

FROBOZZ

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We now have five players signed up for the new game: Holley, Lange, Peters, Vaporis, and O'Brien. We nearly had the requisite seven, but one person changed his mind, and another lives in the same city as Marc Peters. So, we're holding at five right now, which is, perhaps, just as well. My life has been getting increasingly busy recently, and my enthusiasm for publishing has been on the wane. I have misgivings about starting another game under such circumstances. I'm considering allowing *Frobozz* to wind down and die a slow death as the games finish.

For now, I'm going to leave the new game open tentatively. By next month, I should have a better feel for what I want to do with this zine. If I choose not to open another game after all, I will refund money sent to me for that game, of course.

The first casualty of my waning enthusiasm is *Puzzle Challenge*. I haven't had any time to spend coming up with new puzzles for you. I do have one puzzle from Bruce Linsey I could use, and somewhere I think I have a crossword written by Jim Lawniczak many months ago. But I don't think I'm going to be able to sustain *Puzzle Challenge* as a monthly feature anymore. Sorry. I will try to throw in a puzzle occasionally, as time permits. It was my intention to use Bruce Linsey's puzzle this month, but I'm running so far behind schedule that I have to abandon that idea. There's always next month...

To those of you who trade with me: I'll understand if you no longer wish to continue trading. Drop me a line if you wish to cancel our trade. Subbers, likewise, may cancel their subs and receive a refund for issues yet to be received.

And on that happy note, let's get down to business. The standby pool currently consists of: Geryk, Gonsalves, Davis, Gibson, Sellers, Hood, Zarse, Lilleht, Lange, Townsend, Bakken, Vaporis, Holley, Nelson, Heinowski, Barents, Kurucz. Does anyone want on or off the list?

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Benwick

Winter, 1903

AUSTRIA (Curtis Gibson, 622 E. 11th St. #9, New York, NY 10009) Even. Has A SEV, A VIE, A BUD.

ENGLAND (Ernest Johnson, 5300 SW 180 Ave. #1, Aloha, OR 97007) Builds F LVP. Also has F NAT, F STP(SC), F ENG, F NTH, A WAL.

FRANCE (Brady Richter, 54 Fries Lane, Cherry Hill, NJ 08003) F eng r MID, builds F BRE. Also has A GAS, A PAR, F PIC.

GERMANY (Russ Rusnak, 1551 High Ridge Pkwy., Westchester, IL 60153) Builds A KIE. Also has F DEN, F HOL, A MUN, A BEL, A MOS, A GAL, A SIL.

ITALY (Rob Noblin, 334 Carroll Park East, Long Beach, CA 90814) NRR. A ser r otb. Has F EAS, F TYN, F ADR, A TRI, A VEN.

RUSSIA (Michael Vaporis, 304 Williamsburg Dr., Export, PA 15632) A sev r UKR; removes F ank, A rum. Has A UKR, A BOH.

TURKEY (Marc Peters, 4002 Hanover St., Madison, WI 53704) Builds F SMY. Also has A SER, A BUL, F AEG, F GRE.

Deadline for Spring, 1904 is 9PM EST Friday, April 22, 1988. A separation of seasons is granted. Press will be held until next issue. Will Michael Gonsalves, 1401 Haven Rd. T6, Hagerstown, MD 21740 please standby for Italy.

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1986CG

The Eye of Agamotto

Winter, 1909

Eng: Builds F LON, A LVP, A EDI. Ger: Removes F kie. Tur: Builds F CON.

Spring, 1910

ENGLAND (*Geryk*) F lon-ENG, A lvp-WAL, A nwy-STP, A yor-LON, F nwg-NAT, A WAR S A MOS, A MOS S A WAR, F NTH C A edi-BEL, A edi-BEL, F mid-POR, F naf-MID, F SPA(SC) S F naf-MID, F ber-KIE, F den-HEL.

GERMANY (*O'Brien*) A bur-MAR, A SER-bud, A GAL-rum, A VIE S A SER-bud, A tyo-VEN, A TRI S A tyo-VEN.

ITALY (*cd*) A GAS H.

TURKEY (*Kurucz*) F WES-spa(sc), F tyn-TUN, A tus-PIE, A ven-tri(d,r tus,rom,apu,otb), F apu-ADR, A GRE S A BUD-ser, A BUD-ser, F BUL(EC) H, A RUM S A BUD-ser, F con-AEG, A UKR S A SEV-mos, A SEV-mos.

Deadline for Fall, 1910 is 9PM EST Friday, April 22, 1988. A concession to England is proposed.

1987CA

The Corner Guard

Summer, 1905

Fra: F eng r BEL. Rus: A bud r GAL.

