

It's too late. You have already opened CT-BROB, published by Bob Ward 8665 Elorin Rd # 176, Sacramento CA and unless you read on to find the antidote the disease is always fatal. This issue is a day or so late, sorry but I have taken a leave to go to work for the Union for a while, to defeat a decert move, and these guys never heard of the 40 hour week for their staff. It should be more or less wrapped up by next issue so no permanent disruption should occur.

72AM Fall 1911 MASSIVE BATTLE IN AUSTRIA- CONFUSION REIGNS

ENGLAND (Carroll): A Swe-Stp, A War S A Stp-Mos, A Lvn S A Stp-mos, A Stp-Mos, A Pru S A War, F Nth H, F Ska, H, F Bot C A Swe-Stp, F Bal S A Lvn  
 FRANCE:(Leeder): A Mun-Boh, A Tri-Vie, A Tyo S A Tri-Vie, A Boh-Gal, A Sil S A Boh-Gal, A Pie-Tus, F Tus-Tyr, F Wes S F Tus-Tyr, F Lyo S E Tus-Tyr, F Naf S F Wes. NOTE: A Mun-Boh should not be underlined above. Sorry.  
 ITALY (Nichols) F Ven S FRENCH A Tri  
 RUSSIA (Steidl): A Ukr-War, A Mos-Lvn /d, Sev, OTB/, A Vie-Tyr /d, Bud, OTB/ A Bud-Tri, A Gal-Boh/d, Bud, Rum, OTB/  
 TURKEY (Warden): A Bul H, A Gre H, A Alb S RUSSIA A Vie-Tri (NSO) A Rom H, A Ser S RUSSIAN A Vie-Tri (NSO) F Tun S FRENCH F Tus-Tyr, F Tyr-Nap, F Nap-Apu, F Ion S F Tun

The Russian retreats are somewhat complicated and of course all winter adjustments may be made conditional on them if desired.  
 Center Chart:

ENGLAND: Lon, Lpl, Edi, Nwy, Swe, Den, Bel, Stp, War, Mos (10) Build 1  
 FRANCE: Bre, Par, Mar, Spa, <sup>Por</sup>, Hol, Mun, Kie, Ber, Vien (10) Even  
 ITALY: Ven (1) EVEN  
 RUSSIA: Sev, Rum, Bud, Tri ~~1/2~~ ~~1/2~~ (4) Remove 1, unless two units retreat OTB then build 1, or if one unit retreats OTB even.  
 TURKEY: Smy, Ank, Con, Gre, Bul, Tun, Rom, Ser, Nap (9) EVEN

Moscow:

Many a good line have I read  
 And very few I've wrote  
 But this the last is near the best  
 Except for one misquote

Fearless Leeder having gone  
 and dug up this sililoquy  
 Could not with all his skill, nor sight  
 Looking upon his paper white  
 Have seen my name emblazoned there  
 and thence transposed it right.

Although his humors in good taste  
 as proved by yoh droll poem  
 Me thinks per chance alas for him  
 His aqueous is goin'

And though the verse was very good,  
 that one with which he awed us  
 I still percieve that Leeders brains  
 Are not much more than sawdust.

CT 23 BROB 157 72AM Poetry continues:

St Pete: I still say the Limeys at least as bad a poet as I am. I never made any mention of Leeders lack of wit. (Mainly because there is no lack):

No Source: Oh Sing another Carroll to thine deaf ears

Oh Muse, once again the might pen doth wring  
Another stanza for one and all to sing-  
The dirge of yet another empire mighty,  
the downfall of yet another player flighty.

Oh sing another Carroll to thine deaf ears  
For your time is at hand and death is near!  
Now is the time for all the French to fight  
And to overcome again your arrogant might.

Oh English dog, 'tis time you did repent,  
'tis time that to your just deserts you want,  
to play once more with small games and little toys  
To a place where men and men and boys are boys.

Pack up your things and go towards the west,  
Leave the board, for you it would be best.  
Don't fight, you're overmatched and near your end,  
Go lick your wounds and hope that they may mend.

LONDON: As promised, by the late regretted Austrian, children in Moscow will sing of British Grenadiers. As a devoted follower of the memoirs of one Harry Flashman, V.C. K.C.B. etc, I have oft heard of the ditty entitled "The British Grenadiers". Also "Garry Owen, and " Drink Puppy Drink".. Do any of you out there know, where preverable on record, I can hear these performed. Ditty verses preferred of course. Thank you. (M"sæur le Frog, would you know?)

