

THE DOGS OF WAR

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In great attempts it is glorious even to fail.

Longinus

I wonder if that means a definite draw is worth giving up for even a slim chance at a win, unless the draw is "glorious" enough to keep you happy.

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Hi there. Remember me? It's been a while since the last issue, but I hope at least a few of you enjoyed the holiday break as much as I did. I really needed the time off.

Let's see what's happened while I was gone... The big news for DOGS was the fake December issue postmarked from Oklahoma. I don't think it was too widely distributed, so many of you may not have received it. What you missed was a satire on the typical DOGS front page, followed by several pages of pornographic Charlie Brown comic strips. Not something you'd ever see in a real DOGS, but it was well done. I'll make my copy available to anyone who'd like to see it just as soon as I get it back from the postal inspectors in Charlotte.

December was a big month for polls. John Caruso's Diplomacy Players' Poll made its third annual appearance and Mark Larzelere's Marco Poll also came out. Added to that was the Leeder Poll, which made its controversial appearance in a late issue of Diplomacy World. The polls gave us a look at what zines and subzines people consider to be the best, along with what hobby members the voters thought were the best gamemasters, writers and players. Gary Coughlan and his EUROPA EXPRESS ran away with the show. I'd like to print the results of the polls for those of you who may not have seen them elsewhere, but I have a ton of endgame business that I need to take care of this issue and I need to leave room for some "humor" or I know it will just ruin your day.

BLAINE FOWERS PRESENTS: JOKE A LA MICHALSKI

A father and his young son were walking down the street when the boy pointed to two dogs who were engaged in sex and asked what they were doing. The embarrassed father explained that the dog on top had a hurt leg and the one on the bottom was helping him get home.

The little boy thought for a moment and said, "Gee, Dad, that's just like people. Every time you try to help someone you get screwed."

FROM THE WALL STREET JOURNAL...

Somebody's been collecting words of wisdom from the Michigan legislature

"Before I give you the benefit of my remarks, I'd like to know what we're talking about."

"There comes a time to put principle aside and do what's right."

"I don't see anything wrong with saving human life. That would be good politics, even for us."

"It's a step in the right direction, it's the answer and it's constitutional, which is even better."

"The chair would wish the members would refrain from talking about the intellectual level of other members. That always leads to problems."

1981AZ: THE DOGS OF WAR (Daly)

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A	5	5	4	2	0	-					
E	4	5	6	6	8	7	6	6	7	10	
F	3	1	0	-							"@" indicates 2 builds not taken
G	5	6	5	4	0	-					
I	5	6	6	7	8	5	6	4	4	2	
R	5	6	7	10	11	13	12	8	7	4	
T	4	4	5	5	7	9	10	16#	16@	18	WIN F10 "# indicates 3 builds not taken

A - Tom Hancock (out F05). E - Todd Hertzberg (dro F09); Brent Adams (out F03). F - Richard Carlson (out F03). G - Paul Goodrich (out W05). I - Lanny Myers (dro S10); Guy Hail. R - Richard Reed (res F04); Paul Grosch. T - Greg Haskew (win F10).

81AZ ENDGAME STATEMENTS

GAMEMASTER (John Daly): There were plenty of signs of potential aggression in S01. Turkey and Russia bounced in the Black Sea while Turkey slipped into Armenia. Russia sent A Mos to Stp and used A War to bounce Austria in Gal. Italy moved to Pie while France moved to Bur and Pic. Italy slipped into Mar in F01 as Germany and France each tried unsuccessfully to support themselves into Bel. England couldn't help anyone with Bel because he was too busy supporting himself into Nwy to avoid being bounced by Russia's A Stp. With Russia busy in the north, Turkey took Rum as he and Russia bounced again in the Black Sea. In S02 Russia and England made peace in the north. That left England free to join Italy and Germany against France, who crumbled under the attack. It also left Russia free to concentrate on Turkey as Austria sat on the fence. In F02 Austria decided to attack Italy, moving into Tyo and Ion. Austria also decided to help Turkey against Russia by moving into Gal and supporting Turkey's army in Rum, but Turkey and Russia got together that same season and managed to work together despite Russia's moving into the Black Sea the next season. That forced Austria to give up his Italian campaign in order to defend himself from R-T. Meanwhile in the north, England stabbed Germany by taking Hel in S03 and then supported Russia into Den in F03. In S04, Italy came to Germany's aid by attacking England and joined the R-T attack on Austria. In F04, Italy and Germany were making progress against England in France, but England and Russia were tearing up the German homeland. Austria was in bad shape with his centers falling to I-R-T when Turkey stabbed Italy by taking Naples at the same time Russia and Turkey went to war around the Black Sea again. Italy tried to defend himself against Turkey, but couldn't get England off his back. Then R-T became friends again in F06 and attacked Italy together as Russia attacked England. England was in trouble, but Turkey turned on Russia again in S07. Italy joined Turkey's Russian offensive while he tried to defend himself from Turkey and as Italy and Russia fought, Turkey took centers from both of them. With England and Russia thoroughly tied up and with Italy and Russia at war, Turkey was on the way to an easy win. Then in S08 England, Italy and Russia ended their fighting. In F10, just as it looked like Turkey would be stopped, Russia turned his back on Turkey for a last poke at England, which gave the game to Turkey.

