

THE DOGS OF WAR

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These six things doth the Lord hate: yea, seven are an abomination unto Him: a proud look, a lying tongue, hands that shed innocent blood, a heart that deviseth wicked imaginations, feet that be swift in running to mischief, a false witness that speaketh lies, and he that soweth discord among his brethren.

Proverbs 6:16-19

I guess we have most of that covered. If this weren't a game we'd be in a heap of trouble.

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The start of DOGS#18 was announced to the players on July 17. Their names, positions and addresses are shown below.

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I'm especially happy with this gamestart for a bunch of reasons. The geographical spread is great. Everyone got their first or second choice, even though four people put France at the top of their preference lists. And we have a good mix of new and old people: I don't think any of you have ever started a game together in DOGS before. Welcome aboard, Blaine and John, and welcome back, Dave.

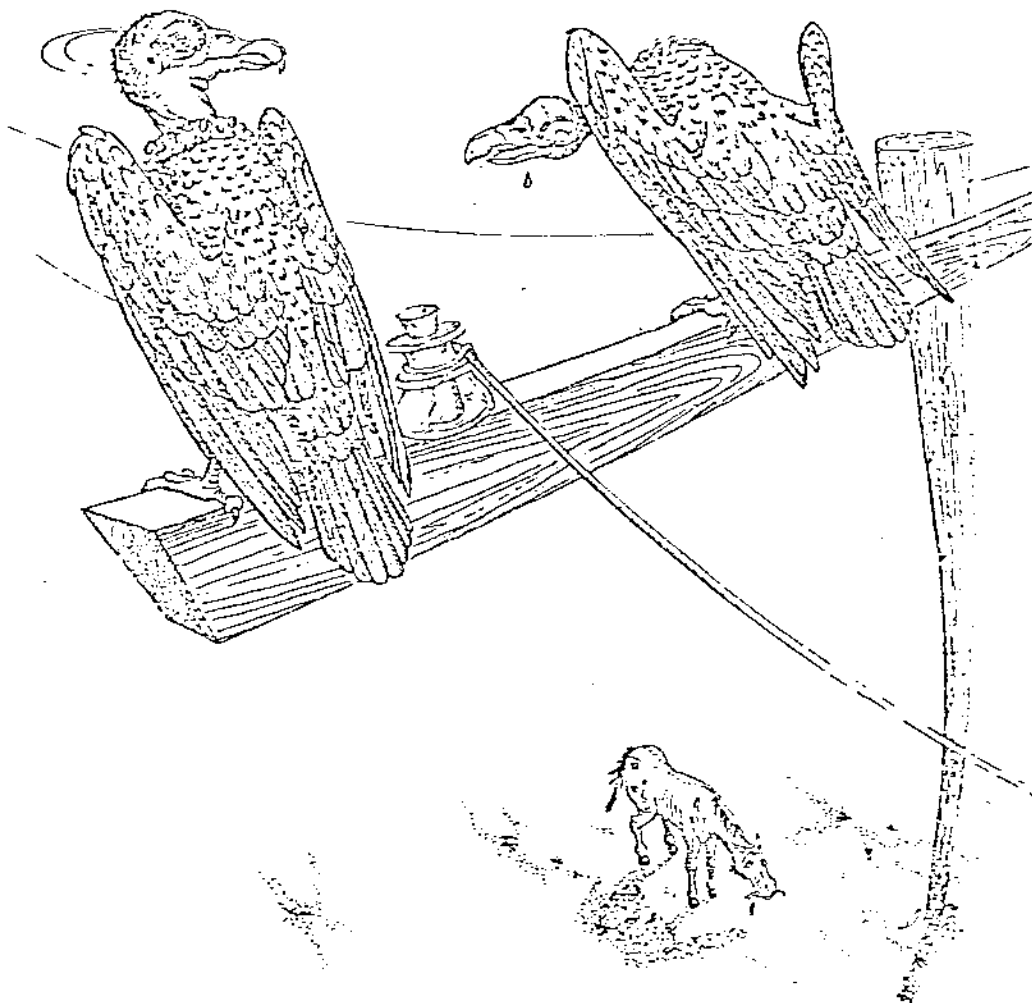
The start of DOGS#18 brings me up to capacity with twelve games. I won't be able to start another game until at least three of the current games end, which should be in late October. Anyone who doesn't think they can last that long is encouraged to send a self-addressed stamped envelope to Robert Sacks (4861 Broadway, 5-V, New York, NY 10034) or Rod Walker (1273 Crest Dr., Encinitas, CA 92024) to request a copy of their current game openings newsletters.

