

# Lords of the Earth

## CAMPAIGN TWENTY-FOUR

### Turn 105

1490 ~ 1493 Anno Domini

896 ~ 899 in the year of the Hegira

4188 (Metal Dog) - 4181 (Water Ox)

### Announcements and items of note

**General Stuff:** Please use my Paypal account ([stephenbrunt@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:stephenbrunt@yahoo.co.uk)) for all Lords' 24 payments. If you cannot use this facility then please let me know and I will see what I can do about filtering US funds to my account. I may also stop using the throneworld email address due to the mass of spam I'm getting!

**Order Form:** Please use the [standard excel order form](#) from now on. I'll update the site with a link to it next week when I get some time. This is important as it helps me process the turn more quickly. THIS IS NOW MANDATORY.

**Non-Payment:** some of you still owe me some cash. Although it may come as surprise that this is not my main source of income, I see it only polite that you pay for the occasionally night out. So, if you're under zero next turn I'll not process you orders.

**Version 6:** Lords 24 uses version 6 of the basic rules

**The Map:** The map now includes India as well as Europe, Central Asia and Africa. I've greyed out repeated areas on the maps to make my life easier. However, this means some player nations are split across more than one map. I may increase the size of the main map but I'll have to think on this.

**Tithes and Tribute:** I think these are automatically updated by the stats program, so no need to declare them in your orders.

**Control of the Papacy and Religious Orders:** In Lords 24 we will not always have a player Pope (or Caliph etc for that matter) and the following

rules are used to determine which player faction controls the Pope's actions, Papacy Rules. I've also added some stuff about gaining support from their armies

### **How to make your GM happy (PLEASE READ! REALLY!):**

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### **LORDS 24 WEB RESOURCES**

The Lords Twenty-Four homepage is at:

<http://lords.throneworld.com/lote24/index.html>

All of the on-line resources, including order forms, mailing lists and web-sites for Lords of the Earth are summarized on this page:

[http://lords.throneworld.com/?page\\_id=2](http://lords.throneworld.com/?page_id=2)

You can subscribe to the Lords 24 mailing list by pointing your web-browser at:

<http://games.groups.yahoo.com/group/lote24>

...and following the instructions on that page.

### **VARIOUS FEES AND LEVIES**

At the moment the turns cost \$5 – please pay up if you owe

We are using the latest v6.3.5 of the basic rule book that can be found here

<http://lords.throneworld.com/players/loterule/rules.html>

# North America

## The Atakapa Tribes

(Open Empire)

*Kalkasu, Chief of the Atakapa*



White Eagle and Kinemo were joined by Prince Holate in seeing to the affairs of the Atakapa Tribes. Their young Chief, Kalkasu, took a bride from amongst the Tamualipec and oversaw his nation. He was blessed with a son in 1492.

## The Ute

(Open Empire)

*Soaring Eagle, Chief of the Ute*



The Bear Dance shamans were to spread their doctrine to surrounding provinces and cities, this was despite the Ute shamans' efforts to quell the cult. Meanwhile, Ute settlers returned to the lands of the Paiute as well as founding the city of Kuwapa'ag in Unita. Attempts by red hawk to acquire a bride from the Cheyenne was met with hostility and the warrior was barely able to escape with his life.

While Kanosh continued to support the new Chief in ruling the tribes while Golden Stag wandered the empty lands around Bannock and Papago.

## The Huron Confederacy

(Open Empire)

*Onistaka, Chief of the Hurons*



Chief Onistaka promoted his brother Prince Ounasumin to assist him in ruling the Confederacy along with Chibougamou. The Chief was blessed with a son by Queen Binnosomin of the Wyandot.

## The Carib Tribes

(Open Empire)

*Jamar, Chief of the Carib*



The sudden death of Chief Caonabo in early 1490 saw his brother Jamar take control of the Carib. Caonabo's last wishes was to establish trade to the Echota, the Zapotec and Tiacopan from the port of Talin. Maraquay was to explore the lower reaches of the Great Snake for more trading posts.