1981AZ began on May 1, 1981 and ended on November 23, 1982 with a win for Greg Haskew's Turkey. It was an exciting game throughout and up until the last couple of years any one of the remaining players could have won it. A total of three standbys were used in three positions. Congratulations to Greg on the win - for a while I didn't think you would be able to do it. And thanks to Brent Adams, Guy Hail and Paul Grosch for their dedicated standby work.

A 1979IT ENDGAME STATEMENT

GERMANY (Stan Johnson): This game was fairly interesting. I started off facing a French-English alliance. Fortunately, by promising the moon I was able to secure a Russian ally. England was soon on the ropes; a stab by his French ally finished him. However, France's moves left him exposed to me. As soon as things turned against him, Dan Isaacs dropped

out. Unlucky for me, Steve Heinowski replaced him. Steve played a fine game and was more responsible than anyone for denying me a victory. The middle years consisted mainly of a menage-a-trois of center swappeing by Russia, Italy and myself. Walt Aucott played a fine game but gave up when Russia and I solidified our alliance; this I was able to do by holding a gun to Jake Walters' head. Michael Anderson entered the game in Walt's place and did a fine job of stalemating Russia and me. I was finally forced to stab Russia. I had an excellent chance to win, but blew it by two sets of very poor moves. The first set was caused by expecting Jake to lie down; he did not. I then followed it up with an important order being miswritten the next turn. This put the kabosh on my hopes for victory and gave Italy a chance at it, I felt. I was surprised that Michael accepted the two way. Congratulations to Steve, Michael, Walt and Jake for their fine play and to John Daly for excellent GMing.

1981S ENDGAME STATEMENTS

GAMEMASTER (John Daly): The one thing that stands out in my mind about this game was the lack of shifting alliances. England and France went to war in 1901 when England took the Channel and then Bre and they stayed at war until France disappeared. Russia and Turkey went to war with a Black Sea bounce in 1901 and they stayed at war until Germany destroyed Russia and Austria & Italy destroyed Turkey. England and Germany were allied throughout, as were Austria and Italy until the last year when Austria stabbed Italy for the win. Diplomatically this was a boring game, but it was exciting strategically as England & Italy and Austria & Germany tried to outguess each other almost all game long.

1981S began on February 12, 1981 and ended on November 23, 1982 with a win for Tom Thorsen's Austria. A total of five standbys were used in four positions. Congratulations to Tom on the win in a very well-played game. And thanks to Stephen Lee and John Caruso for sticking out their long standby positions with solid play. And thanks to Greg Haskew for getting wiped out and showing us all that he's not immortal on the Dip board.

AUSTRIA (Tom Thorsen): I won this game about the only way Austria ever wins, by keeping Italy at least neutral in the early going until things settle down in the east.

Italy attacked Germany in '01 and France in '02. I backed Turkey against Russia early, on the assumption I have more to fear from Russia. In F02, having Russia and Turkey hotly engaged, I got Italy to support me into the Aegean and took Bulgaria from Turkey. Germany took Sweden from Russia in the Spring and was more than happy to help me into Galicia.

While Italy and I combined against Turkey, Germany took on Russia. In F03 all hell broke loose as Russia NMR'ed and Germany took alot of centers. However, on the same turn England attacked Germany as the English-French war came to an end and the former enemies allied against Italy and Germany.

1904 was quiet, as Italy and I reduced Turkey and Germany finished off Russia.

