

## Opening Shot

*Wasn't sure if I'd have room for an opening or not, but here we are....Space to answer some questions, anyhow.*

*Some want to know when I'll be offering new games. It will be years, so best forget it. Sorry, but there are many first class zines out there, some of them clamouring for new players. I'll refer you to some from time to time.*

*What happens at issue no. 50? Nothing, as far as players go. Non-players will get refunds and trades will end. Game reports will continue to go to players (and standbys) on the same schedule as before.*

*Can I recommend other Canadian zines? Sure. Sleepless Knights usually beats out Snafu! in polls (though I don't understand why). (Dave Carter, 118 Horsham Ave., Willowdale, Ontario, M2H 1Z9.) No Fixed Address should be beating Snafu! (Steve Hutton, 269 State St., Waterloo, Ontario, N2L 3N7.) There's Fol Si Fie which has been around since the last Ice Age. (Randolph Smyth, 212 Aberdeen St. SE, Medicine Hat, Alberta, T1A 0R1.) And, the brash, young Battle Stations. (Bob Albrecht, 1001, 1239, 12 Ave. SW, Calgary, Alberta, T3C 3R8.) All very different from each other, so get samples and choose what best suits your interests.*

### STANDBY ORDERS REQUESTED FROM:

Chris Rees, 1981 W, page 3  
John Davies, 1981 KA, page 4  
James Briggs, 1983 Q, page 5  
???, 1983 Brn16, page 7  
James Keeley, 1982 IF, page 8  
(??? means "help"!)

### DEADLINES:

Endgame Statements: April 13  
Millar I: April 16  
Regular Games: April 19  
International: April 19  
Seven Nations: May 25

*To make keeping track of things easier, I've changed address labels to show your balance remaining (rather than issue of expiration as before). Subbers are advised to pay attention to this, as I probably won't be listing warnings any longer. I deducted 40¢ for Canadian and American subbers for this issue, and 50¢ for overseas subscribers. This method gives me greater flexibility than the other.*

*Three games end with this issue--two by rule book victories (the other is a variant). Congratulations to all the winners. Wish my games were going as well.*

*On other fronts: do not forget the change of address in the box below. It is effective April 1st. The post office will forward mail for a while, but it is slow to handle such mail. Best not take chances. I do not know our new phone number. You'll have to ask Information if you must have it.*

*Everything else is well. Job is great. When I'm not consoling programmers, heart-broken because their programs don't work, I'm free to study and develop on my own. It's like getting paid to go to school. Ann got a promotion, but is looking forward to working reduced hours, and for maternity leave to begin. Baby's kicking a lot, getting ready for the great adventure. Christopher is learning new words, including numbers and letters, and is able to engage in simple conversations. Doctors are amazed at how well-behaved he is. Well, why shouldn't he be? He gets all that he needs and about 50% of what he wants--which is a pretty good rule.*

*Thanks to all for the kind words and congratulations you've sent.*

SNAFU! is a zine devoted to the postal play of Diplomacy and its variants.  
NEW ADDRESS (effective April 1st): Ronald James Brown, 70 F Chesterton Drive, Nepean, Ontario, Canada, K2E 5S9.

Phone number will be available from Information. Do not call after 10:00 pm.

This issue cost 40¢ in Canada and the USA, 50¢ overseas.

NO GAME OPENINGS. NO SUBSCRIPTIONS PAST NUMBER 50.

Standbys, especially for variant games, urgently needed.

## 1982 I - Mensa 16

RUSSIA CONQUERS WORLD! MOSCOVITES DANCE IN STREETS, DECLARE NATIONAL HOLIDAY. RHODE ISLAND GENERAL BEAMS IN DELIGHT!

FALL, 1908

FRA (Robert Young): A Ruh\* - Hol; A Bur\* - Bel; A Gas\* - Bur; F MAO - Bre\*; F Por\* - MAO.

GER (CD): A Bud /A/.

ITA (Bob Olsen): A Tus\* S F Tyr\* - Rom.