## The Yokut Tribes

(Open Empire)

*White Cloud, Chief of the Yokuts*



The death of Queen Morning Dancer at such a young age saw the provinces of Salinan and Moapa rebel. White Cloud became Queen with Proud Elk of the Yukos at her side. Before her death, Morning Dancer was able to improve on the alliance with the Yoruks given their close relationship. In Pomo, the port of Yelamu was built on the north side of the bay. Pomo itself was further settled by the province's tribes. The cities of Eagle's Nest and Ohlone were also to grow in size. The queen's advisor, Great Condor, was also to pass away in the summer of 1493.

## The Cree

(Open Empire)

*Mistawasis, Chief of the Cree*



The old Chief Mahihkan was to finally be able to abdicate in favour of his son Mistawasis due to his ill health. He was to die in the winter of 1492 at peace with the world. The new Chief continued his rule and was blessed with three more children by Queen Lomasi. Despite his poor diplomatic skills, Nayati was able to persuade the Chippewa to join the Cree nation. Keasik was able to improve on the tribute already promised by the Noquet and gained an alliance with the tribe.

## The Moundbuilders

(Open Empire)

*Bridgekeeper, Chief of the Moundbuilders*



Chief Bridgekeeper took stock of his tribes affairs

# South America

## The Chimu Kingdom of Chanchan

(Open Empire)

*Arauru, Queen of the Chimu*



The cities of Pachamac, Arica and Maranga were to grow in size. Queen Arauru ruled the Chimu kingdom from Moche with young Apu Quya. General Acha was commanded with the defence of the kingdom but was to die from a fever in late 1491; luckily, no threats were to materialise. General Canba continued to ensure the northern lands were secure from his base in Cuna. In Chimu, Viracocha Cucha managed to slightly improve relations with the conquered province.

## Chichen Itze

(Open Empire)

*Korat II, Chief of the Chichen Itze*



Despite his diplomatic brilliance and the assistance of Beryata and Perosaya, Daronoya was to accidentally insult the ruler of Boruca and sour the alliance. The city of Chichen Itze was expanded and its garrison improved. Prince Daresh married from amongst the Mayan nobility while he assisted Korat in ruling the kingdom. Both were blessed with children during these years.

## Zapotec Mitla

(Open Empire)

*Azcalxochitzin, King of the Zapotecs*



King Azcalxochitzin continued his rule with Queen Zipaccoatl and the royal couple were to welcome two daughters to the royal family during these years. While Prince Culhua oversaw the affairs of the Triple Alliance, Princess Teicuih added her considerable charms to Lynya and Teyahual's efforts to improve on Tlacopan's commitment to the Zapotec cause. Only a few years had passed since the Tlacopan had accepted their status as a vassal of Mitla and even the persuasive trio could not gain any improvement.

## The Cocijo Priesthood

(Religious Primacy)

*High Priest of the Cocijo*



Attempts to found an Abbey by the priests of Cocijo came to nothing but many converts were made throughout Central America with Chichen Itze province of Kekchi fully embracing Cocijo through the efforts of Prince Sayoro.

## The Triple Alliance

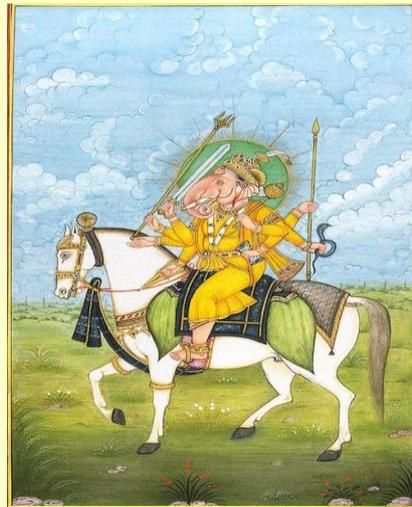
(Open Empire)

*Cakulha, King of Tlacopan*



Queen Xitlalli finally gave the aging King Cakulha a son and heir in late 1493. Missionaries from Triple Alliance were able to convert the northern province of Jonaz Pame to their gods and to forsake their shaman. The defence of the Triple Alliance was once again left in the hands of Generals Hapikern and Akbit, but both were to perish from a fever in the winter of 1490.

