NOW YOU CAN SEE FOR YOURSELF SS 1 1 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 3 5 5 5 BEEN TALKING ABOUT.

Phone:

Dave Carter: 416 221-8066 7PM-10PM.

Barry Hickey: 12:00 Noon - 2PM # available on request.

July 1983

By: Dave Carter, 118 Horsham ave.

Willowdale, ONT,

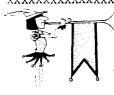
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can be used at home to reverse the pull of gravity. It also improves circulation and gives you

PARENTAL

GUIDANCE



On Friday June 3rd at 5:37 PM Adam James Carter was born. At 61bs 7 ozs he wasn't the biggest baby born that day but since he came out in a breech position it was just as well.

Julie is fine and adjusting just great to having another a baby around the house. Adam had a few problems due to coming out head last and a slight case of jaundice but he is now over 71bs and thriving.

Of course, it hasn't been the same around here since he was born. He has to be fed every 3 hours still and dirty diapers have to be changed and hiccups have to be soothed and sometimes he just wants to be picked up and cuddled.....sigh...

My thanks to all who offered congratulations and in answer to the many many many enquiries.... No, I havn't had too many SLEEPLESS NIGHTS.

MWMMM STOP IF YOU'RE OFFENDED BY SEMI-NUDITY

WARNING: sometimes the humor in here gets a little wird (Sometimes my spelling does too). If you do not wish to read racsist shit and gross humour do not turn the zine upside down to read it.

If you cannot find your game report please contact me before the next deadline. The index on P1 should help you find it.

Standby list: Hickey, Ashley, Cusack, Acheson, Kane, Jewett, Anderson, Lowes, Gautron, Jung, Punches, Sampson, Jensen, Torres, Head, Paulson, Winslow, Watson, Bennett, Rauterberg, Keller. E Innes Jr. Standbies are assigned on the basis of how few games you are in in SK

Addressupdates and new blood:

Robert Jewett: 101 Cooper lane, Stafford, Virginia, 22554 : US of A. James M Briggs: 5940 Redbrook Rd, San Diego, CA, 92117, USA. Edward Innes Jr: 97 Moffatt Dr, Cambridge, Ontario, Canada, N1R 6C1

Robert tells me that he has moved out of barracks and into a suburb of Washington DC. Edward was told of SK by Bruce Linsey which just goes to show you how observant Bruciepoo is.

ROMENY - French Language regular dip with Yves Lagimoniere as GM. 2 signed up - 5 needed. Game_Openings: No sub is necessarry for this game. I'll mail it for the postage costs. Gamefee \$2. SUFFOK - reg dip with Barry Hickey as GM. Ed Innes Jr, E Carter and Bob Acheson(?) 4 more needed.

Rail Baron 4 - PBM Rail Baron with moi as GM; Hickey and E Carter signed. 4 more needed. Gamefee \$2. 5 - as above. Hickey and E Carter signed (These guys obviously have a problem somewhere?)

Guest GM's for any type of PBM game are needed. The deadline would be 5 days earlier than my usual deadline so that you can mail the reults to me. For that reason I have to limit it to Canadians in a mail trouble-free area. If anyone is interested then contact me.

ÇGreat Moments in PBM

Diplomacy:

Games Inside:

GM: Dave Carter. 78 Q F'16 P4. 81 CI....S'08 P5.

81 IO....F'07 P5. 82 B....F'07 P3.

82 Q.. 6 week game due AUG 4th. 82 AI....W'05 P4.

82 AS....W'05/S'06 on insert. 82 IR....W'04/S'05

on insert. GM: Barry Hickey,

657A St Clair ave W, Toronto, M6C 1A7. Orders for these games

go to Barry ... 79KH + QUILST on Page 4. + 821 rd 05

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SK houserules, Address list for SK Subbers, Back issues to #1 (1.00 \$ per iss).

AVAILABLE FOR THE ASKING:

May 1983, the dreaded 2Dr Smyth comes to Xxx Toronto to put down a mutiny by the "Big Xxx 4" and to re-est-Xxxx ablish his Iron X grip on the xxxxxxxxxxx_{XHobby}

82CS, 82IB, 82IS,

83M, Rail Baron games 1-3

NOTICE to Canadians: Y'all are now members of Zone 11 of the PEOPLES FIPLOMACY ORG. The zone Kommisar for Zone 11 is....ahem...me. If you do not yet have your PDO membership card then let me know. Mike Mills (PDO Grand Kommisar) tells me that "A Mr Potatoe Head Good Friends club" has been formed. It is open to any PDO member who has been screwed by Steve Arnawoodian. Zone 11 PDO members can apply through me.

are on inserts.

