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LES LIAISONS DANGEREUSES is the paramount journal of postal Diplomacy, vox populi, demonstrating a splendid vivacity, instead of jejune rodomontade.

dedication; to China

Gung Ho Shin Shi!

(Happy New Year--Year of the Ox)

## 經營位置

### WELL-PLANNED SPACE

One of the "Six Cannons of Painting" by Hsieh Ho; ('Division-planning, placing-arranging'),... the others are; DEFT BRUSHWORK, ACCURATE LIKENESS, VERSATILE COLORS, VENERATED TRADITIONS, & LIFELIKE SPIRIT.

from "Cold Mountain"

In winding valleys too tortuous to trace,  
On crags piled, who knows how high,  
A thousand different grasses weep with dew,  
And pines hum together in the wind.  
Han-shan, 8th or 9th Cent. A.D.

from "Chu-ch'en Village"

The girls go drawing the water from the brook;  
The men go gathering fire-wood on the hill...  
Alive, they are the people of Ch'en Village;  
Dead, they become the dust of Ch'en Village.  
Do Chu-I 9th cent. A.D.



from 'Fu on the Shang-lin Park'

The steep summits of the Nine Pikes,  
The towering heights of the Southern Mountains,  
Soar dizzily like a stack of cooking pots,  
Precipitous and sheer.

Szu-ma Hsiang-ju, 2nd century B.C.

4	9	2
3	5	7
8	1	6

The Han-era version, is a classic Chinese myth in which a magic diagram of the nine realms of the earth emerged at the command of Heaven. This mystic plan appeared on the carapace of a turtle in a square divided into nine parts. The 'Universan Model' or the 'Nine Mansions' was a chart associated with astrology and ancient rituals of the Shaman-Kings of vague antiquity. Via this 'Magic Square' heaven had graciously allowed mankind to a glimpse of one of its ultimate secrets.

cf. ANCIENT CHINA, Edward Schafer, TLE, N.Y. Lib. Con. 67-30847, 1967

# The International Game Show

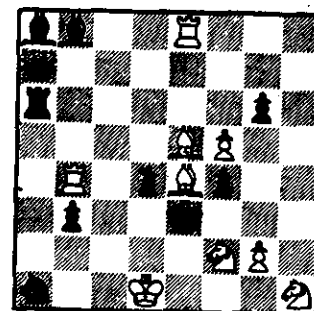


## Diplo-Con VI

Will Richard Ackerly keep the title of world's greatest DIPLOMACY player? ...or will some unknown, like Edi Birsan, Brenton ver Ploeg, or Doug Beyerlein win it away from him? Come to the Second Annual 49-player Diplomacy Tournament and find out! The top prize this year, in addition to the Diplomacy Cup, will be an inlaid wooded Diplomacy board, valued at \$100! Also featured will be a discussion of the strategy and tactics of the game by Allan Calhmer, meetings of IDA & TDA, panel discussions on the future of the game, and much, much more.

## Mate in two! Can you?

IF YOU CAN, then you will want to pit your skill against one of the Chess Masters giving a simultaneous Chess Exhibition on both Saturday and Sunday. You will also want to see the fabulous collection of ancient Chess sets, and artifacts of old and precious games in the museum exhibit displayed throughout the game show.



White mates in two

## Chicago II

The largest Historical Conflict Simulations Convention in the United States will convene again in Chicago for your pleasure and enjoyment. Featured will be every type of miniatures game you could want; Napoleonics, Modern, World War II, Naval (both WWI & WWII), American Civil War, Medieval, and Fantasy. A major tournament in board games is also planned. Prizes will be superb at this convention, top prizes in each event will be valued at \$20, or more!

JUNE 22, 23 & 24, 1973 are the dates to keep open on your calendar for the INTERNATIONAL GAME SHOW. Held this year at the BISMARCK Hotel, LaSalle & Randolph, in Downtown Chicago.

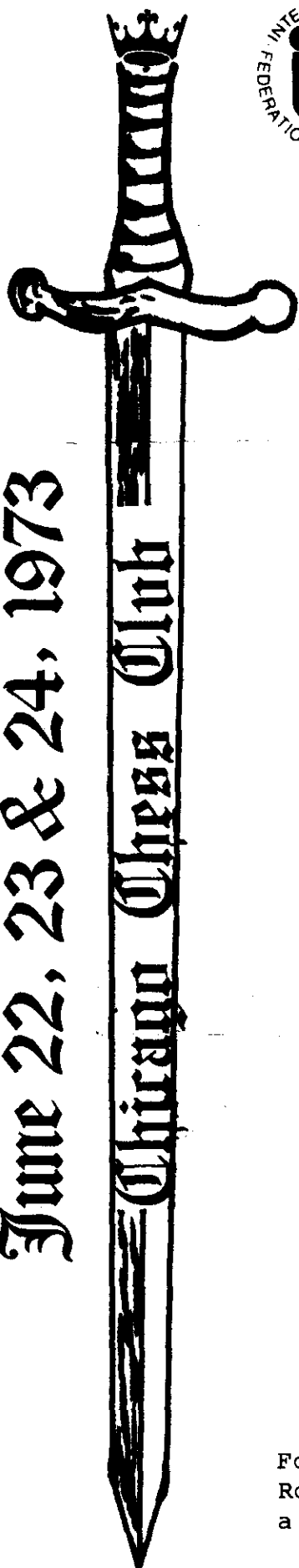
Fees;	Friday June 22 2:30PM-12:00PM	Saturday June 23 9:00 AM- 12:00PM	Sunday June 24 9:00AM-8:00 PM
Spectator	\$1.00	\$2.50	\$2.50
Chess only	----	\$3.00	\$3.00
Player (all events)	\$2.00	\$5.00	\$5.00

For prepayment; -50¢/day spectator/chess; -\$1/day player. Room Accomodations, in beautiful, newly remodled rooms is a fantastic \$16/day for Singles and \$22/day for Doubles!

