

SHEES, this is the "My typewriter did it AGAIN!" issue (aka #36 or 12 times 3 issue) of

CENTURION!!!!!!!!!!

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FROM REDLANDS to Tarzana, that is th journey your beloved gamemaster/publisher has made. He did this despite a horrible cold, the possession of an object which is fake marble and rotting plastic and the 55 MPH speed limit. Firstly, Redlands IS NOT THAT bad, but I wouldn't want to live their!

While I was gae, some improtant items have occurred:

1. 16¢ maybe what the stamp says in a few motnhs. According to Uncle Jimmy, he'll try to have a "special 13¢ personal first class rate," which means that CENTURION would be mailed in envelopes and have handwritten addresses....UGH!

2. My typewriter broke down again. So what's new? Now the keys are "stuck" down---in other words this pica Smith Corona may be with us for some time to come....

3. One player, whose name need not be metnioned, never received his copy of CENTURION #35. This player did not receive #33(or was it #34). In other words, the USPS is deciding that CENTURION belongs in th wastebasket(something we've known for some time, but we wanted you to make that decision up!). They even screwed up the publisher---the one copy of his 1976ID orders was returned stamped "insafficient postage" with 13¢ on it...I strongly advise GENERAL ORDERS, TWO SETS OF ORDERS, or any other nice means you can think of!!!

4. PHONE CALLS---Our numbers are (213)-342-1404 and (213)-343-8145 BUT WE DON'T GUARENTEE THAT WE'LL BE HOME! Also, if anyone besides myself takes orders, I DON'T GUARENTEE THAT I'LL GET THEM(or I might, but not the way you wanted them...)

So, is there nothing else but.....

1975EN(CO2)

ITALIANS SLEEP BUT HIGH COMMAND ORDERS STALEMATE TO CONTINUE

*SPRING 1913
Fall 1912*

AUSTRIA(Trenam):A BOH s & A TYO s A SIL-mun, A BUL & A SER h, A LVN s A MOS-stp, A PRU s a ber,

A VEN u, A BER s A MUN-kie, F ADR-ion, F ION-tun (13)

GERMANY(Zimmermann):F WES s ita f spa(sc)-lyo/nso/, A KIE-mun, F DEN s A HOL-kie (5, one short)

ITALY(Don Ditter?):NMR! moves via General Orders:F TUN s ger f wes, F SPA(sc) s F MAR h, A RUH s ger a kie, A GS s a bur, A BUR s a ruh (7, one hort)

RUSSIA(Kovalcik):A STP s a fin, A FIN s a stp, F MID s ger f wes, F NAF s ita f tun(4)

TURKEY(Diehl):F PIE s f LYO-mar, F TRN s F TUS-lyo, F ROM s f trn(5)

The standby for Italy is listed later; there have been two calls for a five way draw and one call for a t/r/i/a four-way draw; votes on both of these proposals are due with your FALL 1913 orders...two bits of press:

GERMANY:Why don't we call it a draw? The only alternative is for Austria to take all the Turkish centers without giving the resut of us any, and if Turkey wants our help in surviving, we can certainl prevent that.

REDLANDS-TARZANA:One player has aksed if the game will end if no supply center changes hands in the FALL 1913 seasons:The answer is no;in 1911 Belgium and Kiel changed hands.

AWAY DOWN SOUTH IN TARZANA, AWAY, AWAY, AND TURN THE PAYGEE-----

DEADLINE ON PAGE #8

1975GK(CO3)

ROMAN EMPIRE REGAINS SOUTHERN GUAL(Gallish?) Fall 1911

AUSTRIA(Diehl):A LVN s a pru, A MOS s a lvn, A PRU s & A SIL s ger a ber,
 A MUN-bur, A BOH s A TYO-mun, A WAR u, A GAL-war, F AEG u
 ENGLAND(Bumpas):F BOT s a fin-STP, f nwy-NWG, f swe-NWY, f bal-DEN,
 F ENG s f iri-MID, A KIE s A RUHmun, A HOL s a kie,
 FRANCE(Mann):A GAS s & a mar(-OTB) s & F POR s f spa(sc), F SPA(sc) s f mar,
 A PAR-bur

GERMANY(Nelson):A BER s aus a tyo-mun

ITALY(Verheiden):f mid-gas(BRE, NAT, OTB), A PIE s f lyo-MAR, A VEN s
 a pie, F WES-spa(sc), F NAF-mid, f trn-LYO
 s.c. chart---

a-bud, tri, vie, rum, bul, ank, smy, mun, mos, sev, war	11- build one*
e-edi, lvp, lon, nwy, den, hol, kie, stp, bel, swe	10- even
f- par , par, spa, por, (ber)	4?-remove one?*
g-ber	1- even
i-rom, nap, ven, ser, tun, gre, con, MAR,(BRE)	8?- build one?*

*one /a/

**If ITLN f mid r-BRE, than france REMOVES one and ITALY BUILDS two, otherwise italy builds one and france is even(1/2/)

the draw vote was defeated one yes and the rest neas(or not-voting), so the WINTER 1911 orders and SPRING 1912 orders are due....

