

From:RP

TO:JR

As the Shaking Plague consumes the rest of the country, killing off our trade partners, it has left our shining islands alone. I can only assume that this is because the Gods know we are already cursed with you as our leader, and know we need no more troubles in these times.

Mirrored Small Talk Concluded. Further fragments of Mirror-Source included.

STATUS OF BESTIE: UPDATED

We here at the Forigen Intelligence Division have expressed the following emotion (via vote): Joy.

FRIEND:

FRIEND has not been found in any other correspondences. No evidence of FRIEND elsewhere. Conclusion: Espionage Level Theorized: XZ+.

As per instructions, dispatched Operation Pit of Teeth.

Explorers maintained the knowledge of the Location: We theorize this was necessary to achieve location. Explorers report locations non-compliant with spatial laws or navigational logic.

Confirmed: Those in Ultralands can not be killed.

Confirmed: Those in Ultralands can be:

-Flensed

-Rended

-Mutated

-Sprouted

-Defenestrated

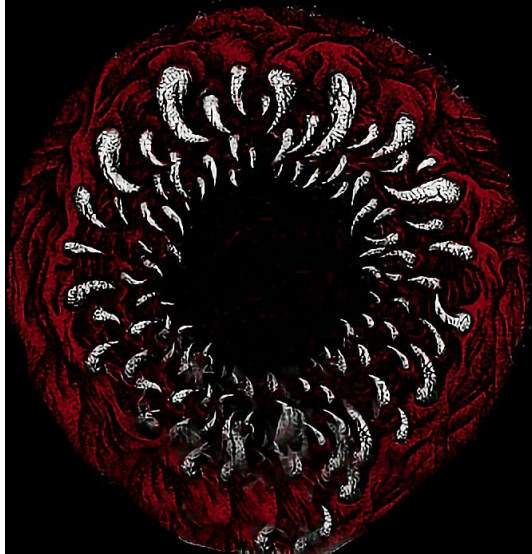
-Deoculufcated

-Excavated

-Full list included: 73 entries recorded.

Ultraland to be considered Hostile Environment.

Of the twelve explorers, only one retained baseline form and functionality. Included is explorers sketch of Pool of Teeth:



Our explorers brought samples of various materials discovered in Ultralands.

The Academies have performed analysis of material samples. All contain a previously unidentified substance tentatively labeled "Ultrium." Most samples contained only trace amounts, save samples taken from the Pool of Teeth, which found to be approximately 70 to 90% Ultrium.

Ultrium Properties:

- Magic Conductive
- Mana Source
- Universal Alloy
- Incredible strength and density

Analysis of Ultrium has generated Significant Numbers of InfoTokens (+12 Wealth).

Project: Newspaper has been established in cooperation with the Academies. Ready to process information into "Consumable Form."

Agent Assigned: Nevins Wring. (News Writer)

Academies have agreed for the necessity of focus on Anti-Slave Protocol. I have exercised Best Judgement: Instead of sub-committee, resources have been expanded to improve upon Academies in general, establishing a Joint Project between the two of them to aid in this endeavour (Upgraded Academy to Legendary)

Alberta Protocol will be implemented by our agents whenever possible. We have finally achieved Acceptable Infiltration in every nation except Grovel (Curse them and their rat spies. Enemy Agent GREGORKENY has been designated Personal Nemesis (PN). Even now I am assembling information on his weak points)

Summary of International Affairs:

Al'Daric: Al'Daric continued their establishment of Pathways, "Embassy" established at assigned location. Attempted establishment of anti-Rat contain measures: Containment was breached and species gap was jumped, leading to the spread of 'SHAKING PLAGUE:' High lethality, high spread. Trade has been massively affected: Rahastas has managed minimal casualties due to swamp medicines, Keitan League has had 0 casualties due to unknown reasons. Low QQ casualties due to appropriate social distancing, though loss of trade is frustrating.

Grovel: Attempted a military push into Tauhan but failed. Unknown agent has fused the corpses of our fallen spies to create undead fusions with dead ratlings called "Crats." Incapable of proper mask-shifting, they instead shift only the Quotidian parts of them, but not the stitched together ratling bits. Several have been dumped at our border with no clear purpose.

Dun Sancerre: Has begun to push into Tauhan Lands. Slowly but surely establishing new "Crusader Kingdoms" led by loyal shelfolk. Kingdoms are 70% compatible with Sancerre lifestyle (Key elements: Farms, walls, roads, nobility) but 30% compatible with Tauhan lifestyle (Key elements: Boats, travel, scavenging, meritocracy). Unrest expected.

Keitan: See enclosed letter.

Rahastas: Have begun rounding up Tauhan refugees to protect them. Aided Keitan in establishment of seaside kingdoms, but briefly with Keitan in an incident referred to as "The Night of Spears" to stop them from mind binding refugees. Agents aided Rahastans as per Bestie classification, inhuming the raid leaders responsible (With the expectation of Zami'Otollo, who intercepted the assigned agents)
[Details Cease]

I am glad you deem my work acceptable. I am happy to live in such a time.

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