

"Life's a bitch, and then you die."

—Gary Gedig

Winning nasty

MIDLIFE CRISIS 18%

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A LITTLE LATE

Yeah, I'm sorry about the delay, but it really couldn't be helped. As I always do when an issue is late, I'll make it free to all subbers. This will be a warehouse issue, but the reading material, plus Mark Lew's zine, will come out in a mid-monthly, scheduled for a week or so from now. So bear with me.

COMPUTERIZING

I have recently purchased an Apple IIC computer. As soon as my printer is hooked up, the zine will be printed on it. I also plan to buy a phone modem, which could enable some of you to submit your orders and press, or anything else for that matter, via the computer. More on that in MC #19.

JOEL McNALLY THE INNOCENT BYSTANDER

of

The Milwaukee Journal



There once was a kingdom ruled by a very old dragon.

The dragon slept most of the time. The townspeople didn't really mind. Everything worked out well that way.

The dragon was quite impressive. It was very photogenic. And it made them feel safe.

The townspeople were proud of their dragon. The dragon gave them a feeling that their kingdom was something special. And as

*A satirical column
of personal opinion*

long as it remained sleeping, it was quite harmless.

The only time there was any trouble was when the dragon woke up. It would get up and lumber around and then anything could happen.

Sometimes, it would stumble into other

kingdoms, knocking over buildings and wreaking havoc.

When it stayed at home, it was just as dangerous. The dragon seemed completely oblivious to any damage it was doing, although, inevitably, it always seemed to be the peasants who were squashed.

No one really blamed the dragon. It seemed like a good-hearted beast. It wandered around aimlessly with a glazed look in its eye and a grin on its face.

One day, a knight named Sir Walter got tired of worrying about what could happen

whenever the dragon came to. He decided to take a stand against the dragon.

He called town meetings and made a lot of speeches about the dragon. But no matter how good oratory turns out to be, it is never as impressive as a dragon.

Twice, however, Sir Walter met the dragon head on and stared it down. The dragon seemed befuddled and disoriented.

Some of the townspeople began to wonder whether the dragon was as invincible as they had thought. Maybe it wasn't a dragon at all. Maybe it was a dinosaur.

Sir Walter's speeches were starting to stir up the townspeople more and more. The town criers continued to shout to the heavens about how large and impressive the dragon was. But some people were beginning to wonder.

Some of them even began to dream about living in a world where they wouldn't have to worry about a dragon waking up and stumbling into something.

One final showdown was set up between Sir Walter and the dragon.

Sir Walter put on his shiniest armor and rode forth on his trusty steed. The old dragon lumbered onto the battlefield. For just a moment, their eyes met.

Then the old dragon opened his mouth and, with an ugly, ferocious roar, belched a giant ball of orange fire and black soot that immediately incinerated Sir Walter, reducing him to a grease spot.

The old dragon grinned, twinkled his eyes and then slowly put his head down and fell into a deep sleep.

Moral: Don't believe in fairy tales.

The above is dedicated to Ms. Cathy Gunning, who believes (snicker, snicker) that Reagan really won't raise taxes during his second term.

I am, by the way, Paul G. Rauterberg, 4922 W. Wisconsin Avenue, Milwaukee, WI. 53208. Phone 414-778-0750 evenings from 4-11 PM, during the day on weekends.

ENGLAND GETS GANG-BANGED

AUSTRIA (Carl Russell, 21 Morgan Rd, Binghamton, NY 13903);
A Ser-r-Alb, removes A Alb. A Vis-S-A Bud, A Bud-S-A Alb-Ser (NSU),
A Alb-Ser (NSU).

ENGLAND (Bob Acheson, c/o Echo Bay Mines, Lupin, NWT, CANADA XOE 1M0);
Removes F Edi, F Gulf of Both. F Mid-Spa sc (dis, ret to Iri, Por, Wes, Naf,
Otb), A Nwy-Edi, F Nth-C-A Nwy-Edi.

FRANCE (Bill Becker, 810 Turwill, Kalamazoo, MI. 49007);
A Gas-Spa, F Lpl-Cly, F NAT-Mid.

