D10-E11-F10-G7-F6 for 8156, payout dividend! +8100 Pifer, +800 Chesney, +8105 Ringhoffer & +815 Burts, stock moves to B 142, treasury = 8230

BBMP - No tile 89, run train - G19a-F20-F22-E19 for 8210, payout dividend! +8126 Farrow, +842 Chesney & +842 Burts, stock moves to C 125, treasury = 82

BBMP - Upgrade H10 w/tile #2000L, place tokens in G19a for 8100, run train - H18-8018-H15 for 8150 & G19a-F10-H10-H15 for 8220, payout dividend! +8105 Harris, +8111 Burts, +837 Ringhoffer & +837 Farrow, stock moves to C 125b, treasury = 8018-8190 = 8818

C10 - Place tile 89 in E13aL, run train - G19a-F16-F18-G7-F6 for 8170 & F6-F2 for 8180, withhold dividend! stock drops to D 90, treasury = 8610+8270 = 8386

BBPL - Upgrade H8 w/tile #2000L, place tokens in F16 for 8100, run train - G19a-G17-H16-H15 for 8220, payout dividend! +8110 Harris, +844 Pifer, +832 Farrow & +822 Pifer, stock moves to E 90, buy "3" train from the CPR for \$1, treasury = 8629-8100+844-911 = 872 & CPR treasury = 811-911 = 820

CPL - Upgrade E13 w/tile #2000L, no train or run - stock falls to J 3000, purchase "9" train from the BMO for \$1, treasury = 862-611 = 81 BMO treasury = 81598+811 = 81588

PLAYER STATUS (# of civilizations)

Ringhofer 8857, 5-CANDI, 1-BBO, 1-Erk, 1-SYNTH, 1-NYC (8) (Priority)
 Farrow 8300, 6-BAMPI, 1-CAD, 1-NYNN, 1-PBR, 1-BAO, 1-NYC (10)
 Henna 81,474, 5-PBBEP, 5-NYCBPL, 4-BBONPL, 6-CPFBP (11)
 Cherry 81,105, 6-NYNNPL, 2-CAD, 2-Erk, 2-BAM (11)
 Fisher 8065, 6-BAMPL, 1-CPL, 3-BAO, 1-PBR (9)
 Butta 81,590, 1-BAO, 2-SYNTH, 1-CAD, 3-NYC, 1-Erk, 2-BAM, 1-PBR, 1-CPL (11)

COLONIZATION STATES

| Corp | Value | Pool | Cash | Trade | Tolerance |
|------|--------|------|-------|------------|---------------------|
| BBO | C 170 | 0 | \$150 | '4" | E15, H10w (1) |
| NYNN | C 185 | 0 | \$800 | '2'-7" | G19, F22 |
| Erk | B 142 | 0 | \$230 | '5" | E11, G21 |
| BAM | C 125a | 0 | 4 | '5" | E25, F22 |
| NYC | C 125b | 0 | \$816 | '2"-8"-12" | E19, H18, D18, G18s |
| PBR | E 50 | 2 | \$ 72 | '4"-8"-12" | H12, H16, G18s, F18 |
| CAD | D 90 | 0 | \$395 | '4"-8"-12" | F6, G21 |
| CPL | J 3000 | 0 | 8 | '3" | A19, F18, G18s (1) |

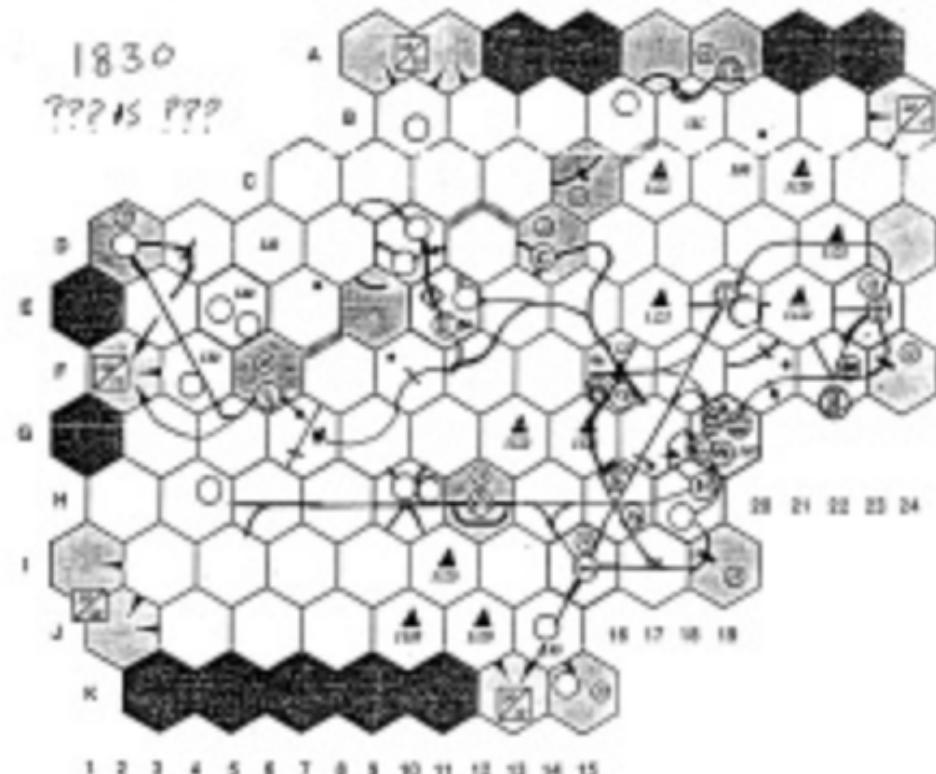
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Tiles Available

