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1967MA belated press release...

LONDON (1 December, 1901): The Mad Satirical Monk, British Prime Minister to Her Imperial Majesty Victoria, today heaped scorn upon the ridiculous fabrications of Lucrezia II in her continued machinations directed toward the overthrow of the British Crown. "Humph!!", he stated, "since Lucrezia has seen fit to support the absurd claims of Sir Edmund Mortimer, Earl of Snerd, WE will show Her! We hereby rescind the Treaty of Amens." The treaty of Amens, of course, was where the English Monarchy foolishly gave up its rightful, just, and legitimate claims to the crown of France...

LONDON (2 December, 1901): In an exclusive interview with your reporter today, the Mad Satirical Monk commented upon the recent claims of the Borgia family (printed only in France, Austria and Russia) that it has been in power for 200 years in France. "Nonsense!" he emphasized. "Why, it was only three years ago that I myself helped the Borgias come to power in France. Ah, yes, those were the days. I can still remember how innocent Lucrezia was in those days...until she met me, that is. She was only a dear child of 17, and rather inexperienced, at that. Well, after properly instructing her, I introduced her to General Deroulede. With my protege at his side, the general soon had an almost unanimous majority of parlement backing him, especially those notoriously immoral Socialists. As I recall, the one member of parlement not backing the Deroulede dictatorship was a M. Gofere Walquirie, but, then, this was understandable since he suffered from some sort of problem which made him invulnerable to the advances of Lucrezia. But, back to the story. After the Dictatorship was established, Deroulede expected Lucrezia to marry him. At first, she refused, for my sake, but I gently pointed out the possibilities inherent in the situation, whereupon she reluctantly agreed to the union. From there it was simple to have the Act of Dictatorial Succession promulgated. Of course, the papers reported the death of the general to be a result of German bacteriological warfare, but WE know better than that, now, don't we? Anyway, you may plainly see from all this that Queen Victoria's claims to the French throne are far better than Lucrezia's!" Your reporter remarked that this was all very interesting and informative, but that it fascinated him why the Mad Satirical Monk would leave Lucrezia once she was in Power, since she admittedly has such 'assets'. The Monk sadly replied: "I hated to leave her, but it became imperative. You see, she insisted that I violate all my principles and marry her..." Your reporter nodded knowingly, since the Monk was obviously referring to his vows of celibacy. Obviously...

MISKATONIC UNIVERSITY is the Diplomacy bulletin published by A.B. Swenson. It is possibly distinguished by the proposition of 5-position Napoleonic Diplomacy sections run, but has no other claims to notice. "Miskatonic University", of course, is in reference to the institution of that name featured by H.P. Lovecraft and others in certain fantastic fiction written in the decades of the 1930's and 1940's.

1906/1907
RUSSIA (MURDER) BUILDS A (VIR) RUSSELL (MURDER) BUILDS A (VIR)
GERMANY (MURDER) BUILDS A (VIR) GERMANY (MURDER) BUILDS A (VIR)

1908/1909
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1906/1907 press section...

FROM THE NEWSDESK OF RADIO ROMANY, ABOARD THE GYPSIE BLEET!

The tiny North African coastal principality of Sirocco played host to the most distinguished assemblage of world leaders to meet within the last generation, according to world-wide estimates. Descending from his platinum pleasure yacht, the Super-dardought Egyptian Duke, Emperor Golias I of the Turko-Roman Empire was met with showers of mana from an undisclosed source. Awaiting his arrival were top officials of France and Great Britain, eager to discuss the matter of world peace. Grand Archduke Lothar Fax, ruler of Sirocco, played homage to his guests, calling the emperor a distinguished statesman and "New Testament bursting upon the land in a torrent of Allah's blessing, the Word of the Greater High spilling down from his golden lips like jewels from the coffers of Paradise." French Foreign Minister Gilles de Rais Balanta and British Home Secretary Humberg Thurner were also accorded the honor of a terse nod of greeting from the ruler.

The meeting took place in a heavily guarded souvenir warehouse, the only permanent building in the underdeveloped nation. Glasses of the local fermented olive oil were provided by the Grand Archduke at regular intervals. "We spare no expense to honor the Heavenly-endowed stormcloud and mightily crashing thunderbolt of the East, as well as his barbarian guests!" proclaimed the ruler at frequent intervals throughout the day. Emperor remained at their posts, following the mobile refreshment stands on foot, until the three dignitaries reappeared late that afternoon.

Still tormented with papers of state and souvenirs of hand-painted chewing gum and illuminated lacquered chicken entrails, the trio spoke to the press, emphasizing the gravity of the tensions besetting the world and stressing the need for collaboration in solving the weighty problems causing rifts within the fabric of international placidity. "Farthest and grave", indicated the British delegate, "is the unavoidable question of war, a state of hostility which must ever be opposed to and foreign to the concerns of man of peace, as well as repugnant to the very extreme of their personal philosophies."