Trivia Quiz answers:

(1) a/ Mt Suribachi is in Iwo Jima b/ US Nickname=Hotrocks. (2) Blue Div= A unit of Spanish volunteers which served on the German side in the Russian front, late 1941 - April 1944. (3) The British fought the Vichy French in Madagascar in 1942. (4) Primary target for H bomb was Kokura. (5) Free French Intelligence Service=BCRA. (6) General George Pearkes was the General Officer Cinc Pac Command Canada 1942-45. (7) The Japs occupied Attu and Kiska. (8) Tokyo Rose=Iva Ikuko Toguri D'Aguino (9) F6F=Hellcat, TBF/TBM= Avenger, OS2U=Kingfisher, SBD=Dauntless. (10) Otto Skorzeny rescued Mussolini. (11) Bellows, Hickam and Wheeler fields were the 3 US Army Air Corps installations on Oahu Hawaii. (12) Admiral Filip Oktyabrjsky was the commander Soviet Black Sea Fleet. (13) The Mickey Finns was the name of the US Wolfpack that operated off\$) Formosa and China. (14) The American Division was the only US div not designated by a number. (15) the 1st Special Service Force was the US/Canadian unit specially trained to operate behind enemy lines in the snow.

inner:

ohn Caruso 10½
ave Anderson 5½
ohn Michalski 4
athy Byrne 2½
lark Keller 0½

ll time winners of ree SK issues

ue to a ruling by the rivia Quiz ombudsman
See letter opposite)
am forced to double the umber of issues recorded so won by Kathy Byrne. This dijusted chart reflects hat decision:

Annalee Cohen
TRO Sherwood
FRO Schilling
FRO Winslow
Fro Flatt
Fro F

Thus I also change the sults of TRIVIA QUIZ in (#20. She now has 1 correct iswer for <a href="mailto:theta:t

Woody, you are going to ay for that decision at)RIGINS. I'm thinking of something truely gruesome - like taking you to rindser and abandoning you rithout an American/Canuck lictionary. Sigh....as much as I feared your threats must admit that you are absolutely right about a lew Yorker being able to but something in order being some sort of a schievement.

As for code names? I tarted off with Lord of he Ring names and now I'm nto SF book titles. Yes, here was some duplication of names.

'alking of SCi-Fi, this ssue's quiz is on the next age...whatever number hat may be..... We even have letters on the Trivia Quiz. From John Michalski: I really must protest your quiz results. I know I only get one or two right but hell, Kathy gets listed as 0 so why not my 1. By now I ought to have 6-10 cummulative yet you don't even credit me for #3 last time! This time you add that 1 to the many correct I'll get on this easy WWii quiz!

Sigh....The listing, John, is of the number of issues won by that person and not cummulative answers. I only list Kathy as 0 to show how kmetican bad she is. Talking of Kathy Byrne....Here we go again, once again you choose to make me the target of ridicule by listing me as 0 points. That is definitely in dispute - I still say you're the one who is wrong! By the way Woody (North American Trivia Quiz Ombudsman) told me of your bribe! Well, that was easy to top. I offered to let him heep his entire country in another game, help him get a build and let him take me out to a Phillies game and feed me on July 4th Weekend. He's so happy! How you gonna top that one? ...Woody with a whole country!! What a waste! Kathy, I don't have to resort to firther bribes cos Right is on my side. It's in your corner now Mr Arnawoodian. What's your decision?

Being called as an ombudsman can be quite touchy. It is a job that few people envy. However, I as a dedicated member of this hobby realize that the need for such a referee arises at times. In this particular case we have more than your usual case. This particular one has discriminatory overtones. First we have bag lady vs. wimp. That is followed by the always complicated New York battleax vs. French Camuck.

To handle this dispute properly and justly I had to get some advice from people who have the ability to think like foreigners. In this case I asked the advace of Gary Coughlan, long time expert on the customs of New Yorkers! Gary sent me 3 one hour tapes on the subject. I then had to turn these tapes over to Mike Mills who speaks southern. Mike in turn translated the tapes. Gary Followed up the tapes with 2 ten page reports! Understanding the New York mind was a great help in determining just how I would rule. And I thank Mr. Coughlan for his help.

When I first heard from Ms. Byrne I immediately checked her story in SLEEPLESS KNIGHTS issue 20. Dave had a quiz in this issue. He stated that quiz entrants were to put the following in order. Kathy entered and put them in alphabetical order. When the results were printed in the next SK., Kathy Byrne was not given credit, Much to Ms. Byrnes Chagrin. Quite often in a dispute there is no clear cut right and wrong. However this is not the case here. Mr. Carter stated to his readers that they were to put a list in order. Ms. Byrhe did. Not only do I award Ms. Byrne the quiz points coming to her, which she earned. But I also order Mr. Carter to double her point total in his continuous running quiz. This may sound a bit harsh. But there are two reasons for this 1) Mr. Carter not giving Ms. Byrne any points caused undo stress. This stress can be considered the primary reason for Ms. Byrne to have entered the hospital in the past few months for surgery. 2) We have witnessed a miracle here! A New Yorker placing something in order. This is a first. New York is the most disorganized place in the universe. Mr. Carter should have awarded quiz points just on that basis. At least he should have if he had any compassion in his heart. But what can you expect from a French Canadian.

