

This is LIAISONS DANGEREUSES, a journal of postal Diplomacy and ORIGINS FO WORLD WAR II edited by Lenard Lakofka, 1806 N. Richmond St., Chicago, Ill. 60647 and printed on the IFW Press. LD # 27, Dec. 3, 1971, carries bronto 1 + 2, LD 6, 8, 9, 10, 12 + 15, Neophyte 1-6, and OWWII 1. Game opnings: LIAISONS DANGEREUSES # 15 is open as well as LD 16. Game fee \$4 minus \$0.50 for IFW and N3FDD. Neophyte will remain open through the entire year of 1972 and fill that number of games for which players can be found. The rule of thumb for Novice is that you have not begun Postal Diplomacy prior to 16 months of entry in this 'zine AND that you have not completed more than a total of 12 game years in all postal games in which you may be enrolled. Any player in a Neo game may register for one more regular game. Game fee \$3. SPECIAL: The NEOPHYTE GRAND TOURNAMENT, open to novices ONLY! see directly below opening ledgend. OWWII games are also open, game fee \$2. details on OWWII will appear in LD #28. Some notes appear herein.

LD is affiliated with the IFWDS and the N3FGBDD, and the GM is a member of the reform DA, pending results. see below.

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ANNOUNCING THE NEOPHYTE GRAND TOURNAMENT!

For this engagement 14 players shall be needed. Each player will play in 4 games of Diplomacy so that the entire tournament shall encompass 8 games of Diplomacy. Needless to say you shall play a different country in each game, and you will be in only one or two games with each player, with one or two exceptions where you may be in the ~~same~~ games with the same person three times. Game fee will be \$7 and will be open to NOVICES only! Any player now playing in NEOPHYTE is elegendible for play in this game series.

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LD's position on the current reform DA.

In the very recent past Mr. Larry Peery, et. al. have established beyoond the shadow of a doubt that the DA headed by John Beshara was not the democratic organization it said it was going to be. Having acomplished this fact, Larry has produced more and more verbage on the subject to point of deluge!

We of LD DO NOT support the reform DA! We believe that a NEW organization MUST be formed. We have evidence that John Beshara is beginning round 3 (o# 4 or 5) in these debates. He claims Peery is taking in funds illegally, etc. etc.

Now since we are reasonable people, I believe we can see that UNLESS Beshara is willing to release the membership list TOTALLY and the financial records that there WILL ALWAYS be two DIPLOMACY ASSOCIATIONS! In fact we will always be accused of duplicity, theft, and it could ~~ex~~ even come to court action! NOW DOES THIS MAKE SENSE TO YOU?!

We have a great amount of creative ability and I can feel that we are only wasting it by pushing for a REFORM DA. The name should be changed AT ONCE and divorced from Beshara once and for all! These is absolutely NO EVIDENCE that John Beshara will EVER give over control of his factonn of the DA to the reform group. Then why are we beating this dead horse? We are forming a new constititition, having elections (but perhaps not in that order) and working an various projects. Why do all this creative work to benefit Diplomacy under the name of reform and under the attack of that ass in New York?

Let us make this split complete! If there is an election I will run for a position on the board and move AT ONCE that the organization divorce itself from the DA of Mr. Beshara. We need unity, but we do not need unity under pressure. I think Peery is wrong and am stating that conviction. If anyone disagrees then by all means let's have it out. I hope those that agree with me will rally to this banner.

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bronto one.....the spring of 1908

Germany Ver Ploeg: a ber-PRU, f kiel-HOL WITH A HUHR
Turkey Schleicher (4 short) a pied-TYO WITH A VIE, f wes-SPA SC,
a rum -GAL, f tri-ADR, f aeg-ION, f bre- ECH, a sev-MOS, f mar-H, fpor
-MAO, a con- BUL, a ank-ARN, f smy-AEG

France CD A PAR

England CD F LON, F NTH, A DEN, F BEL, a hol /D+A/

Russia CD A SIL, A SER, F BLA, A NWY, A FIN, F BAR, a tyo/D+A/

The fall of 1908 is due on January 5, 1972.

bronto two.....the spring of 1908

Turkey Pulsipher: F TUN, A SMY MS A ANK

Austria, Ver Ploeg: a nap-ROM, a mar-GAS, f spasc-MAO, a ruhr-
BURG WITH A MUN, A GRE-bul, A BUL-con, A SIL(S) A MUN, f ion-NAP,
falb-ION, avie-BUD, f tri-ADR.