SACRAMENTO: Well, Conrad??

St Pete: I should be studying Biochem  
Instaed I'm writing moves out.

Wishing that instead of enzymes  
'Twas a six pack of Guinness Stout

Back to the books! Though the games more fun  
I'll alleviate the pressure  
By not trying to finish the poem..

SACRAMENTO: After that garbage you probably arent reading this, but if you are the deadlige for Winter moves if required is March 1,1974 at 6:15 PM as usual.

FRANCE (Foote): A Mar S F Spa(SC), A Bur-Mun, A Ruh-Hol, F Bre-Eng,  
F Bel S A Ruh-Hol, F Mid-Nat, F Spa (SC) S A Mar, F Lon-Nth  
AUSTRIA (McKeon): A Vie H, A Rum H, A Boh S A Mun, A Tyr S A Mun,  
A Bud H, A Ven-Pie, F Lyo S F Tyr-W's, F Tyr-WEs, F Ion-Tyr, S  
Naf S F Tye-W's, A Mun S RUSSIAN Hol-kuh  
RUSSIA (Hilliker): A Ber H, A Kie S A Hol-Ruh, A Sev H, A Sil S A Mun,  
A War-Pru, A Hol-kuh F Stp(nc) \_Nwy, F Nwb H, F Nth-Hd, E Ska-Nth,  
F Con H

The vote on the draw was negative of course. Fall 08 moves due  
1 Mar 74 no later than 6:15 PST.

72EE NEW TSAR APPEARS AND AUSTRIAN EMPORER DISAPPEARS-WHAT GIVES?

ENGLAND (Hescox): A Liv-Yor, F Eng-Nth  
FRANCE (Dorchak): A Par-Bre, F Mid-Eng  
AUSTRIA (Shepherd?): NMR & Bel, Bur, Ruh, Ven, Pie, Ser, Bud, F Spa H  
RUSSIA (Stevenson): A Mos S F Sev, A Rum H, A Edi H, A Den S F Kie,  
A Hol H, A Ukr S A Rum, F Nwg-Nat, S Sev S A Rum, F Bla H, F Kie  
S A Hol, F Ber S F Kie  
TURKEY (Carlock): A Bul H, A Arm-Ank, A Rom H, F Con S A Bul,  
F Gre S A Bul, F Smy-Aeg, F Lyo-W's, F Adr-Apu

Well, I guess we need a standby for Austria. I'd like to give it to  
Nichols but since he has laready been eliminated from this one I  
can't. All of our standbys now have positions, and it is against  
the houserules to inserta player without notice so we are in abind.  
I am offering the position to Jon Rush, 4421 Gilbert Street # =105  
Oakland CA. He is closelst to elimination in the other games. Jon  
if interested please let me know at once. If anyone else out there  
is interested let me know also and we can notify the players by  
letter. With one delay already I would prefer not to set it back an  
issue. Deadline for Fall moves is March 1, 1974 at 6:15.

72FJ: SEVERE NAVAL LOSSES IN MEDITERREAN AREA. LAST GERMS QUIT  
Fall 06:

ENGLAND (Henderson): A Nwy-Swe, A Lon-Nwy, F Iri S F Bre-Mid,  
F Den S A Nwy-Swe, F Nth C A Lon-Nwy, F Bar S A Lon-Nwy  
FRANCE (DeLuca): A Mar-Pie, A Ruh S A Mun, A Kie-Ber, A Ber-Pru,  
A Mun H, F Lyo S E Mid-Wes, F Spa (SC) S F Mid-Wes, F Mid-Wes,  
F Bre Mid, F Apu-Ion/a/  
GERMANY (Rush) A Sil-War  
AUSTRIA: (Clumm): A Boh S A Tyo-Mun, A Tyo-Mun, A Bud H, A Gal War  
A Pie-Ven, A Rom S F Adr-Apu, F Nap S TURKISH F Ion-Tyr, F Adr-Apu  
TURKEY (Mein): A Sev-Mos, A Ukr-War, A Fin S A Stp, A Stp S ENGLISH Bar  
-Nwy(NSO), F Ion-Tyr, F Wes S Ion-Tyr/a/, F Naf S F Wes, F Blah  
F Aeg-Ion:

CENTER CHART:

ENGLAND: Lon, Edi, Lpl, Nwy, Den, Swe (6) Even  
FRANCE: Bre, Par, Mar, Bel, Por, Spa, Hol, Kie, Mun, Ber, (10) Build 1  
GERMANY: War (1) Even  
AUSTRIA: Tri, Vie, Bud, Ser, Ven, Rom, Kum, Nap, (8) Even  
TURKEY: Ank, Con, Smy, Bul, Gre, Tun, Mos, Stp, Sev, (9) Build 1

Deadline March 1 at 6:15.