RUS (Dave Lincoln): F Cly\* S & A Edi\* S TUR A Lvp (NSO); F NAO\* - MAO; F Nth\* C & A Kie\* S A Nwy - Hol\*; F Eng\* - Bel; A Sil\* S A Mun\*; A Ven\* S F Rom\*; A Alb\* - Ser; A Gal\* S A Tri - Bud\*; F Sev\* S A Ukr - Rum\*.

TUR (Paula Dodge): F WMed - Lyo\*; F NAF - WMed\*; A Lvp - Yor\*; F Iri - Lvp\*; A Ser\* - Rum; A Bul - Gre\*; F Con - Bul(ec)\*; F Aeg - Con\*; F Nap\* H.

SUPPLY CENTRES: WINTER, 1908

FRA (5 - 4, disband 1): Paris, Brest, Portugal, Belgium, Holland.

GER (1 - 0, OUT): Budapest.

ITA (2 - 2, even): Marseille, Spain.

RUS (17 - 19, build 2): home, Rumania, Sweden, Norway, Germany, Denmark, Edinburgh, Vienna, London, Venice, Rome, Trieste, HOLLAND, BUDAPEST.

TUR (9 - 9, even): home, Bulgaria, Greece, Tunis, Serbia, Liverpool, Naples.

NOTES

Congratulations to Dave and thanks to all for a really interesting game. Turks in England? A one unit country in CD delaying a win? Olsen and Mazzer almost together again? Stats and map next time. Send endgame statements to my new address between April 1st and 13th.

PRESS

Russia to Turkey: Didn't you believe me when I told you that I wouldn't take any of your supply centers?

## Bourse (82 I)

OIL SWEEPS TO VICTORY! PETERBROUGH TO RAISE STATUE IN TOWN SQUARE!  
IT WAS CLOSE FOR SECOND PLACE, BUT THE POWER OF THE ROUBLE OVERWHELMED OTHER CURRENCIES.

<u>FALL, 1908</u>	US\$	Fr	DM	L	R	Tp
OIC (Briggs)	.81	0	0	2731	500	2700
MI (Cusack)	305.51	950	0	759	224	5195
JILT (Gaughan)	.14	0	0	0	4766	0
BOT (Gautron)	.00	6800	10	0	2500	0
VIC (Jensen)	191.62	0	1500	1500	2400	1200
OIL (Lowe)	5.67	0	0	0	5450	1410
YUK (Presber)	.00	8200	0	0	2400	100
<u>VICTORY POINTS</u>	Total	Fr(4)	DM(0)	L(2)	R(19)	Tp(9)
OIC -seventh-	392	0	0	54	95	243
MI -sixth-	543	32	0	14	38	459
JILT - SECOND-	893	0	0	0	893	0
BOT - fourth-	747	272	0	0	475	0
VIC -fifth-	594	0	0	30	456	108
OIL -WINS!-	1152	0	0	0	1026	126
YUK -THIRD-	783	328	0	0	456	9

NOTES

Congratulations to Rob! It takes considerable foresight to wind up with such a large holding in the winning power. Regarding victory points,

the rules said nothing about fractions, but, as values are truncated when calculating the CMP, I assumed the same would hold true here. No one was close enough that fractions would have made a difference to the overall standings in any case.

Oh, BOT made a loan of \$1.00 to YUK this turn. Why not, eh?

Endgame statements should be sent to my new address between April 1st and 13th.

## 1981 W - North 1

YOUNG TURKS OVERTHROW SULTAN! BRITISH PM RESIGNS. RUSSIA COMES OUT AHEAD IN THE GREAT CENTRE EXCHANGE WITH ENGLAND. ITALY'S BACK IN THE ATLANTIC! --AND AUSTRIA FIGHTS ON.

### SUMMER, 1912

ENG: F Kie R Ber.

RUS: A Bur R Bel.

### FALL, 1912

AUS (Bob Olsen): A War\* S RUS A Ukr (NSO).