Disappointment of disappointments...my neighbor got rid of his pigs so we won't be able to do a "scratch and sniff" article after all. A couple of weeks ago a bunch of us were sitting in the back yard when we heard the pigs' squeals and grunts coming from the woods in the direction of my neighbor. It sounded like the poor things were being tortured, and we were especially curious about the whacking noises that accompanied all the commotion. So, we sent the neighborhood spies (the little kids) over for a look and they reported that my neighbor and a group of his friends were chasing the pigs around and hitting them with sticks. Well, people get their kicks in strange ways and my neighbor's way was strange enough that we decided not to bother him about it lest he choose to give the pigs a rest in order to chase us around trying to hit us with a stick. But the situation became clear when we heard a truck pull away carrying the pigs, probably to the slaughterhouse. I hope the guy has a guilty conscience about murdering his little pets so he won't bother getting more.

We had another Adventure In Farmland this month. Last Friday night, Betty and I were returning home from shopping. As we drove by my mother-in-law's house (next door to ours) we saw what looked like a couple of big boxes dumped on her front lawn. Since it was dark, we couldn't be sure so we took a closer look and discovered a cow and her calf grazing away. Just as I was wondering where to put all the steaks we could get from those animals, the owner drove up and tried to herd them home. He wasn't having much luck since the cow had just spotted all the corn growing in my neighbors' gardens, but eventually he got things under control. See what exciting things you miss when you don't live in the country?

While I think of it, there are a few of you DOGS players who were also playing in JIHAD. Glenn has unofficially folded and is expected to bring his game records to Origins so Kathy and I can place his games with new gamemasters. In case Glenn doesn't show at Origins, please let me know if you want me to find a home for your JIHAD game(s). I'll need a list of the players in your game(s) and their current addresses. Please spread the word about this.

Below is a cartoon I discovered circulating around the plant. It seems fitting to the game. If your kids are driving you crazy about always having your nose buried in a zine just tear off the first page and let them color in the cartoon.



Patience Hell! Let's Kill Something.

1981AZ FOUR UNITS ANNIHILATED AS EVERYONE JUMPS RUSSIA WINTER 1900
Best Action I've Seen In A Long While SPRING 1900

Following Fall moves England retreated A Nwy-Fin and Russia removed the dislodged A Tyo.

ENGLAND (Todd Hertzberg): Removed A Bre; f NWG s a fin-nwy; a fin-NWY; f SKA s f nth-den; f nth-DEN; f hel*kie; a HOL s f hel-kie.

ITALY (Lanny Myers): Built A Ven; a ROM hold; a tyo-VIE; a VEN s a tri; a TRI s a tyo-vie; a BUR hold; a PAR s a bur.

RUSSIA (Paul Grosch): Even; f bar-STP(nc); a nwy*s a swe-fin; a swe-FIN; f den-HEL; f KIE s f den-hel; a RUH-hol; a MUN hold; a gal-RUM; a BOH s a mun; a bud*s a gal-rum; a sev*s a gal-rum; a vie*s a bud.

TURKEY (Greg Haskew): Built A Con; a ukr-GAL; a rum-BUD; a arm-SEV; a SER s a rum-bud; f ALB s ITALIAN a ven-tri (nso); a con-BUL; f BLA s a arm-sev; f ion-TYH; f spa(sc)-POR; f NAP (unordered) hold.