Yellow: #3E11, #4C21, #7E31, #8C31, #9E41, #5721, #5821

Green: #14D1, #19E1, #1E31, #1E11, #1B21, #0D11, #3321, #4E11, #5501, #0511, #2711, #2801, #2901

Brown: #K811, #4B21, #4E11, #4E22, #4E02, #9E11, #9E11, #9E11, #0411, #0511, #F701



1870

JAMES WEST

CR 9.2



ERRATUM: KATY should've route its Destination runs (B11-B9-F5-J3-M2-N1* 9260) after SF's runs in CR 9.1; the revised run should've been the same route for 6260. GM&O didn't receive a share as shouldn't have been paid 817; Treasury is 60. Werdensoum pointed out that I paid Corporation for Pool shares into 1930, even though B&M took 814 from SL&SF, 945 from MP, 972 from FW, and 604 from KATY. AT&SF's runs was 6310, not 6330.

PLAYER STATUS (* at Certificate Limit of 11--AT&SF shares don't count)

Zenith 6148, 8 FW(Pres), 6 SP(Pres)

Werdensoum 8873, 7 SL&SFPres, 2 GM&OVPs, 1 IC, 1 CB, 1 TP *

Battus 6297, 5 KATY (Pres), 1 IC <Priority>

Harris 61464, 7 AT&SFVPs, 8 GM&OVPs, 1 IC, 2 CBVPs, 1 FW *

Farrow 8834, 8 MPVPs, 6 TSVPs

Chesney 61246, 4 ICPres, 6 CVPres, 3 AT&SFVPs, 2 KATYPres

CORPORATION STATUS

| Corp | Value | ID | Pool | Per | Cash | Train | Shares | Tokens | Dear |
|-------|-------|----|------|-------|------|-------|--------|----------------|------|
| SL&SF | 6260 | 0 | 3 | \$100 | 847 | -- | 0 | E12,J15,H17,D4 | M22 |
| GM&O | C180 | 0 | 0 | \$110 | 60 | 5 | 0 | H02,K14,C18 | -- |
| MP | C180 | 0 | 3 | \$800 | 8120 | 5 | 1 | C18,J5,I21 | -- |
| CB | C180 | 0 | 0 | \$602 | 5385 | 58 | 1 | H17,J3,B13 | -- |
| FW | D110 | 0 | 3 | \$100 | 8387 | 8 | 0 | J23,F5,J2 | -- |
| TP | B110 | 3 | 0 | \$800 | 8149 | 5 | 0 | J51,D1 | M17 |
| SF | A80 | 4 | 0 | \$100 | 6399 | 6 | 0 | H12,D4 | M17 |
| KATY | G52 | 0 | 2 | \$808 | 884 | 8 | 1 | H11,E12,H10,S1 | -- |
| IC | D388 | 0 | 2 | \$775 | 8251 | 5 | 1 | H16,M20,A22 | -- |
| AT&SF | G40 | 0 | 0 | \$608 | 838 | 6 | 0 | H0,811,J3,B1 | -- |

CR 9.2

SL&SF: Pay #9 to J18Kwai and #4 to K20Kwai. No train, so no run; price always to D18D. Buy 1D-train 8847 from SL&SF, 9690 from WW.

PLEASE CHARGE: Red boxes mark max rate. All time available.

GM&O: Pay #9 to L15Kwei and #9 to H16Kwei. Run A3-J3-K4-H13-C18* (H320). Pay dividends IC+6154, WW+8460; price starts to C320.

MP: Pay #9 to L13Kwei & #9 to G18Wei (-8138). Run A22-C18-H13-K4-J8* (H320). Pay dividends (SF+8116, MP+6191); price starts to C320.

CB: Pay #9 to J15Kwei & #9 to G18Wei (-8138). Run A22-G19-C18-H11-B8-J9* (H320) and H15-H14-H4-J5-J9* (H320). Pay half dividends (IC+8177, CB+808, WW+820, CB+6925); price remains at C340.