Russia Bytwerk: f lon-ECH, a york-LON, a hol-BEL, F KELGOS(A KEL,
A KIEL, A RUM, A ARM, F CON all HOLD, f sev-BLA, a war-PRU, a pru-
BER, F NTH (S) a hol-BEL, f stpnc-NWY, a mos-WAR. (1 short)

Germany CD a burd & a bel /D+A/

Rance CD F BRE 1 short

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LIAISONS DANGEREUSES # 6 The winter of 1908

ARMS LAYED DOWN, all three players agree to an equal draw!

England, Haery A. Krigsman, 14 centers and pieces

Austria, Lewis Pulsipher, 10 centers and pieces (note correction)

Turkey, Kenneth Valentine, 10 centers and pieces.

LIAISONS DANGEREUSES # 8 The fall of 1907

Russia Schleicher; A BUD-ser with A TRI (1 short)

Turkey, Katzive A RUM-sev WITH F BLA, & A ARM (retreated from sev)
F ALB-tri, a bul-SER WITH A GRE, f aeg-ION

England Gyax: f mao-WES, f iri-MAO WITH F BRE & F ECH, f wes-
TYRR, F SPA NC H, F TUN (S) f wes-TYR, A GAS HOLD. build rcvd.

Italy Borecki: a tyo-VEN WITH A TUS, a ven-ROM, f tyr-NAP, FPORT H

Germany Pulsipher: A PIED-ven, a mun-TYR WITH A VIE, A BOH +
A GAL (S) A VIE, A SEV (1s) Rus ABUD-rum (not so ordered), A UKR +
AMOS (S) A SEV, F SWE, F KIEL BOTH HOLD, A SIL (S) A GAL.

England; home, nwy, bel, par, bre, tun, SPA 9 8 +1

Russia; ~~bul~~, bud, tri 2 2 even

Germany; home, hol, den, swe, stp, war, ~~rum~~, mos, mar, SEV, VIE

12 11 +1

Italy; home, ~~spa~~, port 4 5 -1

Turkey; home, bul, gre, ~~ser~~, ser, RUM 7 7 even

34=33 +1

The deadline for the Winter of 1908 and the spring of 1908 depen-
dant on the two builds and one removal, is January 5, 1972

LIAISON DANGEREUSES # 9, the spring of 1905

Germany Janiec; f kiel-BAL, a liv-EDIN, f edin-NWG WITH F NTH,
A DEN H, A BER MS A MUN

England, CD A WAL

Russia Schleicher: A WAR(S) A ~~RUM~~ UKER (S) F RUM (S) F BLA (S)
F RUM, A SWE MS F NWY, F SKAG (S) F SWE.

Tureky Janeson, NMR F AEG, F CON, A SMY, A BUL--Larry Bãandin
please make a Fall move for Turkey

Italy Gyax: a tyo-VEN, a sil-BOH

Austria Bãmba (SOU) A SER(S) F GREH, a alb-TRI, a ven-ROM, A GAL
MS A VIE. cont. next page.

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LD # 9 cont.

France Lowry: a par-BURG, A TUN, f wes-TYR, a pled-TYO, a bre-BEL THROUGH F ECH.

