

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE LORDS OF THE WESTERN REACH announce the incorporation of Sprevitich, east of Ostergrad, and congratulate the Sprevitich Mining Company, on the receipt of its charter.

VLADIMIR SPREVITCH is hereby elevated to the rank of bondskeeper, deputized to enforce laws, collect taxes, and resolve disputes between landowners in the region of the new municipality.

Sullo Tuman of Kal Salei is to be wed to Lady Ilsa Faemark of the city Ostergrad, under the sight of the stars.

Lord Colsigil, 63, passed from the sight of the stars. Services are to be held in the foothills of Ostergrad in accordance with ancient tradition.

MOVEMENT IN THE STARS

Chroniclers in Streissberg proclaim movement has stopped in the night sky.

WAKEFUL
EINVARIS

WATCHFUL
SINEIDS
FAERIDS

SLUMBERING
DAEVOLS
VOLEIDS
ATOLS
GOLEINS

KRAENARS

Stars are most watchful in the southern spheres.

CRIMES

Masha Trevanya, proprietress of the White Birch tavern in Ostergrad, was found dead in her home on Prospekt Grostovnok, apparently murdered during a night-time robbery.

A group of children were witnessed seen conducting a ritual honoring the Old Gods on Nemitskaya Street under the sight of the stars and in violation of city ordinances.

Silas Drozkhy and Ivan Mutsev were robbed on the road south of Zostova Square; they describe the attackers as a group of four men, one of whom had a distinctive scar in the shape of a hook over his left eye.

PENTERGOTH RECLAIMED

Three years after they began, the troubles in Pentergoth have ended. Travelers from Kursk arrived with news that a group of mercenaries in the employ of Lady Ilya Petrovna banished the evil spirit dwelling in the castle, and killed the barrvol hunting in the area.

Lady Petrovna has already taken steps to restore Pentergoth's former glory, and has called on displaced citizens to return. Vittenberg's Council of Lords released a formal proclamation congratulating Lady

Petrovna on her accomplishment, and has dispatched laborers to begin clearing the Eichenvauld's east route from Pentergoth to Vittenberg.

HELSSGRAD SENDS AID

A company of soldiers has been dispatched from Helssgrad to the region of Bosk to order a swift and immediate end to the construction of a Savrathi settlement there.

There have been numerous reports of raids on cottages and farmsteads all through the region of Bosk, with thefts and abductions reported as far north as Tranche.

CIRCO ILLUMINA

To celebrate the arrival of spring, the town of Tranche has contracted with *Circo Illumina* for a week of games, entertainment, and sights from the far reaches of this and other worlds.

All are welcome! Gaze with awe upon Torfan the dogboy of Bosk, the famous acrobats Bai Lee and Ji Song, and rejoice in the garden of the stars before Summa Vel, the Stone Lady!

STREET VIOLENCE IN VASTENGRAD

A deadly brawl erupted on Prospekt Avolskaya in Vastengrad, disrupting the evening's festivities at The Toad & Spider. Seven men were killed in the violence, including two watch deputies who intervened to keep the peace.

The slain officers, Olvar Demidov and his partner Trina Ilutskaya were veterans who served in the defense of Vastengrad with distinction under Lord Vladimir Rutskaya during the Ostermark Rebellion.

Ivan Skravsky, a dock worker, was walking home from his shift when the fight broke out. He attempted to tend to the wounds of the watch deputies, but they died before help could arrive.

Authorities are seeking any information that could lead to the capture or identification of those who participated in the brawl. Any citizen with information should contact Alexei Trebutsev of the city watch at once.

OTHERWORLDLY DELIGHTS

Lizette Voliskovna is pleased to announce the grand opening of her bakery on Ten-Letter Square, with delicacies made from recipes she collected on her adventures in the far east.

VONSCHUTFEN ESTATE

The auction for the estate of Lord Vonschutfen will be open to the public at The Ostermark Club over the course of the next two weeks.

Normally closed to non-members, the event represents a rare chance for art collectors to purchase works from the Vonschutfen collection, which are known to include early works of Ziegler and Malfette, as well as artifacts from the ancient

cities of Old Quorog and Q'oth Atol.

Proceeds from the estate sale will go toward rebuilding the bulwark south of Helsgrad. The fortification will be outfitted with state-of-the-art cannons from Streissberg; there are hopes that this will deter increasing piracy along the Malhalholtra.

OPEN LETTERS

TO MY BELOVED M, the weeds are spreading, but we have plucked three old ones with deep roots this week in Vastengrad. I will keep myself busy tending the garden while you are absent, K.

J – I saw you with her the other night. You both looked so happy, and I wanted to be happy for you but it broke my heart. If you still think of me, come to the old spot, L.

DELIGHTFUL R – I will be in Helsgrad for the next three weeks, but would love to see you again when I return to Ostergrad. Drinks at WB, and then?

G, T, & M are recently arrived in Ostergrad and seeking companions interested in culture, fine dining, and experiences of rare quality.

OPPORTUNITIES

EMPLOYMENT OFFERED to stout men and women who can provide security in the wilderness area east of Ostergrad; a strong resume with references is required. For more information, inquire at the

office of Vladimir Sprevitich, 33OR in Ostergrad, or at the office of the Sprevitich Mining Company Offices in the town of Sprevitich.

SEEKING SAILORS for voyage to Treppania; est. six months for return to port, inquire at Ostegrad Shipping Inc., 33OD.

NANNY WANTED to provide care and education for six children; room & board included; term expected to last one year, with renewal if parties are agreeable.

ACTORS NEEDED for a new production at Grenmark Circle Theater. Inquire w\ Pado Shen at 74OC.

FAMILY SEEKS DRIVER for a two-horse carriage; prefers someone with a military background and the ability to manage household stables in off time. Inquire at 22OR.

TUTOR SOUGHT to teach math, geometry, and the natural sciences; pay negotiable. Inquire with Anna at 76OL.

NOTICES

WORSHIP OF THE OLD GODS, under the sight of the stars, shall not be tolerated. Violators shall be set to sixty days hard labor.

FLESH-EATING BATS reported in vast numbers east and south of Ostergrad. Travelers are advised to seek shelter at night.