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DIPLOMACY STANDARD ABBREVIATIONS:

BOT - Gulf of Bothnia LPL - Liverpool LYO - Gulf of Lyon LVN - Livonia
NAF - North Africa NAT - North Atlantic NRG - Norwegian Sea NTH - North Sea
NWY - Norway TRL - Tyrolia TYN - Tyrrhenian Sea

All others use the first three letters of their province name.

DIPLOMACY GAME 2 1916 WINTER BUILDS:

LAST ISSUE'S ERRORS: ITALY GETS TWO BUILDS, NOT ONE AS PREVIOUSLY INDICATED (GAINS PARIS AND HOLLAND)

RETREATS: *ENGLAND - DISBAND A RUH

RUSSIA: ELIMINATED, FALL 1905

TURKEY: ELIMINATED, FALL 1911

ITALY: BUILDS A ROM, F NAP

AUS/HU: NONE

FRANCE: ELIMINATED, FALL 1916

GERMAN: ELIMINATED, FALL 1907

ENGLAN: NONE

NOTES: *=NO ORDERS SUBMITTED, DEFAULT ORDERS

STATUS: (PLAYER NAME)COUNTRY(SUPPLY CENTERS/UNITS); V=OWNED, BUT VACANT; O=OWNED, BUT OCCUPIED BY ANOTHER NATION; *=OCCUPIED, BUT NOT YET OWNED(*,O - SPRING ONLY); #=UNIT DISLODGED, MUST RETREAT OR DISBAND; ?=OWNERSHIP DEPENDS ON RETREATS(FALL ONLY)

(FORD)RUSSIA(0/0): ELIMINATED, FALL 1905

(McCARROLL)TURKEY(0/0): ELIMINATED, FALL 1911

(CORNETT)ITALY(16/16): V MAR, V SPA, A ROM, V TUN, F NAP, V POR, V SMY, F NRG, F CON, F ION, F SKA, F BRE, V LPL, A VEN, V EDI, V LON, F ENG, F TYN, A GAS, A BEL, F NTH, A PAR, F ADR, A HOL

(MacRAE)AUS/HU(15/15): A RUM, V BUL, V BUD, A VIE, V TRI, F ALB, A SER, F AEG, A SEV, A ANK, F GRE, A TRL, A MOS, V WAR, V BER, A MUN, A STP, A FIN, A KIE, A RUH

(LEWIS)FRANCE(0/0): ELIMINATED, FALL 1916

(ELIAS)GERMAN(0/0): ELIMINATED, FALL 1907

(ZARTOLAS)ENGLAN(3/2): F DEN, V SWE, A NWY

SPRING 1917 MOVES ARE DUE OCT 1, 1983.

DIPLOMACY GAME 3. 1909 SPRING MOVES:

LAST ISSUE'S ERRORS: NONE REPORTED.

RETREATS: N/A

RUSSIA: A MOS S A UKR, A UKR S A WAR¹, A WAR S A UKR, F STP(NC)-NWY, F NWY-SKA, A RUH-KIE², A KIE-BER³

TURKEY: ELIMINATED, FALL 1903

ITALY: A SEV HOLDS, F BLA S A SEV, A TRL-MUN⁴, A PIE-MAR⁵, F ROM-TUS, F ION-TYN, F LYO S A PIE-MAR⁶, F TUN-WES⁷, F BRE-GAS, F NAT-IRI, *F WES HOLDS

AUS/HU: A MUN-BER⁸, A GAL S A RUM-UKR, A RUM-UKR⁹, A BUD-RUM¹⁰, A BOH-SIL, A VIE-BOH, A SIL-PRU

FRANCE: A PAR-BRE, F MAR-LYO, A SPA-MAR¹¹, A POR-SPA¹², A BEL-BUR
GERMAN: ELIMINATED, FALL 1907
ENGLAN: F CLY S F NRG¹³, F NRG-NAT, F ENG S A PAR-BRE, F NTH-NRG, F HOL-NTH
NOTES: *=DEFAULT ORDERS, NO ORDERS SUBMITTED.