1975HK(CO7)

CAN ANYTHING STOP THE TURKS?

Fall 1909

ENGLAND(Diehl):f swe-BAL, F HOL h, F NWG c a edi-NWY, F MID s & fre f
 por-spa(sc)/nso/((drat ths typewriter, it's worse than my own!)), f nth-
 DEN, F IRI s f mid, a den-SWE

FRANCE(Weinstock?):NMR. A ruh, mar, gas, bur, par, and f por all hold.

GERMANY(Schuetz):A MUN h

ITALY(Kendter, Sr.):F WES s f tun, f tun(-NAF, OTB) s f wes

RUSSIA(Fujihma):A UKR s & A GAL s a sev(-MOS, OTB)-rum, A WAR s a gal,
 A KIE h

TURKEY(Bumpas):F Pie-mar, F LYO-wes, F TRN s f ion-TUN, F BLA s a arm-SEV,
 f ank-CON, A TYO s ger a mun, A BUD s A SER-rum, A VIE-gal, A RUM-ukr
 s.c. chart

e-edi, lvp, lon, nwy, swe, stp, hol, den	8- even
f-brem,mar, par, spa, por, bel	6- even
g-mun	1- even
i-rom, par	1-remove one*
r-mos, par , war, ber, kie	4-remove one*

*if a unit retreats otb, than even

The draw was defeated:2 yes, 1 no, 3 not voting. Winter/Autumn

1909 retreats and SPRING 1910 orders are due. PRESS:

TURKEY:We hoped Italian & Turkishfleets could advance side by side against the British. Oh well. Fortunately, Russia's suicide also benefits Turkey the most.

DOWN BELOW:SUICIDE ONLY BENEFITS ME THE MOST!

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GERMANS ENTER JAPENESE WATERS(ex-Japanese Waters)Fall 1907

AUSTRIA(Cartier):F TRN s f tus-LYO, F ROM s f trn, A SER s a tri-BUD,
 a ven-tyo(-APU; OTB), f ion-PEN

FRANCE(Fujihara):F SIA s F SAI-cam, f lyo-tus(-PIE, MAR, SPA(sc), OTB),
 f ein-CEY, F TUN s f mid-WMED, f eng-MID, f sat-SATOB, a mar-PIE,
 A LIB s f tun, a pie-VEN, A ~~alg~~ ALG s f tun, f mid-WMED

GERMANY(Kendter, Jr.):A DEN h, a boh-VIE, a mun-BOH, ~~axtyx~~ A TYO s fre
 a pie-ven, A CLU-bud, a vie-TRI, A UKR s rus a sev, A GAL-rum,
 A SIL-gal, f edi-CLY, f natobb-NPA

INDIA (Verheiden):a snk s rus a oms-sib/nso/(-TURK, KAN, OTB), A THA-cam,
 a del-CAL, A HAN-pek, A TIB s a snk, F JOH-sia, f mal-EIN

JAPAN(Minton):F CAN s f ech-SCH, F SJA h, f sik-TON, f yel-ECH, F SOK h

jap, ctd:f man-YEL, f cel-JAV, f PEK-han, A OMO s & A IMO s asib-SNK,
A VLA-sib

RUSSIA(Schuetz):f nwg-NAT, A OMS s a tur-SIB, A SEV g ger a gal-rum,
A MOS s a sev,

TURKEY(Diehl):F PERs F IRA h, f som-WIN, f ara-MAD, a raj-DEC, f ade-RED,
F BLA s & A RUM g A ARM-sev, A BUL s f rum

(the summer retreats were:fr f mal r-EIN; ind a pek r-HAN)

s.c. chart

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a- le , ll , ser, ey , rom, nap, bud, gre PEN	one
f-par, mar, bre, sai, cam, por, spa, mor, ire, lvp, tun, bor,	5-remove xxx *
CEY, VEN	14- build two**
g-ber, kie, mun, pos, bel, hol, den, lon, edi, war, clu, <u>vie</u> ,	13- build two
TRI	6-remove one***
i-cal, del, mad , bma, han, ey , pek , tha, joh,	15- build two
j-osa, tok, kyo, kar, for, phi, can, kor, vla, man, vtn, omo,	6x- build one****
jav, <u>pek</u> , <u>snk</u>	
r-oms, SEV, mos, stp, xxx swe, nwy, snk , ira , rum , byl , sev	
t-ank, con, smy, bag, pen , egy, eth, set , mog, yem, IRA, MAD,	12- buld two
RUM, BUL	

*if a ven r OTB, than even

**if f lyo r otb, than buld three

***was two short, if a snk r OTB, than even

****was one short, had three annihilated, so builds one

AUTUMN RETREATS, WINTER BUILDS, and SPRING 1908 orders due.

