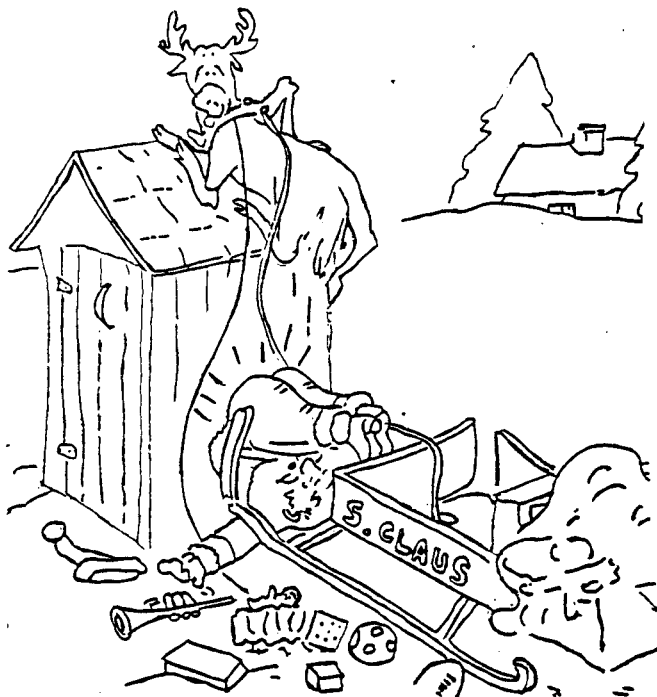
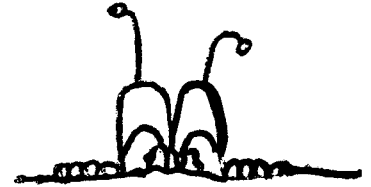


Dear Earthling.

Hi! I am a creature from outer space. I have transformed myself into this PBM Diplomacy zine. Right now I am having sex with your fingers. I know you like it because you are smiling. Please pass me on to someone else because I am really horny!

Thanks,



"DAMMIT RUDOLPH, I SAID THE SCHMIDT HOUSE!"

SLEEPLESS KNIGHTS

#38 By Dave Carter, 118 Horsham ave, Willowdale, Ontario, Canada, M2N 1Z9. Subs: 3/\$2 Gamefees: \$3

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TO PLAYERS in Ed Carter's Games (RB#6,84s, 831a): Starting in Early January Ed will be on a Sabbatical to University of Edinburgh (Scotland) till summer of 1985. ALL orders for Ed's games should be sent to Dave Carter. Starting immediately! The address is on this page.

STANDBY LIST: The fewer games that you are in=the better chance you have of being called. (?) = # of games. #=2 1/2 week games. Cusack (2), Hickey (3), Acheson (7), Kane (1), Anderson *(4), Lowes (4), Jung (2), Panches (2), Sampson (2), Torres (2), Head (1), Winslow (2), Watson (6), Rauterberg (1), Keller (2), Palter (2), McPhail (2), Russell (2), Gautron (1), Weidmark (2), McIntyre (1), Henry (2), Fraser (0), St Marseilles (1), Perry Langlois(1), Gerein*(0). Let me know if you want on or off. Anyone want to stand by for 2 1/2 week games?

GAME OPENINGS: **paid. BILBURG is a 2 1/2 week deadline game and requires remittance of some green stuff (35cts per mid-monthly) to cover the mid-monthly postage costs involved as well as a sub. In order to play in BILBURG you will have to ask for it by name. CEBU is guest GM'd by Bruce McIntyre who will be using "Grey" press, i.e: some anonymity of press is allowed. Neutral S'01 NMR orders will NOT be used.

BILBURG: GM- Dave Carter. 2 1/2 Week Deadlines. Barry Hickey*, Alan Stewart, Bruce McIntyre, Rob Peart*, Gerein*. CEBU: GM- Bruce McIntyre. Ron Snyder*, Bob Acheson*, Ste Marseilles*, K Innes. DASHEEN: GM- Barry Hickey. Jerry Falkiner. I have no limit on the # of games that you can play in SK if you feel like joining others.

ADDRESS CHANGES:

New additions-
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Charles Ranger, 4 Jacob Dr, Whitby, Ontario, Canada, L1P 1B1
Michael Gerein, 11216 - 34st, Edmonton, Alta, Canada, T5W 1Y9
Jim McCarthy, 44 Belmont ave, Ottawa, Ont, Canada, K2S 0V1
Changes-
Steve Piper (back to) 11319 W 73 st, Shawnee, KS, USA, 66203

Sub Status

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Page 2. just added to the end in no kind of order. I have a master file for each game with the players name and country in position. As the orders come in they are typed up and the file saved. Come deadline weekend I just have to do the adjudication and add a few details like retreats etc. It's one reason why the players addresses are sent out with every game report. I don't have to type them up each time as they are part of the file that I resave. When it comes to printing I can set the width from 15 columns to 80 columns. I can justify either/or/both margins and even move entire blocks around. I still have to type in Ron Snyder's jokes tho!!]

Letter Column :

ALAN STEWART: Got SK#37 and just thought I'd send you a note -- no particular purpose, just to let you know I'm here. Thanks for FIM too. I didn't see anything objectionable in FIM, although I may not have the background to catch all the allusions. But after reading zines from around the continent, I am concerned that all of the hobby's best writers seem to be actively engaged in trying to drive one another out of it. Part of it is natural -- the good writers will also tend to be the good polemicists, and they will want to exercise this skill. But if people are being driven out of the hobby because of it, it's destructive; it's thus self-destruction for the hobby as a whole to countenance this feuding that by just sitting back, watching, laughing and enjoying, even if some pious clucks of protest are uttered here and there. However in the meantime I think we need a feud Number Custodian so that we can keep everything straight.

