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by players and referees have standby status.  
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Harrison Ave., Boston, Mass. 02118. It was invented by Allan B. Calhamer.

...actually, my many summer travels  
and jobs made it impossible to publish GIM over that period. The games did  
continue, and you will find here a complete summer results as well as press.

It is important for you to note that there have been several changes  
of address. Minimums are listed above. Also including with this  
issue a complete list of subscribers and taders. I ask that all players  
refer to this list if the letters, COA appear beside anyone's name in a game.

My summer began on May 17th after finally completing my last final exam-  
in Anthropology, which I drew a 90 on (thus missing an A by one percentage  
point). I had a very good idea of what can possibly go wrong, will.  
I had made my way to the great state of Ohio to the thriving metropolis of  
Oxford, where my parents had moved last January. I waved good-bye to beautiful  
Buffalo until next September.

I was in Oxford approximately four weeks, during which time I worked  
on the grounds of Ohio State University and became acquainted with all the  
various species of grass, trees, shrubs, leaves and weeds that inhabit the  
area-- what fun! The high points of my stay in Ohio were visiting River Front  
Stadium in Cincinnati and arousing the ire of nearby fans by cheering for  
the Pirates as the Reds shellacked them, and being in the minority who found  
Art Buchwald amusing when he told a Miami U. commencement crowd that he had  
just come from Washington and despite all rumors to the contrary, Nixon was  
still president.

It soon became time to leave Oxford and head to where I would spend the  
majority of the summer resident camp located on the west side of Seneca  
Lake approximately twenty miles south of Geneva, New York and twenty miles  
north of Watkins Glen, New York, where I would spend the remainder of the  
summer as a camp counselor for two groups of ten boys ages 9-11.

The stay at camp was for the most part, a lot of fun. I got to meet a lot  
of fine people from such diverse locations as Atlanta, Pittsburgh, Houston,  
Rochester, Buffalo, London (England), and Jerusalem and Haifa (Israel).  
Some of the high points, besides the hiking, camping and working out, were  
a three-day canoe trip on the western end of Seneca Lake from Tonawanda (home of  
many of the famous New York State wineries), a trip to Ithaca, NY (via Watkins  
Glen) and a trip to Niagara Falls (NY and Ontario). It was a very enjoyable  
summer and a very pleasant change of life during the rest of the year.  
It was a nice change being in the woods, not knowing what was  
going on in the news, and not caring either.

...kind of sunshine (Buffalo is  
the kind of sunshine that we US with only 60 days of sunshine per  
year, on the average) working as a typewriter on the seventh floor of  
Fargo Quad at the University of Buffalo. It's time  
to start another year's duties and obligations, I guess.

Rod, would you like to trade Echwon for CIM?

THE GAMES  
(1973CH) ACA-I.

"SPRING 1907"

FUEL SHORTAGE FOR TURKISH STEAM ROLLER PREDICTED!

Underlined orders fail.

RUSSIA (Olson): A Ber-Liv; A War-Mos; A Tyr-Vie; A Kie, F Bot, A Sil all H.  
TURKEY (Scribner): A Vie-Tyr; A Ven S. A Vie-Tyr; A Ukr-Gal; A Sev-Ukr; A Ank-  
Sev; F Bla C A Ank-Sev; A Con-Bul; F Tun-NAF; F Ion-Apu; F Gre-Ion; F Alb  
S F Gre-Ion; F Tri-Adr.  
ITALY (Jarvis): A Rom-Nap; F TyrH.  
FRANCE (Raff): F Mar-Lyo.  
ENGLAND (Tokoli): F Bal C RUS A Ber-Liv; A StP S RUS A War-Mos; F Bar & F  
Nwy S A StP; F Lon-Eng; A Lvr-Wal; F Por-Spa (sc); F Mid-NAF; F Wes S ITA  
F Tyr.  
GERMANY (Lyon): NMR, A Fin, A Ruh, A Bur, A Pie.

The RUS A Tyr is dislodged and may retreat to Mun, Boh, or Tri.

TURKS FINISH EATING ITALIAN PIZZA!