The deadline for the Fall of 1905 is January 5, 1972

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LIAISSONS DANGEREUSES # 10 the winter of 1908

Germany Borecki: a war-UKR, f cly-NAT, a pic-BRE WITH A PAR, f nth-EDIN, f nwy-NTH, a gal-BUD WITH A VIE, a boh-TYO, a sil-GAL, f hol-BEL, a arm-ANK, a sev- RUM, ~~XXXXXX~~ A bul-CON, a rum-BUL

Italy Lakofka: A bre h/D-GAS, A TUS-ven, f ion-AEG WITH F GRE, f tun-ION, F ALB (S) F GRE, F ADR (s) A VEN-tri, A TRI-ser

Russia White a bud /D+A/

England Ferris F ECH

Tureky Meyers, A SER, F EMD, f aeg?/D+A/

England ~~edit~~

Russia ~~bul~~, ~~xxx~~

Turkey ~~bul~~, ~~xxx~~, ~~xxx~~, ser, ~~xxx~~, smy

Italy; home, tun, mar, spa, port, ~~xxx~~, tri, GRE

Germany, home, hol, den, swe, bel, par, mos, nwy, war, stp, lon, liv, rum, sev, EDIN, BUD, VIE, BRE, BUL, ANK, CON

0	1	-1
0	0	even
2	2	even
9	9	even
23	15	+8
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34	=27+7	

Germany builds three armies and wins!

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LIAISONB DANGEREUSES # 12 the fall of 1905

England Jack NMR NSO CIVIL DISORDER

f ech/D+A/, a nwy/D+A/, F IRI, F NTH

France Baker: f bre-ECH WITH F LON, A BEL MS A HOL, A BURG-mar, f mao-PORT, f lyon-TYRR

Germany Tretick (move change arrived after the deadline)

A KIEL-den, a mun-TYO, a ber-MON

Italy Maffeo; F SPA SC-mar, F WES_ spa sc, a tri-SER WITH A BUD, A VIE (S) A BUD, F GRE (S) TUR A BUL, a ven-PIED

Russia, Grossbaum; a ser-bud WITH A RUM /D alb or A/, a war-PRU, a gal-SIL(retreated from bud, F SWE-den, a stp-NWY WITH A FIN, A SEV-arm, F BLA (s) a ser-bud invalid support order (note: the copy says bud NOT bul!)

Turkey Knudsen; A BUL(S) ITA a tri-SER, F AEG (S) A BUL, A ANK-arm, f con-ANK

England; ~~xxx~~, edin, liv, ~~xxx~~

France; home, ~~xxx~~, por, bel, hol, LON

Germany; home

Italy; home, tun, tri, vei, gre, SPA, SER, BUD

Russia; home swe, rum, ~~xxx~~, ~~bul~~, den, NWY

Turkey; home, bul

2	2	even
7	7	even
3	3	even
10	7	+3
8	9	-1
4	4	even
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34	=	32 + 2

the deadline for the winter of 1905 is December 20, 1971--I suggest you send TWO notices of builds/removals/retreats. The mails are choas.

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NEOPHYTE # 1 1971 AT the winter of 1902

Russia Silverman a vie/R/ BOH, *R* f sev

France Horton even

Turkey Wrobel even

England Pandin even

Italy Keleman even

Austria Bell *B* A TRI

Germany Carpenter *B* A ~~XXXXX~~ BERLIN

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The deadline for the SP of 1903 is Jan. 5, 1972

Neophyte # 2, 1971 BX -- the fall of 1902

Russia, Devereaux--F BLA (S) A RUM, A GAL (S) A RUM, A RUM (S) A GAL,
F SWE(S)ENG f nth-DEN, A WAR (S) A GAL, a stp-LIVONIA

Turkey, Norman -- A GRE (s) Aus A SER-adr (invalid support), F AEG
(S) A GRE, a con-BUL, F EMD_ion

Germany Leeder, f hol-NTH WITH F HELGO, A BEL, a den h*/D to kiel or
A/, a mun-TYO WITH A BOH

Italy, Green -- A PIED, A TUS HOLD, F BES-mao, f tyrr-LYON

Austria, Bell -- A VIE H, A SER-gre, A SER-gre with F ION(retreated
to ion from gre), A BUD-ser, a tri-ALB

England, Davies (COA 2327 Lawrence), F NAO-mao, A NWY H, F LON-ech,
f nth-DEN

France, Stroz--A MAR (S) A SPA, A SPA (S) A MAR, F ECH (s)ger f hol-
NTH, A PIC-bre, F BRE-mao (*if not retreated, even--see below)