- 1) Standoff two-to-three. Unit does not move, but support is cut.
- 2) Illegal order, Target province not vacant. Unit does not move.
- 3) Standoff one-to-one. Unit does not move.
- 4) Standoff one-to-one. Unit does not move.
- 5) Standoff one-to-one. Unit does not move.
- 6) Illegal Order. No such unit exists.
- 7) Illegal order, Target province not vacant. Unit does not move.
- 8) Standoff one-to-one. Unit does not move.
- 9) Standoff two-to-three. Unit does not move.
- 10) Illegal order, Target province not vacant. Unit does not move.
- 11) Standoff one-to-one. Unit does not move.
- 12) Illegal order, Target province not vacant. Unit does not move.
- 13) Illegal Order, The supported unit moved.

MESSAGES: Address Changes: Ethan Gallogly, Chandler Room 406 Box 218, University of Connecticut, Storrs CT 06268

Alex Whitney, 1870 S. High St., Centennial Halls Rm 7125, Denver CO 80210.

NOTE: Please remember to write to all active players. Also, you have an obligation to each other to write in return when your opponents writes to you. Diplomacy is not much of a game when you do not write to one another and even worse when you fail to submit moves.

STATUS: (PLAYER NAME)COUNTRY(SUPPLY CENTERS/UNITS), SEE ABOVE FOR CODES.
 GALLOGLY)RUSSIA(7/7): V SWE, V STP(NC), A MOS, A WAR, F NWY, V DEN, A UKR, A KIE, A RUH, F SKA
 (McCARROLL)TURKEY(0/0): ELIMINATED, FALL 1903
 (CUNNINGHAM)ITALY(10/10): F TUN, V ROM, V VEN, V NAP, V CON, V SMY, V GRE, V ANK, F WES, O BRE, F IRI, F BLA, F TYN, A TRL, A SEV, A PIE, F GAS, F TUS
 (WHITNEY)AUS/HU(7/7): V VIE, V BUL, A BUD, A RUM, V TRI, A MUN, V SER, A GAL, A BOH, A SIL, A PRU
 (BAHL)FRANCE(5/5): V MAR, V PAR, A SPA, V BEL, A POR, *A BRE, F LYO, A BUR
 (BERNARD)GERMAN(0/0): ELIMINATED, FALL 1907
 (RICHARDS)ENGLAN(5/5): V EDI, V LON, V HOL, F NRG, F CLY, V BER, V LPL, F ENG, F NTH, F NAT

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DIPLOMACY GAME 4. 1906 WINTER BUILDS:

LAST ISSUE'S ERRORS: NONE REPORTED.
 RETREATS: *ITALY - DISBANDS F ION
 RUSSIA: ELIMINATED, FALL 1904
 TURKEY: BUILD F SMY
 ITALY: NONE SUBMITTED
 AUS/HU: NONE
 FRANCE: ELIMINATED, FALL 1904
 GERMAN: BUILD A MUN
 ENGLAN: NONE

NOTES: *=NO ORDERS SUBMITTED, DEFAULT ORDERS

Messages: Address Change for Alex Whitney(see above).

STATUS: (PLAYER NAME)COUNTRY(SUPPLY CENTERS/UNITS), SEE ABOVE FOR CODES.

(BERKOWITZ)RUSSIA(0/0): ELIMINATED, FALL 1904
 (KLEIMAN)TURKEY(8/8): V CON, V ANK, F SMY, F NAP, F BLA, F GRE, A BUL, A RUM, A SEV, F ION
 (GOODWIN)ITALY(3/2): A VEN, V ROM, F TUN
 (WHITNEY)AUS/HU(3/3): A BUD, V VIE, A GAL, A SER
 (DOYLE)FRANCE(0/0): ELIMINATED, FALL 1904

(CERETTA)GERMAN(10/10): V DEN, F SWE, V HOL, A MAR, V KIE, V BER, A MUN, A MOS, A WAR, A BUR, A UKR, A PIE, A SIL, A TRI
(LEWIS)ENGLAN(10/10): F NWY, V BEL, V LON, V LPL, V EDI, F MID, A STP, A PAR, F ENG, F NTH, A BRE, A SPA, V POR, F WES, F TYN

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DIPLOMACY GAME 5 IS NOW Closed. Notices have been sent to all players. Note, however, that Alex Whitney has a new college address: 1870 S. High St., Centennial Halls Rm 712 S, Denver CO 80210. Also, Brian Beck has a new college address : 31 McAlister Dr., Box 96, New Orleans LA 70118. This "local" game turns out to be not quite so local, after all.