International Game Show 205 W. Wacker Chicago, 60606

June 22, 23 & 24, 1973

Chicago Chess Club





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+ THE DIPLOMACY SCENE +

1. Final tally of votes in the IDA election; It appears that the council is not going to even to examine the challenge votes or come up with a final total of votes! Birsan's and Biehl's totals do not even remove challenges. The challenges that I made are not even being examined--even though a tie for the presidency could result! We must all lobby for strong and clear election by-laws for 1973 so this uncoordinated mess shall not occur again.

President; Birsan 21 Lakofka 20 Brooks 10 Abstain 1 14 challenges!  
Editor; Boyer 44, abstain 8,  
At-Large: Beyerlein 36, Biehl 33, Davis 19, Hunt 15, abstain 1  
Atlantic; Nozik 8, Massar 7  
Central; Hilliker 12, Blandin 6  
Pacific; Fujihara 8, abstain 2, protest 1  
Canadian; Weidmark 4, Leeder 2  
Overseas; Feron 1

IDA membership is now up to 91!

2. ...and IMPASSABLE IT IS! Chapel Hill Publications gives you the debate of the century; Lakofka the white knight of the oppressed gamesman, vs. Von Metzke the Chimney Sweep! See IMPASSABLE #16 (Feb. 4, 1973) 117 Gaillard, Carlisle Pa 17013 12 issues for \$2! There are a lot of other good features too, like "The Dream Maker" A LWL Production, in Cinemascope and Wroblecolor, sound by Flatus!

3. HAVE YOU LOST ITALY'S ADDRESS AGAIN? WILL THE WAR BE LOST FOR WANT OF A ZIP CODE?! Then find what you want to know in Midwestern Publication #24--the DIPLOMACY CENSUS, by Ray Bowers, 625 Evans, Kirkwood Missouri 63122 only 4 for \$1 This listing has almost 800 names (including foreign listing) along with a list of magazines in print. A requirement for the Diplomacy Player, order today!

4. EVERYTHING YOU ALWAYS WANTED TO KNOW ABOUT DIPLOMACY (but were too wise to ask) is the Record keeping journal of the Postal Diplomacy Hobby. Therein you will find; listings of Boardman numbers, recently completed games, gameopenings, and much more! Published quarterly by Conrad von Metzke (the Chimney Sweep--see # 2 above) PO Box 8342, San Diego, Cal. 92102 for \$3/year (\$3.75 overseas air mail).

YEAR	# OF GAMES BEGUN	# OF GAMES STILL IN PROGRESS(to best of knowledge)
1962	1	1
1963	3	0
1964	5	0
1965	23	0
1966	68	0
1967	56	2
1968	102	4
1969	96	17
1970	73	19
1971	143	96
1972	184(1972 GB!)	177
1973	16+	

5. WE LOSE ONE ARCHIVIST...BUT GAIN ANOTHER! Fred Winter has given up his archives do to more pressing problems, but Richard Hull, 4720 Cloyne, apt 2, Oxnard Cal. 93030 of TANGELO EXPRESS fame, is now trying to build an archives. We urge you all to trade with Richard.

6. Speaking of trades.... Some of you who read--this publication--may have noticed the LD circulation drop from 168 to 144. Well I have dropped 30 trades to people who never reciprocated.

7. Don Horton, our professional France in LD, is now a publisher! CLAW AND FANG is its title, \$4 iss game fee. Write Don, 16 Jordan Court, Sacramento Cal. 95826) for a sample copy! Support your brothers from LD!

8. Larry Peery is converting XENOGOGIÆ from a ditto zine to one that is Photo-Offset. For it he would like \$5/year (4 issues). I suggest that you pay no attention to this announcement and not waste \$5.- Let it come out and be reviewed for a couple of issues. I do not have high hopes for it.



## 2. the ARCHIVES PLAYER POLL

Curator; Walter Buchanan

Reproduction in entirety in; HOOSIER ARCHIVES

Subjective listing of top players by magazine publishers.

