

# HAI! JIKAI!

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THE JESTER AT SCAR

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Welcome once again to Hai! Jikai!, a sub-zine with game openings. It's published by Mark S. Keller, 9536 Shumway Drive, Orangevale, CA 95662. Ph: (916) 988-7224

I have game openings in: **Regular Dip**, Bourse, Apposition, Bio-War, Fiat Lux, Hyborian Age II, New Improved Extra Strength Dip, Sword and Sorcery Dip, Time Distortion Dip, and Treachery. Bourse is free, all others have a \$2.00 game fee (I have removed the NMR deposit). I need standbys.

## Signed Up

Regular: Givan, Howorth, Crow

Bourse: Langley?, Luedi?, Coldiron?

Variant: Coldiron, McCloud, Crow, Williams, Luedi?

Standby: McCloud(R&V)

1982Erm22/WW\_I/Segesthes (This is the new home of this Jihad orphan)

**Game Notes:** The game is delayed. I failed to receive orders from Davis and Duerr. Since this is the first season under a new GM, I'm going to chalk this up to possible confusion. Both were sent postcards on the day after deadline asking them to get in orders ASAP. Therefor there are two deadlines for Spring 04. If they both get in orders by Thur Dec 9, I will adjudicate then and mail a mid-monthly game report on Friday with a deadline of Sat Dec 1, 1983 for Fall 04. ZAT for Spring 04 (or Fall 04\*) is Saturday January 1, 1983. \*-see game notes

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Sca: Mark Luedi, PO Box 986, Chesterton, Ind 46304 (see below)

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Until I write a more complete set, I will be using the Magus houserules with the following changes:

- (1) Game Fee is \$2.00
- (5) I will use neutral orders in Regular Dip.
- (6) Deadlines will normally be the Saturday before the Magus deadline.
- (14) I will follow the badly written order rule.
- (17) I will allow the unwanted convoy to disrupt a land move.
- (19) Phone deadline is noon on the deadline day.
- (23) I won't be giving free issues of Magus to standbys.

And now a few words about the telephone. The best times to try and reach me are 6-8PM PST on weeknights and 9AM-Noon PST on weekends. No calls after midnight. Don't be offended if I don't accept your collect call - I don't accept them from anybody.

A special note to players in games I GM. I prefer to receive orders by mail but I'll take them by phone if I'm home. I'll try and be in during the suggested time listed above on deadline day, but make no guarantees. Phoned orders must be given to me personally. I will not make NMR calls if you don't get in your orders by the deadline.

The first issue of *The Two Faces of Tomorrow* will probably be out in early January. If you have a computer that you use or want to use in some aspect of playing Diplomacy - I want to hear from you! Subs will be about \$.30 per issue. I plan to publish whenever I have enough material (min. of 3-4 / year).

Now on to the Quiz answers.

1.1 Q: What does Hai! Jikai! mean?

A: It is a phrase from my favorite Sci-Fi series. Here is the translation. Hai! means High. Jikai!: a word of complex meaning; used in different forms means: Kill! or Bravo! warrior; a noble feat of arms, and many related concepts to do with honor and pride and warrior-status. A Jikai! may be given for a heroic deed; the High Jikai! is extraordinarily difficult to win.

2.1 Q: What is the minimum number of units on the board at the end of 01?

A: 14!

2.2-2.7 Q: 02? 03? 04? 05? 06? 07?

A: 02/7, 03/5, 04/4, 05/1, 06/1, 07/1

4.1 Q: Which of the great powers can be eliminated in 1901?

A: Austria, France, and Germany.

Special thanks to Mark Coldiron for the well worked out answers to 2.1-2.7. A couple of people sent in answers this time - none right though.

The new TV season is well under way now. Of the networks' new offerings a few that are special are:

*Tucker's Witch* - The best new show this season (and also one of the quickest cancelled). I suggest you see this one when you get a chance before it is gone forever. It's about a husband and wife detective team with a twist, the wife is a witch. It's well acted and fun.

*Tales of the Gold Monkey* - Steve talked about this one last time and I agree, a very fun show to watch.

*Remington Steele* - Private detectives again. This time it's an agency with a non-existing boss who shows up.

*Knight Rider* - Suffers from inconsistent writing and acting. But it's worth seeing (if only for a while) because of the car.

*Gavalin* - Shows some promise, but I've only seen it a couple of times.

I've received a couple of samples this month, *Auduin* #14 and *No Fixed Address* #3. Both are digest size with good repro. They have a number of games in progress, but appear to have no current openings. Both have active letter columns. Here are their addresses and rates. *Auduin*, Eric Kane, 109 Hicks Lane, Great Neck, NY 11024, 10/\$6.00. *No Fixed Address*, Steve Hutton, 103 Dunbar Rd S, Waterloo, Ont, Canada, N2L 2E4, 10/\$6.00.

No rules to a variant this time. Maybe next time I'll do two.

Now the part you've all been waiting for - the quiz!

5.1 What does Segesthes mean?

5.2 What are the first names of the four inhabitants of the Tucker's house on *Tucker's Witch*?

5.3 On *Tales of the Gold Monkey* what is Jake's plane named? What is Sarah's profession?

5.4 On *Knight Rider* what does KITT stand for? How about KARR?

5.5 What are the first and last names, both real and character, for the inhabitants of *The Apartment* on *Three's Company*?

That's all for now. Hope to see you at Steve's FTF New Years party.