



Well here I am at last, an issue later than intended but I've got an excuse or two i) Moving from Taunton to St, Andrews, so I had to wait and see if orders came up via the old address (add a d) ii) I didn't know what the deadline was, as I didn't get a copy of TN, just the tube I sent to Dave with my stencil (Did you forget to put TN in or has the GPO struck again, Dave?) Anyway here I am Pete Lindsay, Herkless 13, David Russell Hall, St. Andrews, Fife. And this is, of course,

SATELITE

And absolutely nothing is happening, apart from the non-event of Tony Sturt NMR'ing (so what's new they cry) Oh NASA reports launch Braz. 1234.

Well this does give me a chance to put in a little chat (groan) but again there is nothing to say...

I must (reluctantly) announce:

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The Stainless Steel Sewer

The Stainless Steel Sewer Rat slowly climbed out of a deep manhole in the middle of a certain city ((?))

The first step iron fell out as he stepped on it, but he managed to jump to the second, then the third. The first had had "Made in Israel" stamped on it, the second "Made in Canada", the third "Made in ~~France~~ (i.e. illegible)

The SSSR was suddenly blinded as the Eternal Gamesmaster lifted the manhole cover, letting in the dazzling daylight....

DRH Hands up all those who think that is meant to be threatening Hmmm!

Now hands up all those who feel threatened HMMM!

Thank heavens that's over. Next deadline as stated in TN

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((Dave here - please try to get your orders in early as I would like to do a fast turn-round next issue to beat the Christmas post))

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<u>MU5</u>		Diplomacy		Winter 1901
Austria (5)	(Paul Simpkins)	builds a bud + a vie.		
England (4)	(Nigel Sedgwick)	builds f lon.		
France (5)	(Jon Lovibond)	builds f bre + a par.		
Germany (5)	(Steve Plater)	builds f kie + a mun.		
Italy (4)	(John Bennet)	builds f nap.		
Russia (4)	(Terry Ford??) NMR	no change, a sev retreats to mos - see below for		
Turkey (5)	(Paul Barker)	builds f con + f smy.		standby.

Will Jake Westlake please send standby orders for Russia (his address is 45, Whitfield Rd, SALE, Cheshire.), normally I don't ask for standby orders, but I fell they're justified at such an early stage.

MU4 -----  
Could I have the budget by the next deadline please?  
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FTF Paul Barker's con, mentioned last issue, will take place at the end of next month.

NEXT ISH will be very prompt and contain a couple of game reviews (just in time for Christmas), some Dungeons & Dragons material, lots of press (?), some letters of interest only to myself, a few 'zine reviews, a report of de VonCon, a vicious attack on Jon Lovibond, a few bits of news, the 'Foundation maps, the questionnaire, and some games; I hope.