"FALL 1907"

The RUS A Tyr retreated to Tri.

RUSSIA (Olson): NMR, A Mos, A Liv, A Sil, A Kie, A Tri, F Bot.  
TURKEY (Scribner) COA: F Tun-NAF; F Ion-Nap; F Apu s F Ion-Nap; F Alb-Ion;  
F Adr S F Alb-Ion; A Ven ~~War~~; A Gal-Sil; A Ukr ~~War~~; A Sev-Mos; A Bul-Rum;  
F Bla-Con; A Tyr H.  
ITALY (Jarvis) COA: A Nap H; F Tyr-Tun.  
FRANCE (Raff): COA: F Lyo-Tyr.  
ENGLAND (Tokoli) COA: F Wes S ITA F Tyr-Tun (Not so ordered); F Spa sc-Lyo;  
F Mid-NAF; F Bar, F Nwy S A StP; A StP S RUS A Mos; A Wal-Pic; F Eng C  
A Wal-Pic; F Bal H.  
GERMANY (Lyon) COA: A Ruh S A Ber-Mun (No such unit); A Pie-Tus; A Bur unor-  
dered, H; A Fin unordered H.

The ITA A Nap is dislodged and annihilated having nowhere to retreat.

SUPPLY CENTER CHART

RUSSIA: Mos, ~~War~~, Ber, Mun, Kie, ~~Tri~~, ~~Nap~~ (5) Remove 1.  
TURKEY: Home, Bul, Gre, Ser, ~~Tri~~, Bud, Vie, Tun, Rum, Sev, Ven, War, Rom, Nap  
(15) Build 3 (no room, can only build 2).  
ITALY: ~~Rom~~, ~~Nap~~ (0) ~~Tri~~. Remove 1, Out.  
FRANCE: Mar (1) even.  
ENGLAND: Home, Nwy, Den, Bre, Spa, Por, StP (9) even.  
GERMANY: Bel, Hol, Swe, Par (4) even.

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The DEADLINE for "WINTER 1907" adjustments is Friday 18 October 1974 by 9 PM.  
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"Recent developments have given me more cause for optimism than is usual. I think that were he ((Nixon)) not President of the United States, he would have been indicted by the same grand jury that indicted so many of his cronies a few weeks ago. Now that the House Judiciary Committee has the grand jury's report, it cannot help but vote to recommend impeachment. I believe that impeachment is almost unavoidable. Conviction, however, is not quite so certain. Only time will tell. I believe that if conviction was likely, Nixon would resign rather than go through a the embarassment."

--Steve Nozik, Cimmeria #14, 24 March 1974

"SPRING 1901"

RUSSIA INVADES AUSTRIA; ENGLAND MOVES SOUTH

Underlined orders fail.

- RUSSIA (Goldston): A War-Gal; A Mos-Ukr; F Sev-Bls; F StP se-Bot;
- TURKEY (Petito): A Con-Bul; F Ank-Con; A Smy-Ank.
- AUSTRIA-HUNGARY (Conn): A Bud-Ser; F Tri-Alb; A Vie-Tri.
- ITALY (Mischel): A Ven H; A Rom-Apu; F Nap-Ion.
- FRANCE (Baker): A Par-Bur; A Mar-Spa; F Bre-Eng.
- ENGLAND (Cunningham): F Edi-Nth; F Lon-Eng; A Liv-Wal.
- GERMANY (Sawyer): F Kie-Hol; A Ber-Kie; A Mun-Ruh.

"FALL 1901"

FRANCE/GERMANY CLASH; RUSSIA TAKES VIENNA; ITALY...?

- RUSSIA (Goldston): F Bot-Swe; A Gal-Vie; A Ukr-Gal; F Bla-Rum.
- TURKEY (Petito) COA: A Bul H; F Con-Aeg; A Ank-Con.
- AUSTRIA-HUNGARY (Conn): A Tri-Bud; F Alb-Gre; A Ser S F Alb-Gre.
- ITALY (Mischel): NMR, A Ven, A Apu, F Ion H.
- FRANCE (Baker): A Spa-Por; A Bur-Mun; F Bre-Eng.
- ENGLAND (Cunningham): F Nth-Nwy; A Wal H; F Lon-Nth.
- GERMANY (Sawyer): F Hol-Bel; A Kie-Den; A Ruhm-Mun.