In S05 England again changed allies (you devil, Jake) and the Anglo-German alliance was born. Strong German forces moved east, but fortunately I attacked the German position there at the same time and managed to take Mos and Gal. France sided with England, and from S05 to F06 it was E-G-F vs. I-A.

Eventually, cracks began to appear in the Anglo-French alliance. In F07, France supported Italy into the Med and in F08 into Burgundy. The situation there changed very little from F07 to the end of the end of the game, except that Italy eliminated France and replaced the French units with his own. England set up a stalemate line and held.

Germany and I fought a knock down, drag-out fight from F05 to the end of the game. I gained a slight advantage in 1906, but it wasn't until F09 that I broke the back of his defense. In 1910 I secured the position and in 1911 attacked Italy for the winning centers.

To answer one question, I didn't take Venice in F09 because I decided the German position was still strong enough that Italy could get large forces against me before I could gain 18 centers. I was afraid of a possible Italian-English alliance forming. I thought about it for a couple of days before deciding against the attack.

Thanks to John for a well run and fast game. Fortunately for me, the Turkish and

Russian players were novices, but Joke and Greg are always a pleasure to have in a game. Thanks to Phil and John who stuck to our alliance, and especially Stephen Lee, who gave me a great fight.

((Maybe there were more alliance shifts than I noticed. Still, it seems this game was played more with dogged determination than with diplomatic trickery.))

GERMANY (Stephen Lee): Congratulations to Tom on a well played Austrian win. It was a tough fight along the Mun-Mos line with multiple annihilations and many attempts to out guess each other. He timed his stab of Italy with his entrance into Scandinavia and his patience paid off.

My good ally, England, and I both knew we didn't have the guns to hold off Italy and Austria. Our alliance was formed around this bleak reality. I tried to exploit the I/A alliance without success. They each kept armies in Ven-Tri most of the game and an alliance shift didn't seem likely. Even poor little France chose to puppet for the "big guys" leaving us "underdogs" to play out the I/A game.

1981ID: THE DOGS OF WAR (Daly)

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A	4	2	2	1	0	-	-
E	5	4	4	4	3	0	-
F	5	5	6	7	8	13@	12
G	5	7	7	6	4	2	1
I	5	7	7	10	14*	16*	19
R	6	5	4	3	3	3	2
T	4	4	4	3	2	0	0

"@" indicates 2 builds not taken

"*" indicates 1 build not taken

WIN F09

A - Jack Wells II (dro W04); Ken Iverson (out W05). E - Ernest Hakey III (out W06). F - Brian Argetsinger (res F07). G - Stan Johnson. I - Greg Haskew (win F07). R - Randy Ellis. T - Bobby Stephens (dro S04); Mike Barno (out W06).

81ID ENDGAME STATEMENTS

GAMEMASTER (John Daly): The game began quietly in the north, but in the south there was plenty of action. Turkey and Russia bounced in the Black Sea and Austria and Russia bounced in Galicia while Italy slipped an army into Trieste. F01 brought some surprises: Austria and Russia got friendly and sent armies to Boh and Sil, apparently to attack Germany. England convoyed to Bel unopposed and unsupported while France and Germany were busy bouncing in Mun. And Italy's A Tri held unmolested. In S02, Russia and Austria were back to bouncing in Gal as Austria supported Russia's A Rum-Bul. England lost Bel and Nwy as Russia and Germany teamed up against him. Then in F03, France and Italy broke off from preparing for a Western Med naval war, which left France free to join the G-R attack on England while Italy was free to continue his attack on Austria. But the G-R attack on England collapsed as Germany stabbed Russia. England quickly retook Nwy and moved into Stp, but France was in Lpl in F03 before England could use his new builds to defend himself. Despite France's continued attack on England, England chose to help France against Germany. The northern battle thus became a confusing combination of wars between E-F & G, G & R, and R & E. Meanwhile, aided by Austrian and Turkish NMRs and a lack of Russian presence in the south, Italy was cleaning up. Turkey's response to the Italian attack was to attack Russia, which made things easier for Italy and helped Germany by keeping Russia busy. By F05 France knocked England out, Italy and Russia got rid of Turkey, and France and Russia forced Germany to retreat into Scandinavia. But before Germany could be completely crushed, Italy attacked Russia and France to pick up the winning centers.

