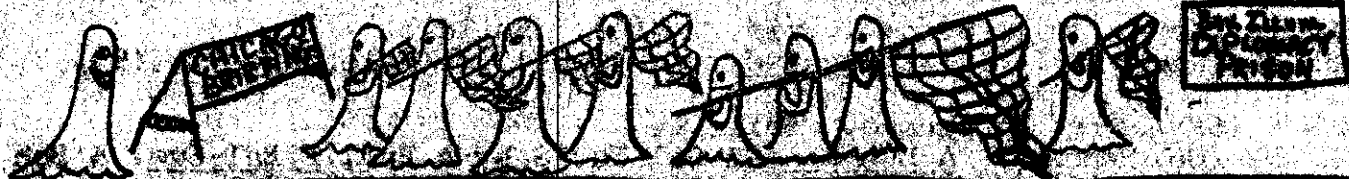


WILE 'N' WORRY #37, 6 July 1972, presents: THE BAVARIAN ILLUMINUTTI



...and you three are assigned to catch Walker.

Abandon hope all ye, because this is WILE 'N' WORRY; that is, WILD 'N' WOOLY in hell. There are no game openings, but stand-by positions are available under the provisions of House Rule 13. Subscriptions are 10/81 (for a/b players in conjunction with SURRENDER, 10/50c). Back issues are 5c each in lots of 2 or more and 3c each in lots of 5 or more. Available: 1-36. This is Parade Magazine Publication #515, edited and published by Rod Walker, 4719 Felton St., San Diego CA 92116; telephone: (714) 282-1921; member, IDA, PDC, IFW, IDS, PDRC.

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REVISIONS/CHANGES, Effective immediately: Rule 13h (added): A player may resign his position in a game at any time. Game fees will not be refunded. Resigning players will be replaced as noted in Rule 13. However, no resignation will be accepted if it is not accompanied by a set of orders for the upcoming season in that game (unless such a set is already on file with you). Players who resign without submitting orders will not be considered as resigned and will be continued in the game until this rule is complied with or until they are dropped under the provisions of Rule 13. \*\* Rule 31 (revised): See the 1971 Rulebook Rule XII.4. A player may specify the fleets which are to convey his army, if he wishes. If he does, the convoy route specified will be the only valid one. He may write his order in this way: "ENGLAND: (his fleet) F Eng, C & Lon-Bell". This procedure will be useful in confused situations, such as: ENGLAND: (as above). GERMANY: F Nth C ENGLISH: (as above). RUSSIA: F Nth S by F Sth. Without this rule, the English convoy would fail under the terms of XII.4.

1970A - RUSSIA PREPARES NORTHERN OFFENSIVE

Winter 1906: Italy disbanded A Sll. Builds are marked \*. Positions: AUSTRIA (Wilkes) 1 was Tri, A Was, A Ber, A Bos, A Rum, A Bud, A Bul, F Gre (8).

FRANCE (Inzer) 2 was F, F Had, A Mar, F Hol, F Eng, A Spa, A Rus, A Kie, A Bur, F Spiso, F Nat, F Nat (12).

RUSSIA (Gordon) 1 was F, F Tur, F Eng, A Plo, A Yen, F Ag, A Ark (7). RUSSIA (Gordon) 1 was F, A Don, F Mos, F Bel, A Pra, A Ukr, F Sev (7).

Order books are due on Thursday, 3 August 1972.

...by ACT OF THE GOD OF POSTAL DIPLOMACY (cackle...) Some time after WIL was published, a battered postcard from Bill Gordon came in. I could not make out the postmark, but it was dated 10 June, 5 days before the deadline. I must therefore assume the P.D. has been its usual efficient self (I recently had a postcard take 8 days to reach Conrad vonotke, who lives 5 miles away). The following changes must therefore take place in Fall 1904:

AUSTRIA (Key): .... Owns: ...Vif, ... (6). Build 1.

ENGLAND (Keathley): ...F Ska-Swe, ... Owns: ... (delete Swe) ... (9).

Build 3.

FRANCE (Smythe): No change. Build 1.

GERMANY (Goldstein): A Lvn-Mos, A Sil-War S by A Pru, F Bal-Swe, A Boh  
-Vie. Owns: Mf, Vif, VAA, TAH, Swe, Vie, War (3). Disband 2.

ITALY (Eller): No change. Disband 1.

RUSSIA (Naus): No change. Owns: ... Wif (1). Disband 2 (1 /d/).

TURKEY (Thomson): No change. Build 1.

WINTER 1904 ADJUSTMENTS are now due on Thursday, 3 August 1972. On the previous deadline I did not receive adjustments from Austria, Italy, or Turkey, who thus have each missed one deadline. Stand-by players are as follows:

AUSTRIA: Gabe Steven Brooks, 3601 E. 2nd St., Apt. 86, Tucson AZ 85716.

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TURKEY: Doug Beyerlein, 3934 SW Southern, Seattle WA 98136.

NOTE: ALL DEADLINES IN THIS 'ZINE ARE 10:00 A.M., PACIFIC DAYLIGHT TIME, ON THE DATE INDICATED.