FW: Pay #7 to AHact. Run J8-J5-F5-B8-B7-A2* (H320). Pay dividends SF+8144, FW+872, CH+8241; price climbs to D120.

TP: Pay #6 to M14(c) (-880). Run A3-J3-K4-H14-C10 (H320). Pay dividends (DF+6114, TP+657, WW+8188); price starts to H320.

TF DESTINATION SUR: Pay destination tokens. Run J8-K4-H14-M16-H17* (H320). Pay

SP DESTINATION R33: Play Destination tokens. Run R1-M2-J3-J5-R4-M14-H17* H240. Pay dividends SP ->H14, SF ->H91. Price moves to A10.

SP: Lay #15 in M2(J3). Play token in J3 (-H2). Run R1-M2-J3-J5-H8-C18-A22 H910. Pay dividends SP ->H18, SF ->H24. Price moves to A10.

HATI: Lay #8 in L3(H3). Run A22-B19-C18-H11-E12-H13 H279. Pay dividends H8 ->H15, HATI ->H11, EC ->H41, price moves to F90.

J3: No risk play. Run B11-C18-H16-K22* H240. Pay half dividends EC ->H2, WW ->H12, J3 +13, CH ->H3, IC ->H140, price moves to G80 (in the Green).

Due next time are orders for CR 9.5 and SR 10. The game should finish after CR 10.5.

PLAYER STATUS (* at Certificate limit of 11—XTRAIF shares don't count)

| | | | | | | |
|-----------|-------|---|--------|---|------|---|
| Zenith | 9822 | 6 | MFR | 6 | SFR | 2 |
| Woodhouse | 8219 | 7 | SUSP | 2 | GMR | 0 |
| Bethel | 8488 | 3 | KATT | 1 | IC | 1 |
| Hanra | 82908 | 7 | XTRAIF | 0 | GMR | 0 |
| Farrow | 61134 | 6 | MFR | 1 | TAF | 1 |
| Cherry | 81927 | 6 | SFR | 6 | CBP | 2 |
| | | | XTRAIF | 2 | KATT | 1 |

CORPORATION STATUS

| Corp | Value | I3 | Psi | Psi | Cash | Train | Shares | Tokens | Dest |
|--------|-------|----|-----|------|------|-------|--------|-----------------|------|
| GMSO | C280 | 0 | 0 | 6110 | 50 | 6 | 0 | M20,H15,C18 | -- |
| SUSP | D180 | 0 | 3 | 8100 | 80 | 10 | 0 | E12,H13,H1701 | 9822 |
| REP | C180 | 0 | 3 | 580 | 550 | 5 | 1 | C18,J2,J21 | -- |
| CS | C140 | 0 | 0 | 582 | 8851 | 3 | 1 | H17,J2,R01 | -- |
| TAF | H180 | 3 | 0 | 880 | 881 | 5 | 0 | J5,S2,B11 | -- |
| FW | D120 | 0 | 3 | 6100 | 6339 | 6 | 0 | J5,F4,J2 | -- |
| SP | A110 | 4 | 0 | 8100 | 8200 | 8 | 0 | H12,E12,A21 | -- |
| HATI | F90 | 0 | 2 | 968 | 6105 | 6 | 1 | B11,E12,H13,B11 | -- |
| IC | G55 | 0 | 2 | 878 | 843 | 58 | 1 | K18,M20,B22 | -- |
| XTRAIF | I20 | 0 | 0 | 968 | 928 | 6 | 0 | B9,B11,J9,B11 | -- |

Train Available: 10,12,13,15,...

The Back has H3,W79.

Train Available: #1111, #2111, #3011, #4811, #4931, #49711, #47011, #49611, #49811, #49911, #17111, #18621, #19821, #20021, #23821, #24681, #25491, #26001, #26121, #26211, #26311, #26421, #43211, #45321, #45531, #46521, #47111, #50411, #56611, #57341, #58141, #49811, #41411, #14311, #144611, #14811, #148611, #147011, #179011, #172111

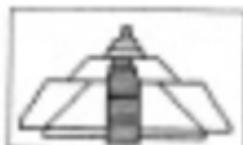


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ADVANCED CIVILIZATION

Rebuild! Rebuild!
Turns 14.1-5



TURN 14

- 14.1: TAXATION:** Africa collects 13t. Iberia & Thrace collect 6t. Babylon collects 7t. Assyria, China & Illyria collect 4t. Egypt collects 2t.
- 14.2: POPULATION:** Babylon, Egypt, Persia, and Thrace fully populated. Illyria (23H adepts 2-month old classmate update) grows 2T in Belgae, Rome, Robicos, 1T in Aquitania, Germany, Hispania, Pannonia, & U Germany. Africa grows 2T Tunisia & Sardinia and 1T in all of the rest: New Africa, Numidia, Sabaea, W Hispania, Iberia, Campania, Baetica, Jado, Libya, & Tripolitania. China grows 2T Mossia & 1T Dacria & Thrace. Assyria grows 2T Arachch. Cyprus, 1T Cappadocia, Phrygia, Van.