1981ID began on October 1, 1981 and ended on November 23, 1982 with a win for Greg Haskew's Italy. A total of two standbys were used in two positions. It's a shame that two nice guys like Randy and Stan got carried away in a press war, but hopefully they'll be no grudges held. Congratulations to Greg on the win and to Stan for his usual tenacity. Randy, you'd have done alot better if Turkey hadn't made that senseless attack on you. Even with that, you might have been able to stop Greg if Brian hadn't resigned at the last minute. I have endgame statements from Randy and Stan to be printed next issue.

Following Fall moves Italy retreated F Nth-Lon. Note that the Italian move A Ruh-Kie succeeded last time. I ~~goofed~~ and underlined it.

FRANCE (Guy Hail): Removed A Edi, F Bal and F Ska; f nth-BEL.

ITALY (Bill Highfield): Built F Rom; a MAR-bur; a PIE s a ven; f rom-TIM; f ADR s f ion; f ION s AUSTRIAN f gre-aeg (nso); f NAP s f ion; f MID-nat; f lon-NTH; a VEN hold; a HOL s a kie; a KIE prays for survival (hold); a BUR-mun.

AUSTRIA (Stan Johnson): Even; a TYO-ven; a TRI s a tyo-ven; a bud-RUM; a ser-BUD; a VIE s a tri; a alb-SER; f GRE s RUSSIAN f eas-ion.

RUSSIA (Doug Landon): Built F Stp(nc), A War; f EAS-ion; a syr-ARM; f AEG s f eas-ion; f lpl-IRI; f NWG-nat; f stp(nc)-NWY; a nwy-SWE; f swe-SKA; a BER-kie; a DEN s a ber-kie; a SIL s a mun a MUN s a ber-kie; a war-PRU.

Please vote on an A-R draw with your Fall moves, which are due at 1:00 p.m. on Friday, February 4. Press follows.

FRANCE AT SEA to RUSSIA AT HOME: Thanks, D-.

ROME: Peace fellow ~~comrades~~ patriots!!

RUSSIA to ITALY: Welcome to the game, even though you probably won't enjoy it. This game is R-A to the end, and your position doesn't leave you much hope. Spare yourself the pain of defeat and give us the two-way draw now.

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RUSSIA TAKES NO CHANCES IN THE SOUTH

SPRING 1901

ENGLAND (Porter Wightman): f edi-NWG; f lon-NTH; a lpl-EDI.

FRANCE (Ben Schilling): a MAR s a par-bur; a par-BUR; f bre-MID.

GERMANY (Eric Diamond): a mun-RUH; f kie-DEN; a ber-KIE.

ITALY (Terry Richwine): a VEN hold; a rom-APU; f nap-ION.

AUSTRIA (Ichiro Matsumura): a bud-SER; a vie-TRI; f tri-ALB.

RUSSIA (Jake Walters): f stp(sc)-BOT; a war-GAL; a mos-UKR; f sev-BLA.

TURKEY (Michael Anderson): a con-BUL; f ank-CON; a SMY hold.

No failed moves? Odd! The deadline for Fall 1901 orders is 1:00 p.m. on Friday, February 4. Press follows.

PARIS to BERLIN: Sorry, but you didn't sound very convincing, so I made sure I knew what was happening.

GERMANY to the WORLD: Greetings to all! The Kaiser wishes war with no one. But be forewarned...the Ministers of Defense and Harassment will be standing by, ready to inflict both swift military defeat and unending verbal abuse to any and all who dare to cross the Kaiser's path.

A GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENT: The Sultan of Swat wishes to convey seasons greetings to you and yours this holiday. He is sure that having stuffed yourselves full of Turkey over the past few weeks, you will dispense with the usual jokes and slurs about carving and stuffing. The Sultan, a man of humor himself, nevertheless feels that there is plenty for everybody, at least through 1901. Allah be praised!

NORTH OF THE CANADIAN BORDER: Now we'll see who told the truth and to whom.

Following Spring moves England retreated F Eng-Lon.

ENGLAND (Brent Adams): f NAT-mid; f IRI-ENG; f LON s f IRI-eng;
f NAF-tun; a STP s GERMAN a mos (no German A Mos);
a LVA s "GERMAN a mos" (nsu).

FRANCE (Stan Johnson): f eng*bel; f BRE-eng; f MID s f bre-eng;
f SPA(sc) s f mid; a BUR s f eng-bel; a MAR s a bur.

GERMANY (Tim Burton): a RUH-bel; a MUN-bur; a BOH hold; a sil-BER;
a PRU hold.