I read in some zine something that you wrote praising JUNTA. JUNTA is a great game, one that I've played many times. The only fault with it that I can recall is that an apparent loser can constantly work to "Stalemate" the game by inciting revolutions - the tactical aspect bores any non-wargamers who are playing, and the delay in the game can induce people to drop out.

I don't do much wargaming although I've played D DAY, THE EAST IS RED, RUSSIAN CAMPAIGN one or two times each. I've done a lot of sport gaming --mostly Strat-O-Matic.

[[Good writers are polemicizing on the topic at hand, which right now happens to be "feuding". That's their problem and not mine and I'm exercising my choice to stay out of it. The problem with "feuding" and other hassles in this hobby is that it is just a hobby. If the crap piles too high you just drop the hobby the way you would tear up your train set or sell your stamp collection. Junta rates a "5" in my books. Multiplayer games go over like lead weights amongst the goup of wargamers I game with, but in the games we managed to get in before the fistfights started I found that Whoever was President the longest usually won.]]

BRUCE McINTYRE: Could you describe EASYSRIPT? I'm going to try to save up for a c-64 for the purpose of word-processing mostly. Can you save letters, articles on disks to be looked at later. Also can you use a c-64 without a Monitor (Just a printer, c-64 and Disk Drive)?

The latest good book I read is called "POKER: A Guaranteed income forlife" by Frank R. Wallace. It is a must for every player. The foundation of it is the 120 Advanced concepts of POKer. They are ruthless and I wouldn't have it in me to use them all. But the book strays from the Textbook style by giving examples from a fictitious game. The hero, John Finn, is the nice-guy winner who makes \$50,00/yr on POKer, without letting it on to anyone (except IRS - concept #80) that he's milking them.

[[re c64: While it is feasible to bypass a monitor -it's not, in any way, practical. Buy a BW TV set or even a monochrome monitor. TV's start at \$80 and monitors for \$120+. If it's mostly for word processing then colour is a nuisance anyway. I find the green monochrome Apple Monitor that I have at work is much easier on my eyes than the c64 colour monitor at home. Yes you can save files with easyscript. I have files for every game, page 1, address list, letter column, jokes, items of filler etc. While the letter column has to be typed up every issue I can do it as the letters arrive and save them in the file till it's time to print. The address list is easy to update since I just make the correction/addition and resave. The old way was to white-out the old address, type up a new one and paste it on. New subscribers were

New Game Start: AWBRI, 5 week Deadlines.
GM: Dave Carter. S'01 Due January 11th.

AUSTRIA: Pete Berger: 180 Osgoode St, Apt 2,
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USA, 66203
TURKEY: Ranger, Charles: 4 Jacob Dr, Whitby,
Ontario, Canada, L1P 1B1

NOTE: Steve Piper has a COA from the original sheet.

Games :

GM: David J. Carter
81 IO...S'13 on insert.
83 IB...F'02 on P4.
84 AB...F'02 on insert.
84 AS...F'02 on P4.
84 CE...S'02 on P6.
84 CU...W'01 on insert.
84 HH...F'01 on P3.
Rail Baron 4+5 on inserts.
83 IA...F'04 on insert.
84 S...W'03/S'04 on insert.
Rail Baron #6 on insert.
82 Q Endgame statements on P5.

GM: Barry Hickey, 657A St Clair Ave W, Toronto,
Ontario, Canada, M6C 1A7.
79 KH...W'17/S'18 on insert.
82 CS...Game Over! on P7.
83 M...F'08 on P7.
83 AU...W'05/S'06 on P8.
83 HG...F'05 on P8.
83 HR...W'02 on P7.
Rail Baron 1 on P5.
Rail Baron 2+3

GM: Ed Carter: 83IA, 84S, Rail Baron #6. All games are temporarily being run by Dave Carter.

GM: Hugh Polley, 183 Maranda Cl, Calgary, Alta,
Canada, T2A 3E7
Nuclear Hol WW2 on insert.
Deadline: January 4th, 1985

GM: Bruce McIntyre, 6191 Winch st, Burnaby, BC,
Canada, V5B 2L4
-CEBU to be filled.

Mark Keller has a COA to: 2 Seaside Court,
Sacramento, CA, USA, 95831

AUSTRIA Lu Henry (3): f alb - gre, a ser - bul, a tri - ser.
 ENGLAND Ron Polley (3): f nth - nwy, f lon - nth, a wal - yor.
 FRANCE Mark Trifkovic (3): f bre - eng, a bur - bel, a mars h.
 GERMANY Jerry Falkiner (3): a kie - mun, a ruh - bel, f hol s a ruh - bel.
 ITALY Steve Mortimer (3): a pie - ven, a apu - gre, f ion c a apu - gre.
 RUSSIA Dave Anderson (4): a sev - arm, a ukr s f rum, f gob - swe, f rum s austrian a ser - bul.
 TURKEY Alain Martine (3): f bla s a bul, a bul h, a con - smy.

GAME NOTES: Due date for W'01 only is Friday JAN 11th.

