JOHNUS # 4 Dec., 1973

This here think-a-ma-boobie is for carrying games of postal DIPLO-MACY. The players must, however, have been christened (or athiized as the case may be), John. Game fees are 3 smackers a piece, and subs are 7/51.

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Last Issue, a new game was started, and today Irecieved the Board-man number. C'est 1973-HI. Would the players please use this number on all future correspondance (if any!).

1973-HI SPRING 1901

AUSTRIA(Lceder): A Vie-Tri, A Bud-Ser, F Tri-Alb ENGLAND(Winters): F Edi-Nwg, F Lon-Nth, A Liv-Yor FRANCE(Carroll): A Mar S A Par-Bur, A Par-Bur, F Bre-Mid GERMANY(DePrisco?):NMR,MVN: F Kie-Den, A Ber-Kie, A Mum H ITALY(McKeon): A Ven H, A Rom-Nap, F Nap-Ion RUSSIA(Piggott): A War-Sil, A Mos-Ukr, F Sev-Rum, F St.P-Bot TURKEY(Britton): A Con-Bul, A Smy-Ank, F Ank-Con

Will John Morgan, Box 253, Lazo BC, VOR 2KO please submit orders for Germany in the ensuing turn? The deadline for Fall 1901 moves is Sat Dec. 29 1973. Note that the deadline is extended, due to mail tie-ups around Christmas time.

Hilite Press

Constantinopal(sic) Once upon a time, there was this excedingly kind Sultan of Turkey, and when he entered the First World Mar, he did an excedingly (make that 2 "e's") kind thing. He contacted all of the three most likely to be affected by him, and said very kind things to them. And two of those people wrote back. The kind reply of the two parties made the kind Sultan very pleased, but rather sad. The sadness was due to the non-reply of the third party. The Sultan was thus forced to form a rather displeasing foreign policy. And the Sultan said that if his letters continued to be unanswered, he would have to do some very unkind things. And they all lived happily ever after, except for one very misfortunate party.

Same Somewhere as last time- I don't mind telling you guys that John and I have an alliance... and I have a non-aggression pact with John. So watch it, John!

Moscow- Czar Ivan today approved the new punishment regulations for the Imperial Army. New penalties include the administering of smelling salts for fainting on parade, having one's name changed to Spiro Agnew for deserting to the enemy, and execution for talking about "going to the john".

Versailles to the other crowned heads of Europe- Let's face it, gang. We're in this for one thing: our names and prides. I am therefore announcing the touchstone of France policy in this game: anyone who mentions "Dear John" letters, or sends me a "Dear John" letter, will be stabbed the very next turn.

<u>Dijou</u>— There was once an itinnant (?) bean-curd salesman named Carr. He settled in Dijou after half a lifetime on the road, and set up a business where he could stay in one place, and raise a family. He decided to deal in plumbing supplies, especially reconditioned and recycled toilets. He went into business on a vacant patch of ground, and called it "Honest Carr's Used John Lot".

ADANACK # 3

To hell with the usual cheery hello; I'm in a hurry. This is brought to you by John Hulland, R.R. # 4, Guelph, Ont., Canada, NlH 6Jl. Subs are '/\$1. There are 2 openings in 473 BC and 6 in Algonquin Park Diplomacy. Game-fees are 2.50 a slot.

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1973 Wdu E.MAN BUILDS ARMY AT GOLAN NOT APHEK, AHKD GM'S MISTAKE!!

SPRING 1999

As it is impossible to build fleets at Zarepath, without depleting Aphek, the E.Man A was built in Golan, rather than Aphek last turn. This mistake was was my fault, so I hope I caused no one an inconvenience.

E.MAN- A Golan-Tob, F Zarepath-Sidion Sea, & Asher S A Zebulon, A Zebulon H, A Tabor S A Golan-Tob (Ronson)

W.MAN. - F Askelon-Dan, F Dor-Sharon Sea, A Ephriam-Shechem, A Shechem-Dothan, A Issachar-Shechem (Pimley)

GAD- A Rammoth Gilead-Jabesh Gilead, A Thebez H, A Ammon-Abel Shittem, A Reuben-Moab, F Abel Shittem-Sea of the Plain (Johnson)

JUDAH- A Simeon-Arab, A Bethleham-Socoh, F Sharon-Phillistine Sea, A Benjamin-Dan (Morgan)

Fall 1999% moves are due Sa. Dec. 29th, 1973.