Ms. Byrne also threw in a second complaint about this French Canadian, Dave Carter. It seems that her code name is Shirley Temple. Ms. Byrne also heard rumors that others in the zine had the same code name. There is no doubt that this is true. However you have to remember that French Canadians are not known for their wit or imagination. So what if Carter gives the same code name to a dozen or so subbers. Code names are only necessary for players and since only French Canadians play in SK it is not necessary to have code names which are different. As these players will never know. In fact the saying "if you had brains you'd be dangerous" was first said in reference for a French Canadian. In this case let's leave well enough alone.

If Ms. Byrne does not receive the proper repartions by origins '83. Mr. Carter will receive a just punishmant. In this case it will be rooming with Al Pearson on Fri night at origins. This means that Dave will not sllep that night, since al is the world champ in snoring (1972-1975, 1977-1982)On sat. night he will have to room with that simple minded antelope, Bruce Linsey. This means that Dave will be shunned by his fellow French Canadians. We'll just have to see how bright Mr. Carter is.

Cordially, process wood

Next Quiz: SUBJECT- SF.

(1) What is it that Aleytys has that the RMoahl want? (2) Star Wars: What was the name of the planet destroyed by the death star? (3) Star Wars: What rank was Ben Konobi? (4) Star Wars: What were Ben Konobi's first words to Luke after being killed by Darth Vadmer? (5)Dune: Dune was the 3rd planet of what sun? (6) Dune: What are Fedaykin? (7) Name any 1 of the 4 worlds of the Warden Diamond? (8) Lord of the Rings: 3 rings for elven kings, 7 for the Dwarf lords. How many rings were made for Mortal men? (9) In "The Moon is a Harsh Mistress" what is the use to which the Moon has been put? (10) McGill Feighan was swallowed by what creature shortly after he was born?

As usual there will be 3 issues of SK to the lucky winner. With the kind of response that I normally get for my Sci-Fi quizes I should urge you to anser even if you only know a few of the answers.

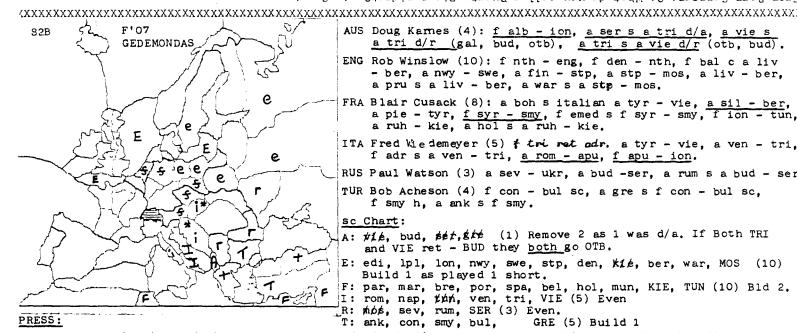
"Oh that's okay," said the stranger cheerfully."I'll talk v-e-r-y s-l-o-w-l-y"

The bartender leans over and says "Listen, if I were you I'd watch your tongue. The two 2501b bouncers are 'olish, I'm polish and I ain't no midget, and everey man in here is Polish." okes tor you guys!"

stranger walks into the bar and announces to the barman, "hey fellah! Have I got some terrific Polish

*Surpr inq

): What do you get when you cross a lew with a Puerto Ricar? A: A superintendant who thinks he owns the rom Bern Sampson: Q: What do you call a Puerto Rican midget? A: Speck,



Con-Sev: Your 'war' should be in the north vs England. I've never considered 'surviving' to be all that important.

Con-GM: The above doesn't apply to you though Dave. $GM-CON: \ J\ don't\ believe\ in\ just\ 'Surviving'\ but\ J\ always\ like\ to\ be\ taken\ out\ of\ a\ game\ kicking\ G\ screaming.$ Paris: With dread we stared at the silent telegraph for days, then weeks....

Game Notes: W'07/S'08 due FRIDAY AUGUST 5th. Winter builds on file for France. Rob Winslow is the new English player which prompts me to remind y'all that obscene press has to be of an artistic nature or I'll censor it....almost forgot, Winter build also on file for Turkey. Must have been a lucky guess Bob.

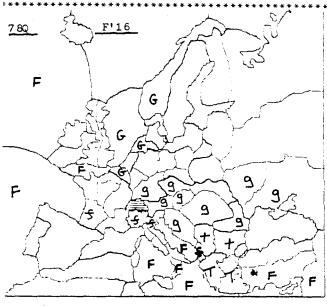


and they walk into walls. x - Did you hear about the Helen Keller wind-up dolls? You wind them up

elephants toes? A: Slow natives, erevator. Q: Whats the brown stuff between so he went down on the X Q: Did you hear about the queer burglar? A: He couldn't blow the safe x Q: What do you call a female clone? A: A Clunt.



Great Moments in PBM Diplomacy Adam Carter astounds the doctors by speaking at the age of 3 days His first words were "Did you hear about the leper who...."



Note: The following orders should have succeeded last season: FRA: f ion - eas, f alb - ion, a apu - alb. The Turkish fleet in EAS was d/a.