ADDRESSES:

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 Ron Polley, 31 McDowell Ave, Riverview, NB, Canada, E1B 4A3
 Mark Trifkovic, 5-84 9736 E 50th St, Kansas City, MO, USA, 64133
 Jerry Falkiner, 28 Vimy St, Cambridge, ONT, Canada, N1R 4N6
 Steve Mortimer, 43 Edgebrook Cr, Bramalea, Ontario, Canada, L6T 1Y6.
 Dave Anderson, PO Box 3761, Pontiac, MI, USA. 48059
 Alain Martine, 47 Chartres, Dollard des Ormeaux, PQ, Canada, H9A 1J6

Winter 1901 SC chart:

AUSTRIA: bud, vie, tri, SER (4) Build 1
 ENGLAND: lon, edi, lpl, Nwy (4) Build 1
 FRANCE: mar, par, bre (3) Even
 GERMANY: mun, ber, kie, HOL, BEL (5) Build 2
 ITALY: ven, rom, nap (3) Even
 RUSSIA: stp, war, mos, sev, RUM, SWE (6) Build 2
 TURKEY: smy, ank, con, BUL (4) Build 1

PRESS: Russia-GM: You spelled the General's name right. It is a name of a Russian General in another game with his name spelled backwards.

Moscow-Vienna: Why didn't you say for me to long survive + prosper? Hmmm... Big Victory go to my head? Nahh.. my head should be back to normal by the time I see the next results from CQ.

Warsaw-Rome: You shouldn't tell Turkey all those vicious lies about me! Shame on you. Now go wash your mouth out with soap.

St Pete-Trifkovic: Nice 3 page letter but only 3 lines about Diplomacy. What gives?

Vie-Wil: You have unmitigated gall to name this game Zanti. So you think we're a group of antlike creatures sent to Penal colony Earth for our crimes on our home planet. If so, are you the warden? By the way, I didn't know CBC was still showing reruns of "The Outer Limits," that old 60's TV show. "Zanti's Misfits" HUMPF!!!

GM-Vie: Zanti are a high tech race of Electric Eels with a modern culture on the sea floor. Their neighbours are the Wucki who trade goods that cannot be manufactured undersea in return for Fishing rights. Then again "Zanti" is a popular word in SF, eg: Zanti High Lightning Traveller module.

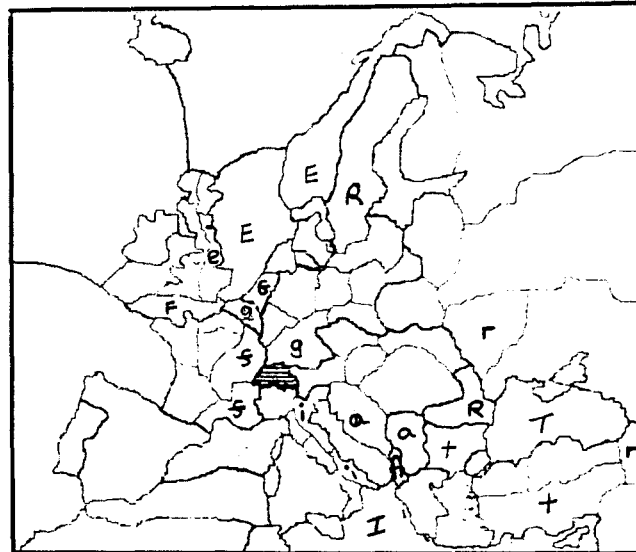
Vie-Ank: Sorry Alan but your occupation of BLA triggered our response under the Russo-Austrian treaty of Dindom, the village in the Swiss canton of cranberry where it was negotiated.

Vie-Mos: I aggravated Italy by my spring move, aggravated Germany by my press, have now aggravated Turkey by my Fall move. Guess I should abuse you, Eng and Fra to keep my obnoxiousness non-discriminatory. Consider yourself abused.

GM-Vie: Sort of makes me wonder what you have left for the winter?

Vie-Lon: The burning question in the streets of Vienna is - is there really a Ron Polley or is it merely a figment of someone's imagination.

Vie-Par: Thanks for the letters last season. Now I have to abuse you so the other players don't think I'm picking only on them. You've just been abused. Yep, redish anger on your face.



Vie-Wil: Now that everyone is PO'ed at me maybe 84HH stands for Henry's Horror.

GM-Vie: Kathy told me what HH stood for but I didn't think that was physically possible.

Rome-Europe: Looks like everyone's first move showed some Paranoia. Does anyone need a real ally?

Piedmont-Marseilles: Sorry about that advance towards you. I take it back.

Italy-Balkans: What is going on in that area: Any enlightenment from anyone?

Naples-Moscow: I hope it isn't getting too chilly as winter sets in. My troops vacation in Southern climates.

Vatican(Italy)-Europe: I am soliciting invitations for a papal visit. Are there any proposals for a mass.

Italy-Concerned: Responses are forth coming. You'll hear from me soon.

Germany-England: Is it writer's cramp or broken arms.

Germany-France: Houston? Try again next year.

France: I'm sorry that I haven't had time to write to anyone. I enrolled in a computer school a couple of weeks ago and have finally gotten a handle on things.

In a late-breaking news flash, it was reported to me that our own Mr Congeniality - Dave Anderson - has won his first game of DIP. The game was 8210 in TACKY. Tell me it isn't true Dave?

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SON OF PANDOMONIUM, January 19th at the HUB Cafeteria, Ryerson Polytechnical Institute, 350 Victoria St, Toronto. Not a biggie and not very well organized last year but probably worth looking into if you live in the TO area. Dip is listed as an event but I understand that the strong point of this CON is fantasy gaming. Admission \$6.00 at the door.