Fall, 1905

ENGLAND (Davis) F LON-nth, F NWY S F LON-nth, F lvp-IRI, F ENG S F lvp-IRI, A EDI H.FRANCE (Milewski) F BEL-nth, F NWG S F BEL-nth, A BUR S German A ruh-MUN, F iri-eng(d,r nat,mid,wal,otb), A gas-BRE.GERMANY (Anderson) A ruh-MUN, A kie S A ruh-MUN(d,r hol,ruh,otb), A TYO-vie, F DEN S A kie, F HEL S F DEN.ITALY (Christie) A VEN-tri, F ADR S A VEN-tri, F ROM S Turkish F NAP-tyn(nso).RUSSIA (Townsend) F SKA-den, F BAL S F SKA-den, A mun-KIE, A BER S A mun-KIE, A stp-MOS, A GAL S A boh-VIE, F rum-SEV, A boh-VIE.TURKEY (Heinowski) F NAP S F tun-TYN, F tun-TYN, F ION-adr, F BLA S A bul-RUM, A bul-RUM, A BUD S A TRI, A SER S A bul-RUM, A TRI S German A TYO-vie.

Deadline for Spring, 1906 is 9PM EST Friday, April 22, 1988. All of the proposals were defeated. Last season, the French fleet dislodged from the English Channel had an available retreat to Belgium. This was not listed in the game report. A correction was sent to the players via postcard.

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1987CA supply center chart - 1905

ENGLAND	lon,lvp,edi,nwy,swe.....	5, even
FRANCE	par,bre,mar,spa,por,BEL.....	6, +1
GERMANY	K Y ,mun,hol, B Y ,den.....	3, -2
ITALY	rom, A P ,ven.....	2, -1
RUSSIA	stp,mos,war,sev, r u m , B Y d ,vie,ber,KIE.....	7, -1
TURKEY	con,ank,sm,y,bul,gre,ser,tri,tun,RUM,BUD,NAP.....	11, +3

PRESS — Turkey to England: I am a bit curious?

1986CF

The Philosopher's Stone

Winter, 1909

Eng: Builds F EDI, A LVP. Ita: F tri r ADR.

Rus: Removes A gal. Tur: Builds A CON.

Spring, 1910

ENGLAND (Gonsalves) A lvp-EDI, F edi-NWG, A MOS S French A war-ukr(nso), A STP S A MOS, A ruh-HOL, F BOT H, F BER H, A PRU S French A lvn-WAR, F WES-tyn.FRANCE (Vaporis) A tyo-VIE, A BOH S A tyo-VIE, A war-GAL, A SIL S A war-GAL, A lvn-WAR, A VEN-tri, A mun-TYO, A bel-BUR, F lon-ENG, F tus-TYN, F TUN S F tus-TYN, F tyn-NAP.

ITALY (Bakken) F nap-APU, F ADR S F nap-APU.

RUSSIA (Drane) A SEV-mos, A UKR S A SEV-mos, A vie S Turkish A TRI(d,r bud,otb).TURKEY (Rothchild) A TRI S Russian A vie, A SER S A TRI, A ALB S A TRI, F ION S Italian F nap-tyn(nso), F GRE S F ION, F AEG S F ION, F EAS S F ION, A con-BUL.

Deadline for Fall, 1910 is 9PM EST Friday, April 22, 1988. All of the proposals were defeated. A 5-way draw is now proposed.

1987F

The Blue Parrot

Summer, 1907

Ger: A vie r tyo(a). Ita: A tri r tyo(a).

Fall, 1907

AUSTRIA (*Rusnak*) A VIE S Italian A tyo(imp,nsu), A BUD S A VIE, A ALB-tri, A SER S A ALB-tri, F TRI H.ENGLAND (*Acheson*) F IRI S French F WES-mid(nso), A lvp-EDI, A wal-LON.FRANCE (*Richter*) F eng-MID, F tun-NAF, F WES S F eng-MID, A par-GAS, F tyn-LYO, F MAR H.GERMANY (*Hood*) A UKR S Turkish F RUM, A GAL-bud, A BOH-vie, A tyo S A BOH-vie(nsu), A SIL-boh, F NWG-nat, A BUR S A pic-PAR, A pic-PAR, A bel-PIC, F nth-ENG, F hol-BEL, F NAT-mid.ITALY (*Chen*) A VEN H, F rom-NAP.TURKEY (*Davis*) A arm-SEV, F RUM S A arm-SEV, F bul(sc)-GRE, F con-AEG, A SMY H.

Deadline for Spring, 1908 is 9PM EST Friday, April 22, 1988. In Summer, 1907, German and Italian armies both attempted to retreat to Tyrolia. Thus, both were annihilated. The proposed concession to Germany was defeated. It is again proposed.

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1987F supply center chart - 1907

AUSTRIA	bud, ser, gre , ven , sm , VIE, TRI	4, -1
ENGLAND	lon, lvp, edi	3, even
FRANCE	par , bre, mar, spa, por, tun	5, -1
GERMANY	ber, kie, mun, den, hol, swe, war, mos, nwy, stp, bel, yl , PAR	12, +1
ITALY	rom, nap, yl , VEN	3, +1
TURKEY	con, ank, sev, rum, bul, SMY, GRE	7, +2

PRESS — Austria to Italy: It's going to be interesting to see which is more important to you, setting up a stalemate line that guarantees you part of a draw or revenge and a loss.

London to Berlin: It's sad to see you with that many centres after '07. You're lucky that I wasn't in this game at the start, or I'd be kicking your butt all over the board.

_____ Your sub has expired. Please renew.

_____ Please standby in

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