14.3: EXPANSION:

| | |
|----------|-------------------------------|
| ELLYRIA: | 1800 BC, 49E, 2C, 7t, 108 CP |
| AFRICA: | 890 BC, 58T, 6C, 12t, 466 CP |
| BABYLON: | 1800 BC, 24T, 2C, 8t, 788 CP |
| PERSIA: | 1800 BC, 29T, 4C, 11t, 80 CP |
| Egypt: | 1800 BC, 28T, 3C, 7t, 808 CP |
| THRACE: | 890 BC, 24T, 4C, 15t, 282 CP |
| CRETE: | 890 BC, 18T, 2C, 24t, 175 CP |
| ASSYRIA: | 1800 BC, 23T, 2C, 24t, 388 CP |

- 14.4: BOAT BUILDING:** Africa maintains both boats (+2t). Iberia maintains ships in Hispania & Hispania and Iberia ship in Nebris (-4t). Thrace scuttles 15 at Neopota, maintains 10 at Byzantium, and builds 15 at Coralia (+2t). Crete has 1000 rot. Assyria maintains ship at Arachch (-1t), scuttles others.

14.5: MOVEMENT:

- ELLYRIA: 2T Ruthenus-Rome, 2T Belgae-L-Germany, 1T U-Germany-L-Germany, 1T Germany-Saxons
- AFRICA: 15 Libya-Cyrene-Dynastes, 15 New Africa-Cita-Nomadic-Carthage-Palermo-Milazzo, 1T New Africa-Cita, 4T Tunisia-Cita, 1T Numidia-Cita, 1T Sardinia-Tunisia, 2T Sardinia-Tunisia
- BABYLON: 1T Arabic-Medina, 1T Arabic-Jerusalem-Egypt, 2T Syria-Aleppo, 1T Phoenicia-Aleppo, 1T Damascus-Tyre, 2T Babylonia-Mesopotamia, 1T Chaldean-Aralita, 2T Mart-Syria, 2T Parthia-Babylonia, 1T Chaldean-Sassanid
- PERSIA: 15 Mizchio-Companio-Nicopolis-Sarne-Cosma-Sardis, 15 Eberia-Cenica-Sardis, 15 & 2T Narino-Pyrenaea-Iberia-New Carthage, 4T Mizchio-ni-Sardis, 4T Eberia-ni-Sardis, 2T Massilia-Eisilia, 1T Pyrenaea-Iberia, 1T Pyrenaea-ni-New Carthage, 1T Turcoceania-Hopurca, 1T Lusitania-Hopurca, 1T Lugdunensis-Aquitanis
- Egypt: 2T Thokes-Bubon, 2T U-Egypt-Bubon, 1T Fayum-U-Egypt, 2T Philaeata-Thokes, 2T E-Damiet-Pelusia, 2T Memphis-Alexandria, 2T Tarsis-Alexandria, 1T Suez-Tarsis, 1T Gaza-Tarsis
- THRACE: 15 & 2T Coralia-Sardinia-Corsica-Rome-Nicopolis-Campania, 15 & 1T Leptis-Trip-Libya, 2T Corsica-ni-Campania, 2T Baetica-Tyrr. 2T Scythia-Desube, 1T Crimea-Scythia, 1T Dacia-Moesta, 1T Byzantium-Thrace
- CRETE: 1T Phoenicia-Kosmias, 1T Cenaria-Delphi, 2T Mossia-Dacia, 2T Moesta-Dacria, 1T Macedonia-Panonia, 1T Thessaly-Macedonia
- ASSYRIA: 15 Arachch-Galilee-Cyprus-Selucia-Antioch, 2T Cyprus-(+)Antioch, 2T Van-Kirsepe

- 14.6: CONFLICT:** 2 Th vs 1 BH @ Hispania (-1 each). 5 Th vs 2 Eg @ Sardis (-2 each). 4 Th vs 2 Af @ Campania (-2 each). 2 Af vs 1 B @ Tarraco (-1 each). 1 Cr vs 1 H @ Parthia (-1H). 5 Th vs 2 Cr @ Thrace (-2Cr). -1 Th. 3 Th vs 1 Cr @ Byzantium (-1 Cr). 4 Th vs 2 Af @ Iberia (-2 Af). -1 Th. 4 BH vs 2 Th vs 2 Cr @ Dacria (-1 each). 2 E vs 1 BH vs 1 Th @ Aquitania (-1 BH & Th). 2 E vs 1 Cr @ Byrrhus (-1 E). 4 E vs 1 Cr @ Palermo (-1 E).