DIPLOMACY GAME 6 IS OPENED AND RESERVED FOR NGAP (NORTHEAST GAMING ASSOCIATION PLAYOFF CLUBS). EACH CLUB MUST DESIGNATE ONE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY TO SUBMIT MOVES ON BEHALF OF THE CLUB. ONLY THAT PERSON MAY SUBMIT MOVES, BUT MULTIPLE SIGNATURES OF CLUB OFFICERS IS ENCOURAGED TO AUTHENTICATE THE MOVES.

IN ALL OTHER RESPECTS, THE GAME WILL BE RUN THE SAME AS ANY OTHER PBM DIPLOMACY GAME WITH RESULTS PUBLISHED MONTHLY IN THE GAMER'S 'ZINE.

THE FEE FOR THE GAME IS \$8 PER CLUB. ALSO, AT LEAST ONE MEMBER OF THE CLUB SHOULD SUBSCRIBE TO THE ZINE(SEE THE RATES ON PAGE ONE).

One club has signed up for this game so far: MHV GAMES CLUB (Wappingers Falls, NY)

DIPLOMACY GAME NUMBER 7 IS NOW OPEN. THIS GAME IS RESERVED AS A NATIONAL PLAYER'S GAME. NO MORE THAN TWO PLAYERS FROM THE SAME TELEPHONE AREA CODE WILL BE PERMITTED INTO THIS GAME. INDIVIDUALS INTERESTED IN SIGNING UP FOR THIS GAME SHOULD SUBMIT AN \$8 ENTRY FEE TO THE GAMER'S 'ZINE, 27 MARK STREET, MILFORD, CT, 06460. A SUBSCRIPTION IS NECESSARY TO RECEIVE THE ZINE, BUT NOT OTHERWISE REQUIRED. SEE THE SUBSCRIPTION RATES ON PAGE ONE. THREE PLAYERS HAVE SIGNED UP FOR THIS GAME: CARTIER(CA), BERNARD(CT), BAHM(WA)

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SOURCE OF THE NILE

PLAYER'S LIST: INCLUDES ADDITIONS, DELETIONS AND CORRECTIONS.

| Player Name | Syndicate Name | Explorer Name | Speciality | Disadvantages(d) Advantages(a) | Nationality | V P | F P |
|-------------------|---|---------------------------------|------------|---|-------------|--------|--------|
| Jeff Cornett | Viana-do-Castelo Coptic Church of Astrology | Dr. Cornellius Cox | Doctor | Survivality(d) | Portuguese | 15 | 4 |
| David MacRae | The Church of the Water(Unblended) of Life | Alfred H. McGuffin | Journalist | Survivality(d) | Scottish | 3 | 0 |
| Sue Cornett | Paris Museum of Interesting Specimens | Mademoiselle Roxy LaRue | Zoologist | Double Physique(d) Survivality(a) Health(a) | French | 4 | 2 |
| Chuck Holleman | Societe Des Pierres et Choses Neat de Geneva | Orte'go de Dago | Ethnology | Health(d) | Portuguese | 0 | 0 |
| Pam Holleman | The Molasses and Sorghum Pharmaceutical Institute | Dr. Hypo Guy Cemia | Physician | Physique(d) Survivality(a) | French | 13 | 5 |
| Doug Ford | Dublin Ethnological Survey | Prof. Patric William O'Foran | Ethnology | Survivality(d) | Irish | 2 | 1 |
| Lou Cerreta | La Explorazione del 'la Aqua Vitae | Guido Vittorio Sconzinese | Missionary | Survivality(d) | Italian | 0 | 0 |
| Steve Harris | Zuriches Geologisches Institut | Prof. Humbert Humbert | Geology | Physique(d) | Swiss | 0 | 0 |

NOTES FROM THE JOURNAL OF THE ROYAL ZOOLOGICAL SOCIETY - Edited by LORD HARRISON BURKE, Summer, 1829.

NOTE: ALL items in this column are RUMOR, therefore they are subject to error. No piece of information may be considered accurate until published by the explorer upon return to Europe.

- IN AFRICA

Paris rejoices as MADEMOISELLE ROXY LaRUE leaves for Africa. Having had enough of Paris and the uninteresting specimens of the streets of Paris, Roxy has taken her money and left for Port Elizabeth. Rumors have it that she plans to organize a mounted expedition and ride "north - out into the wilds of Africa." It is also reported that upon her arrival in Port Elizabeth she proceeded to pick out the "studs" that she will ride into the wilds of Africa. Roxy will discover whether or not the Boer are boring. It requires a bribe of 1 gift to trade with Boers. Muskets and horses had a value of 5 gifts. Guides hire on for 1 gift. Rations sell for 3 gifts each.