SUPPLY CENTER CHART

- RUS: Home, Swe, Vie, Rum (7) Build 3.
- TUR: Home, Bul (4) Build 1.
- AUS: Tri, Bud, Yls, Ser, Gre (4) Build 1.
- ITA: Home (3) Even.
- FRA: Home, Por (4) Build 1.
- ENG: Home, Nwy (4) Build 1.
- GER: Home, Bel, Den (5) Build 2.

"WINTER 1901"

Blaine Mischel has resigned as Italy. The replacement is Ronald M. Kelly.

- RUSSIA: Builds A War, A Mos, F StP rc.
- TURKEY: Builds F Smy.
- AUSTRIA-HUNGARY: Builds A Tri.
- FRANCE: Builds A Par.
- ENGLAND: Builds F Lon.
- GERMANY: Builds A Ber, A Mun.

The DEADLINE for "SPRING 1902" orders is Friday 18 October 1974 by 9 PM EDT.

PRESS RELEASES

BERLIN (Spring 1901): The German Reich, her Kaiser, Wilhelm II, and the Kom-  
 andant of the Reichswehr, Roger, Feld Marschal von Curunda, send greetings  
 to the friends, neighbors and/or allies. We wish to express our good will  
 and sincere intentions and to assure all concerned that we will do everything  
 within our power to insure the survival of the Reich and of World Peace (in  
 that order). We are quite sure that our dear relatives cousin Nicky (the Czar)  
 and Uncle Eddie (the King and Emperor) are in complete agreement regarding  
 the need for close cooperation between nations and relatives. And speaking  
 of relatives, we wish to make public our regrets to Uncle Eddie over the loss  
 in January of our dear Grandmama (Eddie's mother) Victoria, Queen and Empress--  
 dotty old gal that she was. Her demise was no surprise to us due to small  
 indications of senility which she had exhibited near the end, e.g. her failure  
 to recognize us as her grandson and referring to us as "nephew" in a letter  
 which she sent us shortly before the end. As for our good friend and neighbor  
 Franz-Josef (dear Franzl), we assure him that we feel an extremely close re-  
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relationship with him since we share the distinction of being two great Kaisers of the glorious Germanic peoples. We hope that the understanding French people will forget the unpleasantness of 30 years ago--afterall, we have dismissed that troublesome old Chancellor who started the whole thing. We also wish to express our willingness to establish cultural exchanges with the exotic Ottoman Empire (we are especially interested in the ideas concerning multiple wives) and to swap recipes with our Italian friends. We welcome all communications from all corners of Europe. GOTT MIT UNS!!

LONDON:

### The Hannoverian-Britannic Manifesto

Distinguished Colleagues! Beloved Neighbors! Esteemed Fellow Monarchs!

God in His wisdom and mercy has been pleased to place the glorious House of Hannover at the head of the mighty English nation. Ever the instruments of His almighty will, we English have humbly brought civilization and the law to the Scots, Welsh, and Irish, and having accomplished this heroic endeavour, we have proceeded to do the same to the various darkies and wogs who inhabit the rest of our globe. The recent unpleasantness with the Boers, (excuse me, Boers), has shown how the lesser breeds without the law welcome the intervention of our Tommies and thirst after law and order. Since it is God's manifest will that the House of Hannover shall continue its civilising mission, we shall continue to take up the white man's burden, wherever our dreadnoughts shall find them.

Having disposed of the lands beyond the seas, let us return to our old friends, the Europeans. Secure in its high civilisation and protected by its awesome fleet, Great Britian has long been content to view with amusement the antics of our Continental Neighbors: the French, who eat their cornflakes with wine; Austria-Hungary, famed for Schlamperel and Schlag, where the situation is hopeless, but never serious; Turkey, as the recent excesses in Armenia show, still exhibits a certain crude vigor, sickman of Europe or no; if it weren't for those romantic cut-ups (Libya and Abssynia are the two most recent examples) the Italianni, we'd all die of boredom; and lastly, who could forget (although I'm sure most of us would like to) those two lovable rascals, Willy and Nicky. A woman should be proud to have such nephews.