ENG (Errol Platt): A Gas\* S F MAO - Spa (coast???) /d/ (R: Iri, OTB);  
F NAO\* - MAO; F Hol (NSU) S F Eng\* - Bel; A Bur\* - Ruh; F Ber\* - Kie;  
 A Par - Bre\*; A Hol\* U.

ITA (Bill Young): A Mun\* S RUS A Kie - Ber (NSO); F Tyr - Lyo\*; F Ion -  
 Adr\*; F WMed\* - Spa(sc); F Por\* S F NAF - MAO\*; A Tyr\* S A Tri - Vie\*;  
 A Alb\* - Tri; A Spa\* U.

RUS (Garvin Boyle): A Kie\* § A Swe - Den\*; A Nwy - Swe\*; A Ukr - Mos\*;  
A Ruh\* § A Bel\* - Hol.

TUR (Steve Hutton, Paul Rauterberg): F Bla - Rum\*; A Sev - Ukr\*; F Gre\* -  
Alb; F Aeg\* S A Bul\* - Gre; A Ser\* S A Bud - Tri\*; A Gal\* - Vie.

### SUPPLY CENTRES: WINTER, 1912

AUS (1 - 1, even): Warsaw.

ENG (8 - 7, disband 1): home, Belgium, Paris, Denmark, Sweden, Kiel,  
 BREST, BERLIN, HOLLAND.

ITA (10 - 9, disband 1): home, Tunis, Vienna, Trieste, Spain, Brest, Mar-  
 seille, Portugal, MUNICH.

RUS (6 - 7, build 1): Moscow, St. Petersburg, Munich, Berlin, Norway,  
Holland, BELGIUM, DENMARK, SWEDEN, KIEL.

TUR (9 - 10, build 2, as short): home, Bulgaria, Sevastopol, Serbia,  
 Greece, Rumania, Budapest, TRIESTE.

Autumn Retreat, Winter 1912 AND Spring, 1913 due Thursday, 19 April, 1984.

### NOTES

Two regrets. One, Steve Hutton has NMRed out. I phoned his new number for NMR Insurance, but the party who answered said he wasn't in. Other than a copy of NFA, I have had no other communication from Steve for the past few months. So, Paul is now in charge of Turkey.

Errol Platt, another Snafu! old-timer, has resigned because his interests have changed since he first began here, so I'm asking a new-comer to Snafu!, Chris Rees, to take over the English position.

Bob Olsen, 6818 Winterberry Ct., Wichita, KS 67226.

Chris Rees, 12 MacMillan Ave., West Hill, Ontario, M1E 4B5.

Bill Young, 2000 Westpoint, No. 307, Pittsburg, PA 15205.

Garvin Boyle, P.O. Box 1149, Richmond, Ontario, KOA 2Z0.

Paul Rauterberg, 4922 W. Wisconsin Ave., Milwaukee, WI 53208.

### PRESS

*Russia: The Czar apologizes to those whose diplomatic correspondence went unanswered. Pressing domestic issues of a temporary nature have made it difficult to attend to the affairs of war. He hopes that his allies have remained such in the interval.*

## 1981 KA - North 2

AUSTRIA ANNIHILATED! FRENCH LEADER LOST IN MEDITERRANEAN CRUISE!  
GERMANY AND TURKEY SQUARE OFF.

AUTUMN, 1909

AUS: A Tri R OTB. FRA: A Bur R OTB (by GM).

WINTER, 1909

GER: Build F Kiel, A Munich, A Berlin.

SPRING, 1910

AUS (Nelson Millar): A Vie - Bud /A/.

FRA (Jack Jung): NMR! F MAO\*, F Spa(sc)\*, A Gas\*, A Mar\*, A Tus\*, F Nap\*,  
F Tyr\*, F Tun\*.

GER (Blair Cusack): F Nth - Lon\*; A Bel\* S A Bur - Pic\*; A Ruh - Bur\*;  
A Boh\* S A Mun - Tyr\*; A Ber - Mun\*; F Kie - Den\*; F Bre\* - Gas;  
A Mos\* S A Ukr\*; A War\* S & A Ukr S A Sil - Gal\*; F Nwg - NAO\*.