England, home, nwy, DEN	5	centers	4	pieces	+1
France, home, spa, port	5		5		even
Russia, home, rum, swe	6		6		even
Turkey, home, bul, GRE	5		4		+1
Germany, home, bel, hol, A	5		6*		-1*
Italy, home, tun	4		4		even
Austria, home, ser, A	4		5		-1
Deadline: January 5, 1972	34	=	34		0

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Neophyte 3, 1971 CE, the Winter of 1901

France, Blandin *B* F BRE, A MAR, A PAR	(6)	A SPA, A BEL, F POR
Turkey, Rice *B* F CON, F ANK	(5)	A GRE, A SMY F BUL EC
Germany, Hagelshaw B*B A MUN	(4)	F DEN, A KIEL, A BURG
Austria, Cox *B* A VIE	(4)	F TRI, A SER, A BUD
England, McGee *B* F LIVER	(4)	F NWY, F NTH, A WAL
Italy, Scroggie -even-	(3)	A TYO, A VEN, F ION
Russia, Keleman *B* A STP	(5)	F RUM, A SEV, AGAL, FBOTH

Note: position changes by carbon letter 34

The deadline for the Spring of 1902 is January 5, 1972

.....(dots courtesy of L. B.).....

Neophyte # 4 1971 DO the spring of 1901

THRILLING OPENING MOVES! Italy, Austria, & Germany
invaded!

Turkey, Leeder -- a con-BUL, f ank-CON, A SMY H
Austria, Williams -- A VIE-tyr, a bud-SER, f tri-ALB
France, Horton -- f bre-MAO, a par-PIC, a mar-PIED
England, McKevitt -- a liv-YORK, f lon-NTH, f edin-NWG
Italy, Hail -- A VEN-tyo, a rom-TUS, f nap-TYRR
Germany, Early -- f kiel-DEN, a ber-KIEL, a mun-BOH
Russia, Brooks -- f stpsc-BOTH, f sev-BLA, a war-SIL, a mos-SEV
The deadline for the fall of 1901 is January 5, 1972.

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Neophyte #5, 1971 DV the winter of 1900

Jim, Hagelshaw, 1515 Ferndale, Kalamazoo, Mich 49007--ITALY
Steve Nozik, 356 Kimberly Dr., Rochester N.Y. 14610--FRANCE
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John Ostapovich, 3520 Chimney Swift Dr., Huntingdon Valley, Penn
19006 TURKEY

Tom Drake, #202, 1612 Abington Dr., Alexandria Va. 22314 -- ENGLAND

Washington Perry, 6622 Carpenter, Chicago, Ill. 60621--RUSSIA

The deadline for the Spring of 1901--using 1971 DIPLOMACY rules, will
be December 19, 1971 (sent to players by carbon notice)

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NOTE: copies of the 1971 rules of Diplomacy are available from the
IFW for \$0.90. IFW MEMBERS or players in this zine, 75¢

The press--
Neophyte #2

Berlin (Nov 12) On November 11 (ill-chosen day) the government of Germany received a declaration of war from the government of England. This declaration was given as a consequence of the German fleet's attempt to enter the north sea. When our ships found this body of water already occupied by the British Navy, they returned to their base in Holland. As a result, England declared war on Germany.

Munich: news of the declaration reached Baron von Mishaufen in the midst of an official tour of Munich beer-halls. He declared, "Since perfidious Albion has seen fit to instigate a conflict over trifles, let it be known that we pick up the gauntlet! We will prosecute such a conflict with full vigour! Since our neighbours the French, who so kindly assisted our fleet, recognize England as our common enemy, we will co-operate with them to subdue the British dogs... Did you hear the one about....?"

Ottawa: The Kaiser was in conference with the Canadian Prime Minister when word of the war reached him. His official response was, "you don't say!" When asked if he planned to cut short his North American tour, he replies, "my ministers are fully capable of handling such minor matters. Now, Pierre, about the Grand Ball... Does Margaret have a friend?"

Berlin: "As a result of certain fithless actions on the part of the new government of Austria, Germany no longer considers herself bound by any agreements made with the previous regime."