- 14.7: BUILD CITIES:** Africa builds Cita. Assyria builds Arachch. Babylon builds Aleppo. Egypt builds Alessandria & Bubon. Iberia builds New Carthage and Sardis. Syria builds Rome

- 14.8: STATEMENT:** Africa starts 1T @ Cyrenians. Babylon starts 2T @ Sardis and 1T @

Arabs and Aleppo.

14.B. TRADERS: No one buys gold. Carter (C) draws 2 cards. Elvira, Amyska, and Egypt (E) draw 3 cards. Stack II is exhausted. Those (H) draw three cards. Beta (B) draws five cards. Africa (A) draws 6 cards. Babylon (B) draws 7 cards. Stack I is exhausted.

THE NEXT TIME: Turn 14 Trade through Baseline Calendaring Phases. At the very last Turnover and Earthquake/Volcano are cut there. Orders for field calibration are required.

The Board (after 14.B)

AFRICA (Naxi): C @ Carthage, Caria, Corduba, Cyrene, Palmyra, Thapsus, Tripoli; 1S @ Cyrene, Minoan; ST @ Cyrene; 2T @ Belvera, E Mauritania, Jalo, Libya, Saqqara, Subrosa, Tripolitana, W Mauritania; 1T @ New Africa, Nekchia, Tarentum, Tunisia. POTTERY, MYSTICISM, ENLIGHTENMENT, CLOTHMAKING, AGRICULTURE, MINING.

ASIA (De-Milas): C @ Antioch, Media, Palmyra; 1S @ Antioch; 2T @ Cyprus, Pompeii, Van; 1T @ Armenia, Erythras, Cappadocia, Cilicia, Gisaca, Kuban, Lydia, Miletus, Mithak, Novae, Phrygia. MYSTICISM, ASTRONOMY, CLOTHMAKING, DRAMA & POETRY, ENLIGHTENMENT.

BABYLON (Ashurna): C @ Aleppo, Babylon, Carthae, Chalae, Petra, Sidon, Susa, Ur; 4T @ Babylon; ST @ Susana, Syria; 2T @ Chaldea, Damascus, Mesopotamia, Parthia; 1T @ Arabs, Mari, Milos, Phenicia, Tyre. COINAGE, MYSTICISM, POTTERY, ENGINEERING, DRAMA & POETRY, MINING, ARCHITECTURE, MUSIC.

BARBARIANS (Naxi): ST @ Dacia.

CRETE (Skyros): C @ Rhodes, Sparta; 2T @ Dacia, Dalmatia, Delphi, Knossos; 1T @ Athens, Argos, Corinth, Danube, Epirus, Eretria, Illyricum, Macedonia, Paeonia, Peucetia, Thessaly, Thrace. METALWORKING, MYSTICISM, POTTERY.

Egypt (KingJehuPr): C @ Alexandria, Balshe, Rhine; 2T @ Arrianodene, Philaeus, Tanis, Thebes, W Desert; 1T @ Fayoum, Giza, Suez, U Egypt. MYSTICISM, METALWORKING, ASTRONOMY, AGRICULTURE.

GIBRA (Pentaur): C @ Askania, Gerulais, Kavosh, Mikta, New Carthage, Sardis; 2S @ Gerulais; 1S @ New Carthage; 2T @ Iberia, Massilia, Naxi, Pyrenaea; 1T @ Hispania, Etruria, Liguria, Lusitania, Tarraconensis. CLOTHMAKING, POTTERY.

ILLYRIAN (Skyros): C @ Apollonia, Illyria, Ross; ST @ Germany; 2T @ Delphi, L. Graecia, Pannonia, Rubicon; 2T @ Aquitania, Leontium; 1T @ Britannia, Cagliptis, Gaul, Illyria, Neapolis, Rhodia, Rhine, Rusalia, U Germany. DRAMA & POETRY, POTTERY.

THRACE (Bessar): C @ Barca, Thera, Thessaly, Troy; 1S @ Campania, Locrum; ST @ Byzantina, Iberia, Moreia; 2T @ Campania, Thera, Tyre; 1T @ Cilicia, Dacia, Dardania, Liburia, Lebos, Scythia. DRAMA & POETRY, METALWORKING, MYSTICISM, POTTERY, CLOTHMAKING.

YOUR CARD ARE:

PROSES:

Aaytha to all: Thanks, guys! And I thought you didn't care. Glad to know I'm still part of the group.

GM to all: It appears Aaytha is at your back and will. So call. On with.



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Game 3 Scenario
Old Bar and New Bara Assail!