GERMANY (Russ Rusnak, 16 West, 536 Honeysuckle Rose, Apt 1C5, Hinsdale IL 60521);
F Nth-r-Eng. Builds F Kis, A Ser. A Lvn-S-TURK A Mos-Stp, A Mun-Tyr,
A Bel H, F Eng-S-FRENCH F WAO-Mid, F Lon-Nth, A BRE-Gas, F Kis-Helgo,
A Ser-Sil, A Yrk-Edi, F Swe-Nwy, F Salt-Den.

ITALY (Jim Makuc, 2 Forest Park Lane, Rm 214 Ivy House, Cornell University,
Ithaca NY 14853); Builds A Ven, F Nap. F Nap-Ion, F Tum-S-F Nap-Ion,
F Ion-Alb, A Tri-S-AUSTRIAN A Bul, A Tyr-Soh, A Ven-Tyr.

TURKEY (Chuck Kaplan, 742 Grouse Ct, Deerfield, IL. 60015);
A Bud-R-Gal. Builds A Con, F Say. A Con-Rus, F Blk-C-A Con-Rus, A Gal-Vis,
A Ser-Bud, A Bul-S-A Con-Rus, A Mos-Stp, F Gre-S-F Aeg-Ion, F Aeg-Ion,
F Smy-Eas.

The deadline for Fall 1988 is SATURDAY 12 January, 1989.

PORCELAIN PRESS

ANKARA TO VIENNA: Ready to give it up?

PUFFO TO BAKKO: I don't remember begging to standby, except in games with
Frush, Wall, or Peters. By the way, Dale, you're deadwood.

MYSTERY LETTER: You accuse me of writing off the wall letters. I ought to
send you your own harrangue back. As to watching your tongue, it refers to
calling my kid dumb, My wife ugly, and myself a fag in the letter before
that. As to crossmailing, you are always sending a letter about 3 days after
the original blowing me out for not replying already. Get down!

ANKARA TO NAPLES: Years ago, I did everything you asked. Rome and Naples
were there for the taking, but I refrained. Now I am going to them the old-
fashioned way; I'll earn them. Then, as a good Moslem, I'll rape and pillage.
See you in the Med.

PARIS TO PUPPETMASTER: With heads up play I could end '88 with 4 centers and
none of them in France. Russ, You're a pal.

ANKARA TO BERLIN: That was a hell of a great stab. Congrats.

Here is the line-up for the final game to begin for quite a while in ME.

AUSTRIA: J. Travis Laster, 125 Garden Ct, Winchester, VA. 22601.
Has F Tri, A Vis, A Bud.

ENGLAND (Michael Quirk, 3830 Chester, Glenview, IL. 60025);
Has A Lpl, F Lon, F Edi.

FRANCE (Bob Acheson, c/o Echo Bay Mines, Lupin, NWT, CANADA XOE 1M0).
Has F Bre, A Mar, A Par.

GERMANY: Scott Burrell, 2309 Gens Ave, Albert Lea, MN. 56007);
Has F Kis, A Ser, A Mun.

ITALY: Rob Sweeney, Jr. 614 Custer, Ft. Leavenworth, KS. 66027;
Has A Ven, A Rom, F Nap.

RUSSIA: Brad Wilson, Box 327, Lake Forest College, Lake Forest, IL. 60045);
Has F STP sc, F Sev, A War, A Mos.

TURKEY: James Wall, 1805 University Avenue, #5, Madison, WI. 53705;
Has F Ank, A Con, A Say.

The Spring 1901 deadline will be Saturday, 9 February, 1985.

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MISSIONARY POSITION

Spring 1908

HAPSBURGS GIVE COSSACKS A BLOODY NOSE

AUSTRIA (Nelson Heintzman, 2255 Delaware Ave, #C-4, Buffalo, NY 14216);
A Arm holds, A Ark-S-F Con, F Con-S-ITALIAN F Gre-Bul sc,

ENGLAND (Jim Makuc, 2 Forest Park Lane, Rm 214 Ivy House, Cornell Univ,
Ithaca, NY. 14853); F Cly-Edi.

FRANCE (Konrad Baumeister, 11416 Parkview Lane, Hales Corners, WI 53130);
F Nwg-Edi (dis, ret to MAO, Barents, Otb), F Mid-Eng (dis, ret to MAO, Por,
Wes, Naf, Otb), A Bre-Gag, A Gas-Spa, A Pic-Bur.