Also in the TO area, Chris Greaves, 757 Victoria PK Ave, Toronto, ONT, M4C 5N8, is organizing a couple of ftf dip games and wants to make a listing of Toronto area players interested in ftf. Chris plays Electronic-mail Games as well.

the other.
 R: Eve. She had an Apple in one hand and a Wang in
 G: Who was the first computer expert?

shots.
 Leafs. He was impressed with the way she stopped B
 year contract to play goal for the Toronto Maple B
 Harold Ballard signed Indira Gandhi to a five

8488 (Wucki) GM: Dave Carter. F'02.

AUSTRIA Gino Martin (5): a vie - gal, a bud s a vie - gal, a ser - bul, f gre s a ser - bul, a tri - ser.

ENGLAND Kevin Innes (4): f ska - nwy, f nth s f ska - nwy, f bar - nwg, a stp - fin.

FRANCE Fred Wiedemeyer (5): a par s a mar - bur, a gas s a mar - bur, f spa sc - mar, f mao - eng, a mar - bur.

GERMANY Barry Hickey (5): f bel s a hol, a hol s f bel, a bur s italian a pie - mar d/r(rub,otb), a mun s a bur, a den - swe.

ITALY Paul Watson (4): a pie - mar, a ven h, f wes s f tyrr - gol, f tyrr - gol.

RUSSIA Joe Stark (6): f bla s turkish a bul, a rum s a war - gal, a war - gal, f nwy - nth d/r (bar,otb), a fin - swe, a mos - stp.

TURKEY Charlie Morris (4): a bul s Russian a rum, a ank - con, f con - aeg, f eas s f con - aeg.

GAME NOTES: W'02 + S'03 due Friday JAN 11th.

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Kevin Innes, 75 Silvercreek PKwy N, Apt 407, Guelph, Ontario, Canada, N1H 7R9

Fred Wiedemeyer, 8526 83 Ave, Edmonton, Alberta, Canada, T6C 1B1

Barry Hickey, 657A St Clair ave W, Toronto, Ontario, Canada, M6C 1A7

Paul Watson, RR#5, Stoney Plain, Alberta, Canada, TOE 2G0

Joe Stark, 15925 Quarry Rd, Oberlin, Ohio, USA, 44074

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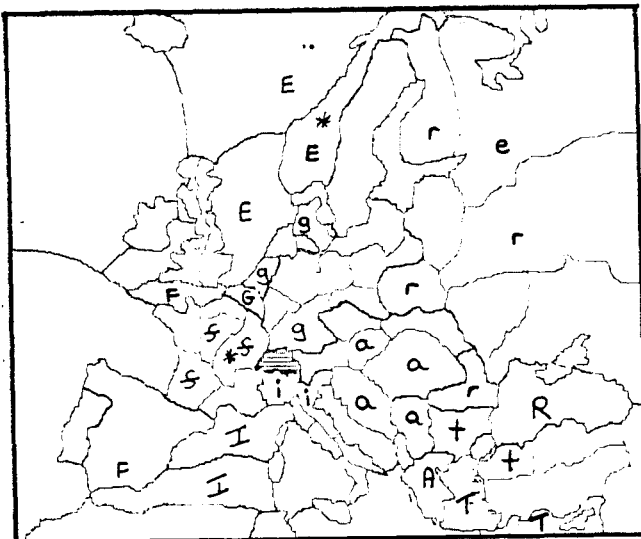
PRESS: Austria-Board: Sorry about the lack of correspondance. Studies are taking a lot of time these days... Roughly 150 hours a week. That leaves me some time to eat, travel, worry, watch girls (Watch only) and afew minutes to write letters for Diplomacy. Something is missing? Yes, it's OKay, it's normal that I don't have time any time to sleep. But things will get much better next month.

GM: I hesitate to ask, but what happens next month?

Russia-TurKey: Alright - the baseball season is over - stop picking on the indians. Shall we start to wonder when Houston will get a Pro football team?

Russia-Russia: The Cleveland Browns are a Pro Team???

Russia-England: Sorry to see you continue your Northern war. Make sure you are ready for those Russian winters.



1902 sc chart:

AUS: tri, vie, bud, ser, gre (5) Even.

ENG: lon, lpl, edi, nwy, STP(5) Build 1. FRA: par, bre, mar, SPA, POR (5) Even.

GER: ber, mun, kie, den, hol, BEL (6) Build 1.

ITA: ven, rom, nap, tun (4) Even.

RUS: -stp, mos, war, sev, swe, rum (5) Remove 1.

TUR: Con, ank, smy, bul (4) Even.

1888 I8 - GM-Dave Carter. F'02.

AUSTRIA (3) Kevin Innes: Ret a gal to boh, a boh - gal, a bul s Italian a ser - rum NSQ, f alb s italian a ven - tri.

ENGLAND (4) Dave Anderson: f nwy - stp nc, a yor - den, f nth c a yor - den, f lon - eng.

FRANCE (5) Fred Wiedemeyer: f gol - wes, f mao s f bre - eng, f bre - eng, a gas - spa, a bur - bel.

GERMANY (5) Bob Acheson: f bal - swe, f den s f bal - swe, a hol s french a bur - bel, a sil - mun, a mun - tyr.

ITALY (5) Blair Cusack: a ven - tri, a ser s a tun - gre, a tun - gre, f eas - aeg, f ion c a tun - gre.

RUSSIA (6) Carl Russell: a ukr - rum, a gal s a rum - bud, a vie s a rum - bud, a rum - bud, f sev s a ukr - rum, f bot - stp.

TURKEY (4) Paul Watson: f con - bul sc, f smy h, a ank - con.