AUSTRIA (Jim Grosch): a MOS s a gal-war; a SEV s a mos; a UKR s a gal-war
a gal-WAR; a rum-GAL; a VIE s a rum-gal; a TYO-mun; a alb-SER;
a VEN-tyo; a PIE s a ven-tyo; f tus-LYO; f TYH s f tun-wes;
f tun-WES; f ION-tun.

France must retreat F Eng to Wal, Pic, Nth or otb. The supply
center chart is below.

E - home, nwy, stp, den	(6) even
F - home, spa, por, tun	(6) even
G - home, hol, bel, swe, mos	(6) build 1
A - home, ser, gre, bul, ven, rum, sev, con, ank, smy, nap, rom, war, <u>mos</u>	(16) build 2

The retreat and builds are due by IMMEDIATE RETURN MAIL so they
arrive by 9:00 p.m. on Friday, January 21. Spring moves will then be
due at 1:00 p.m. on Friday, February 4. Please vote on two proposals
with your Spring moves: an E-F-G-A draw and a concession to Austria.
Press follows.

PARIS to LONDON: You had better get right with Jesus! Your time has
come you weasley, back-stabbing son of a tree toad.

1982HB

ENGLAND & GERMANY JUMP RUSSIA
Lots Of Action In The South

WINTER 1902
SPRING 1903

ENGLAND (Blaine Fowers): Built A Edi; f nwy-BAR; f NTH c a edi-nwy;
a edi-NWY; a YOR (unordered) hold; f SWE (unordered) hold.

FRANCE (Dave Marshall): Built F Bre; f SPA(sc) s f bre-mid; f bre-MID;
f mar-LYO; a GAS hold; a bel-BUR; a POR hold.

GERMANY (John Banke): Even; a den-LVA; f BAL c a den-lva; a MUN s a sil;
a SIL s a mun; f HOL s FRENCH a bel (otm).

ITALY (Guy Hail): Removed A Tyo; f mid*bre; f tyh-WES; a BOH-mun.

AUSTRIA (Norm Schwartz): Built A Tri; a rum-BUL; f GRE s a rum-bul;
a tri-SER; a bud-GAL; a ven-ROM; a VIE s a bud-gal.

RUSSIA (Stephn Lee): Removed A Stp; a ukr-SEV; a war-UKR; a gal-RUM;
f BLA s a gal-rum.

TURKEY (Dan Gorham): Even; a ank-CON; a bul*hold; f apu-NAP;
f ION s f apu-nap.

Italy must retreat F Mid to Nat, Iri, Eng, Naf or otb. The
Turkish A Bul is annihilated. The retreat and Fall moves are due at
1:00 p.m. Friday, February 4. Press follows.

ROME to PARIS: Money is spelled lira. Influence is spelled Lira.
Italian letters are spelled liar.

1981IA

A-G-I STEM THE TIDE

FALL 1908

FRANCE (Dan Stafford): f NWG-nwy; f eng-NTH; f LON s f eng-nth;
f EDI s f eng-nth; f spa(sc)-MID; a BUR-mun; a PAR-bur;
a BEL hold; a PIC s a bel; a pie-TYO; a VEN s a pie-tyo;
f ALB-tri; f ADR s f alb-tri; f ION-gre.

GERMANY (Mark Rowell): a arm-ANK; f cly-LPL; f nth*hold; a stp-FIN;
f NWY s f nth; a war-LVA; a ber-SIL; a HOL hold; a RUH-mun;
a MUN-tyo; a SEV hold

ITALY (Porter Wightman): f aeg-SMY; f CON s GERMAN a arm-ank; a sil-BOH.

AUSTRIA (Stan Johnson): a VIE s a tri; a BUD s a tri; a TRI s GERMAN
a mun-tyo; a BUL s a gre; a GRE hold.

TURKEY (Neil Daly): a ank*hold.

The German F Nth must retreat to Yor, Hel, Den, Ska or otb. The Turkish A Ank is annihilated. The supply center chart follows.

F - home, spa, por, lon, edi, tun, ven, nap, bel, rom, (12) remove 2	
<u>gre, lpl</u>	
G - home, den, hol, swe, nwy, mos, stp, sev, rum, <u>ank</u> , (13) build 2	
<u>lpl</u>	
I - smy, war, con	(3) even
A - home, bul, ser, <u>gre</u>	(6) build "1"
T - ank	(0) out

Thanks for submitting the move, Neil. The retreat and Winter orders are due by IMMEDIATE RETURN MAIL so they arrive by 9:00 p.m. on Friday, January 21. Please vote on an A-F-G draw with the Spring moves which are due at 1:00 p.m. on Friday, February 4. Press follows.