GERMANY (Dale Bakken, 1814 Cameron Dr, #3, Madison, WI. 53711);
Builds A Munich. F Bel-Eng, A Bur-Gas, A Ruh-Bel, A Boh-Tyr, A Tri-S-A Boh-Tyr,
A Mun-S-A Boh-Tyr, A Sil-S-RUSSIAN A War-Gai (no such A War), F Iri-S-RUS F Eng-
Mid. s.

ITALY (Russ Rusnak, 16 West 536 Honeysuckle Rose, Apt 105, Hinsdale, IL 60521);
Removes A Alb, F Gre-Bul sc, F Aeg-S-F Gre-Bul sc, F Tyn-GOL, A Ven-Tri,
A Tyr-S-A Ven-Tri (dis, ret to Pis, Otb).

RUSSIA (Nancy Irwin, 4729 Morgan Ford, Apt 6, St. Louis, MO. 63116);
Builds A StP. A Ser-Gre, F Eng-Mid, F Nth-S-F Nwy-Nwg, A Edi-Lpl, F Nwy-Nwg,
A Vie-S-GERMAN A Tri, A Bud-S-GERMAN A Tri, A Rus-Bul, F Bul sc-Aeg (dis, amih),
F Bik-S-A Rus-Bul, A Sev Holds, A Stp holds.

MISSIONARY PRESS

GHOST TO MISSIONARIES: I eagerly await the explosion when Nancy shoves those
arries in as Russ suggested. Only Russ has some wit around here; everyone
knows I don't.

BAKKO TO UNK MO: Hey, I didn't mean to sound as if I was raggin' on your ass
for not going to Indy. If you had other plans, you had other plans—that's all.
But don't tell me your "fear" of getting stopped for DWI. Don't let those
fucking pigs intimidate you! Life is too short sometimes to live in fear of
anything. And I give you credit for living to be 30. I'm not there yet and
who knows—I might not see it.

UNK MO TO BAKKO: Ah, words of good cheer for this Holiday season....

GHOSTLY MUSINGS: It seems to me that this game is straying far beyond the
missionary position. Remember folks, we're all supposed to be pruders here.

PARIS: A Russian/German draw? Who proposed that bullshit? I vote a re-
sounding NO on anything but a Russian victory. She's certainly deserved it
for bringing Bakko to his knees. (I'd have thought it should have been the
other way around.)

GERMANY TO ITALY: Nice try, Russ. As far as I'm concerned, anything Nancy
wants to shove up my ass is most welcome and greatly appreciated.

GHOST TO UNK MO: whatever would one do with a napkin under the ass; are you
implying incontinence? If so, diapers (pronounced di-a-pars, not di-pars)
would be much more appropriate.

Needless to say, the draw was vetoed. Fall 1908 falls due on Saturday, 12 January.

BOARDMAN NUMBERS ASSIGNED

For RIGEL II: 1984 IA.

For Sordid Behavior: 1984 KZ.

The deadline for both these games is now 12 January 1985.

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THE SACRED COW

Fall 1905

LOTS OF DOTS CHANGE HANDS BUT
ONLY THE RUSSIANS HAVE MUCH TO SHOW
FOR IT

AUSTRIA (JOHN CROSBY, 830 Hunterhill Tr, Roswell, Ga, 30075);
A Rom-Nap, F Ion-Tun, A Alb-Ser. (NSU), F Alb holds, unnumbered, F Con-Soy,
F Aeg-S-F Con-Soy, A Bul-Rus, A Tri-Via, A Bud-Via, A Ven-Tyrol.

ENGLAND (Jim Keeney, 3124 N. St, Sacramento, CA. 95816);
F Hol-Kie, F Ska-Den.

FRANCE (David Anderson, PO Box 3761, Pontiac, MI. 48059);
F Wal-S-RUSSIAN A Yrk-Lon (Neo), A Bur-Ruh, A Pic-Bel, A Har-Gas, F Tun-Ion.

GERMANY (Matt Fleming, 4290 Chateau de Ville, #C, St. Louis, MO. 63129);
A Mun-Bur, A Ruh-S-F Kie-Hol, F Kie-Hol, A Boh-S-RUSSIAN A Via, F Nth-Lon.