THE CAST:

| | |
|-------------------|---|
| Dave Anderson | Buster the Berserker |
| Jules Butlike | Kosakida Invades the Armory |
| Don Chassany | Wanderer the Pegasus |
| Pete Crossblossom | Fors Crystallight the optional Woods Girl |
| David Farrow | Sir Quale the White Knight |
| TJ Kavasuta | Old Bar the Witch with DC her Familiar |
| Phil McCabe | Cessna the Dwarf |
| Debbie Osborne | Xyla the optional Woods Girl |

ONU 1

Fors @ Inn (DW4): M DW2, M DW3, Blot 2.2 = Passage & class, H8.5 = no reveal Stark M, Lost Cards 1, Hoard 5, Hoard 6, Fates 5, Lair 3, Phobos 2. 1 Bar to DW2, 3 bars to DW3.

Kosakida Invades (at Inn (DW4)): H8.5 = y6, H, T11.1 = Opportunity: 5.4 = x6, T13.2 = x6, M DW2. Two bats move from DW3 and join one bat at DW2.

Cessna @ Inn (DW4): H82.1 = y6, M DW1.

Buster @ Inn (DW4): H84.4 = x3, hire 87 "Ralph"/L H85.1 = x6, hire 86 "Roger"/H, H82.1 = x2, hire 85 "Kane"/T, T.

DO @ Inn (DW4): M DW2, 5Bar: 5.5 = class, M DW3, 5Bar: 4.2 = hidden success.

Old Bar @ Inn (DW4): T86.8 = Trouble, 8.4 = challenge, Inn (DW4): T11.1 = Opportunity: 6.4 no class, M DV1, NMAGIC Y4P.

Xyla @ Inn (DW4): H8.5 = y1, M DW2, M DW3, MDW5. Three bats move from DW3 to DW5.

Sir Quale @ Chapel (DW4): T22.1 = x1, buy _____ - (201, T, H14.2 = x6), H13.4 = x4.

Wanderer @ Chapel (DW4): T, H14.4 = x2, H14.5 = x3, H15.0 = x5.

CDACIC-AT: Sir Quale and Wanderer could attack H cast. Cessna could break unarmored and attack Old Bar. Xyla could ambush the bats, but killing the Hds could be final. Buster and thugs could take on the rest of the Bognes.

BOUNDED NOTES

The Inn is at Bad Valley 4. The Chapel is at Evil Valley 5. The ghosts are at Dark Valley 5. The House is at Cursed Valley 4. The Guard are at Awful Valley 5. Three bats are at DW5. The Lair Cards is at DW1. The Hoard is at DW5. The Lair is at DW3.

STELLAR CONQUEST

All three games have had their problems. An error in the Turn 35 adjudication and miscommunication has delayed "James T. Kirk" (aka "JTK"), "Wilson T. Hiker" (aka "Willie"), the e-mail game has been extracted since one of the players has had a sudden surge at work, requested a replacement, but said I have no e-mail types at the ready (Come back, all is forgiven). "W. Thomas Baker" (aka "Tommy") has suffered from mail problems. And then my primary file on these games got trashed from my hard disk. And the crucial JTK file couldn't be read from the Igs disk (possibly because the Mac converts it at a different speed).

Hopefully JTK should be on track now. "Tommy" should be moving within the week since I've reconstructed most of it. "Willie" awaits an eager volunteer.



DUNE

Strikes Back Again!
Turn 13



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- ATREIDES** (Fisher): 300, 2L, 125, 3C, 10T @ Habbanya Ridge Sketch, 7T @ Corrigan, 100B
EMPEROR (Dab Oberon): 505, 4C, 2T & 2* @ Imperial Board, 3T & 1* @ Ron Wall West.
FREEMEN (Admiral): 95, 1C, 1T @ Greater Flat.
GUILD (Wilson): 675, 3C, 8T @ Tuck's Sketch, 1T @ Sketch Take.
HARRAKHAN (Skyline): 275, 4C, 4L, 10T @ False Wall East (all).
IK (Nacht): 755, 3C, 2T @ Arrakeen, 8T @ Shaddi Wall.
TANIS: 3A, 10 & 2*E, 12 & 2*W, 9G, 1H, 1R; Lady J, B Robes, Colored, Coast Firing, Arms, Guild Rep, Harbor, D Mats, U Knobs, Coat.