The Russian A Sev must retreat to Mos, Ukr or otb. Russia's A Nwy, A Vie and A Bud and England's F Hel are annihilated. The deadline for the retreat and Fall orders is 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, August 14. Please vote on an E-R-I-T draw. Press follows.

CONSTANTINOPLE to ROME: F Naples has been delayed in port for the Spring season due to a communication failure.

1980IO FOUR UNITS DISLODGED IN HEAVY FIGHTING WINTER 1911
The A-E-F-I-R Draw Fails SPRING 1912

FRANCE (Guy Hail): Even; f NTH c a edi-nwy; a EDI-nwy; f SWE-den; f hol-HEL.

ITALY (Jack Fleming): Build A Ven; a VEN s a tyo (otm); a APU s a ven; a tyo*mun; f ion-ADR; f gre*bul(sc); f AEG-con; a par-BUR f smy*s f aeg-con; a BEL s a par-bur; a RUH s a kie; a KIE s a tyo-mun; f ENG s FRENCH f nth; f cly-NWG; f NAT s f cly-nwg.

AUSTRIA (Stan Johnson): Build A Vie; a BUL s a ser-gre; a ser-GRE; a ALB s a ser-gre; a TRI s a boh-tyo; a boh-TYO; a VIE s a tri.

RUSSIA (Doug Landon): Even; f NWY-swe; f nwg*nth; f DEN s a ber-kie; a BER-kie; a MUN s a ber-kie; a SIL s a mun; f con-SMY; f BLA-con; f ANK s f con-smy; a ARM s f con-smy.

Italy must retreat A Tyo to Pie or otb, F Gre to Ion or otb, and F Smy to Eas, Syr or otb. Russia must retreat F Nwg to Bar or otb. An A-I-R draw has been proposed. Please vote on it with the retreats and Fall orders, which are due at 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, August 14.

VIENNA: Austria appeals to the sanity and pride of the French player; join the anti-Italian alliance as an equal partner. You surely cannot prefer your current role of Italian whipping boy.

RUSSIA to FRANCE: Why do you persist in your attack? You seem to be fighting for 4th place instead of trying for part of a draw. What honor is there in that?

OZ to ITALY: Surrender Heinowski!

Following Spring moves, Italy retreated A Bur-Mar. The proposals for an I-A draw and a concession to Austria failed.

ENGLAND (Jake Walters): f NAT-mid; f IRI s f nat-mid; f ENG s f nat-mid; f NTH s f eng; a bur-BEL; a RUH s a bur-bel.

FRANCE (Greg Haskew): a PAR s ITALIAN a mar-bur; f PIC-bel.

GERMANY (Stephen Lee): a KIE s a mun; a MUN s a sil; a BER s a sil; a SIL hold; a stp*lva; f pru-LVA.

ITALY (John Caruso): a pie-VEN; a mar-BUR; a GAS s a mar-bur; f BRE-eng; f MID s f bre-eng; f WES s f mid; f NAF s f mid; f SPA(sc) s f mid; f CON-ank.

AUSTRIA (Tom Thorsen): a lva-STP; a MOS s a lva-stp; a war-PRU; a ukr-WAR; a sev-UKR; a BOH-sil; a GAL s a boh-sil; a VIE-boh; a TYO-mun; a TRI hold; f ANK-con.

The German A Stp must retreat to Nwy, Fin or otb. The supply center chart is below.

E - home, nwy, bel, swe	(6) even
F - par, xxx	(1) remove 1
G - home, hol, den, stx	(5) remove 1
I - home, tun, smy, spa, por, mar, con, <u>bre</u>	(10) build 1
A - home, ser, gre, bul, rum, sev, ank, mos, war, <u>stp</u>	(12) build 1

Note that if Germany retreats A Stp-Nwy then he will be even and England will have to remove a unit. The deadline for the German retreat and Winter orders is 9:00 p.m. on July 31 (IMMEDIATE RETURN MAIL). Spring moves will then be due at 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, August 14. Press follows.