ITALY (Paul Gardner, PO Box 60, Eugene, OR. 97440); A Tyr-Tri.

RUSSIA (Lu Henry, 6056 Waverly, Dearborn Heights, MI. 98127);
F Cly-Lpl, A Yrk-S-GER F Nth-Lon, F Nwy Holds, A Swe-Den, A Rus-Bud, F Sev-Rus,
A Via-S-A Rus-Bud, A Smy-S-TURKISH A Ank-Con (dis, ret to Ank, Syr, Ars, Oth).

TURKEY (Derwood Bowen, 1649 Graniteway Lane, Columbus, OH. 43229);
A Sey-r-Ank. A Ank-Con, F Blk-S-A Ank-Con.

A draw between A/R/G has been proposed. Votes may be submitted along with the
Winter 1905/Spring 1906 orders, due 12 January, 1984.

1983 CQ

SUPPLY CHART

Winter 1905

AUSTRIA: Has Via, Bud, Tri, Ser, Gre, Ven, Rom, Nap, Bul, ~~Syr~~, Soy. (9). Even.
ENGLAND: Has Ldy, Hol. (1). must remove one.
FRANCE: Has Par, Bre, Mar, Spa, Por, Tun, Lpl, Bel. (7). May build two (2 short).
GERMANY: Has Mun, Kie, Ber, Den, Wai, Lon. (5). Even.
ITALY: Has Wai. (0). OUT!
RUSSIA: Has StP, Sev, Mos, War, Rus, Swe, Nwy, Edi, Lpl, Via, (Ank?).
(10 or 11, depending on retreat). Builds two or three.
TURKEY: Has Con, Ank? (2 or 1, depending on Russian retreat.) Even or remove one.

THE SACRED PRESS

WILLY TO NICKY: "Vienna in the Springtime, London in the Fall."
"We'll take Manhattan, the Bronx and Staten Island too...."

MOSCOW TO PARIS: If your fishing fleet in Celtic coastal waters tried to inter-
fere with Germany's occupation of London, we will be forced to cut your rats off.

(UNK MD TO MOSCOW): He might say "nyet" to that!

WARSAW TO TRIESTE: Your diktat demanding a cessation of communications,
having been duly filed, is acknowledged.

WARSAW TO UNK MD: Some folk sure are touchy.

WARSAW TO BERLIN: See what you made us do. Now Austria is angry with me.
Oh well, nothing lost, save our honor.

FIELD MARSHALL VERZMEIBER TO FIELD MARSHALL PRICKSKI: Some strategy!

PRICKSKI'S CHRISTMAS GIFT LIST: Austria: An all-expense paid trip for the
Archduke to Sarajevo. FRANCE: A compass. You can't get at Austria via the Ruhr.

GERMANY: Some French whines next year, to go with your London Broil.

ITALY: A granite monument in honor of your distinguished fight. TURKEY: A pen,
some paper, and some postage stamps. ENGLAND: A sojourn in Sweden (but never
Denmark).

WW IIIb

THE FATTED CALF

Spring 2104

TWO TRIBES GO TO WAR (IN ASIA);
GENERAL HOUSEKEEPING IN WEST

ARGENTINA (Pierre Touchette, 1 Rue Georges, Masson, Quebec, CANADA J0X 2H0);
A Buenos Aires-La Pampa, A Cordoba-Porto, F SW Atl-S, Indian, F SC-Falk Sound (dis, a.).

AUSTRALIA (Eric Ozog, 1526 N. Lawler Ave, Chicago, IL. 60651);
F W. Aus-Arafura, F NS Wales-Queensland, F Java-Celebes, A Borneo-Phillipines,
F Sumatra-Tisior Sea, F N. Zea-Coral Sea.

BRAZIL (James Wall, 1805 University Ave, #5, Madison, WI. 53705);
F Belen-M. of Amazon, A Mato-Porto allegro, F Cen Atl-S-A Mato-Porto,
A Paraguay-S-A Mato-Porto, A Bolivia-La Pampa, F Caribbean-S-F ((?))unspecified, H,
F Bermuda triangle-GULF of Mexico.