1976E(C12) GERMAN NORTHERN FLEET DEFECTS TO U.S. Winter 1907

AUSTRIA(Vansteel):has A BUD, A SIL, A KIE, A RUM, A VIE, F CON(8, two short)

ENGLAND(Kelly):f spa(nc) r OTB; bulds F EDI; also has F NWG, F DEN, F ENG,

F NTH, A PIC, A STP, A PRU, A BEL(9)

GERMANY(Weinstock?):NMR. Gm removes F Nwy, F Ska via Houserules. has

A HOL, A BUR, A BER, F SWE

ITALY(Verheiden):b A VEN, F NAP, F ROM. also has A TRI, A MAR, A SMY,

F SPA(sc), F AEG, F EMED(9)

TURKEY(Mueth):f smy r OTB; removes f sev; has F ANK, A UKR, A WAR,

A MOS(4)

Spring orders ae due and are on file for all but Germany and Italy.

1976BC(C13) FRANCE CONVOYS BREST to APULIA Spring 1907

AUSTRIA(Mueth):f ionr-gre;A PIE h, A TYO-mun, A TRI s a tus-VEN, A GAL

s rus a war-sil, A ALB u, F GRE-ion(8)

FRANCE(Westerdahl):F WMED c & F MID c & F ION c & F TRN c & F NAP s

a bre-APU, F ADR-ven, a gas-SPA, a bur-GAS, A MAR-pie(10)

GERMANY(Don Ditter?):nmr. moves via GOs:b ~~xxxx~~ a kie, a ber; F BAR s a stp,

f nwy-SWE, F BAL ~~xxxxxx~~ ~~xxxx~~ ~~lvn~~, A KIE-mun, A BER s a sil, A LVN-

war, A SIL g a mun-BOH, A STP s f bal-lvn, A PRU s a lvn-war)10(

ITALY(Cartier):A ROM h

RUSSIA(Fujihara):f smy-EMED, f con-AEG, A SEV s a mos, A MOS s A UKR-war

A WAR-sil

Fall 1907 orders are due.....

1976DB(C14) I WAS WATCHING THE MISS UNIVERSE SHOW, AND TURKEY DIDN'T Sp. 06
SHOW UP.....

AUSTRIA(Gerber):NMR. GM r a boh; A BUD & A TRI u (2)

ENGLAND(Dave Ditter):f lvp-CLY, F HQ-nth (2)

FRANCE(~~Verheiden~~ Vansteel):note:Greg also owns London, and builds one:

b A PAR; a BUR s A MAR h, A BEL g a mun(-STD, BOH, OTB)-ruh, A BRE

s a ~~px~~-GAS, f spa(sc)-por/a/, F LON-nth(8)

GERMANY(Kendter, Jr.):A RUH s & A KIE s & A TYO s a ber-MUN, F NTH-bel(5)

ITALY(Diehl):A PIE-mar, F LYO s f wes-SPA(sc), F MID-por

RUSSIA(Mann):b f stp(nc), A WAR; A GAL s a rum-BUD, F BLA s a ank-CON,

continued....

Russia, ctd:a sev-RUM, a war-SIL, f stp(nc)-NWY, f nwy-NWG(8)

TURKEY(McNally?):NMR. A ser, F Smy, bul(sc), aeg, gre all unordered(last four are fleets). (5)

Summer retreats and Fall 1906 orders are due.

1976JA(C22) f RUSSIA IN DEEP TROUBLE(but so are Aus&Turk) Fall 1903

AUSTRIA(Clement):a gal-BUD, A VIE-tri, a bul(-OTB) s a tri-SER, F GRE s a bul

ENGLAND(Vansteel):a bre-PAR, F NTH h, F NWY s f bar-STP(nc), f eng-MID

FRANCE(Diehl):error, last turns order 'par-spa' failed. It makes nod difference to delay the seasons, as there's not much France can do...

a par-bre (-GAS, PIC, OTB), A POR u, A MUN-ber, a spa-gas/nsu/ GERMANY(Gaenslen):F SWE s eng f nwy, f bal-DEN, A SIL-ber, A TYO-mun,

a bel-RUH

ITALY(Below):A BUR s eng a bre-par, F ION c A TUN-gre, a F ADR s a ven-TRI, F SPA(sc) h