PACIFICA (U.N. TRUST TERRITORY): We are the children of manifest destiny: east meets west, Sandinismo, zon rodeo, etc. We took Hwy 1 in '68 after Tet and just haven't told you Yankee Doodles yet. Surf's up!

JOKE TIME

A gentleman, away on vacation, phoned home to his brother who was caretaking his house. After exchanging pleasantries and asking what's new, the brother replied, "Your cat's dead." The other brother was horror stricken and asked why he hadn't broken the bad news more gently.

"You could have said there was a terrible accident. The cat fell off the roof and was at the vet. You could have told me to call back in a couple of days and then told me the vet did all he could but the cat didn't make it," he scolded, adding afterwards, "How's Mom, anyway?"

The brother replied, "She's on the roof. Phone back in a couple of days."

MORE JOKE TIME - Q & A's

Q. When is the only time a woman is justified in spitting in a man's face?

A. When his mustache is on fire.

"I made a killing in the market today."

"Really?"

"Yeah, I shot the manager of the A & P."

Following Spring moves France retreated A Bur-Par and Russia retreated F Arm-Sev. The proposal for a concession to Russia failed.

ENGLAND (Michael Anderson): f nth-DEN; f SKA s f nth-den; f HOL s a bel; a BEL s f hol.

FRANCE (Terry Richwine): a PAR s a pic; a spa-MAR; a PIC s ENGLISH a bel; a PIE-ven; f ion-NAP; f TYH s f ion-nap.

GERMANY (Eric Kane): NMR! a BUR, a RUH, a KIE and a BER hold.

ITALY (John Michalski): a gal alone challenges the Russian win by moving to WAR.

AUSTRIA (Lanny Myers): a apu-VEN; a vie-BOH; a TYO s a vie-boh; a ROM s a apu-ven; f gre-AEG; a SER hold; a bud-GAL.

RUSSIA (Stan Johnson): a NWY hold; a stp-MOS; a BUL s f bla-con; a RUM s a bul; f SWE s a nwy; f bla-CON; f SEV-arm.

TURKEY (Brian Argetsinger): a SMY-con; a ARM-smy; f con*hold.

The Turkish F Con must retreat to Ank or otb. The supply center chart is below.

E - home, bel, <u>hol</u> , <u>den</u>	(6) build 2
F - home, spa, por, tun, <u>nap</u>	(7) build 1
G - home, hol	(3) remove 1
I - <u>war</u> , nap	(1) even
A - home, ser, gre, ven, rom	(7) even
R - stp, mos, sev, swe, rum, nwy, <u>bul</u> , <u>con</u> , war	(8) build 1
T - ank, smy, gal , war	(2) remove 1
neutral - gal	(0)

The deadline for the Turkish retreat and Winter orders is 9:00 p.m. on Saturday, July 31 (IMMEDIATE RETURN MAIL). Spring moves will then be due at 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, August 14. John Banke (400 Selye Terrace, Rochester, NY 14613) is asked to send in the standby German orders, though I don't expect Eric to miss again. Press follows.

FRANCE to GERMANY: Does your army in Burgundy mean you're not interested in my proposal?

FRANCE to AUSTRIA: Naples is hardly worth fighting over, just let me take it. Anyway, the Russian noose is tightening around you and you need your units elsewhere.

ITALY to WORLD: The archaic misnomer of "Italy" has been dropped. I am now the "New Polish Empire." May it last longer than the Austrian Jackal State or the Lackey Limey Bootlickers!

AUSTRIA to WORLD: Will Italy grab Warsaw to try to stay in the game or screw up his enemies (me)? Only the shadow knows.

GM to AUSTRIA: See previous press release.

AUSTRIA to ITALY: Of course I lied to you! Who would tell the truth to someone who messes up his moves like that?

MOSCOW to ANKARA: This is not a crossgame feud; this is a whole new hate! Besides, you are my logical foe - Austria is too tough to attack.