PARIS: Conceeding two centers? This boah must be crazy!

PARIS to BERLIN: I thought long and hard about bouncing myself in Clyde last return, but finally concluded it wouldn't be necessary. I won't underestimate you again.

VIENNA: As far as I'm concerned anti-draw rules are good things.
ROCKWELL to PARIS: So there!

1982AA

FRENCH DEALT SETBACKS
Austrian Archduke ResignsWINTER 1905
SPRING 1906

Following Fall moves Russia retreated F Nwy-Swe. Both draws failed.

ENGLAND (Tim Burton): Even; f nwy-SKA; f nwg-BAR; f lon-NTH; f NAF-tun;
f HEL s f lon-nth.

FRANCE (Jim Grosch): Even; f MID-wes; f WES-tyh; f SPA(sc) s f mid-wes;
f lyo8s f wes-tyh; a MAR-pie; a BUR-mun; a mun*ber;
a KIE s a mun-ber.

ITALY (Mark Rowell): Even; f TUN-tyh; f tyh-LYO; f TUS s f tyh-lyo;
a TYO-pie; a GRE hold.

AUSTRIA (Greg Haskew): Removed A Rum; a BOH s a ber-mun; a SIL s a ber-mun;
a ber-MUN; a GAL hold; a bud-VIE; a ser-TRI;
f ION s ITALIAN f tyh (otm).

RUSSIA (Bill Highfield): Build A Stp; a stp-NWY; f SWE s a stp-nwy;
f DEN-nth; a WAR s AUSTRIAN a gal-ukr (nso); a MOS s a war.

TURKEY (Jake Walters): Even; a ukr-RUM; a SEV s a ukr-rum;
f bla-BUL(ec); a CON s f bla-bul(ec).

France must retreat A Mun to Ruh or otb. The French F Lyo is annihilated. Please vote on an E-F-R-T draw (continued on bottom of p.8)

Following Spring moves France retreated F Aeg-Eas and Austria retreated A Tyo-Boh.

ENGLAND (Michael Anderson): f BAR-stp(nc); f nwg-NWY; f nwy-SWE;
f SKA s f nwy-swe; f NTH s f nwg-nwy.

FRANCE (Terry Richwine): f EAS-ion; f TYH s f eas-ion; f ION-alb;
f ADR s f ion-alb; a TYO s GERMAN a mun-boh; a PIE s a tyo;
a VEN-tri; a PAR hold; a BUR hold.

GERMANY (John Banke): a hol-BEL; a mun-BOH; a kie-MUN; a BER-pru;
a DEN s ENGLISH f nwy-swe.

AUSTRIA (Greg Haskew): f TRI-adr; f GRE s RUSSIAN f aeg-ion; a SER-alb;
a boh*tyo; a VIE s a boh-tyo.

RUSSIA (Stan Johnson): a FIN s a swe-nwy; a STP s a swe-nwy; a WAR-pru;
a LVA s a stp; a swe*nwy; a bul-CON; f AEG-ion; f pru-BAL;
f SMY-eas.

Austria must retreat A Boh to Sil, Gal or oth. The Russian A Swe is annihilated. The supply center chart is below.

E - home, nwy, <u>swe</u> , stp , stx	(5) even
F - home, spa, por, tun, nap, rom, ven	(9) even
G - home, den, hol, <u>bel</u>	(6) build 1
A - home, ser, gre	(5) even
R - war, mos, sev, rum, bul, con, ank, smy, <u>stp</u> , stx	(9) build 1

The Austrian retreat, Winter orders and Spring moves are due at 1:00 p.m. on Friday, February 4. As explained in the press, Greg Haskew is resigning his position in this game and is letting Tim Burton (47 E. 22nd St., Huntington Station, NY 11746) replace him.

BUDAPEST to WORLD: With these moves I must submit my temporary resignation due to recent problems at work. I have enjoyed the brief encounter and wish all of you the best for the the new year.

BUDAPEST to ROCKWELL: I hereby request that Tim Burton be named as my replacement in the position.

BUDAPEST to RUSSIA: You're really a nice guy in disguise, aren't you!

ST. PETERSBURG to VIENNA: Thank you for your vote of confidence, I think.

ST. PETERSBURG to PARIS: Oh come now, Terrance, this is terrible stuff!!!