RUSSIA(Dave Ditter):a stp h(-FIN, LVN, MOS, OTB), a pru-WAR, A UKR s F RUM h, a mos-SEV, F SKA-nth,

TURKEY(Slaughter):a ser-rum/a/, F CON s f aeg-BUL(sc), a ank-ARM

s.c. chart

- a-bud, ~~xxx~~, vie, ser, ~~xxx~~, GRE 4- even*
- e-edi, lvp, lon, bre, nwy, PAR, STP 7- build two
- ~~g-ber~~ f- ~~xxx~~, ~~xxx~~, por, mun 2-remove one**
- g-ber, kie, den, hol, bel, SWE 6- build one
- i-rom, nap, ven, tun, mar, spa, TRI 7- build one
- r-mos, sev, ~~xxx~~, war, rum, ~~xxx~~ 4-remove ~~xxx~~ two***

*one annihilated

**if a unit retreats otb, than even

***if a unit retreats otb, than remove one

Since there are so many bulds, guess what? Winter is due.

1977CG(C23) FLEETS ARE THE NAME OF THE GAME Winter 1901

AUSTRIA(Beardsley):A BUD, A SER, F ALB (3)

ENGLAND(Givins):b f lvp; also has A NWY, F NWG, F ENG (4)

FRANCE(Tompkins):b F BRE, F MAR; also has A PAR, A SPA, F POR (5)

GERMANY(Kendter, Sr.):b A MUN, A BER, F KIE; also has A HOL, A BEL, F DEN(6)

ITALY(Mann):b F VEN, A ROM; also has A tyo, A TRI, F TUN (5)

RUSSIA(Don Ditter?):nmr. moves via GOs:b A MOS; also has A UKR, A GAL, F SWE, F SEV

TURKEY(Gerber):b F CON; also has A RUM, A ARM, F BLA(4)

Spring orders are due, and they're on file for Italy.

1977FG(C24) THIS GAME IS GETTING TO BE A MESS Fall 1901

AUSTRIA(Fujihara):a tri-VIE, A SER s f alb-GRE

ENGLAND(Minton):f nwg-NWY, F NTH c A YOR-den

FRANCE(Lubin):a mar-SPA, A BUR-mun, f mid-POR

GERMANY(Caswell):A RUH-mun, f hol-BEL, A KIE-den

ITALY(Vansteel):F ION c a apu-TUN, A VEN h

RUSSIA(Adam):a gal-BUD, a ukr-GAL, F RUM s aus a ser-bul/nso/, f bot-SWE

TURKEY(Jones):a ank-ARM, A BUL s aus f alb-gre, f con-BLA

s.c. chart

- a-vie, tri, ~~xxx~~, ser, GRE 4- build one
- e-edi, lvp, lon, NWY 4- build one
- f-bre, mar, par, POR, SPA 5- buld two
- g-ber, kie, mun, BEL 4- build one
- i-nap, rom, ven, TUN 4- build two
- r-mos, sev, stp, war, BUD, ROM, SWE 7- build three
- t-ank, con, smy, BUL 4- build one

press:

(oops, it looks as if I'm falling asleep, this will have to wait till morning, and also, this page seems like it is drawing to a close).

1977FG press:

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July 12, 1901. h Holland Greater Outer Berlin News(GOB News):

Prime Minister Johan Schmidt of Germany was welcomed today in the capitol of Holland. The timely arrival of the vauntid((? Dave, please PRINT! Your handwriting is difficult to read))German 1st Fleet quelled the student uprising on the docks of the Capitol. This action avoided an economic disaster for the tiny country of Halland.

July 13m,1901 Isle of Man GOB News

The Germany((excuse me, that should be German)) 1st fleet has been restricted to its base. An unidentified source has baked((?)) information indicating that the fleet is being refitted in preparations for giant ,((oops, that should be JOINT)) manuevers with the Belium navy.

July 18, 1901 Schliffen Plan Headquarters GRB News

News from headquarters of the Schliffen plan has stated that the plan has succeeded. As predicted, Belgium fell very easilly(beat that one Britian!)and most of the West is under the superior control of Greater Germany.

MONACO:Indications from this seaside resort have King Marc I relaxing to Weinerschnitzel with Frechg ((that is NOT mistyped)) Acou, head of the government of Liberia. Here is a transcript of their conversation:

M:Hello.

A:Good-bye.

Needless to say, France has NOT been very success ful on recruiting allies on the Diplomatic front. But on the Military front:

BURGUNDY:FREC�H ARMY INVADES GERMANY. Yes ,the rumor is true. From sources unidentified but in close proximity to Tarzana, California, we have learned that the Craxzy King, King Marc I, does plan on invading Germany. Elements of his army consider him SO crazy that, well, we can't carry insults in a "G" rated Diplomacy zine...