Despite any personal or moral shortcomings on the part of the other powers, Her Britannic Majesty would like to make one thing perfectly clear: to wit, that she and her government is willing to enter into agreement with the Great Powers to insure Freedom, Peace, and Brotherhood, within reason, of course. Therefore, Let's make a Deal! No reasonable offered refused! Easy Terms! No embarrassing questions! No matter how base your motivation, how dirty your tricks! Your applications will be kept in strictest confidence, no obnoxious salesmen will call on you! Salespersons either, for that matter. Non-Aggression Pacts, Cultural Exchanges, Leagues of Armed Neutrality, Entente Cordiale, Entente not so Cordiale, Double Triple, Quadruple Alliances, Drei-Kaiser Bünde, Pragmatic Sanctions, Co-Prosperity Spheres, Pacts of Steel, if you have a diplomatic problem, then you might find a solution with the nation of shopkeepers.

We await your correspondence. Needless to say, we wish to solve all problems to the mutual satisfaction of all powers without recourse to arms. But let me close with a line from that touching old English song:

We don't want to fight, but by jingo, if

we do

We've got the ships, we've got the men, and

we've the money too!

Auntie Victoria  
VICTORIA REGINA

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LONDON: It is my sad duty to inform her devoted subjects and beloved relatives of the death of the late lamented Victoria, by the Grace of God Queen of England, Queen of Scotland, Empress of India, etc., etc. in January of this year. The inspired interpretations of the Divine Will of the Almighty by Her Majesty and her gifted ministers has enabled Great Britain to draw back the curtain of darkness separating our noble race from our brown, black, yellow, and in the case of the Boors (excuse me, Boers), white brothers and enable them all to enjoy the blessing of true civilisation and to bask in the sun of English power and truth. Our civilising mission, however, is not yet complete and thus I issue the orders: Full steam ahead! Fix bayonets! Bombs away! Don't let our peaceful language make you think that England will falter in the forceful execution of her mission. Lord God of hosts, be with us yet, lest we forget, lest we forget!

Uncle Bertie  
Edward VII Rex

P.S. We would like to thank our beloved nephew Willy for his gracious offer of naming a home for unwed mothers in Berlin in honor of his late grandmother. I'm sure that she would be tickled to death.

1974-CR ACA-II

"SPRING 1901"

TURKS MOVE ON RUSSIAN BORDER; ENGLAND/GERMAN GANG-UP VS FRANCE?

Underlined orders fail.

RUSSIA (Olson): F StP-Bot; A Mos-Sev; A War-Ukr; F Sev-Rum.

TURKEY (Butler): A Con-Bul; A Smy-Arm; F Ank-Bla.

AUSTRIA-HUNGARY (Tokoli): A Bud-Ser; F Tri-Alb; A Vie-Tri.

ITALY (Scribner): A Ven-Pie; A Rom-Nap; F Nap-Ion.

FRANCE (Lyon): NMR. Standby orders submitted by Mike Raff; F Bre-Mid; A Par-Bur; A Mar-Spa.

ENGLAND (Hodgson): F Edi-Nth; F Lon-Eng; F Liv-Wal.

GERMANY (Jarvis): F Kie-Den; A Ber-Kie; A Mun-Bur.

"FALL 1901"

ITALY INVADES TYROLIA; TURKS CRUSH UNPREPARED RUSSIANS?

RUSSIA (Olson): NMR. F Bot, A Ukr, A Sev, F Rum all H.TURKEY (Butler) COA: A Arm-Sev; F Bla S A Arm-Sev; A Bul-Rum.

AUSTRIA-HUNGARY (Tokoli) COA: F Alb-Gre; A Ser S F Alb-Gre; A Tri H.

ITALY (Scribner) COA: F Ion-Tun; A Nap-Rom; A Pie-Tyr.

FRANCE (Lyon) COA: A Par-Bur; A Spa-Por; F Mid-Bre.