WORLD OPINION to NATO: I smell a stalemate in the air. But only from Vienna's finest rest rooms.

MORE 82AA

with your Fall moves, which are due at 1:00 p.m. on Friday, February 4. Greg has resigned and will be replaced by Steve Knight (St. Olaf College, Northfield, MN 55037). Press follows.

PARIS to VIENNA, MOSCOW, CONSTANTINOPLE and ROME: Are you receiving my mail?? I'm not receiving yours.

MOSCOW: Death to England! MOS to VIE: I'm on your side!!

BUDAPEST to WORLD: Due to a continuing increased workload created by a takeover of my place of employment, I regret that with these moves I submit my resignation from 1982AA. I'll still be with you and follow your progress and hope to be back in a few months in another game.

ENGLAND (Larry McCloud): f eng-WAL; a lpl*s f eng-wal; f nth-LON;
a bel*s GERMAN a mun-bur (nso).

FRANCE (John Michalski): f IRI s f wal-lpl; f wal-LPL; a GAS-bre;
a PAR-bre; f spa(sc)-MAR.

GERMANY (Ken Iverson): f ska-NWY; f SWE s f ska-nwy; f HOL s a bur-bel;
 a bur-BEL; a kie-BER; a MUN s AUSTRIAN a sil-boh (nso).

ITALY (Bill Highfield): a tyo-BOH; a ven-TYO; f ION-aeg; f NAP-ion.

AUSTRIA (Ernest Hakey): a SER-bul; a bud-TRI; f GRE s a ser-bul;
a SIL s ITALIAN a tyo-mun (nso); a ALB s f gre.

RUSSIA (Ed Menders): a STP-nwy; a war-GAL;
 a gal-BUD; a RUM s a gal-bud; f BLA s TURKISH a con-bul.

TURKEY (Dan Stafford): a BUL-ser; a CON-bul; f AEG s a con-bul;
 f EAS s f aeg.

The English A Lpl must retreat to Cly, Yor, Edi or otb. The English A Bel must retreat to Pic, Ruh or otb. The supply center chart is below.

E - edi, lon, lpl , nwy	(2) remove 2
F - home, spa, por, bel , <u>lpl</u>	(6) build 1
G - home, hol, den, swe, <u>bel</u> , <u>nwy</u>	(8) build "2"
I - home, tun	(4) even
A - tri, vie, ser, gre, bul	(4) remove 1
R - home, rum, <u>bud</u>	(6) build 1
T - home, bul	(4) even

The retreats and Winter orders are due by IMMEDIATE RETURN MAIL so they arrive by 9:00 p.m. on Friday, January 21. Ken Iverson reports a change of address: 17601 Preston, #275, Dallas, TX 75252. Press follows.

FRANCE to RUSSIA: I'll say Germany is in a hell of a position. He can fight me and still have three hands behind his back. Will he pummel you with them, or stab England?

FRANCE to AUSTRIA: Austrias should never be that trusting. Better luck next game.

PARIS to VIENNA: There's no black dot on the Aquitaine. The problem is England. If he's smart he went for the Mid Atlantic and English Channel. And if Germany is smarter, he took the North Sea behind him....

VERSAILLES to BOARD: Anyone want to save time, and call for a G-T draw?

ROME: Bye, bye Germany!! NO one pisses me off and lives. Remember, I'm John's toady for life!!!

SUBMARINE to ITALY: Hello up there!

Oh yeah - Spring moves due at 1:00 p.m. on February 4.

NOTICE ON BATHROOM WALL AT BURGER KING: Flush twice, it's a long way to McDonalds.

PLAYER NOTES

Another issue with no NMRs. And to think I was afraid that the holidays would distract everyone from the game.

This issue was completed in record time thanks to many of you having your moves in before the deadline. Please keep it up!

Stay tuned - next issue I'll have a picture of Stan Johnson for those of you dying to see the man behind the press.

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ENGLISH OFFENSIVE CHANGES DIRECTION

FALL 1908

Following Spring moves Italy retreated F Tyh-Nap and Turkey retreated A Gal-Sil.

ENGLAND (Tim Burton): a yor-NWY; a HOL s f kie; a PAR hold; f mid-NAT; f naf-TUN; f NTH c a yor-nwy; f KIE hold; f MAR hold; f lyo-TUS; f WES s f naf-tun; f tyh*nap; a bur-BEL.