AUSTRO-ITALIAN BORDER:Fighting broke out early today near Trieste. It seems that rival groups of Italians and Italians wanted to occupy the village of Italibi, located just inside Italian territory. In fact, the Itlains had to send up their whole army to stop the brawl. As of this time, the army is fighting over the town, too...

TARZANA:This is what I like, lots of press!

STANDBYS:

Will Ron Kelly, 225 & Virginia Ave. SE, #120, Washington, DC 20061 standby for ITALY in 1975EN?

Will Clifford A. Mann II, 823 MARCY AVE, OXON HILL, MD 20021 please standby for FRANCE in 1975HK?

Will Eric Gerber, 4791 Topanga Canyon Blvd., Woodland Hills, Ca. 91364 please standby for GERMANY in 1976E?

Will Eric Verheiden(see below), Caltech 1-86, Pasadena, CA 91126 please standby for GERMANY in 1976BC?

Will Lee Kendter Sr., 4347 Benner St., Philadelphia, PA 19135 please standby for, utgh!, never mid--Lee can't standby.

Will David Mueth, 202 LUCERNE AVE, Lake Worth, FL 33460 please standby for TURKEY in 1976DB?

Will Marc Lubin, 19066 Ginger Place, Tarzana, CA 91356 please standby for RUSSIA in 1977CG?

CHANGES OF ADDRESSES:

Dave Caswell(FG) to c/o YMCA Camp Lincoln, Ball Rd, Kingston, NH 02848;
Eric Verheiden to

let's go on....

DINKICON IV ANNOUNCED!

The Master Machiavellian (Michael G. Homeier, 238 N. Bowling Green Way, Los Angeles, CA 90049) will be sponsoring the Fourth DinkiCon. It will be held on Sunday, August 21 from 10:00 A.M. till somewhere around 5:00 P.M. Your loyal editor is going to be their (at first I thought I'd be in Aspen, but it appears that that'll be delayed until the last week in August.). You can expect to see any Diplomacy player from the Los Angeles area (at least). Last year we had visitors from Washington (not D.C.)...

DIRECTIONS: Take any freeway to the San Diego Freeway (Interstate 405) From the Valley: exit at Sunset; from the city: exit at Wilshire to Westwood; both ways HEAD EAST past Westwood/UCLA until Beverly Glen; from ~~the~~ Sunset head South (right) and from Wilshire head North (Left). You can't miss Holmby Park---it has a golf course (or a facsimile)....

I might drag out the stencil which has the DinkiCon map on it, but I probably won't....

Now, on to more important matters:

THE TEN COMMANDMENTS OF PUBLISHING
by the editor

For those of you who know anything about Tarzana, there is a relatively flat part, leading then to a relatively hilly portion. I live on the boarder of these two portions.

One day very recently I was walking through Braemar (the big development in the hilly area---that's where Lubing lives), and past Braemar Hill, whell, not past the hill----I looked up, and an old mad was sitting on top of the hill. I called to him, and he said to me, "Youeth cometh up here noweth." Noting that he carried a shotgun, I obliged.

As I walked up the 50' high hill, I noticed that the hill was growing-- I walked up 50' and there was still 50' to go... Finally, after 40 days and 40 nights of walking up the Sears Tower, I made it to the top of Braemar ~~XXX~~ Mountain.

"Haveth on youeth paper and pencil.?" asked the old man.

"Uh, no." I answered, having horrible thoughts of reclimbing the Sears Tower.

"Well, here, take mine." the old man said as I sighed, "Now lookee here you younster. My nameth is Father Dippy."

"That's what you wanted me to climb Mt. Everest for---"

"No! I have some commandments for you. Hereth art them:

COMMANDMENT NUMBER ONE: THOU SHALT KNOWETH HOW TO USE THE TYPETHWRITER."

"I just flunked..."

"COMMANDMENT NUMBER TWO: THOU SHALT HAVETH A MACHINE TO PUBLISH OFF OF--"

"Well, I've got that!"

"Not so fast, youngster, let me finish---THAT ISETH RELIABLE.

COMMANDMENT NUMBER THREE: THOU SHALT BEETH WELL KNOWNETH BEFORE THOU SHALT START PUBLISHEING."

"Well, on that one I got a 'C'."

9 "COMMANDMENT NUMBER FOUR: THOU SHALT NOT MOVETH FROM CITY TO CITY OR FROM JOB TO JOB (etc.) FOR THREE YEARS."

"At least I've held that one up."

"But you've only been publishing for 2½ years..."

COMMANDMENT NUMBER FIVE: THOU SHALT HAVE EBBS AND EBBS OF EONS OF FREE TIME."

