

# GRAUSTARK 163½

Due to a mimeograph breakdown, John Boardman was unable to publish Graustark #164 on 20 July 1968 as planned. He therefore sent the adjudicated moves to John McCallum, who is taking over the Graustark games until Boardman's return from California. The Canadian postal strike intervened, however, and so Boardman sent me a copy of the moves, and asked me to pass them on to the players. The moves involved follow this brief message.

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THE DEADLINE FOR NEXT MOVES is set at two weeks past the ending of the Canadian postal strike. Therefore, keep an ear out for the settlement date.

Now, to the games:

----- "Fall 1912, Game 1967U" -----

GERMANY: A StP (S) ITALIAN A Fin-Lvn; F Both (C) ITALIAN A Fin -  
(M. Miller) Lvn; F Bal-Ber; A Ber-Mun; A Ruh, A Kie & A Bur (S)  
A Ber-Mun

ITALY: F Nwy (S) GERMAN A StP; A Fin-Lvn; A Pie-Tyr; A Rom-Apu;  
(Clark) F Nap (S) A Rom-Apu; F Tyr (S) F Nap; A Tus-Ven;  
F Lyon-Tus; F Tun-Ion

RUSSIA: A Mun-hold; A Pru & A Mos (A) TURKISH A Lvn; A Ukr-War  
(G. Heap)

TURKEY: A Boh & A Sil (S) RUSSIAN A Mun; A Lvn (S) ITALIAN  
(Peshara) A Fin-StP; A Ven-Pie; A Tyr (S) A Ven-Pie; A Tri-Ven;  
F Ape (S) A Tri-Ven; F Adr (S) F Apu; F Ion-hold;  
F Aeg & F Gro (S) F Ion.

Italy retreats A Pie-Mar, and the Russian army in Munich is annihilated. Note the in the "Spring 1912" moves published in Graustark #163 the Russian "A Ser-Ukr" should be "A Sev-Ukr." The High

Combatant Powers now control the following supply centers:

GERMANY: Bel, Ber, Den, Edi, Hol, Kie, Mun, Par, StP, Swe ((10))

ITALY: Bre, Ivp, Ion, Mar, Nap, Nwy, Por, Rom, Spa, Tun ((10))

RUSSIA: Mos, Sev, War ((3))

TURKEY: Ank, Bud, Bul, Con, Gre, Rum, Ser, Smy, Tri, Ven, Vie((11))

Germany could build three new units, and Italy could build one, except that neither power has a home supply center free. The next moves due will be for SPRING 1913.

----- "Fall 1910, Game 1967VH" -----

ENGLAND: A Den-Lvn; F Bal (C) A Den-Lvn; F Both (S) A Den-Lvn;  
(Lebling) F StP(nc)-hold; A Fin (S) F StP(nc); F Eng-Mid; A Lon-Nwy

FRANCE: A Kie & F Tun-hold; A Ruh (S) A Kie; A Hol-Bel; A Fur-  
(Frosnitz) Mun; A Mar-Pie; F Lvo (S) A Mar-Pie; F Wes (S) F Lyon;  
F Nta (C) ENGLISH A Lon-Nwy

GERMANY: F Pru (S) AUSTRIAN A Lvn; A Ber (S) AUSTRIAN A Hun (M. Thomson)

AUSTRIA: A Lvn (S) GERMAN F Pru; A Sil (S) GERMAN A Ber; A Boh (H. Anderson) A Tyr (S) A Mun; A Ven (S) A Pie; F Alb (S) TURKISH F Adr-Ion; A Mun & A Pie-hold

TURKEY: F Tyr & A Apu-hold; A Bul-hold; F Rom, F Nap & F Tus (S. Hoop) (S) F Tyr; F Adr-Ion; A Mos (S) AUSTRIAN A Lvn

The powers control the same supply centers as at the end of "1909" (see Graustark #161) except that Moscow has been transferred from Austria-Hungary to Turkey. Austria-Hungary must remove one unit, and Turkey may build one. The next moves due will thus be those for WINTER 1910.

----- "Winter 1904, Game 1968G" -----

GERMANY (Koning): Remove A Mar RUSSIA(Prosnitz) Bld.A Mos,F StP(mc)  
ITALY (Childers): Remove F Alb, F Tyr TURKEY(Lebling) Bld. F Smy, F Con

The next moves due are those for SPRING 1905. Derek Nelson, the standby player, is still directed to submit moves for Frande.

----- "Winter 1904, Game 1968J" -----

NOTE: England should have been credited with possession of Sweden after "1904."

ENGLAND(H. Anderson): Builds F Lon, F Edi, A Lvp NEXT MOVES DUE  
GERMANY (Naus): Removes F Pic, A Pru ARE THOSE FOR  
ITALY (M. Thomson): Builds A Ven SPRING 1905.  
AUSTRIA-HUNGARY (Latimer): Builds A Vie  
RUSSIA (Grayson): Removes A Pru.

With the inclusion of this page, stab becomes, very briefly, the oldest postal diplomacy magazine in existence. Thanks, John Boardman, for the opportunity. -- John Koning

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Note correction in 1968 G (Graustark)

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