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ABOUT OUR EDITOR

Help me, they fired the rest of the editing staff because they refused to lie, how can I expected to write a whole paper by myself



Ehobel Fractures as Civil War Erupts



Soldiers spotted marching through the jungles of Ehobel sporting banners not linked to their Empress

Soldiers march on Ishnmel as tensions boil over

Ehobel's political order fractured yesterday as several towns formally declared no confidence in the Empress, calling for her abdication to "preserve the Union." The move follows weeks of unrest after the sudden sealing of Ishnmel, which halted all travel and trade without explanation.

Rumours persist that the Empress's judgement has been compromised since her reported abduction last year, during which she was absent from governance for several months. Whether recent decisions were truly hers, or made under influence, remains disputed as the realm edges closer to open conflict.

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THE FATEBREAKERS ADVENTURE AGAIN

THE NATION'S FAVOURITE DESTRUCTIVE ADVENTURERS WERE SEEN HEADING UP NORTH FOR A GRAND ADVENTURE

The Fatebreakers, best known as the leading figures of the OFC and widely regarded as a destructive, yet ultimately beneficial, force within the realm, were sighted yesterday travelling north from Blackwall across the water toward Snowport. Witnesses report the group departed in haste, leaving behind the usual trail of speculation, minor property damage, and unresolved questions.



Field in southern Dawn Empire left in ruin after fatebreakers reportedly summon eldritch being

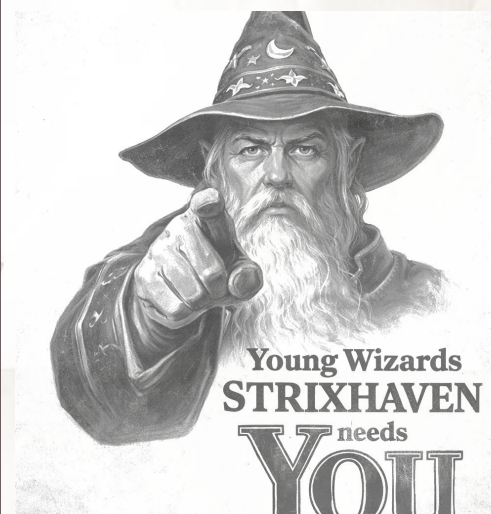
Little is currently known of their purpose in venturing into the frozen north, and no official statement has been offered. That said, experience suggests that if the Fatebreakers are willing to brave the ice and isolation of Snowport, whatever awaits them there is unlikely to be small, or simple.

"I watched them push off just before dawn," a Blackwall dock worker recalled. "Sea was rough, sky was worse, and they still went. Either they're heroes... or we'll be printing apologies next week."

This comes mere weeks after the Fatebreakers led a violent but decisive uprising in Lost Haven, freeing thousands of men, women, and children from slavery and shattering the city's old power structures. Their methods left scars that will take years to heal, yet few deny that the world is better for their actions, however destructive the path they took to get there.

Strixhaven Admissions Reopen

Strixhaven admissions for summer 252 open as applicants line up



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Civil War In Ehobel

SOLDIERS CLOSE IN ON THE ELVEN CAPITAL AS SEVERAL CITIES CALL VOTE OF NO CONFIDENCE

Political order in Ehobel shifted dramatically yesterday, as several prominent towns publicly declared a vote of no confidence in the reigning Empress, calling for her abdication “in the interest of preserving the Union.” Banners were raised in civic squares, councils convened behind closed doors, and messengers dispatched along jungle roads in what many are already calling the most open and coordinated challenge to imperial authority in a generation.

The declarations follow weeks of mounting unrest, sparked in large part by the sudden sealing of Ishnmel, a move that halted all travel into and out of the city without warning or explanation. Trade routes collapsed overnight, families were cut off from one another, and regional leaders voiced growing concern that such sweeping action was taken without consultation, justification, or decree from the wider Union.

Whispers surrounding the Empress’s judgement have only grown louder since her unexplained disappearance earlier this year. Though the court maintains that her absence was “brief and inconsequential,” numerous sources claim she was abducted from her chambers and held for several months, during which time state affairs were quietly managed by unnamed advisers. Whether the decision to lock Ishnmel was truly her own, or the lingering influence of those who held her during that period, remains fiercely disputed across the realm.

What is no longer in doubt is that Ehobel now stands divided. With loyalties splintering and authority openly questioned, calls for unity grow ever more desperate—even as the first confirmed movements of armed forces are reported beyond the jungle roads and river crossings.

History will decide whether this was an act of preservation... or the first page of a war.



The Empress seen at her welcome home banquet after her kidnapping



The ruins of the Ember Throne destroyed during the sundering when the volcano was last active

A series of tremors has been felt across the Desert this past week, rattling caravans, splitting old stone markers, and sending shockwaves through the nomad camps from dusk till dawn. While no major damage has yet been reported, the quakes have renewed long-standing fears that The Ember Peak, dormant for hundreds of years, may be stirring once more beneath the sands.

Scholars remain divided on the cause, with some dismissing the tremors as natural shifts along deep desert faults. Others warn the pattern is uncomfortably similar to the early signs recorded before The Peak’s last awakening - a catastrophe still remembered in ash-buried ruins and half-forgotten songs.

One traveller, Kesh al-Ruun said: “The mountain dreams again. When it wakes, it will not ask who belongs here.”

Quakes Felt Across the Desert as Fears Rise Over The Ember Peak

“When the desert moves, it’s never alone.” Says Nomad

Among the nomad families who call the expanse home, concern runs deeper than theory. “The ground doesn’t move like this without reason,” said Tareen of the Ember Veil, a caravan matriarch whose people have crossed the desert for generations. “Our wells are clouding, our animals won’t settle, and the old paths feel wrong beneath our feet.”

For now, caravans continue to move and the desert remains quiet—but those who listen closely say the silence is thinning.