1972D -- ANYBODY WANT TO BUY A BUCKET OF BLOOD? ENGLAND ATTACKS GERMANY, STABS RUSSIA; ITALIANS SWOOP DOWN ON BAVARIAN BEERHALLS; PLAGUE OF FROGS IN LONDON; AUSTRIAN FLEET VISITS POMPEII ...

Fall 1902: All the orders came in, and on time, too! Great, guys; keep up the good work, please.

AUSTRIA (Welsh): A Bud-Tri, A Ser-Gre, F Adr-Ven, A Vie-Tri, F Ion-Nap. Owns: Bud, Tri, Vie, Gre, Ser, Nap (6). Build 1.

ENGLAND (Asher): F Edi-Nth, A Nwy-Fln, F Ska-Den, F Bar-StP(nc). Owns: Edi, Lpl, Ldn, Nwy, StP (4). No change.

FRANCE (Bieha): F Spa(sc)-Mid, F Mid-Nat, A Gas-Par, A Pic-Lon C by F Eng. Owns: Bre, Mar, Par, Pod, Spa, Lon (6). Build 1.

GERMANY (Anteberry): A Pru-War S by A Sil, F Bal-Swe S by A Den, A Bel H, F Hol-Nap. Owns: Ser, Kie, Wit, Bel, Den, Hol (5). Disband 1.

ITALY (S. Brooks): F Tun H, A Tel-Mun, A Ven H. Owns: Mf, Rom, Ven, Mun, Tun (4). Build 1.

RUSSIA (Cartier): A Mos-War S by A Ukr, A Fln S, F Swe, F Sve S, ENGLISH F Ska-Den, F Sev-Rum /d/. Owns: Mos, Ser, Ser, War, Swe (3). Disband 1 (1 /d/).

TURKEY (Osmanon): F Con H, A Bul-Rum, A Arm-Sev S by F Bla. Owns: Ank, Con, Smy, Bul, Sev (5). Build 1.

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SPRING 1902 ANALYSIS -- Len Lakofka What an interesting war! Italy and Austria decide to carve each other up. Turkey pushes on the vast Russian south. England and German team up on Russia!

Well, let's try to pull something out of the chaos. I had said Germany was about to be served up because of the directions of his neighbors. Yet it now appears that France has stabbed England brutally and switched his alliance to the strong local power. Why did he do this? Russia and England have tried each other down in a futile northern campaign. Germany seems to know, as does France, that Italy will continue versus Austria, regardless of how unlikely the attempt is. So France played the logical strong shift to cripple England before he can recover, and later to destroy whoever wins in the Italian-Austrian death struggle. The German-French alliance will be a tough nut to crack. Only sane action by Turkey and Austria can offset it.

Let's look at the tactical Spring move. England played the bounce move to StP, knowing Germany would attack Sweden--very good. But--can England really ally with France and Germany and did the move to the Channel and Nth come as a surprise? It should not have. F Bre, F Por, & F Mar--where would these likely go? If Germany was to aid England, then F Kie should have made England cautious. Yet he struck into Russia with full vigor. Too bad he won't enjoy the victory after F Mid-Iri, F Spa(sc)-Mid, A Pic-Lon C by F Eng!

Germany has played a bold decisive move. He knew his flanks were safe and moved almost with abandon. Yet his aggression looks as if it will pay off, with both Nth and Sth added to the German tally.

Italy has made another weak and uninventive move. F Ion-Adr was the logical move and called for by the tactical situation. Now he is doomed as the Austrian steamroller takes Naples for free.

Russia has lost the south, too--poor soul. Turkey now stoops for Rumania with obvious Russian help. A Vic-Iri, A Mad-Iri S by F Adr, F Ion-Nap, A Bul-Dum (S by AUSTRIAN A-Ser), S by F Bla, A Arm-Sev, F Con-Bul(ec).

The losers--England, Russia, & Italy--can do little to avoid total collapse this year. Russia has cast the die and England has foolishly bent over to pick it up. If any of these Powers hope for survival they must offer to aid one or more of the A sons to become super-Powers. But German-French and Austrian-Turkish alliances have done their homework well and their unions are very strong and secure.

#### Press

MADRID (15 July 1902) (Butler Press): Alfonso XIII de Bourbon was crowned today. News analysts had predicted this development as a result of Spanish churchmen and monarchists gaining the support of the French clergy. Cardinal Cichy of Paris defended the coronation. King Manuel II de Leon of Portugal welcomed a return of Spanish monarchy, adding, "A nation must look to its symbol of state and fight for it to remain strong."

PALMA (17 July 1902) (Butler Press): Princess Lucrecia deBerja today broke her long self-imposed silence to hold a news conference. Her Highness was exiled to the Principality of the Balearic Islands by the Cortez of the former Spanish Republic because of her successful attempt to seduce the entire Ministry as part of a plot to make herself Queen. "She neglected us!" declared the Cortez in voting to exile Princess Lucrecia.

