

FROBOZZ

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I don't have much to say this time, and the games aren't going to take up much space, either. So, I'm going to get right down to business, so that I'll be able to squeeze everything into four pages. I just hate excess white space...

Standby pool: Geryk, Christie, Vaporis, Holley, Peters, Heinowski, Kurucz, Acheson, Richter, Gonsalves, Davis, Gibson, Sellers, Hood, Zarse, Lilleleht, Lange, Townsend, Bakken.

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Benwick

Winter, 1901

AUSTRIA (*Gibson*) Builds A BUD. Also has A VIE, F ALB, A SER.

ENGLAND (*Johnson*) Builds F LON. Also has F NWY, F NTH, A YOR.

FRANCE (*Ricotta*) Builds F BRE. Also has A PIC, F ENG, A POR.

GERMANY (*Rusnak*) Builds A MUN, A BER, F KIE. Also has A DEN, A BEL, F HOL.

ITALY (*Noblin*) Builds F NAP. Also has A TUN, F ION, A VEN.

RUSSIA (*Vaporis*) Builds F STP(NC), A WAR. Also has F SWE, A GAL, A UKR, F RUM.

TURKEY (*Sellers*) Builds A ANK, F SMY. Also has A GRE, F BUL(SC), A CON.

Deadline for Spring, 1902 is 9PM EST Friday, October 30, 1987.

PRESS — Rome to Ankara: You don't want to talk until your mission is *completed*? It's a pity that we'll never talk.

England to Turkey: I'm not the only wicked witch around here!

England to France and Turkey: Why won't you talk to me? Is it my bad breath?

England to Russia: Your demands are totally unacceptable at this time. But keep talking. I'm sure we can agree on something.

1986CF

The Philosopher's Stone

Winter, 1906

Fra: Builds A MAR. Ita: F ion r ALB. Rus: F bul(ec) r otb, F edi r otb, Builds A WAR, A SEV.

Spring, 1907

ENGLAND (*Gonsalves*) A edi-DEN, F NTH C A edi-DEN, F nwg-NWY, F BAL S French A kie-BER, A lvn-pru(d,a), A RUH S French A BUR-mun, A STP-mos, F swe-BOT.

FRANCE (*Vaporis*) A mun-SIL, A BUR-mun, A kie-BER, A pie-TYO, A TUS S Italian A VEN, F mid-WES, F tyn-NAP, F TUN-ion, A MAR-bur.

GERMANY (*cd*) A ber h(d,a).

ITALY (*Bakken*) F alb-ADR, F APU S F alb-ADR, A VEN S French A pie-TYO.

RUSSIA (*Drane*) A tyo-mun(d,r vie,otb), A BOH S A tyo-mun, A PRU S A mos-LVN, A WAR S A mos-LVN, A mos-LVN, A SEV-mos.

TURKEY (*Rothchild*) F ION S F adr, F adr S F ION(d,a), F GRE S F ION, F EAS S F ION, F con-AEG, A bul-SER, A TRI S Russian A tyo(otm).

Deadline for Fall, 1907 is 9PM EST Friday, October 30, 1987.

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Puzzle Challenge

Here the solution to last month's puzzle:

B	R	O	C	C	O	L	I
E		C		O		I	
L	I	C	E	N	S	E	E
L		U		S		U	
A	T	R	O	C	I	T	Y
D		R		R		E	
O	B	E	D	I	E	N	T
N		N		P		A	
N	I	C	O	T	I	N	E
A		E		S		T	

This issue's puzzle involves the addition problem below. Note that the sum shown for the four six-digit numbers is incorrect. That's because each digit of the five numbers actually represents a different digit from one to nine. No zeros are used (I'm not completely merciless, after all). Each time a particular digit appears, substitute the correct digit above it, similar to the way you'd solve a cryptogram. For example, the digit 1 could represent 9, in which case you'd write a 9 above each 1 in the puzzle. It would then be valid to assume that the digit 2 represented a number other than 9. As far as I can tell, only one substitution code will make the sum for the addition correct, and that's the one I want you to find. Deadline for solutions is 9PM EST Friday, October 30, 1987.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 485148 \\
 732815 \\
 123362 \\
 + 921733 \\
 \hline
 8286465
 \end{array}$$

The Scoreboard

Last month's puzzle was solved by Ted Davis, Bob Acheson, Melinda Holley, Bruce Linsey, Steve Langley, Paul Milewski, and Pete Kurucz. They each earn 100 points, making the new standings:

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|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1. Steve Langley - 664 points | 9/12. Scott Drane - 100 points |
| 2. Bruce Linsey - 576 points | 9/12. Alan Stewart - 100 points |
| 3. Ted Davis - 571 points | 9/12. Bob Acheson - 100 points |
| 4. Pete Kurucz - 436 points | 9/12. Jeff Zarse - 100 points |
| 5. Jim Lawniczak - 347 points | 13. Brady Richter - 98 points |
| 6. Melinda Holley - 340 points | 14. Mark Lilleleht - 80 points |
| 7. Rory Noble - 312 points | 15. John Ricotta - 67 points |
| 8. Paul Milewski - 200 points | |

1987CA

The Corner Guard

Winter, 1902

AUSTRIA (Noble) Even. Has A VIE, A TRI.

ENGLAND (Davis) Builds F LVP. Also has F LON, F SWE, F NTH, A YOR.