MOSCOW: Twisted fate: Only to be assailed by a wandering Italian Polack army?

1979IT

RUSSIA AND ITALY UNITE TO STOP THE GERMANS
German Garrison In Spain Annihilated

WIFE R 1917
SPRING 1918

Following Fall moves Russia retreated A Sil-Pru and F Nwy-Stp(nc). Italy failed to retreat the dislodged A Rum so it was removed. The F-R-I-G draw proposal failed.

FRANCE (Steve Heinowski): Even; f MAR s ITALIAN f wes-spa(sc).

GERMANY (Stan Johnson): Built A Kie and A Ber; a spa*mar; a RUH-mun; a GAS s a spa-mar; a BUR s a ruh-mun; a MUN-sil; a kie-DEN; a BER-pru; a SIL-gal; f MID s f por-spa(sc); f BRE s f mid; f nwg-BAR; f Nwy s f nwg-bar; f swe-BAL; f POR-spa(sc).

ITALY (Michael Anderson): Even; f wes-SPA(sc); f LYO s f wes-spa(sc); f naf-WES; a PIE s FRENCH f mar; a TYO s a boh; a BOH s a tyo; a GAL s RUSSIAN a ukr-war; a SER hold; f con-AEG; a BUD hold; f smy-EAS; f bla-CON.

RUSSIA (Jake Walters): Removed F Ank; a ukr-WAR; a PRU s a ukr-war; a sev-MOS; a arm-SEV; f STP(nc)-nwy; a rum-UKR.

The German A Spa is annihilated. The F-R-I-G draw has been repropoed. Please vote on it with your Fall orders, which are due at 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, August 14. Press follows.

BERLIN: The goal of Germany is not to conquer Russia, but to save it from itself; Italy, on the other hand, must be destroyed for their continued support of our archenemy, France.

DOGS#17/1982CQ TOES STEPPED ON IN GALICIA AND TYROLIA SPRING 1901

ENGLAND (Larry McCloud): f edi-NWG; f lon-NTH; a lpl-YOR.

FRANCE (John Michalski): f bre-MID; a par-PIC; a mar-SPA.

GERMANY (Ken Iverson): f kie-HOL; a ber-KIE; a MUN-tyo.

ITALY (Bill Highfield): a VEN-tyo; a rom-APU; f nap-ION.

AUSTRIA (Ernest Hakey): a VIE-gal; a bud-SER; f tri-ALB.

RUSSIA (Ed Menders): f stp(sc)-BOT; f SEV hold; a mos-UKR; a WAR-gal.

TURKEY (Dan Stafford): a con-BUL; f ank-CON; a smy-ANK.

Underlined moves fail and capital letters show unit positions. The deadline for Fall 1901 moves is 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, August 14. Press follows.

ROME: Viva Reaganism! Death to Commies! Elect Haig as God in '84!

ROCKWELL: For those of you who don't know Bill, he's the head of a Rochester-based revolutionary punk rock group called RADPO. When this bunch gets together for face-to-face Diplomacy they shave their heads to match the map of the country they're playing. Quite the extremists.

ROCKWELL AGAIN: Dan Stafford has a change of address to 215 Delhi Ave., Apt. D, Columbus, OH 43202.

MORE 1982N PRESS

ST. PETERSBURG to LONDON: Your example in demilitarizing the north has been matched by us. We are very interested in further reductions.

ARITHMETIC LESSON: 4 home centers=4. Turkey+Rum+Bul+home=9. Nwy+Swe=11. Lanny is pinned in Italy, so add Vie+Bud+Ser+Gre+Tri. Let's see: steal Denmark, or Berlin, Munich and Venice, and that's, uh,....

Following Spring moves Germany retreated F Den-Kie and A Lva-Prü.