Her Highness told the assembled newsmen, "It is obvious that I am the rightful Queen of Spain. And I am going to prove it!" Two hours later, when panting reporters readily admitted that the Princess was the rightful Queen, Her Highness declared that she would soon launch an invasion of Spain to reclaim her crown.

VALENCIA (15 August 1902) (Butler Press): Donar Riteros Viscitore prepared to do battle. He has been appointed Commander in Chief of Princess Lucrecia's Liberation Army last month, and 3 days ago had landed at Valencia. He has been ordered to seize control of the town by using the bewilderment created by the town's wine festival. The gay, fun-loving people of Valencia were expected to have one, and while everyone was dead drunk and unable to do anything but dance, he would lead his army into the town.

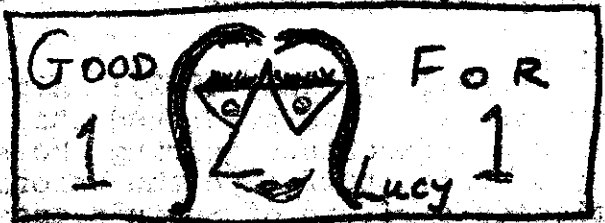
In the front ranks stood his dedicated, battle-hardened soldiers, the backbone of his army. Most of them were holding up their rifles to see if they could see the point of the town end, and wiggling the trigger, trying to let in a little light. Behind them were many ranks of fierce Valenciens, half of them asleep and the other half cleaning out their ears with their bayonets. "They should remove them from their rifles, first," thought the Count. Nearby was a contingent of fearsome Zagrzlopph tribesmen from the Balkans, astride

ferocious carnivorous pigs from Poderkagg. A couple of the pigs had already eaten their riders, but the rest had not chewed through their steel muzzles yet. On the wings rode the warlike Tuaregs of Morocco, or at least that portion of them which had the brains to enlist with Princess Lucretia. The very tall ones were astride their noble circus ponies, while those under 4 feet high rode giraffes, hippopotami, elephants, and a few sick camels with very floppy humps.

As Count Ritorno surveyed the armed might at his command, a lump rose in his throat--the tacos he had for breakfast. He then looked across the valley to the French Occupation Forces army, which had been sent to oppose him. Row upon row they came: dragoons, zouaves, legionnaires, gendarmes, flics, and god knows what. He glanced at his intelligence report. "Us, 51396 5201 4836 4548. Them, 296,395." Another lump rose in his throat.

"Stand firm, men," the Count exhorted his troops. "Remember, we still have our secret weapon." Thus it was that as the French soldiery charged, the secret weapon was displayed. It was a huge billboard-sized picture of Her Highness in "court undress" (as the official caption explained). Across the picture's most prominent points was a huge banner reading, "Free!"

The French surrender terms were simple. They would join the Borja cause and Princess Lucretia would join them. Every soldier was issued a piece of "Lucy Scrip", as pictured to the right. Exhorting his loyal followers, the Count shouted, "On to Madrid." "There are 500,000 dragoons at Madrid, and 200 cannon," someone shouted. "Ha! We are not afraid," returned the Count. "All who are afraid, shout, 'On to Barcelona!'"



"Dear Princess," wrote Vincitore that night, "the vital strategic point of Barcelona must fall if we are to be successful..."

**1972W - AUSTRIA ABANDONS HOMELAND; ITALIAN NAVY BLOATS; ENGLAND THE GOAT?**

Winter 1901: In Autumn 1901, Austria's A Ser R-Alb. In the position lists below, builds are marked.

- AUSTRIA (Tretick): F Ion, A Alb (2).
- ENGLAND (Lipson): F Lon\*, A Nwy, F Nth, F Nrg (4).
- FRANCE (Linstrom): F Nra, A Par, F Par, A Spa, A Pio (5).
- GERMANY (Fleming): F Kie\*, A Mur, A Hol, A Ruh, F Den (5).
- ITALY (Winter): F Nap\*, F Rom\*, F Gre, A Trl, A Tri (5).
- RUSSIA (Hrbek): F StP(nc)\*, A War\*, A Fin, A Rum, F Sev, F Sve (6).
- TURKEY (Bocanora): A Ank\*, A Smy\*, F Con, A Ser, A Bul (5).

SPRING 1902 ORDERS are due on Thursday, 3 August 1972.

A side announcement: JASTRZAB, 10/\$1.50 from Stan Wrobel, 7 Poland Village Blvd., Poland, OH 44134. If you are interested in good FR, and if you are a LOR, you should get this 'side'. There is a "Lord of the Rings Diplomacy" game going on, in which John Koning, John Smyth, and I are independently writing some of the most hysterical press releases I've seen this year. Follow the adventures of Conrad the Tall, Earl Marshall of Gondor; Richard M. Sargent, Spiro J. Anagnan, King of the Ringwraiths; Bard, King of Dale; the Noggin, Smythie, King of Rohan; Bond, Seward of Gondor; Gwyno, Lord of the Eagles; and many others too numerous (and disgusting) to mention. Did Anagnan ever strike you as a motorcycle gang leader? Start your sub with issue #5 and enjoy the fun!