TUR (Paul Rauterberg): F Apu\* S & S Tri\* S F Adr - Ven\*; A Bud\* S A Gal -  
Vie\*; A Gre - Bul\*; A Sev\* S A Ser - Rum\*; F Bla\* S A Sev; F Ion -  
Alb\*; F Aeg\* U.

Fall, 1910 due Thursday, 19 April, 1984.

NOTES

Will John Davies, P.O. Box 968, Port Hardy, BC VON 2P0 please submit standby orders for France? Thanks, John.

Regarding a question on the number of units Turkey has: in Fall, 1909 he did not order his F Aegean and, as is often the case when this happens, I did not notice. Whenever the count of units doesn't come out right, go back a season or two and, 9 times out of 10, the unit is found, awaiting orders.

PRESS

*Constantinople to GM: I mailed this on 2/18. When did you receive it?  
((Answer: 23/02/84.))*

## 1982 J - North 3

TURKEY TRIUMPHS! ALL NATIONS AGREE TO WORSHIP ALLAH! MAYBE NOW  
SASKATCHEWAN WILL GET AN NHL TEAM!

SUMMER, 1908

GER: A Ber R OTB (by GM).

FALL, 1908

ENG (Doug Millstone): F Eng\* S F Iri - MAO\*; A Par\* S A Bre - Gas\*; A Bel\* - Bur; F Hel - Den\*; F Kie\* S F Ber\*; F Swe\* - Bal; A Fin\* - Swe;  
F StP (nc)\* H.

FRA (Paula Dodge): A Gas ~~S~~ A Bur\* (A Gas /d/, R: Mar, OTB); F MAO ~~S~~ A Gas  
(F MAO /d/, R: NAO, Por, Bre, Naf, OTB).

GER (Blair Cusack): NMR! F Bal\*, A Pru\*, A Mun\*.

TUR (Dennis Duncan): F Tyr\* - Lyo\*; F WMed\* C A Tun - Spa\*; F Ion - Tyr\*;  
F EMed - Ion\*; F Aeg\* H; A Mos\* S A War - Lvn\*; A Gal - War\*; A Bud -  
Vie\*; A Rum - Gal\*; A Tyr\* S A Vie - Boh\*; F Bla\* H.

SUPPLY CENTRES, WINTER, 1908

ENG (11 - 12 or 13): home, Norway, Belgium, Holland, Kiel, Denmark, Paris, Brest (?), St. Petersburg, SWEDEN, BERLIN.  
 FRA (3 - 2 or 3): Marseille, Spain, Portugal, (BREST?)  
 GER (4 - 1): Berlin, Munich, Vienna, Sweden.  
 TUR (16 - 18): home, Bulgaria, Greece, Rumania, Sevastopol, Moscow, Budapest, Serbia, Italy, Trieste, Warsaw, Tunis, SPAIN, VIENNA.

Autumn Retreat and Endgame statements due Friday, 13 April, 1984.

NOTES

Congratulations to Dennis. Persistence paid off. I think this is Dennis' first postal game. There were many novices in it, and Doug is to be congratulated for placing a strong second.

Autumn, 1908 still has to be played before this over, as the supply centre count will change depending on France's retreat. Please get endgame statements, if any, to my new address between April 1st and 13th. Thanks, it was interesting to watch and I'll have a few comments on the play next issue.

## 1983 Q - North 4

FRANCE GONE. ENGLAND AND TURKEY GROWING WITH STRONG ITALY IN THE MIDDLE.

SUMMER, 1904

AUS: A Sev R OTB (by GM). RUS: A Boh R Mun.