- ENGLAND (Tim Burton): f DEN-kie; a BEL-hol; f NTH s a bel-hol;
f eng-BRE; f wal-IRI; f POR s f spa(sc); f SPA(sc) hold.
- FRANCE (Phil Trosko): f MID-por; a MAR-spa; a bre-PAR.
- GERMANY (Paul Grosch): a pru-SIL; a MUN-kie; f KIE-hol; f HOL-bel;
a BUR s f hol-bel.
- ITALY (Jake Walters): f WES s FRENCH f mid-spa(sc) (nso); a tri*hold;
a VEN s a tri; f ADR s a tri; a rom-APU.
- AUSTRIA (Dan Gorham): a GRE hold.
- RUSSIA (Norm Schwartz): a mos-SEV; a lva-PRU; a WAR s a lva-pru;
f rum*bul(ec); f swe-BAL; a ser-TRI; a TYO s a ser-tri;
a VIE s a ser-tri; a BUD s a ser-tri.
- TURKEY (Bill Highfield): a sev-RUM; f BLA s a sev-rum; f AEG-gre;
f BUL(sc) hold.

The Italian A Tri must retreat to Alb or otb. The Russian F Rum is annihilated. The supply center chart is below.

E - home, nwy, por, spa, bre, bel, den, hol	(9) build 2
F - mar, par, bre , bel	(2) remove 1
G - home, hol, par , den	(4) remove 1
I - home, tun, xxx	(4) remove 1
A - gre	(1) even
R - home, swe, bud, vie, ser, tri, xxx	(9) build 1
T - home, bul, rum	(5) build 1

The Italian retreat and Winter orders are due by IMMEDIATE RETURN MAIL so they arrive by 9:00 p.m. on Saturday, July 31. Spring moves will then be due at 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, August 14. Press follows.

ATHENS: It's a noble way to go - on the fields of Greece, where civilization was saved from the evil Persians.

1981ID FRANCE AND ITALY CONTINUE TO DISPOSE OF THEIR FOES WINTER 1904
Germany And Turkey Are Surrounded SPRING 1905

Following Fall moves Turkey removed the dislodged F Con. Jack Wells missed again so Ken Iverson is taking over Austria.

- ENGLAND (Ernest Hakey): Even; a war-PRU; f nth-HEL; f nwg-BAR; f NWY-nth.
- FRANCE (Brian Argetsinger): Built A Par; a BEL s a bur-ruh; a bur-RUH;
a GAS s a par-bur; a par-BUR; f wal-LON; f nat-NWG;
f ENG s ENGLISH f nwy-nth.
- GERMANY (Stan Johnson): Removed A Ruh; a MUN-bur; a HOL hold; f DEN-nth;
a KIE s a hol; f SKA s f den-nth; f SWE-nwy.
- ITALY (Greg Haskew): Built A Ven, A Rom and F Nap; a ser-RUM; a tyo-VIE;
a BUL s a ser-rum; a BUD s a tyo-vie; a ven-TRI; a rom-VEN;
f ion-AEG; f EAS s f ion-aeg; f nap-ION; f con-BLA.
- AUSTRIA (Ken Iverson): Even; a vie-GAL.
- RUSSIA (Randy Ellis): GM removed F Bot; a FIN-swe; a MOS-sev; a sil-BER.
- TURKEY (Mike Barno): Built F Ank and F Smy; a SEV-rum; f smy-CON;
f ANK s f smy-con.

The deadline for Fall moves is 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, August 14. Press follows in the middle of the next page. Vote on an I-F draw please.

Following Fall moves Germany removed the dislodged A Bur. Jack missed the deadline again so Arturo takes over Russia.

ENGLAND (Tim Burton): Removed A Edi; f NTH s f ska-den; f ska-DEN; f NWG s f nth.

FRANCE (Jim Grosch): Built A Bre; f ENG s a bur-bel; f bel-PIC; a BRE hold; a par-BUR; a bur-BEL; a MAR s a par-bur.

GERMANY (Stephen Lee): Even; f den*s f hol-kie; f hol-KIE; a mun-SIL; a RUH-mun.