Updated; 14 January, 1973 (HA, Buchanan, #105, p. 8) (15 ballots cast)

Rank	Name	Total Points	Number of ballots mentioned on	# of firsts
1	Edi Birsan	186	14	3
2	Brenton Ver Ploeg	177	13	4
3	Walt Buchanan	114	12	-
4	Doug Beyerlein	110	9	-
5	Tom Eller	101	9	-
6	Andy Phillips	93	12	1
7	John Smythe	93	11	-
8	Len Lakofka	83	11	-
9	Conrad Von Metake	71	7	1
10	Gene Prosnitz	66	8	-
11	Lew Pulsipher	59	6	-
12	Randy Bytwerk	51	7	-
13	John Koning	40	5	-
14	John Beshara	35	3	1
14	Hal Naus	35	7	-

## 3. The Beyerlein Player Poll

Curator; Doug Beyerlein

Reproduction in entirety in; Washington Reports

Subjective listing of top players by other players

Update; 6 February, 1973 (WR #3, Beyerlein, p 1) (44 ballots)

Rank	Name	Total Points	Number of ballots Mentioned on	# of firsts
1	Edi Birsan	461	31	10
2	Brenton Ver Ploeg	379	26	8
3	Doug Beyerlein	339	30	-
4	Len Lakofka	256	26	1
5	Walt Buchanan	222	23	1
6	Andy Phillips	222	27	3
7	Tom Eller	216	17	2
8	John Smythe	199	20	-
9	Conrad VonMetzke	168	21	1
10	Lew Pulsipher	119	17	-
11	Mike Rocamora	118	12	2
12	Rick Brooks	115	14	1
13	Gene Prosnitz	88	15	-
14	Hal Naus	82	12	-
15	John Beshara	76	11	1
16	Charles Reinsel	69	7	1
17	Mark Weidmark	62	6	2
17	Randy Bytwerk	62	8	-
19	Ed Rack	61	5	1
20	Arnold Vagts	49	6	-
21	Charles Miller	44	3	1
21	Chic Hilliker	44	4	-

(This issue of Washington Reports has some interesting commentary on Ratings by Allan Calhmer, Edi Birsan and Doug Beyerlein . Doug lists the participating zines as; HOOSIER ARCHIVES, GRENDEL PRESS, THE ARENA, WASHINGTON REPORTS, PELLUCIDAR, LIAISONS DANGEREUSES, PLATYPUS PIE, CARBPN 13, and the SILMARILLI.)

Next poll in Autumn--it will be the Vox Populi ballot for that period

## 4. The AVERAGED CALHAMER LISTING

Curator; Brenton Ver Ploeg

Reproduced in its entirety in: PLATYPUS PIE

Wins divided by non-wins (sans any consideration of draws)

Update; First printing in PLATYPUS PIE #19, 29 January, 1973

10 or more games completed

Rank	name	percentage	#of games
1.	John Beshara	.583	12
2.	Doug Beyerlein	.500	16
3.	Hohn Smythe	.400	20
3*	Lenard Lakofka	.400	10
5.	Andy Phillips	.333	18
5.	Gene Prosnitz	.333	18
7.	Jerry Pournelle	.308	13
8.	Mike Goldstein	.286	14
8.	Buddy Tretick	.286	14
10.	Edi Birsan	.237	38
11.	John Koning	.200	20
12	George Schelz	.181	11
5 - 9 games completed			
1.	Tom Eller	.833	6
2.	Crazy Dutchman(sic)	.750	8
3.	Randy Bytwerk	.571	7
4*	Mehran Thompson	.400	5
5.	Lew Pulsipher**	.333	9
6.	Jeff Key	.333	6
7.	Bud Pendergrass	.286	7
7.	Jeff Power	.286	7

\* My listing was in the 5-9 group as .200/5, however that did not consider EVERYTHING #4&5. Depending on which listing is used I have .400/10 or .444/9.

Lew Pulsipher should be .400/10 also as he has just ~~was~~ one herein. (1970 AI)

## 5. the CALHAMER POINT COUNT LIST

Curator; Walt Buchanan

Appears in its entirety in: HOOSIER ARCHIVES

Listing of all past wins (1 point) and draws (fraction of 1 point).

Update; .6 January, 1973 (HA #104, Buchanaan)

POINTS	NAME	POINTS	NAME
10.450	Edi Birsan	4.667	Lew Pulsipher*
8.333	John Smythe	4.333	Len Lakofka*
8.200	Doug Beyerlein	4.167	Mike Goldstein
7.567	Andy Phillips	4.000	Randy Bytwerk
6.200	Gene Prosnitz		Tom Eller
6.000	Brenton Ver Ploeg		John Koning
5.333	Hal Naus		Charles Wells
5.200	John Beshara		
5.067	Charles Turner		
4.333	Jerry Pournelle		

\* Corrected as per item 4 above.

## 6. The ROGUES' GALLERY Country listing, Averaged, and Total Point Count

Curator; Lenard Lakofka

Reproduced in its entirety in: LIAISONS DANGEREUSES

System taking into account all types of possible finishes, adjusted for substitute positions.

Update; 10 February, 1973--follows. 246 games rated, 36 added

The games added are; 68a,af, 69ab,ad,bd,be, bm, cg,70aj,ba,bm,71f,p,ap,be,bh, bs,cd,ee,bj,72f,g, 67a,69p,u,70f,b,aa,bn,68b,ad,71bc,af,cc,69cj,70aw

7 games rejected; 71cj-co, 71z. cj-co because a false time limit was invoked. 71 x because substitute policy erratic.