FALL, 1904

AUS (Bob Acheson): NMR! F Gre /d/ (R: Alb, OTB); A Gal\*; A Boh\*; A Bud\*; A Tri\*.  
 ENG (Paul Watson): F Nth - Nwy\*; F Bre\* S F Eng - MAO\*; A Den\* S F Kie\*; A Bel\* S A Hol - Ruh\*.  
 FRA (Jan Jensen): A Par H /d/ R: Pic, OTB).  
 GER (Mark Keller): F Bal\* - Swe; A Ber\* S A Ruh - Mun\*.  
 ITA (Dennis Duncan): F Ion\* S TUR F Aeg - Gre; F Nap - Apu\*; F Tyr\* S F Ion; A Gas\* S A Bur - Par\*; A Ven\* S A Pie - Tyr\*; F Spa(sc)\* - MAO.  
 RUS (Steve Berrigan): A Mun H /d/ R: Bur, Sil, OTB; A War\* MS A Mos\*; F Swe\* - Bal.  
 TUR (James Keeley): F Aeg - Gre\*; F Bla\* S A Con - Bul\*; A Arm\* S A Sev\*.

SUPPLY CENTRES: WINTER, 1904

AUS (6 - 4, disband 1, as short): home, Serbia, Greece, Sevastopol.  
 ENG (7 - 9, build 2): home, Norway, Denmark, Brest, Holland, BELGIUM, KEIL.  
 FRA (1 - 0, OUT): Paris.  
 GER (3 - 2, disband 1): Berlin, Kiel, Belgium, MUNICH.  
 ITA (8 - 8, even): home, Tunis, Marseille, Spain, Portugal, Munich, PARIS.  
 RUS (4 - 4, even): St. Petersburg, Moscow, Warsaw, Sweden.  
 TUR (5 - 7, build 2): home, Bulgaria, Rumania, GREECE, SEVASTOPOL.

Autumn Retreats, Winter, 1904 AND Spring, 1905 due Thursday, 19 April, 1984.

NOTES

Will James Briggs, P.O. Box 6243, El Paso, TX 79906 please submit backup orders for Austria? Thanks.

PRESS

*England to Italy: Sorry, Old Boy. These naval commanders have a mind of their own and they insisted upon a Portuguese holiday.*

## 1983 HT - North 5

MOST COUNTRIES OPT FOR MORE LAND FORCES. ENGLISH LEADER RETURNS.

WINTER, 1901

AUS (Jan Jensen): B: A Tri, A Vie & has: A Ser, F Gre, A Bud.  
 ENG (Dan Adams): even. Has: F Nth, F Eng, A Yor.  
 FRA (Gerry Paulson): B: A Par, A Mar & has: A Bre, F Por, A Spa.  
 GER (Dale Bakken): B: A Mun, F Kie & has: F Den, A Hol, A Bur.  
 ITA (Rob Lowes): B F Nap & has: A Ven, F Ion, A Tun.  
 RUS (Rob Peart): B: A Sev, A StP & has: A Gal, A Ukr, F Rum, F Swe.  
 TUR (Claude Gautron): B F Smy & has: A Con, F Aeg, A Bul.

Spring, 1902 due Thursday, 19 April, 1984.

NOTES

I have Spring, 1902 orders on hand from England and France.

## 1983 Brn16 - Variant 2

## (Blowup)

ENGLAND LEADERLESS! GERMANY ANNIHILATES RUSSIA! AUSTRIA, ITALY CLOSE IN ON TURKEY AND FRANCE REGAINS PORT.

SUMMER, 1905

FRA: F Spa(sc) R MAO. TUR: F Aeg R Smy.

FALL, 1905

AUS (Bruce Poppe): A Sev\* - Arm; A Rum\* - Sev; A Ukr\* - Mos; A Gal\* - Rum; A Bul\* - Con; A Ser\* - Bul.  
 ENG (Steve Hutton, Bob Albrecht): NMR! A Wal\*, F Eng\*, F Pic\*.  
 FRA (Mark Keller): F MAO\* S A Par - Bre\*; F Por\* - Spa(sc).  
 GER (Keith Sesler): F Nwy\* § & A Lvn\* S A Mos - StP\*; F Swe\* S F Nwy; A Kie - Ruh\*; A War\* - Mos; A Den\* U.  
 ITA (Dave Lincoln): F Spa(sc)\* § F Lyo - WMed\*; A Mar\* S F Spa(sc); A Ven - Pie\*; F Aeg\* S AUS A Bul - Con; F Ion - Pie\*.  
 RUS (Nelson Millar): A StP /A/ § A Fin\* - Nwy.  
 TUR (Dave Carter): F Bla\* S F Smy\* - Con; A Ank\* - Arm.