Press:

Shechem- Which one of you guys was supposed to be my ally?

1972 AHdu GM GOES STARK RAVING MAD; TWO PLAYERS MISS Legion MOVES!!

245 Phase 2 244 Phase 1

ROME- (NRR) GM removes A Aquitane, Gaul, Switzerland, and F Marseilles. SYRIA- Places Ec. Fac. Asia

244 Phase 1

ROME(Greenwell??): F Rome(ec), Naples, & Cannes H

EGYPT(Walker): F Persia H, F Lower Egypt (nc)-Sinai(change to army), F Red Sea S F Lower Egypt-Sinai, F Cyrencia-Minoan Sea

CARTHAGE(Morgan): A Carthage S A Tripoli, A Tripoli H, F Open Sea-Bacatica, F West. Med. S F Open Sea-Bacatica, F Sicily H

SYRIA(Leeder): F East. Med. - Lower Egypt(nc), F Minoan Sea & F Sinai S F

East. Med. - Lower Egypt(nc), A Asia H, A Babylon - Persia,
F Sumer - Arabia, A Trans - Jordan S F Sumer - Arabia,

GREECE(Bennett?)(NMR): #2F's Étrusca, Adriatic, Illyria, Cen.Med.,
Aegean, Crete, Sparta, A Dacia H

SUPPLY CHARTS:

ROME: ROME*, NAPLES, CANNAE*, Switzerland Even

EXXET: CILICIA*, SYRIA*, ASSYRIA*, SUMER*, PALESTINE, ASIA*LOWER ECYPT,

SYRIA phoenicia, trans-jordan, babylon, cappadocia, arabia. Place 1*,

Build 1.

EGYPT: UPPER EGYPT*, CYRENCIA, PERSIA, sinai, Place 1*, Remove 1

GREECE: MACEDON*, ATHENS, SPARTA*, THRACE*, AEGEAN#, ILLYRIA, DACIA#,

CRETE, ETRUSCA. Place 1*, Even

CARTHAGE: NUMIDIA*CARTHAGE*, SICILY*, MORROCCO, BAECTICA#, sahara, tripoli#, Even

Phase 2,244 and Phase 1 moves are due Sat. Dec. 29.7973. Will

This is the postal Diplomacy 'zine, put out by John Hulland, R.R. 4, Guelph, Ont., Canada, N1H 6Jl. Subs are 7/\$1, and game fees are \$4 each. I have five regular slots still open.

Several of the players have been writing and asking if they owe me anything. The answer is yes, they owe me patience and possibly gratitude, but they don't owe me any monitary equivalent. When I adopted these games from Mark, he included a reasonable sum of money. Thus, I need not ask ye players for monitary assistence.

1972I GERMANS TAKE BRITISH UP ON OFFER, GM DOESN'T KNOW WHO FALL 1908 OWNS SPAIN, AND THE VOTE TO CONCEDE REAPPEARS!!

AUSTRIA(Gletty): A Vie S A Bud, A Bud S A Ser, A Ser S ITALIAN F Albé
Gre(NSO), F Tri H

ENGLAND(Cusack): F Lon H, RA Yor S F Lon

GERMANY (Weber): A Pic-Mal, F Eng C A Pic-Mal, F Nth-Edi, F Mid-MAt, A Par-Spa, A Gas S A Par-Bur, A Par-Bur, A Boh-Vie, A Tyr S A Boh-Vie, A Gal-Bud, A Ukr H, A Mos-St.P, A Sil-War

ITALY(Lind): A Gas retreated to Mar. A Non-Ven, F Tyr-Rom, F Nap S F Albion, F Alb-Ion, A Mar-Spa

RUSSIA(Leeder): A Rum S A Sev, A Sev S A Rum

TURKEY (Projansky): F Bla S RUSSIAN A Sev, A Bul S A Gre, A Gre H, F Eas-Ion, F Tun S F Mas-Ion, F Aeg S F Eas-Ion, A Apu-Nap

The Austrian A Vie is annihilated.