Addresses:

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Carl Russell Jr, 21 Morgan Rd, Binghamton, NY, USA, 13903

Fred Wiedemeyer, 8526 83rd ave, Edmonton, Alberta, Canada, T6C 1B1

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Paul Watson, RR#5, Stoney Plain, Alberta, Canada, TOE 2G0

Dave Anderson, PO Box 3761, Pontiac, MI, USA, 48059

GAME NOTES: F'02 due Friday January 11th.

PRESS: England - France: Are you still mad at me for 1983IA!? Shame on you.

Winter 1902 SC chart:

AUSTRIA: -tri, -bud, -gre, BUL (1) Remove 2.

ENGLAND: lpl, edi, lon, nor (4) Even.

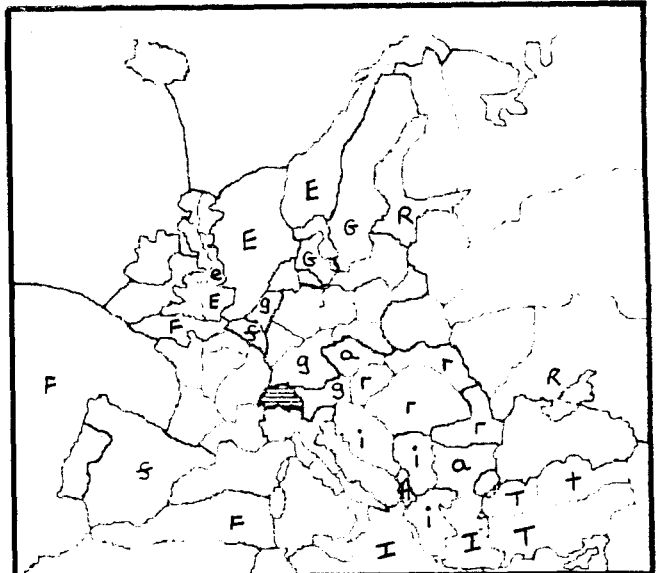
FRANCE: mar, par, bre, spa, por, BEL (6) Build 1.

GERMANY: ber, kie, mun, hol, den, SWE (7) Build 1.

ITALY: ser, tun, rom, nap, ven, TRI, SER, GRE (8) Build 3.

RUSSIA: sev, stp, mos, war, rum, vie, BUD (7) Build 1.

TURKEY: ank, con, smy, -bul (3) Even as id/a.



Basically my only problem in this game was in selecting which offers of alliance to go with at various points in the game. In 1901-02 I fudged in the south as both Blair Cusack (Austria) and Bob Acheson (Turkey) vied for my favours. In the end I decided to go with Blair, as Bob rarely wrote and I found it difficult to work out detailed battle plans with him.

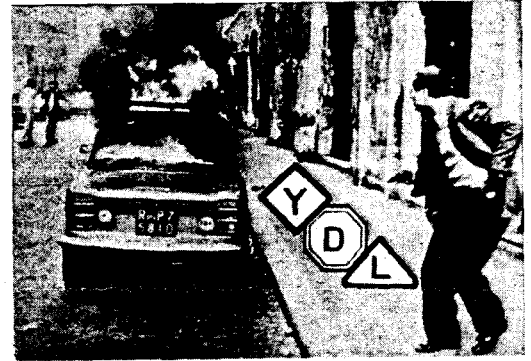
Once our alliance was settled, Blair and I agreed to race to the finish. With Turkey removed and a peaceful border with Austria, I was able to devote my full attention to westward expansion. Ralph Morton (France) had also prevailed upon me to join with him, and I was agreeable in the early game, as he could weaken Germany and England who I had to go through to win. But, just as I thought everything was arranged with France he supported Germany and insulted me in the press. We were working on patching that up when Ralph resigned. If he had stayed in the game I might have had a difficult decision to make between sticking with Blair and joining forces with France.

However, with Ralph gone and breakthroughs occurring in the north, my decision was made for me. It was just a matter of trying to outguess the opposition from then on. I resolved to stick by my alliance with Austria despite a change in players, though I was prudent enough to use surprise armies to start defending my borders. I think my final orders, of taking just what I needed to win, demonstrated my respect for the other players. When I saw the win was inevitable I could have moved to grab as many centres as possible at the end, but I had no desire for revenge or to humiliate the other players.

It was a pleasure playing under Dave, as game reports always arrived in time with plenty of time for submitting orders, and no GM errors to content with. If there were more GMs like Dave the level of frustration in the hobby would dramatically decrease. Blair was the only player I had much communication with and I thoroughly enjoyed playing with him as well. I wish there were more like him in the hobby. I felt badly for Paul, as I had him outnumbered and was thoroughly committed to taking as much in his direction as I needed to win, but he remained a gentleman about it. Thanks, Paul. Maybe next time things will be different.

Blair Cusack (Austria): Not much to say except that I wouldn't have stabbed Ron Brown under any circumstances - the race for the victory was sincere; second place to a game long ally is OK by me. Oh yes, I curse NMR's, and I'm sorry for it dave.

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CANNONBALL	\$ 20-1(ub)+1(\$8)		BAL.\$18.
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BALL	\$ 20-1(ub)+16(py)		BAL.\$35.
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RAIL BARON
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YBE--B&O, CRI&P, L&N, WP, EXC

TRIVIA QUIZ -

ANSWERS (1) Train whistles: What does 2 long toots, a short toot and another long toot mean? - Road crossing (2) In the 1953 movie "Abbott and Costello Go to Mars." Where did they land? - Venus (3) A professional boxer weighs 159 lbs. What is the lightest division he can fight in? - Middleweight (4) In which TV program did Cousin Itt appear? Adams Family (5) In 1956 Don Larsen of the Yankees pitched the first World Series perfect game. Whoever comes closest to telling me how many pitches he threw wins this question. -97 (6) What is the State of Nebraska's nickname? Cornhuskers (7) The Carrier Saratoga and some other naval vessels were sunk at Bikini Lagoon (8) Under US law a patent is only good for 17 years. True or False? - True (9) Who is "Peacelord of the Universe", Commander of the Spaceship Stardust II? - Perry Rhoden (10) How many sides to a Heptagon? - 7

Dave Anderson had 5, Andre Torres 6, Joe Stark 5 and Tro whatsisname 5. Andre wins another 3 issues and gets a chance for a hat trick with this next quiz.