## ROGUES' GALLERY COUNTRY LIST

	AUST. R	ENG. R	FRA. R	GER. R	ITA. R	RUS. R	TURK. R
# of wins	27 4/5	35 2	27 4/5	20 6	16 7	47 1	34 3
points for wins	6540	8345	6505	4885	3850	11415	8170
# of draws	12 7	26 3	26 2	23 4	16 6	16 5	29 1
points for draws	936	2353	2734	1906	1250	1344	3059
avg. for draws	78.0 7	90.4 3	105.2 2	82.9 5	78.1 6	84.0 4	105.5 1
# of survivals	59 7	93 2	104 3	83 5	97 4	72 6	100 1
pts. for survival	1821	3438	3308	2620	3063	2501	3968
avg. for survival	30.9 7	36.9 2	31.8 4	31.7 5	31.5 6	34.7 3	39.7 1
# of eliminations	148	92	89	120	117	111	83
pts subtracter for e.	-4493 7	-2465 2	-2525 3	-3315 5	-3151 4	-3750 6	-2349 1
pts for all wins, draws	7486 5	10708 3	9241 4	6791 6	5100 7	13759 1	11019 2
pts for wins, draws, & survivals	9307 6	14146 3	12547 4	9411 5	8163 7	15260 1	14987 2
all positive minus pts. for elim.	4814 7	11681 2	10022 4	6096 5	5012 6	11510 3	12638 1

R. = rank within the area relative to other countries.

Examination shows that a country's performance is fairly consistent in that its rank usually ranges over three numbers only. I.e. all ranks are from 1st to 3rd. The notable exception is Russia which ranges all over the place!

From final results we see that Russia is clearly ahead in wins, Turkey-England next, France-Austria after that and Italy-Germany bringing up the rear. When draws are considered Russia's domination of the top spot is damaged. Overall both Turkey and England beat her out when survival and eliminations are considered. Russia and Austria follow the pattern that either they do well, or they get smeared.

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PARTIAL AVERAGE ROGUES GALLERY PLAYER LISTING--for over 4 corrected games only.

NAME	Corrected Games	Total Games	Average	Total points	Rank
CRAZY DUTCHMAN!	8.00	8	193.0	1544	1
TOM ELLER	5.71	8	165.7	946	2
JOHN BESHARA	8.61	11	157.7	1354	3
RANDY BYTWERK	8.00	8	153.6	1229	4
LENARD LAKOFKA	9.25	10	130.2	1284	5
RICK BROOKS	4.00	4	103.5	414	6
GENE PROSNITZ	16.93	18	99.7	1680	7
TERRY KUCK	4.53	5	98.7	447	8
DOUG BEYERLEIN	17.21	28	97.7	1680	9
LEE CHILDS	8.33	12	97.7	833	9
JOHN SMYTHE	19.74	26	95.3	1880	11
JEFF KEY	6.57	7	90.3	593	12
LEW PULSIPHER	8.34	10	81.8	682	13
EDI BIRSAN	31.06	43	75.6	2347	14
GEORGE SCHULZ	10.91	20	69.2	755	15
BUDDY TRETICK	19.48	27	62.5	1218	16
JEFF POWER	7.80	9	61.8	682	17
ANDY PHILLIPS	16.80	38	57.6	968	18
ED HALLE	7.81	9	44.9	351	19
HAL NAUS	27.45	49	43.8	1202	20
JOHN MCCALLUM	18.43	20	42.8	789	21
CHARLES WELSH	9.66	12	35.0	388	22
GEORGE PATTON	9.09	11	28.0	255	23
GARY GYGAX	4.00	4	23.5	94	24
BRUCE GLETTY	5.41	7	22.2	120	25
CONRAD VonMETZKE	31.34	53	20.6	645	26
LARRY ST CYR	22.39	37	18.9	423	27

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 rogues' gallery player listing, continued.

NAME	Corrected Games	Total Games	Average	Total points	Rank
STEVE BOBKER	4.93	8	12.7	63	28
BOB WARE	9.70	12	10.3	100	29
DAVE MAY	7.90	12	4.5	35	30
SID COCHRAN	9.74	13	0	-2	31
ERIC JUST	3.95	8	0	-8	32
LEONARD GARLAND	5.89	7	-23.8	-140	33
and MARGARET GEMIGANI	23.40	33	-26.5	-622	34

that is the end of the listing

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 ROGUES' GALLERY TOTAL POINT COUNT

RANK	NAME	TOTAL POINTS	CORR GAMES	TOTAL GAMES
1.	EDI BIRSAN	2347	31.06	43
2.	JOHN SMYTHE	1880	19.74	26
3.	DOUG BEYERLEIN	1680	17.21	28
3.	GENE PROSNITZ	1680	16.93	18
5.	BRENTON VER PLOEG	1544	8.00	8
6.	JOHN BESHARA	1354	8.61	11
7.	LEN LAKOFKA	1284	9.25	10
8.	RANDY BYTWERK	1229	8.00	8
9.	BUDDY TRETICK	1218	19.48	27
10.	HAL NAUS	1202	27.45	49
11.	ANDY PHILLIPS	968	16.80	38
12.	TOM ELLER	946	5.71	8

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 THE BOUNCING B's of Diplomacy

There are times when I feel that I have been cheated! My Name is sans a 'B'. So What?, I hear you cry.

Well the fates shine upon the B's of Diplomacy. Brenton Ver Ploeg, Walt Buchanan, Doug Beyerlein, John Boyer and Edi Birsan are either, the top players in the ho?By, or have the Best Diplomacy magazines.

