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1982HH -- Fall 1903

Austrian A Trieste retreats to Tyrolia.
Russian F North Sea retreats off the board.

AUSTRIA (Brad Wilson) a rum-sev, a bud s a ser /a/, a ser s a bud /r-
alb,otb/, a tyr-ven.
ENGLAND (Dale Bakken) a fin-swe, a edi-nwy, f den-kie, f bar-stpnc, f nth c a
edi-nwy, f nwg s a edi-nwy.
FRANCE (Larry McCloud?) NMR. a bel h, a bur h, a ber h, a mar h, a par h, f
bre h, f por h.
GERMANY (Richard Craig) a mun s a kie-ruh, a kie-ruh, f hol-bel.
ITALY (Walter Loy) a vie-bud, a tri s a vie-bud, a apu-ven, f adr s a tri, f
tyrr-tun.
RUSSIA (Joe Dorchack) a ukr s a war-gal, a war-gal, a nwy-swe /a/.
TURKEY (Bill Quinn) a gre-ser, a bul s a gre-ser, f aeg-gre, f ion-tyrr, f
bla-rum.

Austrian A Budapest is dislodged and annihilated for lack of a possible
retreat. Austrian A Serbia is dislodged and must retreat to Albania or off
the board. Russian A Norway is dislodged and annihilated for lack of a
possible retreat. The supply center chart follows.

A: 1 ctr - sev remove two
E: 8 ctrs - lon,lvp,edi,nwy,den,swe,stp,kie build two
F: 7 ctrs - par,bre,mar,spa,por,ber,bel constant
G: 2 ctrs - hol,mun remove one
I: 7 ctrs - ven,rom,nap,tun,vie,tri,bud build two
R: 2 ctrs - mos,war constant
T: 7 ctrs - con,smy,ank,bul,gre,ser,rum build two

I hope that Larry McCloud will continue to play as France. However, if he
doesn't I am asking Bob Osuch to submit stand-by orders for France. All
addresses are in #168. The deadline for the retreat, Winter 1903 builds and
removals, and Spring 1904 orders (which may be made conditional on the retreat
and winter adjustments) is Monday, 14 November 1983, 7 pm PST. If this is all
too complicated you can ask for a separation of seasons.

Press:

Budapest: Hurray! Jurkowski the Jerk is gone!

1977AM -- Fall 1921

English A Silesia retreats to Berlin.
Russian A Moscow retreats to Ukraina.

1977AM cont'd.

ENGLAND (Dave Pengelly) a lva s a mos, a stp s a mos, a ber s fa bur-mun /nso/, a mos h, a bel-ruh, f bal-pru, f nwg-nat, f nth-eng, f swe-bal, f mid-nafr.

FRANCE (Tom Butcher) a kie-mun, a pic-ven /r-mar,tus,otb/, a bur s a kie-mun, f tyrr s f wmed-tun /r-glyo,tus,otb/, f adr-ion, f wmed-tun.

RUSSIA (Horst John) a ser-tri, a ukr-mos, a rom s a tri-ven, a ven-pie, a boh-mun, a sil s a war-pru, a alb h, a tyr s a ven-pie, a gal-war, a tri-ven, a war-pru, a sev-rum, f tun-tyrr, f nap s f tun-tyrr, f ion-tun.

TURKEY (Fred Winter) f por h.

French A Piedmont is dislodged and must retreat to Marseilles, Tuscany, or off the board. French F Tyrrhenian Sea is dislodged and must retreat to the Gulf of Lyon, Tuscany, or off the board. The supply center chart follows.

E: 10 ctrs - lon,lvp,edi,hol,den,swe,nwy,stp,ber,mos constant

F: 7 ctrs - par,mar,bre,spa,bel,kie,mun build one

R: 16 ctrs - sev,rum,vie,tri,bul,smy,con,ank,ven,rom,tun,bud,ser,gre,nap,war
build one

T: 1 ctr - por constant

Horst John agrees to the use of a four-week deadline. Therefore, we are going to see if we can speed this game up a bit and put it on the same schedule as the other games. Let me know if that causes you any problems. The deadline for the French retreats, Winter 1921 builds, and Spring 1922 orders (which may be made conditional on the retreats and builds) is Monday, 14 November 1983, 7 pm PST.

1981Q -- Fall 1909 FRANCE WINS!!!

The Russian-French-English three-way draw fails.
French F Ionian Sea retreats to Naples.

ENGLAND (Russell Blau) a pru-ber, f nwy-nwg, f bal s a pru-ber, f ska-den, f nth-lon, f eng s f nth-lon /r-iri,pic,otb/, f nat-lvp.

FRANCE (Kathy Byrne) a mun-ber, a gal s a bud-rum /r-boh,sil,otb/, a hol s a bel, a bud-rum, a ser s a bud-rum, a vie s a gal, a kie s a mun-ber, a bel s a hol, a tri s a ser, a bur-mun, f tyrr-tun, f nap-ion, f wal-lon, f bre-eng, f mid s f bre-eng, f glyo-tyrr.

RUSSIA (Dick Martin) a rum-gal, a ukr s a rum-gal, a bul-ser, a war s a rum-gal, a sev-rum, f aeg-ion, f bla s a sev-rum.

TURKEY (Dave Ditter) f ion-adr, f gre-alb.

English F English Channel is dislodged and must retreat to the Irish Sea, Picardy, or off the board. French A Galicia is dislodged and must retreat to Bohemia, Silesia, or off the board. But as you can see from the supply center chart below it doesn't make any difference.