NEXT QUIZ: Sports- (1) Who won the AFL Rookie of the Year in 1965. Hint: He played for NY Jets. (2) Who scored more Pro touchdowns? Jim Brown or OJ Simpson? (3) What position did Earl Morrall play for Baltimore Colts? (4) How many times can a baseball manager go to the mound before he has to remove the pitcher? (5) Golf: A player in a foursome hits a poor shot off the first tee; so he asks the other players for a Mulligan. What does he want from them? (6) Golf: What type of shot is a "grass Cutter" (Also known as a "Worm Burner")? (7) Has anyone swam the English Channel underwater? (8) What is an "Upback" in Football? (9) Polo: Can an unmounted player score a goal? (10) How old can a horse be to enter any of the Triple Crown events?

As usual, 3 issues of SK up for grabs.

SPACE (XANTH) GM: Dave Carter. S'02.

AUSTRIA (4) Hugh Polley: a tyro - tri, a bud - tri, a ser - gre, a vie - boh.

ENGLAND (4) Steve Piper: a nwy - swe, f nug h, a edi - hol, f nth c a edi - hol.

FRANCE (6) Ted Shannon: a bel s english a edi - hol, a par - bur, a bre - gas, a spa h, f por - mao, f mars - gol.

GERMANY (5) Bruce McIntyre: a hol s a mun - ruh, d/a, a mun - ruh, f swe - den, a sil - ber, a ber - kie.

ITALY (4) Charles Arsenaunt: f tun - ion, a ven - pie, f rom - tyrr, a apu - rom.

RUSSIA (4) Pierre Touchette: a stp - nwy, f bal s english a nwy - swe, a war - pru, a mos - war.

TURKEY (5) Kevin Innes: a rum - ukr, a bul - rum, f con - bul ec, a ank - sev, f bla c a ank - sev.
Hugh Polley, 183 Maranda Cl, Calgary, Alta, Canada, T2A 3E7

**Steve Piper, 11319 W 73st, Shawnee, KS, USA, 66203

Ted Shannon, 1262 Daniel Dr, Bathurst, NB, Canada, E2A 3Y3

Bruce McIntyre, 6191 Winch st, Burnaby, BC, Canada, V5B 2L4

Charles Arsenaunt, 4490 Ste Kevin, #7, Montreal, PQ, Canada, H3T 1H9

Pierre Touchette, 1 rue Georges, Masson, PQ, Canada, J0X 2H0

Kevin Innes, 75 Silvercreek PKwy N, Guelph, Ont, Canada, N1H 7R9

GAME NOTES: Fall 1902 due Friday January 11th. Now I know that I mess up Steve Piper's address almost as much as I do the Game Map, nevertheless Steve does have a COA. He assures me that the Shawnee Address is his latest. I suppose that now would be a good time to mention that the map last time showed a Russian Fleet in GOB - it should have been in BALT.

PRESS: Rome - Munich: What about a 4 way IARE alliance?

Italy - Germany and Russia: It's time to do something or else...

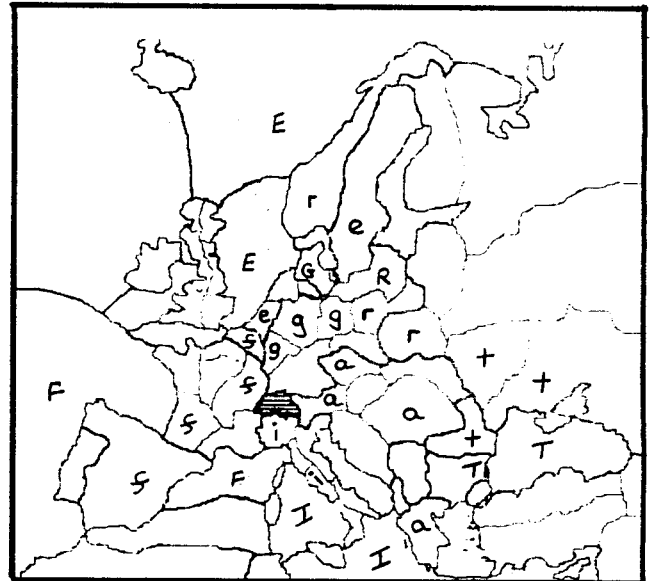
German Kaiser gets bombed at first Cidercon:

Achtung, you English twit. My House Party #1 was preceded by a fantastic spaghetti McIntironni meal preceded by Caesar Salad and followed by Banana Creme pie, a Risk game (In which I was

victorious), a poker game, and ten ciders. When I regained consciousness, I noticed that my pants no longer fit too well. So what's the problem?

Career Issues won:

Cohen	20
Andre Torres	14
Tro Sherwood	9
G Mills	8
J Caruso	8
Rob Winslow	6
Joe Stark	6
Ben Schilling	6
Errol Platt	5
Jack Jung	5
Bern Sampson	3
Don Del Grande	3
P Ashley	3
J Michalski	2
P Touchette	1
B Albrecht	1
McIntyre	1
Hickey	1
Keller	1
Ozog	1
Anderson	1



Vienna: Austria declares itself nneutral in regional conflicts. Pledges support to Eastern alliance in it's struggle with the West.