CANADA (Ron Brown, 70 F. Chesterton Dr, Nepean, Ontario, Canada, K2E 5S9);
A Ontario-Ohio Val, F NW Atl-New England, F Lab Sea-NW/ atl, F NW Pacific holds,
F NE Pac-S-F NW Pac, A California-S-PERUVIAN A Mexico-Texas.

CHINA: (Ed Wrobel, PO Box 3483, Arlington, VA. 22203);
A Manchuria-S-A Szech (dis, ret to Kamchat, Honan, Inner Mon, Otb),
A Szechuan-S-INDIAN A Tibet-Taing (NSO) (dis, ret to Inner Mon, Honan, Otb).

ECM (Mark Keller, COA-2 Seaside Court, Sacramento, CA. 95831);
F Green Sea-S-F Bay of Bis-N Atl, F Bay of Bis-N, Atl, F W. Atl-Portugal,
F Wes-Algeria, F Spain so-S-A Morocco, A Morocco-S-F Wes-Algeria.

INDIA (Nell Kiarst, 108 Humphrey, Great Valley, NY. 14741);
F Madras-E. Ind, F Rajas-Pakistan, F E. Ind-Sumatra, F Thai-S-F E. Ind-Sum,
F Persian G-Iran, A Saudi-Iraq, A Kwang-Szech, A Tibet-S-A Kwang-Szech,
A Pradesh-Kashmere.

JAPAN (Jim Makuo, 2 Forest Park Lane, Rm 214 Ivy House, Cornell University,
Ithaca, NY. 14853); F Papua-Celebes, F Honshu-Hokkaido, A Sakhalin-Hokkaido,
F E. China-S, of Japan, F Arafura-Java, F W. Pacific-Papua.

KINGDOM OF EGYPT (Brad Wilson, Box 327 Lake Forest College, Lake Forest, IL. 60046);
F W. Ind-Kenya (dis, ret. to Moz Channel, Arab Sea, G. of Aden, Otb).
A Sudan-S-F W. Ind-Kenya (dis, ret to Chad, Ethiopia, Otb), F Somal-S-F W. Ind-Ken.

PERU (Jim Burgess, 100 Holden St, Providence, RI. 02909);
F Chile-SC, F Hon wc-G, of Calif, A Rio-S-F Chile-SC, F S. Pacific-Falk Sound,
A Mexico-Texas, F Payann-Caribbean.

U OF SA: (Don Swartz, 155 Vernon Ave #2, Louisville, KY. 40206);
F Malagasy-W, Ind, F Kenya-S-F Mala-W, Ind, A Zaire-S-F Kenya, F Trans-S, Ind,
F SE Atl-S-F Trans-S, Ind, A Tangania-S-F Kenya.

USA (Michael Quirk, 3830 Chester, Glenview, IL. 60025);
F Dixie-Berm Tri, F Cuba-S-F Dix-Ber, F Haiti-S-F Dix-Ber,
A Tex-S-CANADIAN A Cal-Mex (NSO) (dis, ret. to Ore, Dix, Dakota, Otb).

USSR (Marc Peters, 1814 Cameron Drive, #3, Madison, WI. 53711);
A Kazak-Singkiang, A Siberia-Manchuria, A Syria-Turkey, A Mongol-S-A Sib-Manchur,
F Kamchat-S. of Japan, F SK-S-F Kamchat-S. of Japan, A Yak-Siberia,
A Georgia-Ukr, F Fin-Baltic, A Taing-Szechuan.

WARSAW PACT (Mark Frueh, 4729 Morgan Ford, Apt. 6, St. Louis, MO. 63116);
A Hungary-Ukr, A Gre-Turkey, A Egypt-S-S AFRICAN A Zaire-Sudan (NSO),
A Israel-S-A Egypt, A Poland H, F Adr-Eas, F Eas-Red Sea.

WAF (Chuck Kaplan, 742 Grouse Ct., Deerfield, WI. 60015);
A Mali-Algeria, F G. of Guinea-Guinea, A Niger-S-A Libya, A Lib-S-A Cent Af-Sudan,
A Cent Af Rep-Sudan, F Sahara-S-F Mid Atl, F Mid-S-BRAZ F Berm Tri (Otb).