ENGLAND (Hodgson) COA: F Nth-Nwy; F Lon-Eng (No such unit); A Liv-Wal (No such unit); F Eng & A Wal both unordered, R.

GERMANY (Jarvis) COA: A Mun-Bur; A Kie-Hol; F Den H.

The RUS A Sev is dislodged and annihilated having nowhere to retreat.

SUPPLY CENTER CHART

RUS: War, Sev, Mos, StP, Fum (4) Build 1 (1 annihilated).TURKEY: Home, Bul, Sev (5) Build 2.AUS: Home, Ser, Gre (5) Build 2.ITA: Home, Tun (4) Build 1.FRA: Home, Par (4) Build 1.ENG: Home, Nwy (4) Build 1.GER: Home, Den, Hol (5) Build 2.

The DEADLINE for "WINTER 1901" adjustments is Friday 18 Oct., 1974 by 9 PM EDT.

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LONDON: Prime Minister Heathcliff Hefferdoo made the following statement today over a refreshing cup of tea: "The British Empire greets the new century with jolly good anticipation. In the area of foreign policy, we plan a program of peaceful expansion, designed to spread crumpets and cricket throughout the western world. Of course, the British only interfere where they are invited and it is our understanding that the peasants of Norway have already purchased wickets in anticipation of our arrival. To our valiant marine and naval teams, our entire cabinet sends an advance 'Good show'."

CONSTANTINOPLE: It is our fervent hope here in our palaces, that a dialogue can be established between and other countries. We wish no one harm and the release of an army to Armenia indicates only that our troops need a little fresh air every so often. As for the fleet in the Black Sea, they get lost quite often. Scribner, I'll have one with anchovies to go-- thanks!

LONDON: Prime Minister Heathcliffe Heferdoo was confronted by droves of angry EX Englanders today when it appeared that he would direct the armed forces of the empire into action on the continent, Scrapping Great Britain's 6 month old tradition of neutrality. Heferdoo dispelled these fears by stating, "Although the positioning of our armies and navies may appear damning, I can assure you that this is merely circumstantial. As you know, our beloved countryman, Percy Spitz, an army dentist from Lancaster, is attempting to become the first man to swim the channel without getting wet. I have directed the Royal Navy to accompany Percy on his dangerous undertaking. Military men have come from all over our southwestern regions to get a glimpse of their comrade as he departs. This enthusiasm necessitates a repositioning of our army due to the build-up of spectators in Wales. Although disappointed at not being chosen to escort Percy, our North Sea naval officers took it like true Englishmen, and dedicated themselves to the task of introducing cricket in Norway."

PENFIELDSDHIRE (via London): This tiny hamlet, well-known for being headquarters of Great Britain's Postal Service, released some startling figures today. Mail from foreign countries was off nearly 100% in Spring 1901 and the same trend seemed to be continuing for the first few weeks of the second half of the year. As the two exceptions to this surprising slump, Germany and Sweden should consider themselves exempted from the English requirement that all w world leaders take a correspondence course.

FROM THE WALLS OF THE UNDERGRADUATE LIBRARY LAVATORY AT THE UNIVERSITY OF BUFFALO:

Average weight (1) one US girl in lbs.=120  
\$20.00=average wage paid for services rendered (15-30 minutes)in  
US currency.

120/\$20.00  
120  
800  
720

80.0:Post price & wage controls

17¢ per lb.-- At this price it is cheaper to eat a whore than a "Big Mac". Fact is you probably get better meat and you can add your own pickle if you want. (Buns extra-- 5¢)

So this is the type of mind our education system is producing, eh?

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"SPRING 1901"

- GERMANY WALKS FRENCH SOIL; GAME OFF TO SHAKEY START AS TWO PLAYERS MISS!  
Underlined orders fail.
- RUSSIA (Lariton): F StP sc-Bot; F Sev-Bla; A War-Gal; A Mos-Ukr.
- TURKEY (Wishart): NMR. Standby orders submitted by a neutral: F Ank-Bla; A Con-Bul; A Smy-Con.
- AUSTRIA-HUNGARY (Johnson): NMR. Standby orders submitted by a neutral: F Tri-Alb; A Bud-Ser; A Vie-Tri.
- ITALY: (Gardiner) COA: A Ven-Tyr; A Rom-Ven; F Nap-Ion.
- FRANCE (Berggren): A Par-Pic; F Bre-Eng; A Mar-Spa.
- ENGLAND (Baker): F Lon-Nth; F Edi-Nrg; A Liv-Yor.
- GERMANY (McLendon): F Kie-Hol; A Ber-Kie; A Mun-Bur.