FRA Bob Acheson (13) a tri - ven, a pie s a tri - ven, a gas
- bur, f eng - nth, f spa sc - mao, f nao - nwg, f adr
tri, f eas - smy, f syr s f eas - smy, f nap - ion, f tyrr s f nap - ion, f ion - gre, a alb s f ion - gre.

GER Randolph Smyth (14) f nwy - nwg, f kie - hel, f hol - nth, f belsfhol - nth, a mun - bur, a tyr - pie, a boh - tyr, a bud - tri, a viesa bud - tri, a gal - bud, a rum - ser, a ukr - rum. a sev s a ukr - rum.

TUR Steve Berrigan (7) f gre s f aeg - ion, f = aeg - ion, a smy h d/r (otb, con, ank, arm), a bul s f gre, a ser s a bul.

SC Chart:

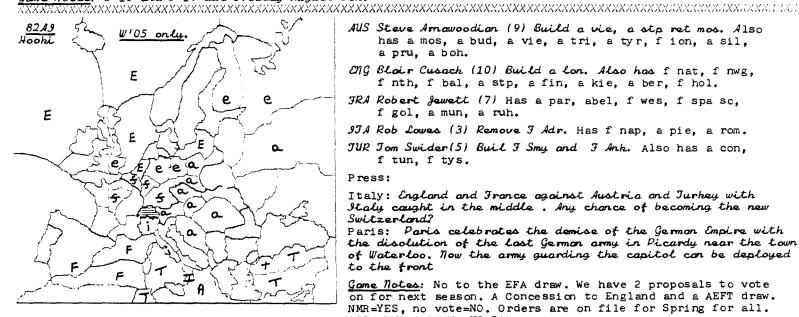
F: bre, mar, par, spa, por, edi, lpl, lon, nap, tun, rom, ven, ttl, SMY (13) Even.
G: mun, ber, kie, hol, bel, den, wwe, nwy, war, mos, sev, stp, vie, bud, TRI, RUM (16) Build 3 as played 1 short but only has room for 2 builds.

T: ank, con, \$ht, bul, gre, ran, ser (5) Even as 2 d/a.

Press:

Turkey to France and Germany: One of you guys voted against the draw - so who wants to go for the solo win? Better reveal yourself very shortly or otherwise I won't be around for to help!

Game Notes: W'16 and S'17 due Frieday August 5th.



- AUS Steve Armawoodian (9) Build a vie, a stp ret mos. Also has a mos, a bud, a vie, a tri, a tyr, f ion, a sil, a pru. a boh.
- EMG Blair Cusack (10) Build a lon. Also has f nat, f nwg, f nth, f bal, a stp, a fin, a kie, a ber, f hol.
- JRA Robert Jewett (7) Has a par, abel, f wes, f spa sc, f gol, a mun, a ruh.
- 97A Rob Lowes (3) Remove 9 Adr. Has f nap, a pie, a rom. JUR Jom Swider(5) Buil I Smy and I Ank. Also has a con. f tun, f tys.

Italy: England and France against Austria and Jurkey with Italy caught in the middle . Any chance of becoming the new Switzerland?

Paris: Paris celebrates the demise of the German Empire with the disolution of the last German army in Picardy near the town of Waterloo. Now the army guarding the capitol can be deployed to the front

Game Notes: No to the EFA draw. We have 2 proposals to vote on for next season. A Concession to England and a AEFT draw. NMR=YES, no vote=NO. Orders are on file for Spring for all. S'06 DUE FRIDAY AUG 5th.

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FALL 1904

DUE: AUG 6/83 GM: B.C. HICKEY

AUS-GER

Naughty!Naughty!I warned you.You are a BAD boy.Now go and sit in the corner...or do something smart like attack Blair Cusack

1983 AU(QUILST)

PRE-START

MXKDUE: AUG 6/83 GM: B.C. HICKEY

As per previously allowed a request for an extension of opening dd has been granted be forewarned that this new dd is strictly enforced

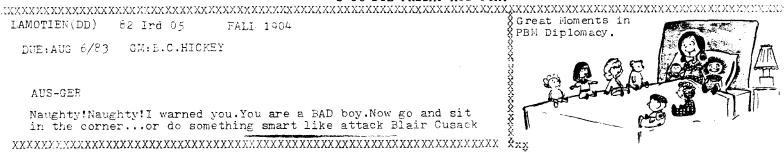
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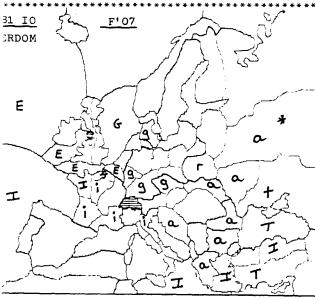
DUE AUG 6/83

GM:B.C.HICKEY

A request for winter only has been granted English f hol retreats to hel and f nth ret to nwg no other moves.



Kathy Byrne at Age 10 organizes her first game of Diplomacy. Mr Clown (In bed with Kathy) is actually Steve Arnawoodian in Disguise.



Press:

Rome - Picardy: Chow!

Naples-Emily Township: Go sit in a peat bog.