"Uh, er..."

"COMMANDMENT NUMBER SIX: THOU SHALT BE HONEST AND NEVER, NEVER, NOT EVER, NOT FOLLOW YOUR HOUSE RULES (and thou shalt have house rules of proper length)."

"Well, I have house rules, and er uh..."

"COMMANDMENT NUMBER SEVEN: THOU SHALT REMEMBER THAT THOU IS DEALING

Is this continued? Of course-----

WITH THE IDIOTS AT THE UNITED STATES POSTAL (mis)OFFICE AND SHOULD DEAL ACCORDINGLY."

"I've always done THAT."

/"What about Baumeister?"

"He's the exception that proves the rule."

"And Norton, Weilman, Wildman, etc..."

COMMANDMENT NUMBER EIGHT:THOU MUST HAVE LOTS OF MONEY."

"Another lousy commandment..."

"COMMANDMENT NUMBER NINE:if THU DECIDETH TO RUNNETH GAMES OF DIPLOMACY (copyright 1971, Avalon Hill Co.), THOU MUST BE PREPARED FOR THE ULTIMATE INSANITY---NMRs."

"and Finally, COMMANDMENT NUMBER TEN:THOU MUST BE CONSIDERATE AT ALL TIMES."

And then, the Mountain shrung back to a hill, and I found myself on El Caballero Dr. saying, "Gee, I ~~sixxxx~~ still don't follow any orders, do I?"

NOTE FROM THEEDITOR:From now on, I will do my best to type reasonably well. I WILL ALLOW NO TYPOS THAT I CAUSED. Please understand that I'm not using my typewriter, and my typer works better than this.

1974Fdi(CA1) GAME RESUMES FOR JUST UNIFOR BUT NOT DRAPs Spring 1915

DRAPERIUM(Kadlecek?):NMR. will play two short; FLLETS;nwy, trn, wes, mid, den, bot, spa(sc); ARMIES:bur, ber, stp, gas, kie, mar HOLD; Armies Munich and & Prussia are annihilated.

UNIFOP, JR.(Weinstock):b F TRI; A WAR s f lvn-PRU, f trn-ROM, F ION s f tun-TRN, ~~Rxk~~ f naf-TUN, f aeg-GRE, f tri-ADR, a mos-LVN, a ukr-MOS, A SIL-ber, A BOH s a tyo-MUN, a vie-GAL, A VEN s & A TUS s A PIE h

The standby for Draperium is listed on page #5; Draperium and Unifor each have 17 units although Draperium isz two short.

Fall 1915 orders are due. Remember, victory is by control of 22 supply centers, not 18. Also, there has been a call for a two-way draw. Please vote on this with your Fall 1915 orders.

THE OWL WITH WHITE SIDEBURNS

We rejoin Colin and Go on flight 747 to Moscow on Aeroflot.

"Dr. Santoyo was dumb," says Go, "He didn't even know what the science of chrontokweridomkovrenduixasedpoingdexterinverseratioofsoupology was."

"Dis is Captain Zvenski. We will ve lanving at Moscow International Airport two minutes ago. Itis 99° F. and Snowing. Ya, if you look down now, you can see Moscow."

"Immediately everyone looked down and saw Red, Red, Red beyond belief.

"Hey mister," cried the Russian peasant sitting next to Colin, "That's not Moscow. It's Redlands, California. That place is contaminated!"

"Immediately a chorus of "Kill the Captain" "Murder da Pilot" and all sorts of things to tarminze Zvenski's life flew around the plane. None entered it, though.

"I'm soory," ~~Zvxx~~ Zvenski said, "But you know it's hard to find good help these days....."

"JUMPING CATFISH!"

"WHAT?" said the people in the story?"

"Just a typograph ical error...."

"You dumb writer, you're an idiot!"

"Say that any more and you won't be around!"

"Oh, well, I guess we have to get back to theplot."

"How can we? I don't want to goto Forrest Lawn!"

"Ahem. We have just landed at Moscow International Airport."

"Big Deal."

"You know, I still don't understand waat this has to do with the sort of Owlsh hissing going on....."

1976 ID Spring 1903 Germany & France Silent as war goes on.

AUSTRIA (Kimelheim) A Rom-VEN, A TRI(s)A Rom-VEN, A GAL(s)Rusa WAR,
A RUM-H, A BUD & A SER (s)A RUM, F GRE (s) X
Tur F Aeg-Ion

ENGLAND (Baumeister) F Mid-WES, F Eng-MID, F BRE(s)F Eng-Mid,
F Lon-ENG, F Edi-NTH, A StP-Mos, A Swe-FIN.