World Press (AUS): Western Alliance not caught off guard by Eastern Alliance offensive. Germany vows vengeance upon Russia.

Moscow-Ank: Declare WAR.

Moscow-Berlin: Yes, but!

Moscow-London: Hope, you'll understand.

Moscow-Rome: Avez-vous bien compris.

Moscow-Vienna: Thanks for encouraging me against the Turkish fish.

Sil: Get out of the way!

Ber: Sorry.

Mun-Bel: I hope you're there with my support....

Bel(Germy): I hope so too...

Swe(Germy): Wot's Kaiser McMac up to now....?

All Five(Germy)-Turkey's trumpet: Anything else..., right - what I suggested had no chance of failure. Why be flamboyant when you can be effective.

WINTER ONLY DUE TO LARGE NUMBER OF CHANGES

AUS(B.ACHESON) Rem.A Alb,Ser,Bud//Has A Tyo F Ion
 ENG(D.CARTER) Bld.F Lon//has A Bre F's Lon,Eng,Tri,Nwy,Mid
 FRA(TOUCHEFFE) Even Has F Por
 GER(P.GAUGHAN) Bld.A Kie//Has A's Kie,Par,Bur,Mun F's Hol,Den
 ITA(P.WATSON) Bld.F Nap,A Rom/Has A's Rom,Spa,Ven,Tri F's Nap,Wes,Apu
 RUS(B.CUSACK) Bld.F Stp(nc)//Has A's Ukr,Rum,Gal,Vie F's Bot,Sev,Stp
 TUR(R.LOWES) Bld F Smy//Has A's Bul,Gre F's Smy,Aeg,Con

DRAW FALLS/RUSSIA STUBS HIS TOE

ENG(P.WATSON) A Edi-Nwy,C by F Nth,S by F Nwg,F Hel-Kie,S by A Hol
 F Fin-Swe,S by F Den
 FRA(M.KELLER) A Bur-Mun,A Ruh S ENG A Hol-Kie(NSO),F Tyh S F Nap
F Nap S ITA A Rom(SUM),F Wes-Lyo
 ITA(B.ACHESON) F Tun S FRE F Nap-Ion(NSO),A Rom-Apu
 RUS(M.GABRIEL) A Mos-Stp,A Stp-Nwy,F Swe-Den/d/(bot,bal,ska)
A Kie S F Swe-Den/d/(ber),F Nwy-Swe/d/(bar,ska)
A Mun S A Kie,A Sil S A Mun,A Bon S A Mun,A Tyo-Pie
 TUR(HEINTZMAN) A Ven-Pie,A Apu-Ven,A Alb-Apu,C by F Ion,S by F Adr
F Gre S F Ion,F Aeg S F Ion

SUPPLY CENTRE CHART

	GNS	LSS	NET	TTL	
E:HOME,DEN,HOL,-STP,NWY,KIE,+SWE	Bld.1(ANN)	1	1	0	8
F:HOME,BEL,POR,SPA,WAP	Bld.2(NBR-07)	0	0	0	7
I:ROM,TUN	Even	0	0	0	2
R:MOS,SEV,WAR,RUM,BUD,BER,MUN					
VIE,BUL,-SWE,+STP	Bld.1(ANN) or 2(d.ret.)	1	1	0	10
T:HOME,GRE,SER,TRI,VEN	Even	0	0	0	7

PRESS:

FRA-ALL Sorry the USPS strikes again
 **Draw fails.2 more upcoming E/F/R/T and E/F/T
 Mark Keller has a COA;2 Seaside Court,Sacramento,CA,95851,USA
 Thanks to Dave Head for unused stand-by orders.

CONCESSION VOTE TO ENGLAND PASSES!!

END GAME SUMMARY

	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	
A	4	6	7	7	8	9	9	10	11	11	2nd
E	5	7	9	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	win
F	6	5	6	4	4	4	4	2	1	1	4th(tie)
G	3	4	3	2	0	-	-	-	-	-	OUT
I	6	5	4	0	0	5	5	4	4	4	3rd
R	4	5	2	1	2	5	2	2	2	1	4th(tie)
T	4	4	3	3	2	2	2	1	0	-	OUT

AUS-D.Anderson/ENG-J.Punches/FRA-G.Paulson(dro F-08);C.Russell/
 GER-G.Argyle(elim.F-05)/ITA-G.Mills(dro F-02);J.Jensen(dro F-03);
 B. Bennett(dro S-06);P.Rauterburg/RUS-B.Acheson/TUR-D.Gammon(dro S-05);
 P.Ashley(dro F-06);D.Carter(elim.F-09)
 End game statements are welcome.Congratulations Jeff!!!

From Ron Snyder: Replying to an ad in the Newspaper, a Newfie and a guy from Halifax report to the St John's port for a job on a fishing boat. The Captain calls the guy from Halifax in for his interview. 2 minutes later he's out and he tells the newfie he has a job and it's the Newfie's turn for an interview. The captain drills the Newfie for 45 minutes, asking tough questions like, "What's your name?", "Where are you from?" etc. Finally out of the kindness of his heart he gives the newfie the job.

The Newfie says "Well, why did you drill me for 45 minutes but only talked to the other guy for 2 minutes?" "I guess he had an honest face," was the captain's reply.