Rome: Bidding is now open for those who
would like a share of Weinerschnitzel.

He's all your's blair. The twittle twerp

has stabbed us both now - I see no point in keeping him around as a buffer. I'll tie up England and Germany while you get mobilized. Venice - GM: You keep spelling the Kaiser's name wrong - it's Weidemeyer. GM-Venice: No, I keep spelling the Pope's name wrong.

supply center.
B: stp, m/os, WAR (2) Even.

T: smy, Ánk, sev (2) remove 1.

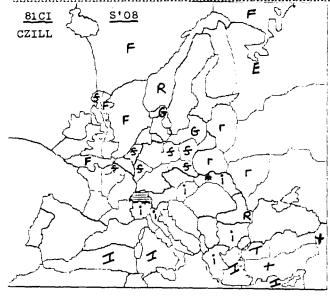
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stp. otb).

- smy.

sc chart:

E: edi, nwy, los F: par (0) OUT.



Note: Last season's map showed an Italian Fleet in TYr when it should not have been. It should have been in ION.

AUS Rob Lowes (7): a war - mos, a ukr s a war - mos, a bud -

ENG Peter Walker (6): f wal - iri, f nao s f wal - iri, f eng s f bre - mao, f bre - mao d/a, f bel s f eng, a edi h NSU,

GER Fred Wiedemeyer (5): f nwg - nth, a den h, a sil - boh,

ITA Mark Weidmark (10): f mao - bre, a gas s f mao - bre, f iri - eng d/a, f wes - mao, f aeg s austrian a gre -bul, f eas - ion, f ank - Alpha Centauri ((Surprise!)) h, a ven - tri,

RUS Dave Anderson (2) a liv - war, a mos s a liv - war d/r (liv,

A: tri, ser, bud, vie, rum, bul, war, MOS, GRE (8)

lon, bel, hol, pré, LPL (6) Build 1 as 1 d/a.

TUR Blair Cusack (3): a arm - sev, f bla s a arm - sev, f con

G; mun, kie, den, swe, ber (5) Even. I: rom, nap, ven, tun, mar, spa, por, gré, 191, con, ANK, BRE,

PAR (11) Build 2 as onewas d/a. Alpha Centauri is not a

a ser - bul, a rum s a ser - bul.

a ruh - bur, a mun s a ruh - bur.

a mar - bur, a par s a mar - bur.

Build 1.

FRA Jack Jung (1): a par ret pic. a pic - bel.

gal, a tri s german a mun - tyr NSO, a ser - bul, a gre s

ENG Al Incorvaia (1) f bar - stp nc.

FRA Andre Torres (13) f eng - nth, f edi s f eng -nth, f mao - eng, f nwy - bar, f nwg s f nwy - bar, a hol h, a bel - ruh a sil - war, a pru s a sil -war, a gal s a sil - war d/r (boh, otb), a ber s a pru, a par - pic, a cly h.

GeR Jack Jung (2) f den - ska, f kie - bal.

ITA Randolph Smyth (10) a ven - pie, a rom - ven, f tun - wes, f nap - tyr, a bud - gal, a vie s a bud - gal, a gre s a bul, a bul h, f ion - aeg, f eas s f ion - aeg.

RUS Dave Head (5) f ska - nwy, a war h, a liv s a war, a ukr s a war, f rum h.

TUR Robert Jewett (3) a con - smy, f aeg - con, a smy -arm.

Press:

England-Italy: The people of Spain and Portugal can no longer stand the wine snobs of France. They cry out for your help and some vintage Dago Red!

GM-England: It doth appear that a relief fleet of Chianti is on the way.
England-France: Iwo farts in your general direction for assumir

that those reports of decommissioning older vets in favour of more youthfull rookies to be true. These rumon will never be confirmed as they are absurd!!!

Rome - Paris: And so the die is cast, our 7 year agreement violated. Wether irreparably is up to you: my reasons will reach you apace. Whatever happens now, I believe that neither of us have cause for complaint - It has been a fruitfull alliance.

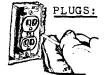
: What's the difference between a negro and a tire? A: Tires don't sing when you put chains on the : Why do mexican cars have such small steering wheels? A: So you can drive them with handcuffs on. Why do they call Camels the Ships of the Desert? A: Because they are full of Iranian seamen. How can you tell whom an Iranian girl is menstrating? A: She's only wearing i sock.

: Did you hear about the Italian who was asked to be a Jehovah's Witness? : He refused because he didn't see the accident.

Influential Player Rankings - Update 9th June 1983.

From Dan Stafford, 1643 Graniteway Ln, Columbus, OHIO, 43229 we get the latest IPR, updated to include EVERYTHING's #42-#56. EVERYTHING is the official zine of the Boardman Number Custodian (Now Kathy Byrne) and includes the starting lineups for new games as well as the final stats for finished games. The IPR is a ranking system of the games finished in the last five years. Points are awarded as follows: Win=1, 2 way draw=½, 3 way=0.3, 4 way=0.2, 5 way= 0.1.

