

## Hopping Tortoise spotted in Mardrun?

Last month on Fire Isle an odd reptile was spotted amongst the brush in the southern end of the island. It was a tortoise that was eating low hanging berries and leaf buds from bushes. What made this sight odd was the tortoise was jumping off the ground and eating said items. Scholars and loremaster's believe this may be the famed hopping tortoise from Faedrun that somehow made it over the ocean. What does it mean for the crops? We will find out more in the next volume.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY TALON FLAME!** (yes, he paid us to put this in here)

## IS THE RUNESEER FROM LONGFANG A SIREN?

At the last political meeting in February, which was to discuss what the great works would be, an occurrence took place. The Runeseer from Pack Longfang entered discussions and swayed the entire group of representatives to help by making co-op farms for rare reagents and to help defend them with a series of out posts that border the swamp.

One of the representatives reported on such, "It was as if a spell fell upon all of us there

and we had to listen to what she had to say and follow what was suggested." Said a representative from the Dominique.

So for those of you who wish to have dealings with Pack Longfang, keep your wits about you when talking with the wicked swamp dwelling witch.

## WHAT DO MORDOK DO WITH THE KIDNAPED DAUGHTERS OF GAIA?

Everyone who has lived out in the frontier knows the risk of being abducted by the Mordok. Usually those taken are returned, except for a few. Those few, nine times out of ten, are Daughters of Gaia. We at More Doc Monthly felt it was only appropriate for us to figure out why.

We searched the continent of Mardrun for credible sources. Eventually we found one Daughter of Gaia who was willing to talk of her escape and the horrors that occurred to her and those around her. What she had to share was not for the faint of heart, so we warn our readers now that if you cannot handle horror, turn away now.

"It was about two years ago, and the moon was high in the sky and was becoming red with the eclipse. Mordok

raided our small village with great ferocity and took many of us captive. Most of my pack was killed in odd rituals, or even eaten. Their screams... Their screams still haunt me, the sound of bones rattling, darkness all around you, hot blood touching your lips as I was dragged across the ground" DoG said to us. The rest of what she had to say was jumbled, but our reporter recorded all of it for you our avid readers.

"I was dragged further into the darkness. Water... More screams... Blood leaking from the roof the abyss... Slime all over... Then pain in the womb... Desecrated... Laughter, drafts drank. More darkness engulfs me. Then convulsions... then the sound of babes... Mine? Someone else's? Days don't exist... only darkness... Got up... Began to run... Ran till darkness faded... Slipped many times on blood. My own maybe?... They find me! NO... NO... NOT AGAIN~!" DoG says before going into a fit that took our reporter and other nearby folks to hold down and restrain.

What does this mean? What did they do to this poor soul? We can only guess some sort of unimaginable ritual that scarred her so much that her mind broke. Next Volume, we explore the options.

## THE MAN-WOLF SPOTTED IN THE PASS?!?!

A quick explanation: The Man-Wolf is said to be the missing link between the Ulven and wolves. Usually described as about an eight-foot-tall hairy humanoid with wolf features for their face.

One member of a recent caravan that passed through the pass of the Great Wolf Hackles spotted the beast as they were being set on upon by Mordok.

“The beast came storming down a steep gravel downgrade towards the Mordok. The evil beings screamed in surprise and horror and retreated back as if the Light of Arnath himself was on their heels.” Said Gregor, son of Bregor.

This isn't the first sighting of the great Man-Wolf hunting Mordok, however it is the first of one attacking so openly. We will notify the readers if more sightings occur!

**GENTLEMEN, YOU  
LACKING STRENGTH IN  
YOUR SPEAR? YOUR  
SWORD GOING SOFT?  
MARA'S ALL NATURAL  
POTIONS CAN HELP YOU!  
COME TO DRUNKARDS  
SQUARE AND SPARE  
YOURSELF FROM  
FURTHER  
EMBARRASSMENT!**

## The Great Scandal at the Spire!

Last month deep in the snowy mountains near the pass. Researcher's from New Hope finished their studies on the processes and types of research that the Archons have been doing lately. However, Magus Jonah De'Bragh, was noted to be missing from the group more and more often during their stay.

Towards the end of their sessions, the rest of them went exploring for their missing and missed colleague. After searching through out the tower they finally head into town. To their shock, they did find Magus De'Bragh, in the arms of the Archmage of the Archons!

It turns out that this love affair has been going on only weeks after the researchers came to the spire. Many were disgusted with the acts that their colleague committed, many more were confused as to why and how, but only a few approved. The heated and sorted love affair was sadly broken apart by the end of the time at the spire.

“He looked at me as nobody else had ever looked at me before. His beautiful brown eyes pierced my soul and

heart.” Stated Magus De'Bragh. “We would meet in secret many times while our team stayed there. We spent many nights sipping wine and staring at the heavens above, hand in hand. Enjoying snowstorms in the warmth of a cabin drinking hot tea and holding each other under wool blankets...” These examples continued for some time. For the reader's sake, we cut them down so that they can be contained in the column.

With such a scandal, is it possible that the Archmage of the Archons of the Spire was cozying up to the Magus to keep a secret or gain political leverage? Is it a tale of two lovers separated by duty? Will their love ever be recognized? Many questions we have and more, when it comes to the fate of the lovers, but know that we of More Doc Monthly support your love, Magus Jonah De'Bragh and Archmage Ocelot.

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**WE ARE HAVING A CONTEST TO RENAME THE BEAST THAT ATTACK THE MORDOK IN THE PAST. SUBMIT YOUR SUGGESTION FOR A NAME AND WE WILL DRAW IT NEXT MONTH!**