SEVASTOPOL: We'd like to acknowledge the kind wishes of the English. We're also pleased that our skepticism was not unwarranted. Too bad we couldn't sell ya.

LONDON: Due to the results of the past seasons aggressions on the part of the Turkish armed forces, our Royal forces have been alerted to consider Turkey a common enemy.

LONDON: I King Hen I am pleased to announce that our government has concluded a military treaty with France. Any act of aggression towards France will result in war with England. All heads of State beware. You may refer to this treaty as the Parishire Pact.

SACRAMENTO: In the interests of space I am not reprinting a German release which, if I can believe it was sent to all of the active players. If it wasn't I will print it with the winter adjustments if any interest is expressed. Jon, please see the earlier pages for a new position you may be interested in.

73AA F 05 RUSSIANS, ITALIANS DISAPPEAR INTO SUNSET.

ENGLAND: (Brannan): A Yor-Edi, A Fin-Stp, F Mid-Wes, F Den S FRENCH  
A Hol-Kie, F Bal S FRENCH FA Hol-Kie, F Nth-Hel F Nat-Nwg

FRANCE (Barker): A Hol-Kie, A Ruh S A Mun, A Mun H /d, Bur OTB/  
A Bel-Hol F Mar H F Lyo S ENGLISH F Mid-Wes.

GERMANY (Kelly): The summer retreat was to Hel, A Ber-Mun, F Kie  
S F Hel-Hol/d, Ber OTB/, F Hel-Hol

ITALY (cd) A Rom H

RUSSIA (cd) No retreat rec'd, A Pru H.

AUSTRIA: A Boh S GERMANY A Ber-Mun, A Tyr S GERMAN A Ber-Mun,  
A Pie-Mar, A War-Sil, A Lvn-Stp, F Nap-Rom, F T\_r S F Nap-Rom,

TURKEY (Klein): A Gre H, A Ukr H, A Arm-Sev, A Mos S AUSTRIAN  
A Lvn-Stp, F Aeg-Ion, F Tun-Wes, F Naf S F Tun-W\_s, F Con-Aeg,

#### CENTER CHART:

ENGLAND: Lon, Lpl, Edi, Nwy, Swe, Den, Bre (7) EVEN:

FRANCE: Par, Mar, Spa, Por, Bel, Kie ~~W~~ (6) EVEN:

GERMANY: Hol, Ber, Mun Kie (3) Even if F Kie Retreats to Ber, Build one if retreats OTB.

ITALY ~~W~~ (0) OUT

AUSTRIA: Bud, Tri, Vie, Ven, Nap, Ser, War, Stp, Rom (9) BUILD TWO

RUSSIA: ~~Stp~~, ~~Mos~~ (0) OUT

TURKEY: Smy, Ank, Con, Bul, Gre, Rum, Sev, Tun, Mos (9) BUILD ONE

FRANCE MAY BUILD ONE IF A MUN RETREATS OTB RATHER THAN TO BUR.  
DEADLINE IS MARCH 1 SEE PAGE 5 for press.

VIENNA: The palace guard has been doubled due to the recent near miss of a 400 pound meatball fired at the palace. At 4:10 this morning a Ford Model T sporting a large Catapult raced past the palace and let loose its large cargo. The meatball landed less than seven feet from the Emperors dwelling, bearing a note written in garbled Italian-English bearing the message "laya offa 4-STAR PIZZARIA or the Emperor will sleep wit da fishes in da Danube." Unswayed the Emperor announced that a spaghetti dinner would be held tonight at the palace.

4 STAR PIZZARIA: Vicentera "Shoes" Keali, Chief of Security for 4-Star Pizzaria, today denied any involvement in the alleged pre dawn attack on the palce. " It never happened. The Emperor can't even read Italian, or English so how come he claims we did it." Big Tony was seen in deep conversation with "Specs" Caniglia, who writes most of the ads for the Pizza chain. Only parts of the conversation were available but this reported did overhear Big Tony say " I told you to write it in Austrian, and whats with this "sleeping with da fishes'crap, water pollution is bad enough without that fat Empeoer in the Danube".