TURN 13

1. **The STORM** moves from Sector 5 to Sector 5. The next weather chip is ...
2. **SPICE BLOW**: Shai-Hulud appears to Rock Outcroppings destroying 65 there. Celigo (Sector 12) and Haggis (Sector 11) have spare mines. Shai-Hulud still has 65. All others are confiscated.
3. **BEDDING**: F gets 155 "loans" from E. A gets 185 gift from G. There are four cards available.
 G bats 105, A bats 125, F bats 85. G gets _____ (105 to E)
 F bats 55, F gets _____ (55 to E)
 A bats 125, F bats 85, F bats 85. A gets _____ (105 to E)
 F bats 55, F gets _____ (55 to E)
4. **REVIVAL**: A revives 3T & 2E and plays "Ghola" to revive Lady J. E revives 2T & 1* (4G). F revives 2T & 1*. G revives 3T & 4G. H revives 1T. I revives 2T.
5. **REFUGEE**: Guild shoots to move 1st, ships 10T into Sketch Take (all). F attacks 4T & 2* at Sketch Take. A ships 3T to Arrakeen (G to G). E cannot ship 2T & 1* to Sketch Take since F & G are already there (one loadship skipped/reversed/gift priority).
6. **MOVEMENT**: I moves 2E Face Shaddi Wall to Arrakeen. A moves 4T Corrigan-Arrakeen. F moves 1T from Greater Flat to Sketch Take. E moves 2T & 2* Imperial Beach-Ron Wall West.
7. **COMBAT**: A (7T) vs I (7T) all at Arrakeen. F (5T & 2*) vs G (11T) at Sketch Take.

Our next turn are orders for any voluntary actions from Turn 13 (Coriolan) to Turn 14 (Rebel Blow). Remember, the game ends after Turn 15, and there will be a winner. Indeed an Atreidic victory at Arrakeen will win the game.

- ATREIDES** (Fisher): 191, 3L, 145, 3C, 10T @ Habbanya Ridge Sketch, 3T @ Corrigan, 7T @ Arrakeen
EMPEROR (Dab Oberon): 705, 4C, 8T & 2* @ Ron Wall West.
FREEMEN (Admiral): 85, 3C, 8T @ Sketch Take.
GUILD (Wilson): 405, 4C, 8T @ Tuck's Sketch, 11T @ Sketch Take.
HARRAKHAN (Skyline): 275, 4C, 4L, 10T @ False Wall East (all).
IK (Nacht): 755, 3C, 7T @ Arrakeen.
TANIS: 17 & 1*E, 12 & 1*W, 9G, 1H, 1R; Lady J, B Robes, Colored, Coast Firing, Arms, Guild Rep, Harbor, D Mats, U Knobs, Coat.

LEGEND: * = standard tokens, 10T = additional, A = Atreides, C = card, E = Empire, F = Freemen, G = Guild, H = Harrakhan, I = Ik, RT = Rennach Hedditch, L = loads, S = spire, SF = sector #, T = tokens.

VIEW CARD AND:

SETTLEMENTS OF CIVILIANS

Settled By: B11



THE TEAM

David Anderson
Dina Chinnery
Debbie Osborne
Steve Wilson

INITIAL SET UP:

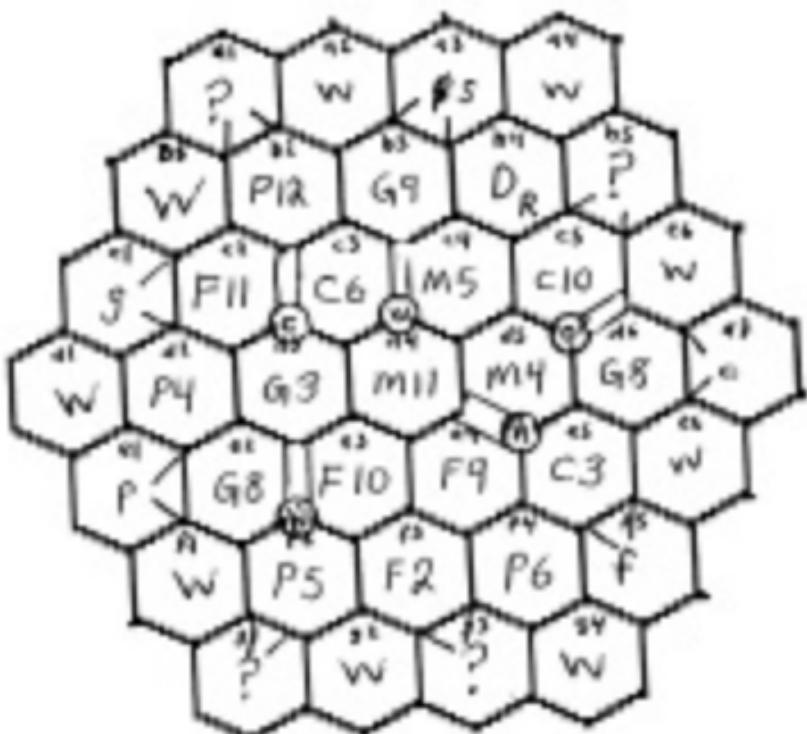
ANDERSON: Settlement @ C5/V6/H5, Road @ C5/V6
CHINNERY: Settlement @ V2/V3/H3, Road @ C2/V3
OSBORNE: Settlement @ C4/V8/H6, Road @ C5/H8
WILSON: Settlement @ C3/V4/H4, Road @ C3/V4
WILSON: Settlement @ C2/V5/H2, Road @ C2/V5, collect wood, grain & lumber

The next three are Debbie's and Dina's initial placements.