.....Why even Conrad VonMetzke has a Box number, and Steve Cooper lives on Buchanan Avenue!.... and we can't forget John Boardman, Larry Blandin.... and even John Beshara....or Buddy Tretick(well I guess there are exceptions). Yet I can't dredge up one B in my name, magazine or address! Oh SoB! Why couldn't I publish Bushwacker, or Bangladesh or carpetBagger? ....But I don't take it seriously--really I don't.

Sincerely,  
 Benard LaBofka

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 Bits and pieces....

Burt LaB<sup>u</sup>lle(2 B's--soB) has just published the latest ANTARIES. It is just chock full of all kinds of stuff--I don't quite know what kinds of stuff, but there are chocks of it! (you are welcome Burt--78 forever!)

The VOX POPULI syndicate is growing very nicely! So far 7 publishers have pledged to put in a ballot on a quarterly basis and to report the ballot results. If there is a question you would like to ask about Diplomacy please send it in. The answer must be of the yes/no or mutiple choice variety only!

The next ROGUES' GALLERY magazine poll will be called for in May of 1973. May 1973 will also be the 4th anniversary of LIAISONS DANGEREUSES . A special edition is planned! In fact all of the publishers, to whom I have given articles, are hereby requested to return the favor and send me one for that issue! I'm also going to ask a few other people for some ramblings--I hope you'll enjoy the outcome!

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CENSORSHIP!

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Remember when Carol Buchanan censored Rod Walker?! If you think Rod raised a ~~haha~~ over that, just wait until you see the uproar I create!

STAN WROBEL HAS CENSORED A POLISH JOKE!!

Can you believe it? Do you feel faint? Isn't your confidence in Polocks shaken?! (you never had confidence in a Polock--oh well, you can't win 'em all.)

Below is the press release Stan Wrobel censored in JASTRAZAB #13! Americans want Claud Oopoopokowski! Send your cards, letters and garbage to Stan Wrobel, 7 Poland Village, Poland Ohio 44514....and follow the adventures of Stan Rumble in the 'Dream Maker' in IMPASSABLE--1972 CJ.

METROPOLIS: Claud Oopoopokowski traveled like lightning on his 436HP Mack Garbage Truck. Whenever danger called (or trash needed tp picked up) Claud would be there!

After foiling the Bank robbery, Claud resumed his disguise as Fred Oopoopokowski and took has 'Win with Claud" sign off of the truck body. Now he was inconspicuous, and could move through Metropolis' streets unnoticed. It wasn't long after he returned to the main garage that an urgent call came in. "Pick up some empty crates behind Joe's Diner!" Fred was first to answer the garbage call. As he drove uptown he noticed a burly 300lb. man attacking a frail young girl in an alley! "Ah, this is a job for Claud Oopoopokowski! Hold on, my dear, Claud will be right with you!"

And as quickly as he could, Claud sped to her aid. It only took him 20 minutes to pick up Joe's crates and he was back in the alley! He jumped from his Mack, but fell flat on his face. His army surplus boots had gotten caught as he tired to slip into his "Win with Claud" leotard! "Drat it! I must remember to put this on before the boots!" Claud got out his diary and entered; "suit before boot." He then ran to the girl's aid. She was half-naked and beaten unconscious. As Claud tried to do the right thing (he was having trouble, because the zipper on his leotard had stuck) he heard his 436 HP Mack START UP! The mugger was escaping in his garbage truck!! This was too much!! Claud almost castrated himself by pulling the zipper back up again, as he ran after the truck. "STOP THIEF"

WILL CLAUD CATCH THE GARBAGE? WILL LOIS LOVE HIM IF HE DOESN'T?  
FOLLOW THE ADVENTURES OF CLAUD, LOIS AND ALL THE FAMILY IN JASTRAZAB,  
% Stan Wrobel, 7 Poland Village, Poland Ohio 44514 10/\$1.50--send 30¢  
additional for an autographed shopping bag once used by Stan to carry  
his overprint to the city dump!

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DIPLOCON VI

At the end of this issue you will find a poll to help determine what events will be scheduled at DIPLOCON VI. All interested publishers are encouraged to syndicate this poll so as to give it maximum coverage. ONLY by returning this poll can you get a discount if you are 17 years or age or under!

If there are additional questions you would like to ask please send them in. Publishers may freely add material to this questionnaire when they reproduce it!

I have some rather strong opinions about one question on the survey. This involves haw the plærs should be placed in the 49 man tournament. I think that NO ONE should be favored because of his postal Diplomacy record. All 49 names should just come out of a hat. Whatever game they end up in is the game in which they shall play. I do not think that some players should have the right to play in an experienced-player-only game and therefore be pitted against one or more novice winners from other games in the tournament. May the BEST man win!





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 1971 CE continued. deadline information on pages 3 + 11

I have a formal request for a vote on whether this game should be declared a 4 player draw. Please submit an answer to that question with the winter adjustment.

The question is also asked whether the "Turkish-Austrian alliance" has 18 centers locked behind their lines. I can, but will not, answer that question. If an Austro-Turkish alliance submits a MOVE that claims a number of centers held I will rule on whether that claim is correct and a forced draw would result. Note; such an alliance must have 17 centers locked up. 16 or less is not a forced draw.