Supply Chart: (In this chart, I'm assuming that Italy owns Spain) ENGLAND- Liv.Lon (2)

GERMANY- Mun, Kie, Ber, Den, Hol, Nwy, Swe, Bel, St. P, Nos, Mar, Vie, Par, Bre, Por, Edi (16) Build 3

ITALY- Har, Ven, Rom, Nap, Spa (5)

TURKEY- Con, Ank, Smy, Bul, Gre, Bun (6) Remove 1

RUSSIA- Sev, Rum (2)

_AUSTRIA- Tri, Bud, Ser (3)

Since the moves are (read-builds are) relatively simple, I am asking for both Winter and Spring 1909 moves. The deadline for these moves is Sat. Dec. 29, 1973. Moves may be made conditional on the build/removals.

But wait! Arnold Proujansky has just called for a renewal of the offer to concede to Cermany. I would suggest that all of you carefully consider this, as it obvious that Weber can get two centres in England alone (giving him 18, right there).

Press follows game 72FF.

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1972-FF GM PLACES THREE UNITS IN WRONG PROVINCES; FRANCE BECOKES MEDITERRANEAN POWER!:

AUSTRIA (Bennett): A Ven-Pie, A Vie-Tyr, A Tri-Ven, F Gre S ITALIAN F Con-Aeg(NSO), F Alb-Tri, A Bud S ITALIAN A Rum-Gal(NSO)

ENGLAND (Forgan): F Edi-Nth (Hell, what can I lose?)

FRANCE(Drews): F Lon-Nth, A Yor-Edi, F LIV-Cly, F Mar-Lyo, F Spa(sc)-Wes, F Mid-NAf, A Gas-Bur

GERMANY(Johnson): A Rie-Den, <u>A Mar-Los</u>, <u>A Pru-ar</u>, A Sil-Boh, A Mun S A Sil-Boh, A FIN-St.P, F Nwy S A Fin-St,P, F Liv S A Fin-St.P

ITALY(Cece?): (NMR) F Adr & Tyr H

Oh yes. Before I forget, the Ausrian A Vie is annihilated.

1972 FFluf Press:

Noscow-Russia concedes all her territories to Turkey; that is, as much as you can grab before that greedy little (!) German puts his filthy paws all over clean Russian soil!

Edinburgh-((via the Czar)) The Loch Gletty monster was reportedly sighted not only once, but twice last fall and winter, near this Scottish

stronghold.

Reports ranged from a horrible, slobbering, flame-spouting dragon over 1000 feet in length, to a mild-mannered red coloured block of wood.

How in the name of holy Hulland will we ever solve such a controve ersy? Or are we going to take a fiff brained GN's word for it?

Paris- Our regrets to the Kaiser. We had a beautiful thing going, but the long lay-off changed all our thinking.

1972 Ivan Press:

Berlin- Dear Blair; sorry the game lasted so long. I really Didn't see any call for you to take London from Dear Lr. Fleming. Now I have to send some units your way...best hope for a concession; you may not last the entirety of the game. Best of luck. signed, da Laiser.

London- At long last, the British Isles are once again free of the fascist Frenchmen (sounds good anyway)...

... In a spontaneous statement at Westminster Abbey, the Queen, choked up with emotion and great relief said,... "Those French bastards deserved everything they got!"

Liverpool- Mr. Meber, you are welcome to as many centres as you wish, in the event that you can't obtain all you need down South.

Caucasia- Sweyn the Swine vows that he will never concede to the Teutons! (However, what he says and what he does are often widely at variance...)

Guelph- The vote for a concession was asked for by Proujansky, and has support of Cusack and Leeder. How about it ind and Gletty? I assume that ober will vote yes...

Anonymous- " Sorry Gletty"

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