THE DEADLINE for Fall 2104 novel is 12 January, 1985. Press releases are on
the following page, of course.

THE FATTED PRESS

CAIRO (Pharoah Press): Dictator Boss Mameluke barely escaped from the chaotic collapse of Upper Egypt under Communist Freuhian furies. Mameluke's small riverboat snuck down the Nile to Khartoum with 53 dancing girls and the U.S. President Quirk, who was visiting to firm up an anti-Madlad alliance. The boss announced he would continue the war against imperialist Europeans, bigoted South Africans, and stab-happy West Africans.

BOMBAY TO SIBERIA: Lack of communications causes Indians to go on the warpath.

MALI TO MOSCOW: You smelly imperialist. You no get any juicy dark meat. Tough luck, but my women can't stand to be on the same continent with you.

WARSAW TO EGYPTOLOGY MAJOR: Say, Brad-boy—your last bit of press explains why your country is doing so well. Lower Egypt is Alexandria and Cairo—the mouth of the Nile river—while Upper Egypt is Khartoum and the outer reaches of the Sudan. You'll eventually discover the water flows from higher ground to lower elevations. But don't take my word for it—why not go see for yourself—Eastern European flights to Cairo are daily—you'll be glad you did!

UNK MO: Flights from Cairo seem to be the order of the day, where Egyptians are concerned. When Dictator Boss Mameluke discovered that he was taking to the high ground, he sent for US President Quirk to bring along the Beverly Hillbillies for advice on mountain warfare. When Jethro Bodine arrived to inspect the rag-tag Egyptian troops, his only comment was, "Hot dog! 53 Dancin' girls!"

MARC TO MARK: Are you SURE that I told you I wouldn't build in Georgia? Oh, oh, I can feel it coming out—look out—here it comes: "So I Lied!" (Don't you dare break any bear bottles).

MARK F. TO MARC P: Stop screaming about my possibilities of attacking you. With all your armies it's like the Big Bad Wolf howling about the way the Three Little Pigs have him out-numbered.

ARG-BUENOS AIRES: It's over....

PERU TO BUENOS AIRES: Actually, that will probably be the last center of yours that we take, but you're welcome.

BOOB TO UNK MO: Which Joy Division album is the one you don't have, the "Black" one or the "White" one?

UNK MO: Ozog just sold me his copy of "Unknown Pleasures," so now I have 'em all.

PERU TO US: We salute you for your logic!

RALPH KRAMDEN TO THE ORC: When she says, "I do," make sure that is the last decision she ever makes. Remember who is king of the castle.

ED NORTON TO THE ORC: Here's to you, Eric, May your life be rosy and bright, If you take the advice of an old married man, you'll get out of town tonight.

ABC-TV TO WORLD: Watch for our new miniseries entitled, "The Love Boat sails to Orcland," or "How an Elf found love with a Cabbage Patch Doll." It stars Gary Coleman as the horny elf and Raquel Welch as the Cabbage Patch Doll. Mr. T guest-stars as the reincarnation of Indira Gandhi.

TASS TO PERU: "Eat Muff"?! Good idea!! Oh, Debi...(as if "eat muff" was supposed to be an insult, or something).

LLAMALAND TO USSR: I can feel the jealousy from here, you already have an infinite supply of white powder...it's called snow!

MARC TO JIM-BOB: What have we got? Ha! The Midwest has the best beer parties, two of the sexiest women (Debi and Cathy C.), the most obnoxious player in the hobby, some of the best players, the best beer parties—oh, I said that already? Well, they're so fun that it bears repeating!

ONE FROM DIPDOM TO UNK MO: I didn't know there was anyone who didn't recognize Rrrrrrrushak as the most obnoxious hobby member. The concepts are identical.

MALI TO WORLD: I blame all northern hemisphere imperialists for the starvation of my people. Be warned. We're coming to take your food and eat your women (or is it the other way around?).

ST PETE TO MOSCOW: YOU SMELL. NORTH POLE TO MOSCOW: You smell bad.

USSR TO WORLD: Oh, delightful! Yet another gutless coward attacking me anonymously. Identify thyself, you slimy wimp, or keep your infantile thoughts to yourself.