FRANCE (Minton) N.M.R. F POR, A GAS, A MAR, All Hold

GERMANY (Fox) N.M.R. A PAR, A BUR, F BEL, A MUN, A PRU, A SIL,
A DEN, All Hold

ITALY (Bersch) A Nap-ROM, A VEN (s) A Nap-ROM, F Ion-ADR
A Ven retreat to Tyr, Pie, Tus, Apu, OTB

RUSSIA (Kjol) A WAR-H, A MOS (s) A WAR.

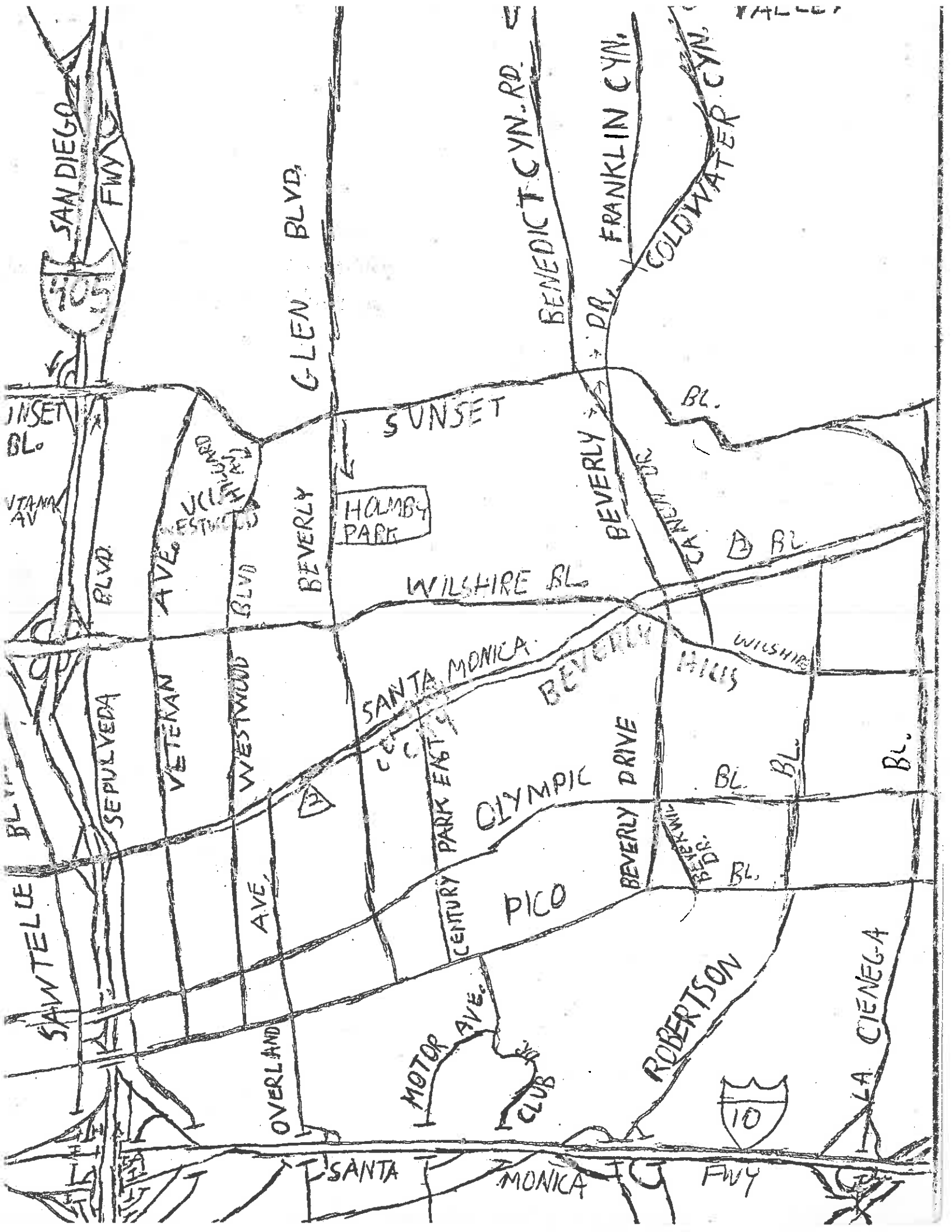
TURKEY (Vansteel) A BUL-H, A Con-SEV, A Sev-UKR, F Aeg-ION,
F BLA convoy A Con-SEV