FRANCE (Milewski) Builds F BRE. Also has A POR, F ENG, A PIC, F IRI.

GERMANY (Anderson) F den r KIE. Also has A MUN, F BAL, A BEL, A HOL.

ITALY (Walley) NRR. A vie r otb, A tri r otb. Plays one short. Has F ADR, F ION, A TYO.

RUSSIA (Townsend) Builds A WAR. Also has A BUD, A PRU, F DEN, F BOT, A RUM, F SEV.

TURKEY (Heinowski) Builds A CON, F SMY. Also has F GRE, A BUL, F AEG, A SER.

Deadline for Spring, 1903 is 9PM EST Friday, October 30, 1987. A separation of seasons is granted. An R-T draw is proposed. Will Hugh Christie please standby for Italy. Addresses can be found in the *Frobozz* mailing list, elsewhere in this issue.

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The Blue Parrot

Winter, 1904

AUSTRIA (*Rusnak*) Even. Has A SER, A BUL(SC), F ALB, A VIE, A RUM.

ENGLAND (*Ricotta*) Even. Has A WAL, A YOR.

FRANCE (*Richter*) Builds F BRE. Also has F NAF, F WES, F LYO, A MAR, A BEL, F LON.

GERMANY (*Hood*) Builds A KIE, A BER. Also has A MUN, A WAR, A SIL, A MOS, F NWY, F STP(SC), F DEN.

ITALY (*Chen*) Builds F NAP. Also has A TRI, A PIE, F TYN, F GRE, F TUN.

RUSSIA (*Barents*) A stp r otb, removes A ukr, A lvn. Has A SEV.

TURKEY (*Davis*) Removes A gal, F ion. Has A ARM, F CON, F AEG.

Deadline for Spring, 1905 is 9PM EST Friday, October 30, 1987. A separation of seasons is granted. The proposed concession was defeated.

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Flying Carpet

Winter, 1909

Eng: Builds A LVP, A LON. Tur: Builds F SMY.

Spring, 1910

ENGLAND (Holley) A LVP-tus, A LON H, A den-HOL, A KIE S A MUN, A STP H, A fin-SWE, A BER S A MUN, A pie-TYO, A MUN S A BER, F MID C A LVP-tus, F NAT C A LVP-tus, F NTH C A den-HOL, F NAF S F WES, F swe-BAL, F LYO S A LVP-tus, F BAR S A STP, F WES C A LVP-tus.

GERMANY (Townsend) A war-GAL, A pru-WAR, A tyo-VIE.

TURKEY (Baker) F TYN S F TUN, F TUN S F TYN, F NAP S F TYN, F ION S F TUN, A MOS-stp, A LVN S A MOS-stp, A SEV-mos, A tus-PIE, A VEN S A tus-PIE, A gre-ALB, A SIL-ber, A BOH S German A tyo-mun(nso), F smy-AEG, A CON H(U).

Deadline for Fall, 1910 is 9PM EST Friday, October 30, 1987. The proposals were defeated. Reproposed are: a concession to England, an E-T draw, and an E-G-T draw. If none of these pass, and no supply center changes hands, and no one demonstrates that the stalemate can be broken, then the game will be declared a three-way draw at the end of next season. Note that England's attempted convoy to Tuscany failed because none of the convoying fleets borders on Tuscany.

1986CG

The Eye of Agamotto

Winter, 1906

Eng: NBR, plays four short. Ger: NRR, GM removes A ukr, A mar.

Ita: Removes A naf. Tur: Builds F SMY, A CON.

Spring, 1907

AUSTRIA (Milewski) A bud-TRI, F ADR S A bud-TRI, A rum-SER.

ENGLAND (Geryk) NMR. F HOL H, F MID H, F BEL H, F BRE H, F SWE H, A MOS H, A LVN H, F SPA(SC) H.

GERMANY (O'Brien) NMR. A PIE H, A TYO H, A VIE H, A GAL H, A BOH H, A SIL H, F KIE H.

ITALY (Ricotta) F wes-LYO, F rom-TUS, A tri S Turkish A ven(otm)(d,r alb,ven,otb).

TURKEY (Noble) F BLA S A SEV, F smy-AEG, F ION S F TUN, F TUN S Italian F wes(otm), A SEV S Austrian A rum(otm), A bul-GRE, A ven-ROM, A con-BUL, A WAR S English A LVN-pru(nso).

Deadline for Fall, 1907 is 9PM EST Friday, October 30, 1987. Paul Milewski is the new player for Austria. Will Michael Vaporis please standby for England. And will Melinda Holley please standby for Germany. You'll find players' addresses in the Frobozz mailing list, elsewhere in this issue.

_____ Your sub has expired. Please renew.

_____ Please standby in

Dear Russ, my comment about keeping the game moving was a general one and had nothing to do with the situation in 87F. Games already take long enough without further delays. The Garvin title change happened 9/25, so I doubt you'd've seen it on TV last week, unless you get WTBS on cable. Some knowledgeable fans think that Flair is going to turn good (maybe get kicked out of the Horsemen for being the only one with no title), and that Dusty Rhodes (the whale) may turn bad.

Who knows? It could be. I would bet that Flair will regain the title soon, one way or another, unless something drastic happens (like he jumps to the WWF).

Best,
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