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PORNOGRAPHIC PRIESTESS

Winter C6/Spring C7

SEVENTEEN IN THE HAND: ONE MORE IN THE BUSH

AUSTRIA (David Anderson, Box 3761, Pontiac, MI. 48059); A Boh-r-Vie. Removes F Alb. A Try-Tri, A Vie-Bud (dislodged, ret to Tyr, oth).

ENGLAND (David Pierce, 13521 Pleasant Lane, Burnsville, MN. 55337); A Gas-Nwy, F Mid-C-A Gas-Nwy, F Eng-C-A Gas-Nwy, F Nth-C-A Gas-Nwy, F Hol U. F Nwy-S-A Gas-Nwy, A Naf-Tus, F Wes-C-A Naf-Tus, F Tyn-C-A Naf-Tus, A Bur U.

FRANCE (Michael Quirk, 3830 Chester, Glenview IL. 60025); F Ion-Eas, A Pie-Tus, A Mar-Pie.

GERMANY (Konrad Baussiator, 11416 Parkview Lane, Hales Corners, WI 53130); A Mum holds and basks in its consummate glory.

ITALY (Don Swartz? 155 Vernon Ave, #2, Louisville, KY. 40206) NBR! F Adr h, A Rome h.

RUSSIA (James Wall, 1805 University Ave, #5, Madison, WI. 53705); Builds F StPno, A War. F Strc-Nwy, F Den-Nth, F Ser-Kie, F Bulac-Gre, F Con-Sky, F Aeg-S-F Bulac-Gre, A Fin-Nwy, A Kis-Ruh, A Pru-Bar, A Sil-Boh, A Boh-Vie, A Gal-S-A Boh-Vie, A Bud-S-A Boh-Vie, A Ser-S-A Gre-Alb, A Gre-Alb, A War-Sil.

David Anderson is now playing the Austrian position. No standby will be called for Don Swartz, whom I'm sure will be back next season. The concession to Russia failed and is re-proposed. The deadline for Fall 1987 is SATURDAY/2 January, 1984.

PORNO PRESS

THE WALL TO QUINCKREPOO: I didn't realize that we were enemies. I know Ozog is not an enemy. As for Tallman and the Sleaze, well I guess I can't get along with everyone. Two out of 1000's ain't bad, in my opinion. Besides, in the upcoming gamestart, I will be with you, dear snana.

THE WALL TO PAUL: That was Krivq not Krieg, you muttonhead you.

THE WALL TO PAUL: Quirk.

QUIRK TO WALL: I hope Frush visits you for Christmas, and stays til Easter. Happy Holidays, weasel.

THE WALL TO PAUL: You had better be prepared for an invasion of Mad-Lads in Milwaukee over Christmas. Let us know when we're invited down. I need some Angel Ale.

PAUL TO WALL: Try the Thursday and Friday before New Years--Dec 27-28.

THE FATTED PRESS, continued.

MUSICAL LLAMA TO GREAT GOD OF MUSIC: Wrongo, vinyl breath! Lol Creme and Kevin Godley left IC CC to have their megahit, "The Things we do for Love" without their old pals, in order to produce one of the biggest failures in rock history.... Consequences. And the consequence of this album was to reduce Creme and Godley to obscure cult status. The key difference with All Things Must Pass is that most of it was recorded live and much of it was released previously. Consequences is strange, but interesting, especially at \$2.99 (what I picked it up for). Creme and Godley still toil in obscurity as Godley and Creme, some decent albums, but changing their names around really didn't help. And now for an easy one.... A Box of Frogs recently put out a decent little "debut" album. But three mega-influential frogs hopped from the box, never to return, long ago. Name these three never-were frogs. If you don't know, ask the little birdie out in the yard.

UNK MO: Eric Clapton, Jeff Beck, Jimmy Page?

RIO GRANDE BRIDGE BETWEEN CIUDAD JUAREZ AND EL PASO: "Halt," cried the border guard as the jumping llamas flew by without a word. The guard raised his rifle and pulled back the bolt, but the sound of the rifle firing mechanism was utterly obliterated by the trespassing widows as they broke down the gate behind the guard. What happened next was ugly and best left to the imagination.

MALI TO BELEM: Stay away. We're going to respect each other in the morning.