SUPPLY CENTRES, WINTER, 1905

AUS (7, build 1): home, Rumania, Serbia, Bulgaria, Sevastopol.  
 ENG (4, build 1): home, Belgium, Brest.  
 FRA (3, even): Paris, Spain, Portugal, BREST.  
 GER (10, build 3): home, Denmark, Holland, Warsaw, Moscow, NORWAY, SWEDEN, ST. PETERSBURG.  
 ITA (7, build 1): Home, Greece, Tunis, Marseille, SPAIN.  
 RUS (0, OUT): St. Petersburg, Norway, Sweden.  
 TUR (3, even): home.

Winter, 1905, Mining Operations, AND Spring, 1906 due Thurs., 19 April.

NOTES

Thanks to Gerry Paulson for unneeded standby orders. I now have a problem, as I am out of standbys I can call for this game. I can hardly ask Gerry to submit standby orders for England after giving him secret information known only to the French government. All I can do is trust that Bob will submit orders for England next time.

If anyone else is interested, please send some sort of orders for England.

PRESS

*Turkey to Italy: I'm doing something about Austria now. Could use some help.*

*Germany to Russia: Sorry, but your country is now under new ownership.*

*Russia: Curses! Beaten at my own game!*

*Austria-Hungary to Italy: The Grand Duke requests the honor of your presence at a reception to be held in 1906 in the capital of our neighbor, Turkey. Repondez, s'il vous plait.*

*France to Italy: Didn't know I had any friends? Well, just wait 'til you start blowing up all over the place!*

*Italy to Austria: I dream of Genie with the bright Yellow Blocks....*

*Turkey: Oh sure! France and England NMR, but Italy and Austria can't take my dots fast enough. That proves there is no God.*

## 1983 Ecb19 - Variant 3 (Woolworth II-D)

TWO NATIONS MOURN DEATH OF LEADERS, WELCOME NEW. ENGLAND INVADED WHILE SPANISH GRAB BREST. RUSSIAN FLEET DESTROYED IN HARBOUR. BALKANS PUSHES ON THROUGH AUSTRIA. ITALIAN FLEETS BLOCK GIBRALTER. LAST SCANDINAVIAN ARMY WANDERS THROUGH EUROPE, LOOKING FOR A NEW HOME.

SPRING, 1904

AUS (???): A Tri § A Vie\* - Bud (A Tri /d/, R: Ven, OTB); A Ven - Tyr\*.

BAL (???): A Bul\* - Rum; A Bud\* - Gal; F Adr\* S A Ser - Tri\*.

ENG (Steve Hutton, Mark Keller): F Nwg - NAO\*; F Nth\* - Eng; F Den\* - Nth; A Hol - Bel\*; A Nwy\* § GER F Bul - Swe.

FRA (Keith Sesler): F Eng\* C A Bel - Wal\*; A Bas\* U.

GER (???): A Ber\* S A Kie - Mun\*; F Bal - Swe\*.

ITA (???): F Mor\* S F Alg - WMed\*; A Rom\* S F Nap - Apu\*.

RUS (???): A Ukr\* S & A Gal\* § F Sev - Rum /A/; A StP - Fin\*; A Lap\* - Nwy.

SCA (Dave Carter): A Sil - Boh\*.

SPA (Bob Albrecht): F MAO - Bre\*; A Swi\* S A Mar - Bur\*; F Mad - Por\*.

TUR (Nelson Millar): F Bla\* S & A Arm\* S F Rum - Sev\*; F Con - Aeg\*; F Ion - Alb\*.