FRANCE (Ichiro Matsumura): a RUH-mun

ITALY (Jake Walters): f NAP s f tun-tyh; f tun-TYH; a PIE-mar; a ven-ROM; f ADR-ven.

RUSSIA (Norm Schwartz): a ALB-gre; a SER s a slb-gre; a MOS-sev; a UKR s a mos-sev; a BUD hold; a tri-VEN; a TYO s a tri-ven; f BER hold; a GAL-war; a MUN hold.

TURKEY (Bill Highfield): a SIL-war; a ARM-sev; f BLA s a arm-sev; "a gre" s a bul-ser (nsu); a BUL-ser; f GRE (unordered) hold.

The English F Tyh must to Lyo, Ion or otb. The supply center chart follows.

E - home, nwy, por, spa, bre, bel, den, hol, kie, mar,	(14) build 2
<u>tun, par</u>	
F - par	(0) out
I - rom, nap, tri, tyh , tyh	(3) remove 2
R - home, swe, bud, vie, ser, rum, mun, ber, <u>ven</u>	(12) build 1
T - home, bul, gre	(5) even

The retreat and Winter orders are due by IMMEDIATE RETUN MAIL so they arrive by 9:00 p.m. on Friday, January 21. Please vote on an E-R draw with the Spring moves, which are due at 1:00 p.m. on Friday, Feb 4.

RUSSIA: Pardon the lack of communication, but I've been out of town. I'll return in three weeks.

ANKARA to LONDON and MOSCOW: You two turn my stomach!! You're not going to stab each other but you won't take the draw! Rubbing it in, huh? Well, you're the WORST players I've ever played with! Wait until the tables turn on you some game!!!

Said the oyster, just about to be consumed by the preacher: "I've always been religious, but I never thought I'd enter the clergy."

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— Your sub expires with this issue.
 Please take over in 82AA p7.

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NEXT DEADLINES: 1/21 & 2/4

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CORRECTION!

FALL 1906

Disregard the game report on page 6 of DOGS issue #49. Steve didn't NMR like I thought he did. Following Spring moves France retreated A Mun to Ruh. The E-F-R-T draw proposal failed.

ENGLAND (Tim Burton): f SKA-swe; f BAR-nwy; f NTH s f bar-nwy; f NAF-tun; f hel-DEN.

FRANCE (Jim Grosch): f mid-WES; f wes-LYO; f SPA(sc) s f wes-lyo; a MAR hold; a BUR-mun; a RUH s a bur-mun; a KIE s ENGLISH f hel-den.

ITALY (Mark Rowell): f TUN s f lyo-wes; f lyo*wes; f tus-TYH; a tyo-PIE; a GRE-ser.

AUSTRIA (Steve Knight): a sil-BER; a MUN s a sil-ber; a BOH s a mun; a vie-BUD; a gal-UKR; a TRI-ser; f ION s ITALIAN f tun.

RUSSIA (Bill Highfield): a NWY s a mos-stp; f SWE s a nwy; f den*nth; a war-MOS; a mos-STP.

TURKEY (Jake Walters): a RUM-ser; f BUL(ec)-rum; a SEV-rum; a CON hold.

Russia must retreat F Den to Bal or otb. Italy must retreat F Lyo to Tus or otb. The supply center chart is below.

- E - home, hol, den, ~~xxx~~ (5) even
- F - home, spa, por, bel, kie, ~~xxx~~ (7) even
- I - home, tun, gre (5) even
- A - home, ser, ber, mun, ~~xxx~~, ~~xxx~~ (6) remove 1
- R - mos, stp, war, swe, nwy, ~~den~~ (5) even
- T - home, sev, bul, rum (6) build 2

The retreats and Winter orders are due by IMMEDIATE RETURN MAIL so they arrive by 9:00 p.m. on Monday, February 14. Spring will then be due at 1:00 p.m. on Monday, February 28. Make sure you show Steven's zip to be 55057 and not 55037, which I reported in DOGS #487.

VIENNA: Following former Archduke Greg Haskew's resignation, the Austrian government described itself as "flying blind." Attributing the decline in the amount of mail flowing into and out of the Empire's capital to "an unfortunate mistake during the recent change of addr--er, transfer of power," the new administration expressed to its European friends and neighbors its hope that the problem would not adversely affect policy concerning Austria. Officials assured that the situation was merely temporary and currently in hand, saying, "Everything's cool now. 55057. Really."