1982 HQ

SLEAZE ONE

Fall 191C

THE INCREDIBLE SHRINKING RUSSIAN

AUSTRIA (Mark Frush, 4729 Morgan Ford, Apt. 6, St. Louis, MO. 63116);
 A Mos-S-A Gal-War, A StP Holds, A Boh-Sil, A Gal-War, A Tyr-S-A Mun,
 A Bar-S-A Boh-Sil, A Mun-S-A Bar, A War-Pru, A Ukr-S-A Gal-War, A Sev holds,
 F Blk-Con, F Aeg-Ion, F Gre-Ion.

FRANCE (Derwood Bowen, 1643 Grandway Lane, Columbus, OH. 43229);
 F Aeg-r-OTB, F Tun holds, A Bur-Ruhr, F Spa so-Mid, F Rose holds,
 F Eng-Lon, F Iri-S-A Yrk-Lpl, A Yrk-Lpl, F Nth-S-F Eng-Lon, A Sve-Den,
 A Ruhr-Kiel, F Hol-S-A Ruh-Kie, A Pic-Bur.

RUSSIA (Michael Quirk, 3830 Chester, Glenview, IL. 60025);
 F Lpl holds (dis, ret to Cly, Oth), F Lon holds (dis, ret to Wal, Yrk, Oth),
A Den-S-A Kie, A Kie-S-A Sil-Ber (dis, annih), A Pru-S-A Sil-Ber,
A Sil-Ber (dis, annihilated).

The A/R/F draw was—surprise!—defeated. Winter '1C, Spring '11 moves are due 12 January, 1985.

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SUPPLY CHART

Winter 191C

AUSTRIA: Has Con, Vie, Bud, Tri, Ser, Rum, Gre, Ven, Sny, Bul, Ank, Sev,
Mun, Mos, Bar, StP, War. (17). Build 4, room for 3.

FRANCE (Bre, Far, Mar, Por, Spa, Rom, Nap, Edi, ~~Edi~~, Hol, Bel, Nwy, Tun,
Kie, Sve, Lpl, Lon. (16). May build three.

RUSSIA: Has ~~StP~~, ~~War~~, ~~Edi~~, Den, Kie, Edi, Uth. (1). 4 annih, must rem 3.

MIKE TO MARK: I hope you get AIDS for Christmas.

ANONYMOUS GAME

WINTER 1908

SEASONS SEPARATED; DRAWS PROPOSED

FRANCE (Casual Sutterby); Removes F Mid. Has F Nat, F Nth, A Cly, A Yrk
 F Bre, F Eng, A Gas, A Pie, F Tun, F Nap.

GERMANY (Konrad V. Kriegen); Builds F Kie, A Bar, A Mun. Also has F Edi,
 F Nwg, F Den, F Hol, A Bel, A Ruh, A Mos, A Ukr, A Bud, A Ven, A Tyr, A Vie.

TURKEY (Rhuisty Underwhere); F Ven-r-Apu. Has F Apu, A Arm, A Sev, A Rum,
 A Ser, A Tri, F Alb, F Blk, F Adr.

The following draws are proposed: F/G/T, F/T, and G/T. Votes on these may be submitted along with Spring 1909 orders. I do have orders already on file for all of you, by the way. THE DEADLINE IS 12 January, 1985.

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RHUSTY proposes a 3-way draw—come on, fellas, we're not going to get any magic recognition for winning or losing this thing—let's end the farce now. We remaining players each know who each other are. Who cares if Unk Stan doesn't know who he is, or France for that matter.

UNK STAN TO CAZ: Well, maybe...it looks like Konrad may beat you anyway. Maybe a little too laid-back this time?

KvK TO UNK STAN: Yes, me boy, as our illustrious (?) GM put it, ye have indeed thrown down the gauntlet. Foul language and bad manners I can accept; children and those with small minds frequently delight in dirtying pages with profanity and insults. (If you really insist on being chopped liver, have it your way!) But to insinuate that I am part of the Binghamton crowd, that group which delights in thinking of themselves as mediocre, is a crime beyond forgiving! You were trashed in this game, you poor sport (although admittedly the fault was your predecessor's) now be prepared to be trashed in the press. If you want the game to be over so badly, you should have stuck around longer so you'd have some say in the matter!