Summer Retreats and Fall, 1904 due Thursday, 19 April, 1984.

NOTES

Mark Keller is now the boss of England and something else. And that means I have only one standby left for this game, so don't any others NMR!

PRESS

*Turkey to Russia: It has been nice knowing you.*

*Italy to Balkans: I'm going for Venice. Don't fuck me up and we'll be the best of friends for life and you can have the rest of the world. Austria does not know how to appreciate true friends.*

*England to Germany: If you stabbed me--you die!*

*Scandinavia to England: C'mon Steve. If you take my last centre I'll soon be out of the game. My secret power is the pits!!*

*Italy to Turkey: I'm going for Venice, s'ok? Feel free to move your fleet further West. Just stay out of Tunis/Naples. You might want a piece of the remains of Spain.*

*Athens to Vienna: I really don't believe the Danube is blue, so I'll be there soon to check it out. Please have a bottle of your best waiting.*

*Scandinavia to Germany: Don't tell me that you're Bob Acheson?*

## 1982 IF - Millar 1

SEASONS SEPARATED BY PLAYER REQUEST.

AUTUMN, 1905

AUS: A Bul R Con; F WMed R OTB.  
FRA: A Mun R Bur.

GM: Nelson Millar  
327 Wilfred Leblanc  
Maniwaki, PQ  
J9E 1X7

WINTER, 1905

AUS (Rauterberg): B A Tri. Has: A Ruh, A Ven, A Rom, F Nap, A Bud, A Con,  
A Tri, A Ukr.  
ENG (Touchette): B A Lon & A Edi. Has: F MAO, A Lon, A Edi, F Hol, F Nth,  
F Nwg, A Kie, A Ber, F Bal, F Bar, A StP.  
FRA (MacLellan): even. Has: F WMed, F Lyo, A Mar, A Bur, A Tyr.  
GER (Sesler): even. Has: A Mun, A War.  
TUR (Ferguson): disband A Mos. Has: F Tun, F Tyr, A Adr, F Gre, F Bul(ec),  
A Rum, F Bla, A Sev.

Spring, 1906 due Monday, 16 April, 1984.

NOTES (By Nelson)

Austria received a build because F WMed retreated OTB. England received two builds because he was one short and gained a centre.

There were two requests for separated seasons so, according to the house-rules, Spring, 1906 will not be played this issue. I have Spring, 1906 orders on hand from three powers.

There is a request for a concession to England and a request for an English-French draw. Please vote.

NOTES (By Ron)

Would James Keeley, 12 - 3111 Blakiston Dr. NW, Calgary, Alta, T2L 1L7 please submit backup orders for Turkey? Thanks. Gary's sub expired last issue and, as usual, he will not be receiving this issue until he renews.

Addresses (by request):

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Pierre Touchette, 1, rue Georges, Masson, PQ JOX 2H0.  
Dan MacLellan, 56 Ogmoor Cr., SE, Calgary, Alta, T2C 2E9.  
Keith Sesler, P.O. Box 158, Fraser, MI 48026.  
Gary Ferguson, P.O. Box 142, Messines, PQ JOX 2J0.

You guys should check out Paul's and Keith's zines, both very fine publications.

## Parting Shot

*Well, that's it for this issue. It's been a few years since I've done an 8-pager. I forgot how easy it is.*

*The reponse to my fold announcement has been fantastic. Lots of support, understanding, and encouragement to follow career and family demands. More than a few expressed amazement that I didn't fold long ago. Offers to help have poured in, from standby names to offers to rehouse games. Even a few new subs, knowing my plans.*

*In a way, it's unfortunate that it takes years to build up a reputation and have numerous requests for samples every month, as, now that I've reached that point, I am having to send many newcomers elsewhere. Ironic. But, it's a rare zine that lasts more than five years, so we have to expect that.*

*Anyhow, yes we were dumped on by huge mounds of snow. Coming after two weeks of above freezing temperatures, it has been a weird winter, indeed. Must be the Russians, eh? Well, Spring is almost here.*

Best to all,

*Ron*