Not to be forgotten, though, "supplemented the French Minister, "is the central importance of the issue itself, without which one would lack the necessary support to maintain such global crises as now threatened to inundate the suffering babes and trembling mothers of our nations with deluges of blood in an unthinkable inhuman manner which we of my land have so often spoken of with lips curled with scorn and rejection."

Emperor Golias closed the press conference with the solemn assurance that his government would do everything possible to end the threat of war for once and all, particularly in the turbulent South-West Europe area. "Pax Romana vobiscum!" he devoutly accursed the other delegates.

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RUSSIA(BRANNAN) A SEV R TO (MOS)

SUMMER, 1804

SAME GAME

FALL, 1804

AUSTRIA(BAILEY)
A RUM TO (UKR)
A (GAL) S RUM TO UKR
A BUD TO (VIE)
A VIE TO (TYR)
F (TUN) HOLD

FRANCE(JOHNSON)
A (WAL) HOLD
A (BUR) HOLD
A (MUN) HOLD
F (Mida) HOLD
F (Echa) HOLD

TURKEY(DIGERT)
A (BUL) HOLD
A (Sev) HOLD
F (Eted) HOLD
F (Ions) HOLD
F (ElaS) HOLD

ENGLAND(WARD)
F(Nths) HOLD
F (DEN) HOLD
F(HeLB) HOLD
A (DEN) HOLD
A (RHU) HOLD
A (LON) HOLD

RUSSIA(BRANNAN)
A (WAR) TO GAL.
A (MOS) TO SEV
A (BOH) S KIE TO MUN
A (BER) S KIE TO MUN
F Bals TO (SWE)

AUSTRIA HAS 3 home, RUM, VEN, TUN
may build one unit
ENGLAND HAS 3 home, NWY, DEN, KIE
remains constant
FRANCE HAS 3 home, SPA, POR, MUN
remains constant
RUSSIA HAS StP, MOS, WAR, SWE, BER
remains constant
TURKEY HAS 3 home, BUL, GRE, SEV
may build one unit

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Fading into ↑
Sunset

Curses: Dan Brannan skiped!
Not only did he skip, but he took
the Bloody Electric Typewriter!!

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Portland, Ore

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SPRING, 1807

STAMP OUT GRAPES-UP WITH MINI SKIRTS

AUSTRIA(BAILEY)
A RUM TO (SEV)
A SER TO (BUD)
A (BOH) S TYR TO MUN
A TYR TO (MUN)
F VEN TO (AdrS)
F GRE TO(IonS)

ENGLAND(JOHNSON)
A GAS TO (BUR)
F Bals TO (BER)
F HOL TO (KIE)
F(ECha) S BEL TO WAL (?)
F (MISA) S SPA TO POR /D/

FRANCE(BRANNAN)
A DEN TO (SWE)
F SPAsc TO(POR)
A MAR TO(SPA)

RUSSIA(DYGERT) NMR!!
F (NWY)
A MUN/A/
A SEV/A/
F (YOR)
A (CAL)
A(UKR)
F (SKAG)

FALL ORDERS DUE DEADLINE ON LAST PAGE?

TURKEY(MOSLANDER)
F POR TO (Mida)
F (WesM) S POR TO Mida
F (NAF) S POR TO Mida
A PIE TO (MAR)
F (BlaS) S RUM TO SEV
A (ARM) S RUM TO SEV
A BUL TO (RUM)

LUSITANIA TWO

FALL, 1902...

LOOK-THIS IS SIMPLY NOT IN VIBRATIONAL CERTITUDE WITH THE GIVEN ORDER OF THE UNIVERSE...

AUSTRIA(WARD)
A (VEN) NMR
A (TRI)
A (TYR)
A (SER)
F (ALB)

ENGLAND(WOLF)
A BRE TO (PAR)
F ECha TO (BRE)
F Nths TO (BEL)
F Mida TO (WesM)

AUSTRIA-3 home +GRE+SER+VEN=build 1
ENGLAND-3 home +NWY+PAR+BRE+BEL=build 3
france-MAR+SPA+POR=constant

FRANCE(PECK)
A (MAR) NMR
A (POR)
F (SPAnc)

GERMANY(REINER)
F (DEN) NMR
A(RHU)
F (HOL)
A (MUN)
A (BUR)

GERMANY-3 home+HOL+DEN=constant
ITALY-ROM+NAP+TUN=build one
RUSSIA-3 home+SWE+RUM= constant

ITALY(GEMIGNANI)
F (IonS) NMR
F (ROM)

RUSSIA(DYGERT)
A (StP) NMR
A (PRU)
A (RUM)
F (BlaS)
F (Bals)
F (GBot)

turkey-3 home+BUL=4=constant

TURKEY(BRANNAN)
A (ARM) NMR
A (SMY)
A (BUL)
F (CON)

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