E: 7 ctrs - lon,lvp,edi,den,swe,nwy,stp constant

F: 18 ctrs - par,mar,spa,por,hol,mun,tun,rom,nap,ber,ven,bre,tri,vie,bud,ser,
bel,kie build two

R: 7 ctrs - mos,war,sev,con,ank,bul,rum constant

T: 2 ctrs - smy,gre constant

1981Q cont'd.

Congratulations, Kathy, on the win. And thanks to Russell, Dick, and Dave for playing it out to the end. Next issue I will print the final game report and I encourage each of you to send your comments on the game. Also, next issue will be the last issue for Blau, Martin, and Ditter unless you explicitly volunteer to stand-by for further games even if you have volunteered in the past. Byrne will continue to get EFGIART because she has the misfortune of being the BNC. The deadline for comments and volunteering for future games is Monday, 14 November 1983.

Press:

France to Russia: If I did this right, bring on the fat lady!

France to GM: If I did this wrong -- shoot me!

Moscow: You're killing us, Russ. Don't do it!

England to the World: I apologize for the NMR, which was due to carelessness.

1980LF -- Winter 1911

Russian A Trieste retreats to Budapest.

ENGLAND: Build F London.

FRANCE: Build A Paris.

ITALY: Build A Rome, A Naples.

RUSSIA: Remove A Tyrolia, A Budapest, A Serbia, F Rumania.

-- pre-Spring 1912 (separation of seasons requested)

ENGLAND (Doug Karnes) Has a war, a ukr, a sev, a mos, a lva, f bal, f nat, f iri, f nwy, f nth, f lon.

FRANCE (Hugh Polley) Has a ber, a gal, a kie, a vie, a pie, a par, f nafr, f spasc, f mid, f bel.

ITALY (Robert Acheson) Has a tri, a rom, a nap, f adr, f bulec, f ven, f alb.

RUSSIA (Fred Winter) Has a arm, a syr, f bla.

TURKEY (Dan MacLellan) Has a ank, f smy, f con.

Fred Winter resigns as Russia. The new player for Russia is Konrad Baumeister. Hugh Polley has moved; his new address is 3112 37th St SW, Calgary, Alberta, CANADA T3E 3B8. All other players' addresses are in issue #168. There is a request for a vote for a French-Italian draw and an English-French draw. Please vote on each draw separately. The deadline for Spring 1912 orders and draw votes is Monday, 14 November 1983, 7 pm PST.

Press:

France to England: You will now pay for your siding with Germany in 1983AE.

ODDS AND ENDS

Not a lot of news this issue. Marie and I have been competing in fun runs every weekend. A week ago at Stanford University's Great Race I ran my fastest 10 km ever and finally went under 40 minutes with a time of 39:19. My best finish in a race was 17th place in a very hilly 15 km a few weeks back. I can handle the uphill okay, but those downhill are murder on the knees. The winter series of bicycle races start next weekend. I will finally find out what this running has done to my cycling muscles.

Last issue I made a comment about Cathy Cuning and Eric Ozog which was a bit presumptuous, as I later discovered. Cathy was quick to write "Boy am I embarrassed now! Marriage? Did I ever say marriage? Maybe 5 to 10 years down the line but not now! Live together maybe -- but not marriage!" Well, I guess that clarifies things. I later spoke with Cathy on the phone and admitted that I just assumed that she meant marriage when she said that she and Eric were thinking of getting together. She said that my misinterpretation of the situation was understandable. "Older people" always assume marriage. Well, I guess that puts me in my place. But I didn't think that I look that old...

Writing of being old (33 as of three weeks ago), in foot races runners compete all at once, but are divided into categories to determine placings. One would expect that all or most of the top runners would be in the 20-29 age category. But it never seems to work that way. Instead most are in the 30-39 age group. For example, in a 5-mile race last Saturday I finished in 27th place overall. In the 30-39 category I placed 16th. Over half of the runners in front of me are in the same category. If only I were younger.

In bicycle racing things work a bit differently. There I compete in the senior category, where the age span is 18 to 34. The next older age group (veteran) is 35-44. Each group races separately. The competition in the veteran races is not nearly as intense as in senior races and I am looking forward to moving up to the older category. At least there they respect age.

I don't know how many of you read Science magazine, but in their 23 September 1983 issue there is a very interesting article on dietary carcinogens. A number of plants in the human diet synthesize toxic chemicals in large amounts as a defense against bacterial, fungal, and insect and other animal predators. For example, black pepper contains piperine, which is a carcinogen in rodents and some of its metabolites are mutagens. Edible mushrooms contain hydrazines, many of which are carcinogens and mutagens. Nitrosamines are suspected agents of stomach and esophageal cancer in humans. In the digestive system these nitrogen compounds are formed from nitrate and nitrite. Beets, celery, lettuce, spinach, radishes, and rhubarb all contain high levels of nitrate. And finally, burnt and browned foods formed by heating proteins during cooking are highly mutagenic. Thus, it is best to minimize the consumption of charred meats and rancid fats. No more barbeques, in other words. I recommend visiting your local library and reading the entire article if you are interested in more details.

On a slightly less serious subject, I want to mention the recent issue of Xenogonic, published by Larry Feery. It is a three-part monster issue that has to be read to be believed. Larry is normally verbose, but he has been saving up his words for this issue. One part is devoted to his Diplomacy power poll report. Interesting material, even if you don't agree with all of it. I don't know if Larry has any more copies of this October 1983 issue, but if you are interested in obtaining a copy send \$3.00 to Larry Feery, PO Box 8416, San Diego, CA 92102.