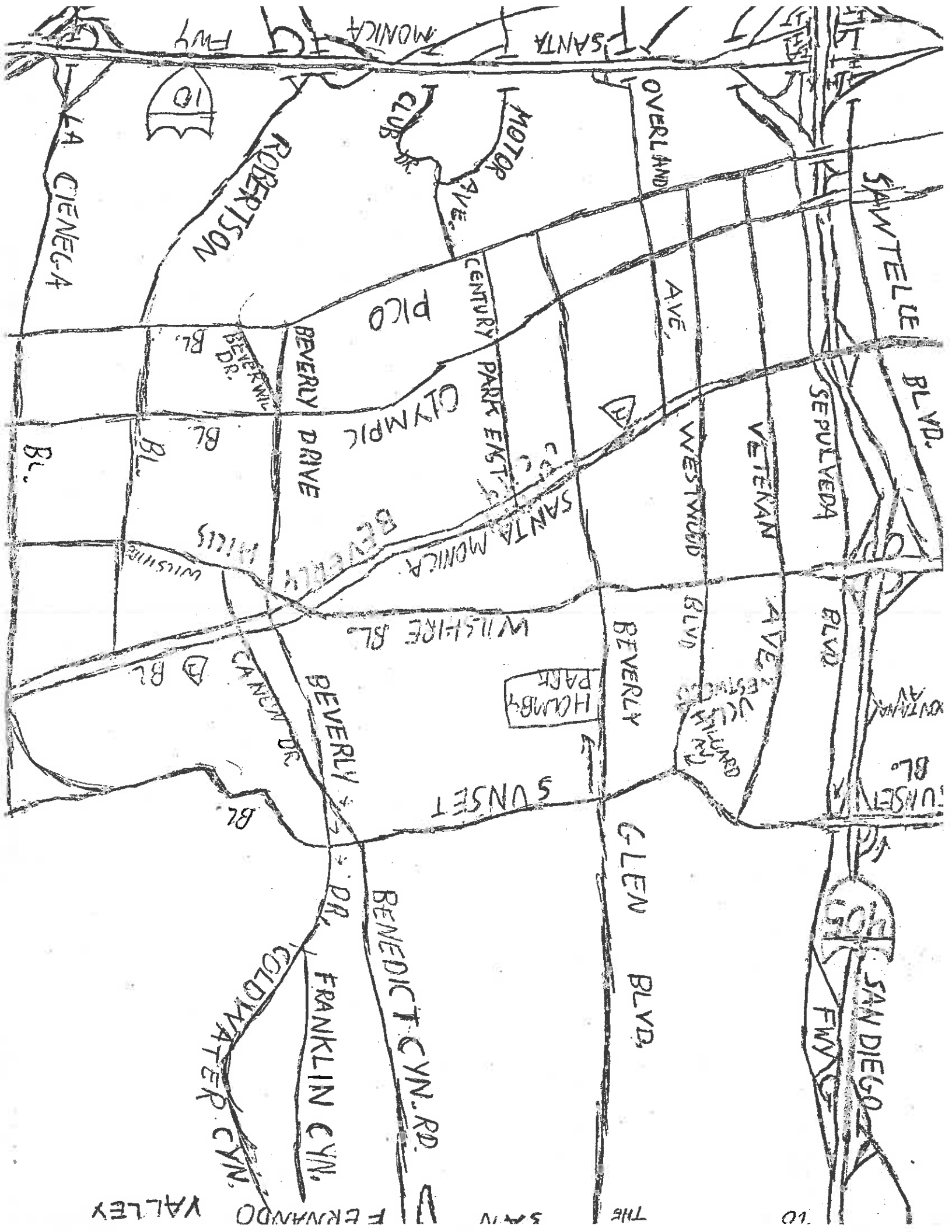
Press; Venice: Following reports from the Austrian occupation of Rome, the zoos here were ordered closed because of the possible loss of Venice in the spring. It seems that in the Rome zoo numerous Austrian soldiers were discovered bivouacking in the pig stys, claiming that "it's better than the barracks". Other soldiers have been raiding the feeding trays in the bird houses. When asked why, they replied "because it reminds us of home". Others were found standing naked beneath the posterior of an elephant. The explanation of this appears to be Rule 806.05f of the Austrian Military code: During wartime, use of the shower facilities is restricted to officers. Other, more serious incidents included 6 arrests for "Perverting the morals of a heifer", and 14 arrests for "carnal knowledge of a tubercular chicken". These charges were dropped, however, when the judge was shown photos of the Hungarian whores who have been accompanying the Austrian troops. X "There are clearly mitigating circumstances", gasped the judge, who then threw up. In other incidents, 8 Austrian sailors were married to an octopus, and authorities permitted the troops to hire chimpanzies as drill instructors. All 12 of the jackels have been shipped to trieste to teach military tactics at the Austrian War College, and permission has been reluctantly given to allow coyotes to join the regiment's glee club, after the enlisted men pleaded that "only the coyotes know how to handle a tune.

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Hey, lookie, would you believe that Mark Berch's article on naming Minor Provinces will be in #37 too? well, I'll

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