ITALY (Mark Rowell): Built F Nap; a GRE s AUSTRIAN a alb-ser; f ION-aeg; f ven-ADR; f NAP-ion; a TYO hold.

AUSTRIA (Greg Haskew): Built A Bud; a BUD-gal; a GAL s a bud-gal (imp); a BER-mun; f tri-ALB; a alb-SER.

RUSSIA (Arturo Guajardo): Even; a stp-MOS; a WAR s a stp-mos; f NWY s f swe; f SWE s f nwy.

TURKEY (Jake Walters): Built A Ank, A Con, and F Smy; a rum-UKR; f sev-RUM; f BUL(sc)-aeg; f smy-EAS; a ank-ARM; a mos*stp; a CON (unordered) hold.

The German F Den must retreat to Bal, Hel or otb. The Turkish A Mos must retreat to Sev or otb. These retreats are due with the Fall orders, which should be sent in by 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, August 14.

PARIS to WORLD: Apologies for lack of writing this season. Situation hopefully remedied soon.

GERMANY to ITALY: "Merci," he said with a newly acquired French accent loud enough for the Englishman to hear.

VIENNA to ROME: Why do I have the feeling that I have been fed a bull-frog and swallowed hook, line and sinker? Turkey builds two armies and you now decide to ally with me. If I didn't lose Vienna and Trieste this turn I'll kneel and pray thanks!

1981ID PRESS

KIEL to LONDON: If you can be removed from the game before myself, I will feel I have salvaged something from the shambles.

KIEL to PARIS: Every time I have responded to your false overtures of peace I have wound up the worst for it! Thanks, but no thanks. There comes a time for fighting instead of writing, besides, stamps are too expensive to waste these days.

KIEL to ROME: Glad to see you've decided to show your true colors, Greg. Perhaps this sorry group will finally wake up to their danger. Randy, are you trying to outdo Jack's stupidity?

ST. PETE to BERLIN: No, it wasn't anything you said. Rather, it was an event that happened in Sweden not too long ago... Oh yeah, I agree with you on one point: the Italian-French alliance will sweep the board. MORE POWER TO THEM!!!

ROME to BERLIN: Did they or didn't they?

ROME to PARIS: Munich for F'05? A two way race for 18?

ONE LINER

And then there's this new deodorant called "Vanish" which makes you invisible and everyone wonders where the smell is coming from.

Following Spring moves Turkey retreated A Smy-Ank.

FRANCE (Dan Stafford): a mar-TUS; f LYO c a mar-tus; a PIE s a mar-tus;
a BUR-bel; f nth-ENG; f bar-NWG; f tun-ION; f naf-TUN.

GERMANY (Mark Rowell): f STP(nc) s f nwy; f bal-DEN; f NWY s f stp(nc);
a lva-MOS; a pru-SIL; a WAR s a lva-mos; a tyo*ven; a BEL hold.

ITALY (Porter Wightman): a VEN hold; a TRI s AUSTRIAN a vie-tyo;
a ser-BUD; f ion-NAP; f AEG s f smy; f SMY hold.

AUSTRIA (Stan Johnson): a BUL s a bud-rum; a bud-RUM; a vie-TYO;
a GRE s a bul.

RUSSIA (Terry Suitor): NMR! a GAL and a ARM hold; a mos*and a rum*hold.

TURKEY (Peter McDonald): a ANK-smy; f bla-SEV; f CON s a ank-smy.

The German A Tyo must retreat to Mun, Boh or otb. The Russian
A Mos and A Rum are annihilated because of the NMR. The S.C. chart is
below.

F - home, spa, por, lon, lpl, edi, <u>tun</u>	(9) build 1
G - home, den, hol, bel, swe, nwy, <u>war</u> , <u>mos</u> , <u>stp</u>	(11) build 3
I - home, tri, ser, <u>bud</u> , <u>smy</u> , tyo	(7) build 1
A - vie, gre, bul, <u>rum</u> , tyo	(4) even
R - stp , war , mos , sev , tyo	(0) out
T - con, ank, <u>sev</u> , tyo	(3) even

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MAIL so they arrive by 9:00 p.m. on Saturday, July 31. Spring moves
will then be due at 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, August 14. Dan Stafford has
a change of address to 215 Delhi, Apt. D, Columbus, OH 43202. Please
vote on a G-F draw with your Spring orders. Press follows.