Dr. CORNELLIUS COX's canoes(fancy European racing shells) head up the coast of Africa towards a rumored goal of the mouth of the Himpopo river, to follow the stars and the footsteps of other great explorers. He moves through hexes 656->657->648-> ending in hex 637, a veldt hex just south of Laurence Marques, which he does not want to enter. His hunters provide the expedition with 2 rations each. Dr. Cox feels that rowing in the ocean has tuned his crew of bearers into a lean rowing machine. He is very anxious to meet another explorer to challenge to a race.

Prof. HUMBERT spends this turn searching for Geological specimens in hex 471, which is veldt. The professor is unsuccessful in his search and spends most of the turn staring at a crushed and broken sandal, wishing for the owner to come and fill it. His hunters provide the expedition with one ration each this turn.

DOCTOR HYPO GUY CEMIA, wandering back towards civilization and Bon-bons, moves from hex 94 into hex 95, which is veldt. The good doctor, still in a haze induced by the lack of sugar, is greeted by the chief of the Fulah tribe which he visited on the way into the desert. The good doctor approaches the 8 warriors of the Fulah tribe in an open friendly manner. The chief remembered the good doctor and asks the good doctor for some of those "goodies" he was given last time. The good doctor may negotiate next turn. Bearers hire on for 4 gifts each. Askaris hire on for 2 gifts each. A guide will hire on for 3 gifts, and 1 gift will buy 1 ration.

Rumors still persist that a crazed white man is wandering down the Ogove river heading for Calabar, but this is unconfirmed for now. We hope that ORTE'GO DE DAGO is indeed alive and well in hex 234, a published jungle hex.

Headline - London Times "Africa one large mountain range" - McGuffin.

Headline - Daily News "McGuffin discovers 17,500 ft mountain"

ALFRED H. MCGUFFIN decides that Africa is one large mountain range. He discovers a previously unknown cache, consisting of a canoe, 10 gifts, and 1 musket. He decides to cache his 4 gifts and move on into hex 430. He finds that hex 430 is another mountain hex with peaks of 17,500 ft and a river source heading in direction 5 into hex 429.

Prof. O'FORAN moves West across the desert hexes 170->169->168 which are desert without an oasis. He is forced to kill one camel to avoid starvation.

GUIDO VITTORIO SCONZINESE continues to follow his river with absolute faith that it will lead him to the mouth of the Nile. He follows it into hex 229, which is a veldt hex and the river turns West in direction 5 into hex 228. He discovers nothing of interest but does manage to provide himself with one ration.

SOTN - STATUS OF THE EXPEDITIONS:

| Explorer | Askaris | Bearers | Guides | Canoes | Rations | Gifts | Muskets | Location | Last | #turns ride | pack | Mount | Mount | Cmls |
|------------|--------------------------|---------|--------|--------|---------|-------|---------|----------|------|-------------|------|-------|-------|------|
| Cox | 6 | 16 | 1 | 2 | 103 | 50 | 4 | 637 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| McGuffin | 13 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 430 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| LaRue | arrives - Port Elizabeth | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| O'Foran | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 168 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 |
| Dago | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 234 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Cemia | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 95 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 |
| Sconzinese | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 229 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Humbert | 6 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 27 | 1 | 471 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

KNOWN CACHES:

| # | OWNER | LOC | CONTENTS |
|---|----------|-----|--------------------------------|
| 1 | Twombly | 532 | 25 Gifts, 2 Muskets, 1 Canoe |
| 2 | O'Foran | 211 | 31 Rations |
| 3 | Dago | 260 | 1 Canoe, 1 Gift |
| 4 | McBuns | 182 | 1 Canoe |
| 5 | Twombly | 523 | 2 Canoes, 17 Gifts |
| 6 | Twombly | 521 | 20 Rations |
| 7 | Humbert | 452 | 20 Gifts, 5 Rations, 2 Muskets |
| 8 | Humbert | 471 | 15 Gifts, 4 Rations |
| 9 | McGuffin | 431 | 1 Canoe, 16 gifts, 1 Musket |

Newly Published Hexes

| Hex | Terrain | Features | river direction | Publisher |
|------|---------|----------|-----------------|-----------|
| None | this | turn | | |