Paris, Nov 22 1902 Today Foreign Minister Michael Stroz announced that he hoped that peaceful relations could be continued with the government of Italy. However, he also warned Italy and all other nations in the Meditterrean that the Gulf of Lyon is French territorial waters and any movement there would cause war.

Nov 22, 1902 Official communique to Vietta, Austria:

From Paris, France.

Mr. Bell: BULLSHIT! Mr. Stroz

Neophyte One Vienna, 17 November 1902: Italian and Austrian forces liberated the Austraaan capitol city today, but celebrations were dulled by the sight of the devastation Russians made of the once beautiful city! As the cossacks retreated in disorder they took everytihin of value with them. Among the things that were stolen were all of the showers from Viennese bathrooms! "When the Russkies first came, they couldn't figure out what our showees were; apparently, they don't haveshowers in Russia, (which may explain something about the air pollution that they brought with them). Anyway, once demonstrated, they loved it, spending their entire time in them. No wonder they were so easily defeated. CIVILIZATION COMES TO RUSSIA!!

Neo 3; Budapest Dec. 15 1901! There is a poison pen roaming about our little group! Let us all find him and shove his pen.....

Nec 4; Smyrna: The "sick man of Europe" hereby barfs upon the world!

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Neophyte #6 is open--game fess \$3, as usual. A number of interested parties, but no good old hard cash! v

W. Harrah, 129 College Ave., DeKalb Ill. 60115 interest

Maj. Elliot Lipson, Rocky Mt. Arsenal, Denver Col 80240 paid no list

Ray Converse, 513 Elm S. Apt 3, Ann Arbor, Mich. 48104 ~~me~~ paid no list

B.H. Lafosse, Phil Muller, Dean Schwass, Mark Richter, Mark Weidmark showed interest, but no money arrived. They will receive one more issue, and that's all.

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LIAISONS DANGEREUSES: Conrad vonMetzke, Bob Katzive, Tom Cleaver, Larry Lindin, Dennis Brackman, Guy Hail....only one more needed!!

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ORIGINS OF WWII:

Mitch Gniadek, 17201 Corla Ave., Tustin Cal. 92680 paid, no list
James Pyle, 1219 Third St. Henry, Ill. 61537 interest, no list
James Hagelshaw, 1515 Ferndale, Kalamazoo, Mich X 49007 paid, list
Greg Harrison, 17785 Coountry C, ub Dr., Livonia, Mich. 48152 interest.
Game fee is \$2.

You will have three weeks to place Diplomatic Factors.
You will have three weeks to call for your Diplomatic conflicts.
Details of play in this zine will be given in that issue in which the first game begins.

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LIAISONS DANGEREUSES recommends the rating pair:
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We HIGHLY recommend the game openings in the following zines;
GRAUSTARK, Dr., John Boardman, 234 E 19th St, Brooklyn N.Y. 11226
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We recommend some subscriptions too:
KADATH, Rod Walker, 5058 Hawley B. San Diego Cal. 92116
Also by Rod Walker, EHREWON, and NUMENOR (later if you get TERMINUS AND ANTARIES, esp.)

DIPLOMANIA (if you wish to follow games) 12315 Judson Wheaton Md.
PANZERFAUST, 124 Warren, Sayre Penn. (general wargaming zine)
INTERNATIONAL WARGAMER, % 1806 N. Richmond St. Chicago 60647

We advise extreme caution in the games of:
Charles Welsh, Box 3197 Brown Univ. Providence R.I. 02912--rosters carry multiple players from one locale.

We advise you to avoid like the plague:
The WARGAMER--a very poor general interest wargaming zine
LA GUERRE, by Buddy Tretick

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Plan to attend DIPLOCON V in Mt. Prospect Ill. (N.W suburb of Chicago) on July 22 & 23 1972! Full layout of the event will appear in the IFW and N3FGBDD zines after January 1, 1972.

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"Good India, and Bad Pakistan?" John Boardman/GRAUSTRAK

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MERRY CHRISTMAS, AND HAPPY NEW YEAR, and all of that....
PROSPECT II and DIPLOCON V will be held on July 22 & 23, 1972--plan to attend, for further information write or await LD # 28

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