PARIS: Actually, I never did get a copy of your houserules. ((A set is
enclosed for you.))

BREST: NVR=? ((No))

AUSTRIA: It's a sign of a tough, well-played game when hate becomes so
intense that players continue to crawl at each other while another
player eats them alive.

AUSTRIA to GERMANY: If you did not attack me this turn you are
promoted from pea soup brain to tactical genius. Our history books
will show that in the end when they called for the real pea soup
brain to stand up it was Russia that arose.

ANKARA to ROME, VIENNA and MOSCOW: A pox on all your houses....

PLAYER NOTES

I had to make a fair number of collect calls to gather moves for
this issue and everyone I called accepted the charges. Don't hesitate
to refuse charges because you think I might be insulted, because I won't.
I'll just hang up and wait for you to call back.

Allan Calhamer (inventor of Diplomacy) has come up with a new game
called "National Pastime." It's a table top baseball game with no
chance devices (dice, spinners, etc.) where strategy determines the
winners. The main idea is to disguise your own patterns while trying to
guess your opponent's. You're guessing his pitches and choosing yours.
The game is available for \$5.00 plus \$1.00 postage from Outpost, 501 N.
Stone, La Grange Park, IL 60525. If anyone gets it, let me know what
you think of it.

Following Spring moves France retreated A Bur-Gas and Italy retreated F Smy-Eas. Russia failed to retreat the dislodged A Sil so it was removed. The A-G-E draw failed.

ENGLAND (Brent Adams): f nat-MID; f NTH-eng; a lon-WAL; f NWY hold; a mos*s GERMAN a sil-war; f DEN hold; a FIN-lva (imp).

FRANCE (Stan Johnson): a bre-PAR; a gas-BUR; a mar*s a gas-bur; f ENG-bre; f wes-TUN.

GERMANY (Tim Burton): a NAP-tun; a bur-MAR; a PIC-bre; a BEL hold; f BAL hold; a sil-WAR; a kie-HOL; a mun-RUH.

ITALY (Guy Hail): f EAS-ion.

AUSTRIA (Jim Grosch): a PIE s GERMAN a bur-mar; a VEN s a pie; f adr-ION; f ion-TYH; f AEG s f adr-ion; a con-BUL; a SMY hold; a ukr-MOS; a SEV s a ukr-mos; a GAL s GERMAN a sil-war; a VIE s a gal.

RUSSIA (Kathy Byrne): No units.

The English A Mos must retreat to Stp, Lva or otb. The French A Mar must retreat to Gas, Spa or otb. The supply center chart is below.

E - home, nwy, stp, den, mos	(6) remove 1
F - bre, par, spa, por, <u>tun</u> , mar	(5) even
G - home, hol, bel, rom, nap, swe, <u>war</u> , <u>mar</u>	(10) build 2
I - lon , stj	(0) out
A - home, ser, gre, bul, ven, rum, sev, con, ank, <u>SMY</u>	(13) build 2
R - <u>mos</u> war	(0) out

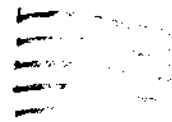
The retreats and Winter orders are due by IMMEDIATE RETURN MAIL so they arrive by 9:00 p.m. on Saturday, July 31. Spring moves will then be due at 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, August 14. Press follows.

LONDON: The English government announced today that a state of hostilities exists between Great Britain and France. The reason for this unfortunate event is French President Johnson refusing the British navy its right to the high seas. The Prime Minister demanded the right to maintain his garrison at Gibraltar to keep the trade routes to the east open.

PARIS: Caught twixt a rock and a hard place.

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