RAMK. MAME.	9 PR	Wins/Brows.	Wins.						
1. Lee Kendter Snr	0 1	1.6	77	starts.	24				
	9.1	16	,	1	21. Bill Becker	3.8	6	2	5
2. Kathy Byrne	8.4	12	6	10	22. Tom Ripper	3.8	6	3	1
3. Jack Masters	7.3	10	6	1	23. Blair Cusack	3.8	5	3	6
4. Don Ditter	6.2	11	6	2	24. Steve McLendon	3.7	7	3	_
5. Dave Carter	5.3	11	2	-	25. John Kador	3.5	6	2	2
6. John Caruso	5.0	10	2	1	26. Walter Blank	3.5	5	3	-
7. RON USA Brown	5.0	8	4	3	27. Greg Haskew	3.5	4	3	2
8. Bill Hart	4.8	7	4	1	28. H D Bassett	3.5	4	3	1
9. Eric Verheiden	4.7	13	2	-	29. John Michalski	3.4	9	1	17
10. Dan Stafford	4.6	7	3	6	30. Paul Rauterberg	3.4	7	2	8
11. Ron Kelly	4.5	10	3	-	31. Fred Townsend	3.3	5	3	3
12. Stan Johnson	4.5	7	3	1	32. John Kevern	3.2	7	1	_
13. Arturo Guadardo	4.4	8	2	1	33. Gene Boggess	3.0	6	1	
14. Bob Sergeant	4.4	7	4	2	34. Dan MacLellan	3.0	6	1	_
15. Dick Martin	4.3	8	3	2	35. Bill Bryg	3.0	3	3	_
16. Rick Kassel	4.1	6	3	_	36. Eldon Nichol	3.0	3	3	_
17. Dave Ditter	4.0	8	2	3	37. Dave Crockett	3.0	3	3	_
18. Eric Kirchner	4.0	8	2	-	38. Mark Berch	2.9	5	2	1
19. Bob Osuch	3.9	6	3	_	39. Keith TRO Sherwood	2.8	10	0	2
20. Tom Thornsen	3.9	6	3	1	40. Al Pearson	2.8	4	2	7



PLUGS: Unless you are desperate enough to play in SLEEPLESS KNIGHTS there are no current game openings in any of the Canadian zines. If you want to sub to another Canadk zine try:

NO FIXED ADDRESS, 103 Dunbar Rd S, Waterloo, Ontario, Canada, N2L 2E4. 10/\$6.50CDN. It has jokes, crossword puzzles, mathmatical shit, Letters. Steve Hutton is the pubber and he does a good job.

SNAFU, Ron Brown, 1200 Summerville ave, Ottawa, ONT, Canada, K1Z 8G4. A little more tastefull than SK and now more family oriented. MBaby pictures, articles (yes! Articles!!), lwtters, politics. 10/\$8.00 CDN.

If you are looking for games then you have to go south of the border.....ENVOY, Roy Henricks, 128 Deerfield Dr, Pittsburg, PA, 15235, USA. Postage + 0.03125 cents per page. Dearlines are 5-6 weeks and Roy has openings in every game imagrinable.

HAI JIKAI, Mark S Keller, 9536 Shumway dr, Orangevale, CA, 95662, USA. 30 cents/issue. Reg dip and many variants. Game fee \$2.

MODERN PATRIOT by William S Highfield, Midshipman 3rd class USNR, 2012 East Ridge Rd, Rochester, NY, 14622, USA. 10/\$5 US, game fee \$4 US. MP # 12/13 was a classic. 132 pages long (A new record for length altho' the old record by PASSCHENDAELE was <u>full</u> pages and not digest size.) it has many subzines, articles by various unimportant people, the Regan Youth Newsletter, fanatic defence of US Imperialism, some dirty stuff and abuse of Kathy Byrne.

LETTER THINGIES....

BOB ACHESON: I must say that lately I havn't been too impressed with your format. What's with those "Sunshine Boys"? Your readership is predominently male and the few females are probably all aliases? Who wears the parts in your zine? Let's forget about those minority rights!.....also, Willowdale is to Downtown Joronto what Leduc is to Edmonton....your picture and comments of the 'Big 4' is also misleading (except for Barry). Don't forget the Pride of Medicine Hat, the dreaded Smyth. Also, don't defend the oilers, it was refreshing to see them lose, as it will be to eath the eskimoes lose this year. Edmonton has very arrogant sportswriters and fans. It'll be good for them to have losers...... Where's the official ballot for the "leeder Poll"?....Anyways you still put out a 'fair' zino: I guess.

((Thanks, I think. Soo sorry about not sending out Leeder Poll ballots but it's too much to put all NA zines in alphabetimal order since I'm not entirely sure about what all the US zines are. The hobby south of the border is a little more spread out than the neat little circle of 4 zines we have (NFA, FSF, SNAFU and SK) plus one outlaw zine (Baltic Sea).....I'm not familiar with Western sports fans and writer s but I was sorry to see the Oilers go because they had been playing some real exciting type of hockey. After the Leafs I'll support any team that will entertain.....It's OK for you to tell me to stop putting in sunshine boys - you live 3000 miles north of here and don't have to face Kathy Byrme at ORIGINS in Detroit. I mean, players don't hand over thier supply centers to Kathy just because she's a good diplomat ya know.))