Two weeks later, in a rough storm, while out at sea, the guy from Halifax is walking on the deck with a mop. All of a sudden a huge wave comes along and sweeps him overboard. The Newfie, seeing this, instead of running to throw him the life preserver, runs to the Captain's office with a huge grin on his face. When he get's there, he say's to the Captain. "You remember the guy you said had an honest face? Well he just fucked off with your mop!"

From Bruce McINTYRE: Guy goes into a Hotel, asks for a room for the weekend. "Would you like 302?", say's the clerk, "Sure." "Wanna Blonde?" "Sure," say's our hero. He's in the room for 10 minutes when in walks a blond with a ribbon around her neck for clothing. After a wild weekend he goes back down to the desk to pay the bill."No charge," say's the clerk. "Here's 50 bucks." Natch, he goes and tells a friend. Next week the friend gets 302, same blonde, same action.He goes down to the desk. "No charge," say's the clerk, "here's 4 bucks." "But my buddy got 50 last week?" he says. "Oh well, we only took stills this time."

EVEN as this speeds to your home via your trusty postal system, a new zine by BOB ACHESON should be heading your way (Assuming Bob likes you enough to send a sample?). It is as yet unnamed but there will be plentiful game openings. No gamefees for the first few games and subs are gonna be @50cts each issue. Bob's zine address is PO BOX 4622, Postal Station SE, Edmonton, Alta, Canada, T6E 5G5

ENGLAND RISES UP AGAINST GERMANY

AUS(ED CARTER) A Bul S ITA A Gre-Con,A Ser S A Bul,A Boh S A Mun
A Mun S ITA A Mar-Bur(NSO)/d/(ret Ruh),A Tyo S A Mun

ENG(R.LOWES) F Wal-Lvp,A Swe-Den,F Stp(nc) H,S by F Nwy

FRA(D.GRABAR) F Por-mid,F Gas H,S by A Par,A Ruh-bel

GER(K. INNES) Ret.A Mun-Ber//A Bur-Mun,S by A Ber,& A Kie,A Sil-Bon
F Bal-Den,A Lva-War/d/(ret.Pru)

ITA(TOUCHETTE) ^(JUM)
A Mar S GER A Bur,A Spa S A Mar,F Lyo S A Mar,F Ion-Eas
F Wes S A Spa,A Gre-Con,C by F Aeg

RUS(J.McPHAIL) Ret.F Nwy-Nwg//F Nwg-Edi,A Rum S A Bud,F Sev-Bla
A Mos-Lva,S by A War

TUR(B.ACHESON) F Con S ITA F Aeg-Bul(sc)(NSU),A Smy S F Con
F bla S ITA F Aeg-Bul(sc)(NSU)

SUPPLY CENTER CHART

	GWS	DSS	WBT	TTL
A:HOME,SER,BUL	Even	0	0	0
E:LON,-EDI,STP,DEN,+LVP,+SWE,+NWy	Build 2	0	1	+2
F:BRU,POR,BEL,PAR	Even	0	0	0
G:HOME,HOL,-LVP,-SWE	Rem.1 or 2(d.ret.)	0	2	-2
I:HOME,TUN,MAR,GRE,SPA	Even	0	0	0
R:MOS,SEV,WAR,RUM,-NWy,+EDI	Even	1	1	0
T:HOME	Even	0	0	0

PRESS:
TUR-GFE What are you guys doing?
ITALY Great day in Rome.Splendid weather.

TALKING of new zines....That creature Bruce McIntyre is now publishing a West Coast zine for phone games in the Vancouver area. Sometime in 85 Bruce will unleash a PBM Dip zine on an innocent North American PBM hobby.

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CONSTIPATED?: Who gives a shit!

HAVE A BLAST: Write for 101 Molotov cocktail recipes. Northern Ireland Bartenders Guild, Dublin.

ITALY PULLS IN HIS HORNS/NEW FRENCH PLAYER

AUS(B.ACHESON) Bld.F Tri,A Vie,A Bud//A Tyo-Pie,A Ven-Apu,F Tri-Adr
F Gre-Ion,A Ser-Bul,A Vie-Bon,A Bud-Tri,A Sil-mun
A Mun-Ruh,S by A Kie/d/(ANN)

ENG(WIEDMYER) F Lon-Wal

FRA(LANGLOIS) Rem.F Spa(sc)//A Bur H,S by A Bel,F Iri-Wal,F Bre-Eng
F Mid S F Bre-Eng

GER(TOUCHETTE) Ret.A Kie-hol,F Den-Bal,Rem.A Edi//A Hol-Kie,S by F Bal
F Hel S A Hol-kie

ITA(ED CARTER) Rem F wes//A Tun-Rom,C by F Tyn,A Spa-Tus,C by F Lyo
A Mar-Pie

RUS(JACK JUNG)*Bld.F Stp(nc)//A Den H,F Nth-Edi,S by F Nwg,F Ska-Ntn
A Pru-Ber,A War H,A Rum H,F Bla-Con,F Stp(nc)-Nwy
A Ank H(NSU),A Arm H(UNO)

PRESS:
LON-ALL I have survived and am no longer threatened? Where can I attack and expand to? Ireland-Iceland only time will tell.
ITALY As my friend Indira was saying to me.You have to trust someone.

Does Anyone know what DEC 25th is? Does anyone know what the Canadian Post Office does with your mail this time of the year? So are we all gonna be good little dippers and mail in some orders real early? Probably not.
If you have problems getting a hold of Barry that's to be expected. In an unreasonable act, that deprived Barry of his Winter sunshine, he was called into work full time. Barry works a night shift so phone him from Noon to 2PM.