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The Spring of 1906

FINAL WAR TO BE JOINED SOON. MAJOR POWERS JOCKEY TO OBTAIN POSITION.

Austria CD (1) A VIE

England, Keller(8) F BAL(S) a den-KIEL, F BAR(S) R STP NC H, A BEL(S) f nth-HOL, f lon-NTH, f nwg-NWY,

France, Horton(9) A BOH(S) a mun-TYO, f mao-WES, F NAP-ion, f rom-TYR, f tus\_LYON, a mar-PIED, f bre-MAO, A PA R-burg

Italy, Hail NMR A APU

Russia, Brooks (1) A BER(S) FRE a mun-kiel (nso)

Germany, Erly(2), A RUHR-burg, f kiel h /D.../

Turkey, Leeder(12) A BUD(S) a rum-GAL, F BLA(C) a ank-SEV, a mos-WAR, a war-SIL, a alb-TRIA, a tri-VEN, f GRE-ion, a sev-MOS, a ank-SEV, a con-BUL, f smy-EMD

Deadline information pages 3 + 11.

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 1971 DV

the fall of 1906

England, Drake (owns; home, nwy, den, swe, ber, KIEL, HOL 9=7+2 \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_

A DEN (S) F KIEL, F KIEL(S) f nth-HOL, f wal-LON, f nwy-H, f ska-SWE, A YORK H

France, Nozik owns; home, iber, bel, mun, TUN 8 = 7 +1 \_\_\_\_\_

F TUN (S) f WES-tyr, A BEL(S) ENG f nth-HOL, a ruhr-MUN, A PIED U, a mun\_BOH, F TYR-ion

Germany, Johnson owns; ~~hol, kiel~~ 0=2-2 out of game

A ~~hol~~/D.../, f HELGO H\*

Italy, ~~Agelshaw~~ NMR NSO Substitute Jim Fish, see LD 36 for all addresses

owns; home, tri, vie, ser 6 = 5+1 \_\_\_\_\_ A NAP, F ROM, A SER, A VIE, A VEN

Russia, Early owns; home, bud, rum, CON 7 = 6 + 1 \_\_\_\_\_

F BLA (S) a smy-CON, A RUM-bul, F STPN U, a war-GAL, a BUD-rum

Turkey, Ostapkovich owns; ~~con~~, smy, ank, bul, gre, ~~tyr~~ 4=6-2 - \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_  
 a con/D+A/(~~s~~)A ANK(S) f aeg-SMY, A BUL(~~s~~) a con, F GRE(S) A BUL, (f tunis retreated to ionian) F ION-nap

\*Mr. Johnson's orders ramble on about GM does not follow sealed orders etc.

In part he's right, I do not follow sealed orders when options that are unclear are presented. If the orders are absolutely unequivocal I will follow them myself, if not I call a neutral player to have him make the moves (adjustments). In this case Mr. Johnson's priorities for removals were not absolute. A series was given. I gave that list to the substitute and he made the removal. If Mr. Johnson does not like the removal then Mr Johnson should either write clear sealed orders or make his own removals! Another person will not assign the same value or meaning to a long series of priorities, that you might. The moral of the story is to depend on no one--make your own moves.

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 1971 EK

The fall of 1905

Austria, Fujihara owns; tri, ser, bud, vie, gre, rum 6=6 even

A SER(S) A RUM H, a vie-TRI, A GAL & A TYO H, f ion-gre/D.../,

England, Brackman owns; home, BRE, BEL 5=3+2 \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_

F NTH(S) a pic-BEL, f ech-BRE

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BEK continued

France, Converse owns; spa, port, ~~bel~~, par, ~~brp~~, ~~nat~~, TUN, VEN 5=6-1 - \_\_\_\_\_  
 a bel(~~g~~) a ruhr/a ruhr(~~g~~) a bel/both D..../, F TUNS()TUR F emd-ION, F TYR-rom,  
 a VEN(S) F TYR-rom, a burg-PAR

Italy, Hendry (owns ~~lyh~~, ~~lyh~~, rom, nap, mar ) 3=3 even  
 A NAP(S) A ROM, A ROM(~~g~~) A NAP, f spa s-MAR

Turkey, Cleaver owns; home, bul, sev, mos 6=6 even  
 a gal retreated to sil. A SEV(S) a ukr-MOS, F AEG-gre, f con-BULS, f emd-ION,  
 A SIL-war

Germany, Blandia owns; hol, den, war, home, nwy, swe, stp 9=9 even  
 A BER(S) AMUN, A MUN(S) a hol-RUHR, f kiel-HOL, A WAR(~~g~~) A mos/D..../, a mos(~~g~~)  
 A WAR, f swe-NWY, f den-SKAG, f nwy-NWG

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1972 N

the fall of 1904

Austria, Fish owns; home, ser, rum, gre, bul, con, war, SEV, MOS 11=9+2 \_\_\_\_\_,  
 A TYR(S) a vie-BOH, A LVN(S) a war-MOS, A RUM(S) a ukr-SEV, a gal-SIL, a bul-  
 SER, f con-BLA,