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ROB WINSLOW: No, Mr Conlon, I never knocked SEC Football. I admitted that SEC basketball was very, very, good. However, you stressed"Yank" and "embaressed about NCAA football". Yank: a person from a Union State as opposed to one from a confederate state (or more commonly, all northerners). Pennsylvania: A "yank" state. Penn State: In Pennsylvania. Penn State: NCAA Football champion. This Yank will brag about those Yanks even though they are not in "in my conference". If I went to college to see great sports I would have gone to a Division 1 school. However, I wished to get a good solid education. I think that's a valid reason to go to school, don't you? I'm not knocking all Division 1 Universities, just the ones whose sports are cheered at and whose diplomas are jeered at.

Dave, speaking of football, you don't really take the CFL seriously do you? You guys can kick our ass in hockey (Whoops, forgot about 1980 Olympic team) but football is better left south of the border. Maybe Someday Joronto and Montreal will get NFL franchises so you can see real football.

Congrats on the baby (I assume she/he is there by now). Just think, when you're waken up at 2:50 in the morning for a feeding you can think up new jokes for your readers.

((As much as I would like to get up 3 times a night to feed the l'il booger, Julie is breast-feeding and this Sorta leaves me out on those 3 times a night feedings..... Montrael and Toronto will never get a NFL franchise because it has been long-said that the elimination of either/both of those teams could seriously weaken the CFL to the point of collapse. When the WFL tried to get a Toronto franchise the Liberal Governmen threatened to pass legislation that would forbid it. Hence the Toronto Northmen became the Memphis Southmen. YES, I do like CFL football. CFL football is my #1 favorite, followed by NHL hockey, NFL football, Baseball tiddlewinks, shutes and ladders and then soccer.......Going to School for an education???How come I never thought of that one? I just leave all the highbrow stuff to Ron Brown and concentrate on the dirty parts))

PIERRE TOUCHETTE: Right now, I am playing in 15 games. My plan is to get ahead of Bob Acheson and you. OK Dave.

((OK by me. Right now I'm only in 20 games of which 3 are variants. Bob is probably in 25-30 but he cheats - he doesn't write....Just kiflding, Bob heh, heh.))

STEVE HUTTON: It should have been Chevaliers Sans Repos, you wrote Sleepless Knight.

((What do you know, you're in Civil Engineering! Doesn't even have a decent football team! Actually, Yves wrote it down for me and in the Old SK tradition I managed to misread it. The pun on night was probably lost in the translation anyway.))

RON baby-boom BROWN: Now you're in for it! Things will never be the same for you. 18 years of having someone depend on you. Injoy, My friend. And may your little fellow give you as much pleasure as Christopher gives us. The first few months development is so slow you can see every stage developing. But. after a while, shills start snowballing. One day he can sit up. The next day he's walking--or so it seems. Christopher can now take 4 or 5 steps before falling on his behind—and his babbling is starting to make sense. He's been saying "Caa Caa" everytime he see's a cat now--which shows's he's learning to associate sounds with specific objects.

((Everything that youse new papa's told me about kids turned out be true. They are cute and they do need a lot of attention and the feeling that one gets when the little booger is born is really undescribable. Well , undescribeable from a father's point of view. Julie would probably spell it R-E-L-I-E-F!!))

JOHN MICHALSKI: Picture: Hickey looks just like Hoss Pearson! And you are Paul Rauterberg, and Hutton, IRO's brother. Incredible!

((I gotta agree with that last remark!))

MARK KELLER: The latest Dumarest of Terra book that I have is #27 "Earth is Heaven" (I'm currently reading it). It was published in the US in December 1982. I expect a new one out soon if it's not out already. The Commodore 64 is now going for \$300-\$400 in the US and you get \$100 back from Commodore. I just got my 64. More on the experience in the next JFOI later this month.

((Nice trick Mark. Nov I have to explain what TFOT is and give you a plug. TFOT is a zine put out by ... Mark Keller, 9536 Shumway dr, Orangevale, CA, 95662 and it deals with computers and their use in Diplomacy. The zine is a nominal 30 cents per issue and worth it. You don't have to have a degree in computer psychology to enjoy the articles.... The last Dumarest book that I read was #26 "The Coming Event" and that was April 1982 so I'm missing one. I have all the Dumarest books going back to #1. In fact, I must have close to 300-400 sci-fi books in my "Library". Won't little Adam be happy to have so much to read!))

SCOTT HaNSON: Were you the one collecting nicknames of cities? The Official nickname of Minneapolis is "City of Lakes" since we have, uh, several lakes in the city. Unofficially it's also called "Flour City". "River City", "Mill City", "Fag City", "Corporate City" - after some of the City's other features.

We also have a strange word - "Outstate" - it means any part of Minnesota not in the Iwin Cities area. I'm not really sure how they came up with that. It's not out-of-state it makes no sense. But what does?