Nelson Flynn has transferred control of Turkey to Anthony Wishart. Standby orders were filed for Turkey and Austria by two neutrals so as not to penalize the chances of any possible standby any further than necessary, and also to keep the quality of the game at its highest possible point. Two doomed positions would have little or no takers and thus penalize everyone in the game by making it inferior. ~~XXX~~ Replacement players are needed for this and all CIM games. If you are interested, submit standby orders for either AUS or TUR (or both). If the player fails to submit orders, you can have the position. Any subscriber or trader has standby/replacement status. Only one position will be given to any one player.

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 The DEADLINE for "FALL 1901" orders is Friday 18 Oct., 1974 by 9 PM EDT.  
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PRESS RELEASES

FRANCE TO GERMANY: Here's hoping that you didn't attack me, as you can see, I've kept my word to the letter. If you did attack me, that shows what your kind of Dippy player does, even after I practically bared my soul to him. If you moved into the channel in TFH 2174, that is understandable considering the tight deadline.

CAMELOT: There was great jubilation here today as the true King of England, Arthur I, ascended the throne. His first acts were to make Sir Kay, his foster brother, Seneschal, to make Merlin and Mad Madam Mim Court Wizards/Witches, and to order everybody who competed with him beheaded. It is not known where Arthur has been the last 15 years. All England is wondering this major question.

CASTLE OF SIR TRISTRAM: (The story behind the story): The boy, Arthur, was hunting in the forest when his hawk caught and brought him what was apparently a helpless wren. As soon as the "helpless wren" touched the ground it became a fiery dragon. "What! Wouldst thou disturb the Mad Madam Mim!?"

Arthur begged, "N-no... but could you get into a more ordinary shape than an ~~XXXXXXX~~ ('ouch!') dragon?"

"Of course." She became a despicable hag. "There. Am I not beautiful?" Cognizant of his position as a mortal, Arthur had no choice but to agree. "Certainly, Madam, you are surely the most beautiful being I have ever seen. Here, there is an insect on your shoulder; let me remove it."

Charmed by his actions and words, the Mad Madam said, "Tell me boy, what would you want more than anything else?"

"To be King of all England, and to destroy the invading Saxons." The witch thought over his words, "And I always wanted a position at court. Perhaps something can be arranged..."





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EDITORIAL  
The Facts Must Be Known

"Let the people know the facts and the country will be free."  
--Abraham Lincoln

The National travesty known as Watergate is over. The problems that caused that abominable affair, however, are still with us. Never mind that President Ford proved once again that we have a dual system of justice in this country. Never mind that Nixon was pardoned before there was so much as an indictment. Never mind that he accepted the pardon without ever admitting guilt. Never mind that Nixon will be drawing a pension of \$60,000.00 a year plus fees for his office, staff, mail and travel expenses. Never mind that President Ford missed the whole point of the Watergate affair by depriving of a trial whereby all the evidence would be made public.

There is nothing anyone can do about the prosecution of Richard Nixon. He is pardoned and that is that. The facts, however, should not be buried, as President Ford and Richard Nixon would like them to be. The people of the United States should insist that all tapes and documents pertaining to Watergate be made public so that we can find out exactly what happened and attempt to take steps to insure that it cannot happen again.

The Senate Government Operations Committee is to be commended for unanimously approving a bill that would prevent Richard Nixon from taking custody of the Watergate tapes or destroying them. As Senator Gaylord Nelson said, it is necessary to preserve the tapes so that "at some point in the future" the nation would learn how the Watergate scandal came into being.

We must not allow the words, "secrecy" and "cover-up" to remain a tradition in American government.

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