England Pitsch owns; edin, liv, ~~ni~~, nwy, ~~den~~, swe 5=5 even \_\_\_\_\_  
 F NTH(S) a ruhr-hol (no such piece), f nwy-SWE, F SKAG(S) F HELGO-den, A BEL U

France, Harrah owns; home, por, lon, SPA 6=5+1 \_\_\_\_\_  
 A GAS(S) f mao-SPASC, a bel(~~g~~)eng a ruhr-hol (no such piece supports no such  
 piece) A LON U, f ech-MAO, a burg-MAR

Germany, Converse owns; home, ~~shp~~, hol, DEN 5=5 even  
 A KIEL(S) F DEN, A BER(S) AKIEL, F HOL-nth, F DEN H, a : : mun-RUHR

Russia, Shamray owns; ~~shp~~, stp, ~~shp~~ NMR see 72CE! 1=2-1  
 F BOTH, A ARM, a sev/D+A/

Turkey owns; ~~ank~~ 0 = 0 even

Italy, Lipson 4419 Coldbrooke CT., Alexandria, Vir. 22306  
 owns; home, tun, smy ANK 6 = 5 + 1  
 A PIED (S) FRE a burg-MAR, f tyr-LYON, F WES-spa s, A ANK()~~S~~ F smy-CON

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1972 AE

The fall of 1904

Austria Osmanson (8)owns; home, gre, bul, mun, ser, ~~war~~, rum, mos 9=8+1 \_\_\_\_\_  
 A BUL (S) A BUD-rum, A MUN (S) ITA a mar-BURG, A MOS(S) A RUM-sev, A BOH+ASIL  
 (S) A MUN, f gre-AEG

England, Nyderek owns; hoem nwy, stp, HOL, BEL 7 =5+2 \_\_\_\_\_,  
 A HOL (S) f ech-BEL, F LON-ech, f STPN-nwy, F NTH-den

France, Cusack owns ~~bel~~, port, par, bre 3=4-1 - \_\_\_\_\_  
 F BRE-ech, a gas-bel/D.../, a burg(~~g~~) a bel/D.../, a bel ~~h~~/D.../

Germany, Knudsen owns; den, ~~kiel~~, kiel, swe, BER 4=4 even  
 F SWE-nwy, F BAL-den, A BER(S) A KIEL, A KIEL (S) A BER

Italy, Hendry owns; homa, tun, mar, spa 6=6 even  
 F LYON(S) a pied-MAR, F MAO(S) a spa-GAS, a mar-BURG, a tun-NAF

Russia, Johnson owns; ~~rum~~, ~~shp~~, sev, ~~shp~~, ~~shp~~, war 2=5-3 - \_\_\_\_\_,  
 a smy retreated to arm, f rum retreated to sev..... A ARM-ank, F BLA(S) F SEV-  
 rum, a pru-WAR, F BOTH\_bal

Turkey, Hoffman owns; ank, con SMY 3=2+1 \_\_\_\_\_  
 A ANK(~~g~~) a smy-CON

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1972 BB

the fall of 1903

Austria, ~~shp~~ owns bud, tri, ~~shp~~, ~~shp~~ 2=2 even substitue Mc Conville see LD36  
 A BUD, F ALB, a ~~shp~~

England, hoffman owns; lon, edin, ~~lyh~~, nwy, hol, bel, DEN, KIEL 7=6+1 \_\_\_\_\_  
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England f lon-WAL, f nth-DEN, f ech-MAO, a ruhr-KIEL, F NWY-swe, A BEL-pic  
 France owns; ~~spa~~, ~~par~~, par, bre, LVP 3=4-1 -  
 f ech retreated to brest. F BREH, APIC(§)A BRE, A MURG-mun, f nat- LVP  
 Germany, ~~Vittor~~ owns; vie, ~~spa~~, ~~Kiel~~, mun, ber, swe 4=3+1  
 substitute Gershenson -- see LD 36 for all addresses  
 F SWE, A BOH, A VIE

Italy, Siliby owns; home, tun, mar, SPA, PORT 7 =5+2  
 f wes-SPA SC, f spasc-PORT, A MARH, A TYO-mun, a rom-TUS

Russia, Thatcher owns; war, mos, stp 3=3 even

A UKR (S) a war-GAL, F STPS H

Turkey, Whatley PO Box 4682, Irvine, Calif. 92664

owns; home, bul, gre, sev, SER, RUM 8=6+2

F BLA(S) F SEV, F AEG-ion, A RUM(S) a bul-SER, F SEV(S) A RUM, F GRE-alb

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## 1972 BS

The Fall of 1903

Austria Greer owns; home, ser, gre, rum, bul, CON 8=7+1

A GAL(S) a rum-UKR, F AEG(S) ITA f emd-SMY, A CON(S) ITA a arm-ANK, a vie-  
 TYR, A BUD-rum