((Deep, Scott! Real existentialism. I think I started the nickname thing when I mentioned that Toronto was named "Hoggtown" after a Captain Hogg. A sure way to make friends anywhere in Canada (Outside Toronto) is to start up a convergation about what a dump TO is. In TO you have to abuse Montrealers. If in doubt - abuse Buffalo.)

KATHY BYRNE: Also, tell the perverted Keith Sherwood to go out and buy Playboy if he wants nude women! I only get SK for the nude men. Where is my nude picture of Robert Blake? If I can't have him - i'll go with a Barry Hickey center-fold!

((Ever since I asked Dave Weatherhead to draw me a male nude cover he has been keeping his distance and now you want me to ask Barry Hickey if he will let me take a nude photo of him? Hows about a cute picture of Adam Carter getting his diaper changed?))



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Islanders not to survive the first round: Did I say that? Let's drink a toast to the men who beat the boys. King Bill, played excellent playoff hockey and afterwards told it like it was. In a recent interview the "Great Gretsky" stated that Billy would get his. Poor little Superstar still has a little growing up to do.

From Hockey to Politics; the Conservative convention is one more day away : My observations on the candidates in order of their departure.

#1 FRAZER: Why is this guy running? He may get 2 votes.

#2 GAMBLE: The major candidates are all hoping that once he gets knocked out (1st round) that he won't endorse them. While there is a percentage of the people who would like to express their right wing thoughts: it won't happen here.

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#3 CROMBIE, David: He should also fall in the first ballot and does not fit the role of Kingmaker. If Mike Wilson wasn't in this race then Crombie would have lasted until the 2nd round and perhaps had an influence on the final ballot. Although David Crombie is a known figure in Southern Ontario, it basically stops there. His "Middle-of-the-road" attitude is shared by Clark so he could endorse Joe hoping for a senior cabinet role.

#4 Peter PUCK: This guy reminds me of a broker on the Vancouver Exchange. Not knowing that the big league is in Bay St. Outside of a child-superstar and some financially shakey companies, he doesn't appeal. He may get some of the youth vote in the first but should be gone in the second. I don't believe that his followers will follow himso there should be some undecided candidates waiting for the final speeches.

#5 Michael WILSON: This is the candidate that I would vote for. His refuasal to meet with King Peter should have won him some support. In the more recent polls he was the 2nd choice of over 14% of the delegates. If Michael Wilson can give some emotionally charged speeches he will become a factor. More probably he will decide the fate of either Crosbie or Mulroney and wind up with a senior cabinet position.

#6 Joe Clark: I believe that the majority of the candidates 'feel sympathy' for Joe. He had a short lived government, no unity in the caucas...but he should take total blame for that. Even though Joe leads the polls I cannot see him picking up any major support. He doesn't score well as a second choice candidate. Almost any candidate could beat Uncle Pierre at the ballot box but could Joe beat John Turner? No doubt the question is being asked by Mulroney supporters. Joe should lead on the first and second ballots but I believe that in the final ballott Anti-Clark will beat Pro-Clark forces.

#7 Brian MULRONEY: The 2nd choice at the moment but unless he makes major deals or 'captures' the candidates with his eloquence I can't see him as the leader. His emphasis on being bilingual shouldn't count for very much outside of Quebec. The real politics of the convention should happen when he and Crosbie sit down and try to stop Joe.

#8 John CROSBIE: My second choice and apparantly the 2nd choice of a good percentage of the candidates. If the Tories do want a change this should be their man. His not speaking French shouldn't hurt him outside of Quebec. Crosbie is a good speaker and during the convention will swing many of the "fre" and undecided votes (Hopefully he won't use his newly-aquired French too much) He may take 4 ballots but Crosbie will win. He'll have to make some concessions to Mulroney and hopefully he can get Wilson to stand beside him. If so you be looking at Canada's next Prime Minister. In the boardroom let the code replace the beaver, but in the bedroom.....

((Dave here Joe Clark is a wimp, was a wimp and always will be. He had the leadership qualities of a BRUX and the personality of a BERCH. About the only right thing he almost did was to call a leadership review and even then he made the mistake of running again. If, God forbid, he had won this review he would still be the same wimpish cardboard character he was before. I cannot understand how over 1000 delegates could vote for him in 3 ballots? I can't understand why Joe would not join Crosbie when it came down to that 3rd ballot? Even to the end the man never did anything right. Smpathy

It they Est any worse than that yud better start sending them to John Michalski or Steve Hutton.

if he was truly that disgusting. The old man replied "No, it's not you, it's the guy dipping his chips in st the leper, and lost his cookies again. The leper turned to his right and asked the old man sitting there set down to his left, looked at the leper and promptly barred. The bartender gained his composure, looked oversize hat to hide his deformity. Upon ordering a drink, the bartender puked, A few minutes later a man late stages of the disease, walked into a gin mill and took a seat at the bar, He wore gloves and an I, we printed some bad Leper Jokes but the following Joke from Rob Winslow is the worst: A leper in the

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