LEGEND:

| | | | |
|-----|-----------------------------------|-----|-------------------------------|
| P | green (3:1 port) | # | dice number |
| C/C | hill hex / brick special port | D | desert hex |
| F/T | forest hex / lumber special port | G/G | grass hex/grain special port |
| M/W | mountain hex / stone special port | H/P | pasture hex/wool special port |
| R | soldier | W | water site |

NOTE: I tended to reuse the legend before next time, so don't get attached to it. I also added the hex designations in the upper corner, and the port lines.





The Hunt

*Farrow Wins 3rd Chase!
Farrow Takes Fraternal Cead!*



THE HUNT is a word game inspired by James Lipton's book, "An Education of Letters", where we propose a noun and the players are asked to propose a collective noun to fit, such as "flock" for "sheep" or "pride" for "birds". Both and Ms Mac will mark each entry for each word and the best score will be the winner. Each word is a possible 1 point, but the point will be split if either more than one player suggests the word or two or more words are marked equally. The first player to score 10 points wins six free issues of this mag. THE HUNT is run in Chases or rounds. We report the third Chase of the 4th Year and begin the fourth. Good luck, to the Hunt!

CHASE 3:

| | |
|---------------|--|
| 1. chowder | annery(0), nose(0), class(0), clever, shaggy(2), halo, baring boat, boatload, haggit, racoonery(0), progressed(0), promenade, statuary(0), wisper |
| 2. knightly | array(0), castle, chirality, crusader(0), crest, fierce, scabbard, valiant(0), wedge(0) |
| 3. scoundrels | scallions, bondage, breast, jungle, river(0), sisterhood(0), spirit, string, tributary shame, chide(0), repeat(0), she, strain, breed, prancing, stonewedge |
| 4. wizards | cannibality, casting, college(0), condone(0), hem, power(0), school, spell, woggle |
| 5. wightness | bare, concise, disappearing act, gaft(0), I.M.P., quadrilateral, U. multiplicities, pool |
| 6. swordsmen | array, battlefield, parry(0), repeat(0), rancidifiable, sheath, sword, slash, thrust(0) |
| 7. berserkers | awfully, blessed, brigade, brazier, detonation, fire(0), rock, rage(0), slough(0) |
| 8. captains | ay-ay, bar, carload, charge, command(0), company(0), conspiracy(0), magenta, kick, snark(0) |

Legend: B = Boris's suggestion, L = Lipton's suggestion, M = Ms Mac's suggestion, # = multiple entries. * = sole winner. @ = tied for 1st.

Chase 3 Scores: Farrow 2.50, Crucible 2.25, Nant 2.00, Anderson 2.00, Zinckensdau 1.00, Faber 0.25, Morrison 0.00.

Total Scores: Farrow 8.67, Crucible 8.58, Nant 6.83, Anderson 3.20, Faber 1.58, Zinckensdau 1.00, Morrison 0.00.

CHASE 4: CHASE: Posts of Engineering

| | | | | |
|------------|----------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|
| 1. bridges | 2. dams | 3. canals | 4. boats | 5. textiles |
| 6. skyways | 7. embankments | 8. railroads | 9. highways | 10. cables |

As a replacement to "The Hunt", or perhaps a variation on the same theme, Roger Zinckensdau has suggested we propose Billboards! Signs or people and having y'all think up what + who addresses, such as:

Potlatch Clearing House: Selected@Bender
Betty Crocker: Baking@Sodding

Bimble N' Ux: Clever@baa
Giggle: Loony@baa

Well, that ought to give you the idea. Comments?

ON DECK

BLISS: Zimler, Hanno, Crossbones
ADV/CIN: McCabe, Crossbones, Deb Osborne
AIR BARBOS: Copeland, K Wilson
CIRCUIT MAHMOUD:
Tourney, Anderson, Crossbones

CONQUISTADOR: Copeland

DIPLOMACY:

Regular: Martinson
Colonial: McCabe, Anderson, Boykin
DUNE: K Wilson, Anderson, Crossbones
GUNSLINGER: Anderson, Crossbones
HISTORY OF THE WORLD: Anderson, Deb Osborne, Zimler
KREMLIN: Fisher, K Wilson
MAHARAJAH: Crossbones, K Wilson
MERCHANT OF VENUS: Deb Osborne, Boykin, Chisherry
SILVERTON: Zimler, Deb Osborne
TITAN: Crossbones, Anderson

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