Players are reminded to submit their next move by September 28, 1983, to THE ROYAL ZOOLOGICAL SOCIETY, PO BOX 2004, DARIEN, CT., 06820

EN GARDE!

| month | wk. | Pierre Bezukhov | Jean-Paul Joeffrey Bic | Jacques deLampalle | Jacques Diderot | Louis Dubois | Beauregard Frontenac | Francois Jardin |
|--------|-----|------------------------------------|------------------------|---|-------------------------------|--|--|--|
| June | 1 | Join Hunter's & car. | Visit mistress | Volunteer to go on campaign | On campaign with 1st Division | Vol. to lead Royal North Highland Regiment on campaign | Volunteer to take battalion and ask Colonel to vol. the regiment | Volunteer regiment to go on campaign with the Royal North Highland Border Regiment |
| | 2 | Court mistress | Practice with rapier | with the Royal North Highland Border Regiment | " | " | " | " |
| | 3 | Visit mistress | " | " | " | " | " | " |
| | 4 | car. @ Hunter's w/ mist. | " | " | " | " | " | " |
| July | 1 | Carouse at Hunter's | Visit mistress | " | " | " | " | " |
| | 2 | Visit mistress | Practice with rapier | " | " | " | " | " |
| | 3 | Carouse at Hunter's | " | " | " | " | " | " |
| | 4 | Visit Bawdy-house | " | " | " | " | " | " |
| August | 1 | Car. & gam. @ Hunter's w/ mistress | " | " | " | " | " | " |
| | 2 | Carouse at Hunter's | " | " | " | " | " | " |
| | 3 | " | " | " | " | " | " | " |
| | 4 | " | Court mistress | " | " | " | " | " |
| | 5 | Wrestle a bear | Court mistress | " | " | " | " | " |

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Corrections to the last Zine: M. Bic's Mention Points should have been 20,9,9(7) I have no dueling orders for the following:Bezukhov, deLampalle, Jardin, Matusse or Terrault and those for Lafayette and Dubois contain no provision for surren Rules Additions, Deletions, Modifications And Clarifications:

- 1) The Field Marshall, in addition to the appointments he makes, approves all promotions (a roll is still made to see who will be recommended for promotion but it is up to the Field Marshall to accept of reject the recommendation for for the promotion) if nothing is received from the Field Marshall it will be assumed that the promotion has been accepted.

Orders for Influence, etc. are due no later than Wednesday Sept. 28, 1983

| | Etienne Lafayette | Nicholas LeFleur | EN GARDE! Reynold Matusse | Terrault | Nicolas Van Rijn |
|----------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|---|--------------------------------------|
| June 1 | Carouse @ BW with mistress | Visit mistress | Volunteer to go on campaign with a frontier regiment | On campaign with own regiment. | Practice with sabre " |
| 2 | " | Practice with sabre | " | " | " |
| 3 | " | " | " | " | " |
| 4 | Car. & gam. @ BW with mistress | " | " | " | Visit MR with mistress |
| July 1 | Join MR & visit mistress | Visit mistress | " | " | Reapply for Minister of State |
| 2 | Pracice with rapier | Practice with sabre | " | " | Practice with sabre |
| 3 | " | " | " | " | " |
| 4 | " | " | " | " | Visit MR with mistress |
| August 1 | Carouse @ MR w/ mistress | Toady for Van Rijn @ MR & car. | " | " | Visit MR w/ mistress & LeFleur |
| 2 | " | " | " | " | " |
| 3 | " | " | " | " | " |
| 4 | " | " | " | " | " |
| 5 | Car. & gam. @ MR with mistress | " & gamble w/ mistress | " | " | " |
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Le Gossipe Parisienne

PEASANTS REVOLT UNDER BURDEN OF HEAVY TAXES, DRIVE ARMY FROM THE FIELD (GP):
 When the King refused to heed the advice of his Minister of State to reduce the taxes the situation in the provinces became volatile and the economy measures of sending only 3 brigades out to keep the peace gave the peasants the courage to refuse to pay any taxes at all. Attempts by tax collectors to intimidate the populace were met with violence and when the First Army was sent out to enforce the taxation edicts they were driven ignominiously from the field by pitchfork bearing citizens. Further emboldened by their victory the peasants then attacked the 2nd Army which had been sent to cover the retreat of the 1st Army and sent them fleeing after their comrades. The King is NOT pleased and suspects a plot.