England, Keller owns; home, nwy, bel, STP 6=5+1

A BEL(S) GER a ruhr-BURG, f nwg-NTH, F LON(S) f nth-ECH, F STP NC H

France, Phillips NMR NSO ~~par~~, par, bre, por, spa 4=3+1

F MAO, A PAR, A SPA, f ech /D+A/, a burg /D+A/

Germany, Osmanson owns; home ~~den~~, hol, SWE 5=5 even

F HOL (S) ENG A BEL, A MUN(§) a ruhr-BURG, A SIL-war, A SWEH,

Italy, Chin owns; home, tun, ANK, MAR, SMY 7=4+3

a arm-ANK, f tyr-LYON, a pied-MAR, f emd-SMY

Russia, Mc Conville owns; ~~spa~~, ~~par~~, war, mos, sev, den 4=4 even

a gal retreated to ukr, A BOH-mun, a ukr-war/D.../, A SEV-rum, f bal-DEN

Turkey, Harrah owns; ~~home~~ 0 = 0 out of game a smy 1

## 1972 CE

the spring of 1903

Austria St Johns (5) A sil/D.../(§) ita A BOH-mun, A SER(S) a gre-BUL, A BUD-rum  
 a vie-TYR

England, Shamray\* (2, 1 short) F NWG-edin, a york-LON 10964 le Conte!!

France Pitsch (6) F ECH (C) a pic-WAL, a bel-BURG, a mar-PIED, a pied-TUS, aspa-GAS

Germany, Serena (5) F NTH (C) a DEN-edi, a hol-KIEL, A MUN(§) a tyo, a tyo/D.../  
 (§) A MUN

Italy, Gershenson(5) F ION(C) a tun-ALB, A VEN (S) AUS a vie-TYR, F SMY-con,  
 a BOH-mun

Russia, Swies (6) A RUM(S) Tur abul-ser, A GAL(S) a WAR\_sil, F NWY H, a mos-SEV,  
 A UKR(S) A RUM

Turkey, Fujihara (4) A CON(§) F BLA-bulec, a bul-ser/D+A/, a sev-ARM

\* Your loyal gamemaster, better known as super-fuck-up, made an error on Sept.  
 27, 1972, by printing Peter Shamray's address incorrecily. From that list I  
 mailed LD. Thus Peter has missed at least 5 issues of LD. Therefore, I have  
 ruined his position and have hurt him as a sub. in 72N. So I will let Peter con-  
 tinue but I will not rate him in either game if he does poorly. I will also give  
 him a free game and another substitute postion. Sorry about that!

DEADLINE for the fall can be found on pages 3+11.

## 1972 DZ

The spring of 1902

Austria, Thather(3) a vie/D.../(§) a ser-TRI, f ALB(S) a ser-TRI

England Carroll (4) F NTH(C) a york-BEL, f NWY-swe, f lon-ECH

France Peery (6) f port-MAO, a spa-GAS, a bel 1/D.../, f bre-PIC, a par-BURG,

A MAR(S) a par-BURG

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DIPLOCON VI POLL

- 1) At what TIME on Saturday should the first round of the 49 man (98man!?) tournament begin? 9:30, 10:00, 10:30, 11:00 (circle one)
- 2) Should any effort be made to separate players nationally prominent in PBM Diplomacy within the Tournament? yes no (circle one)
- 3) Should separate sections of the tournament be created for experienced players, Novice players and Face-to-face players? yes no (circle one)
- 4) How long should the tournament run (place a check before your choice)?  
 Until a win or draw is achieved, or agreed to,  
 Until a set year, at least 1910, is achieved,  
 Until a set time limit  
 If you check the time limit answer, should the time limit be;  
 4 hours, 5 hours, 6 hours, 7 hours, 8 hours (circle one)
- 5) Do you wish a place reserved for yourself (and others) at the 49 man tournament? (If you answer yes, you must enclose your check or money order, or a place will not be held for you. -- rates appear on this flyer)  
 yes no (circle one)
- 6) Should any Origins of World War II games be scheduled? (answer this question IF you would be willing to PLAY in such an event)  
 yes no (circle one)
- 7) If you would play in an OWWII game, if scheduled, should it be held; Friday evening, Saturday morning, Saturday late afternoon, Sunday Morning, Sunday Afternoon. (Circle one or two)
- 8) Should a variant Diplomacy game be scheduled for prizes?  
 yes no If you answered yes, which one(s) \_\_\_\_\_
- 9) Do you wish to attend the meetings of the:  
 IDA TDA neither (circle your choice(s))
- 10) Would you attend a Diplomacy seminar for beginners as;  
 a spectator  
 as expert on the panel  
 if the seminar is held on SUNDAY afternoon? (check one)
- 11) Would you attend a presentation Luncheon/Dinner?  
 yes no (circle one)  
 If yes, would you pay \$5, \$6, \$7, \$8 for dinner--circle maximum cost.
- 12) Do you plan to attend;  
 Friday June 22  
 Saturday June 23  
 Sunday June 24  
 (Circle one, two or three)
- 13) Will you participate in the simultaneous chess exhibition?  
 (Scheduled for Saturday and Sunday afternoons--about 2 hours required)

RATES:

	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
spectator	\$1	\$2.50	\$2.50
player*	\$2	\$5.00	\$5.00
Chess only ---		\$3.00	\$3.00

\*allows you to play chess also

Discounts: subtract 50¢/day for prepayment, as a spectator before April 15, 1973  
 subtract \$1/day for prepayment, as a player, before April 15, 1973  
 subtract \$1/day for prepayment, as a player on Saturday or Sunday if you are 17 years of age or under (age discount ONLY with this questionnaire!!)

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