# India and Central Asia



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## Pratihara Kingdom of Kaunaj

(Hindu Civilised Open Empire)

*Suresh IV, Raja of Kaunaj*



King Suresh recalled most of his princes and supporters back to Kanaj to assist with the affairs of the mighty kingdom. Once again, its cities were to grow in size and prosperity while Suresh ordered a number of state organisations founded. The Hall of Lions for military staff training in Kaunaj and the naval centre at the White Tower in Tamralipti. The lands of Palas were further exploited to produce even more farmland. Prince Wagish was to pass away peacefully in the winter of 1492, while the Prince of Avanti finally

managed to gain the full support of Ujjayani before he too was to pass away. Rutturs for the Somali Sea and the sea of Riouw were gained by the kingdom's navigators.

## The Karakhanate of Ilig

(Sunni Islam Civilised Open Empire)

*Junaid Khan, Khan of Ilig*



Junaid was to rule from Kara-Khitai while ensuring the defence of the Ilig homeland; he still managed to find time to father a daughter by Queen Rawiya. The royal highway was extended from Khurasan to Tabaristan while missionaries were once again active in the east. Prince Sa'id was tasked with collecting rutturs for the western seas from the Egyptians after paying some gold for the documents. The khan was once again to pay off the Hungarians to prevent any incursion into the north. Prince Hassan took command of two and half thousand cavalry and after collecting newly conscripted siege engines and infantry from Khwarzim, walked into Khazakh and Ahmad virtually unopposed. Alp Arslan had orders to move into Shirvan to break the last remnants of the old Khwarzimi empire. His twenty thousand cavalry were followed by General ibn Hisham in command of the siege train while General Aurangzeb brought his seven thousand cavalry to back up Alp Arslan. The Khwarzimi force consisted of twelve thousand infantry and slightly less cavalry. They were backed up by several fortifications throughout Shirvan. The defenders were no match for Alp Arslan's force. He brilliantly routed the Khwarzimi from the field with virtually no losses while the defenders were almost wiped out. The defenders pulled back to Georgia but were pursued by Alp Arslan and his men. With hardly any men left, the Khwarzimi left the field and retreated to Azerbaijan. Cut off from the Khwarzimi court, the northern provinces were to rally around their forces in Khazar while Gurgan, Arbiliq, Alan and Cuman all rebelled. In Edrosia, Al-Mansur had little luck in persuading the Saffarids to forgo their allegiance to the Caliph in Baghdad.



# South East Asia and the Islands



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## The Kingdom of Thaton

(Buddhist Civilised Open Empire)  
*Sallat V, King of Thaton*



A great fortress was built next to the city of Thaton. Along the Thaton coast a great wall was built with a defensive dyke dug before it. King Sallat was to rule from Moulmein before ordering Prince Sallat VI to invade the Khmer lands along with Prince Krai Pai and Prince Blais Pai. The Khmer forces were led by general Trasak Paem who had recently moved from Khmer via Phan Rang. With the great wall still being constructed, the Paem had to rely on his twelve thousand cavalry patrol plus the extensive fortifications around Siam. Facing the Khmer force was over one hundred thousand horse led by Sallat VI. Both sides had sent out assassins before their forces but these were countered by the general's bodyguards. Despite their overwhelming strength, the Thatonese were initially pushed back when Prince Krai was killed. However, Sallat was quick to rally his men and once again attacked the Khmer forces. Now, despite extensive losses, the Thatonese forces won the field. Forcing Paem back to Khmer with most of his army destroyed. General was then able to take the city of Chi with his massed siege army with little difficulty. With the lands of Siam taken, General Horo Gai led his forces into the unprotected city of Chi. Claiming it for Sallat. General Samatata was to continue to patrol the Samatata lands against any Hindu invasion.

## The Kambujadesa Empire

(Hindu Civilised Open Empire)

*Jayavarman I, King of the Khmer*



A new fervour was present in the Khmer court. King Jayavarman I was to order walls to be built around Siam, Surin and Champa as well as the island of Singapore. The lands of Preikuk were further cultivated with new rice paddies. The walls around Siam were built too late for the Thatonese invasion and General Paem was left to defend Siam outnumbered by nearly ten to one. Despite the efforts of General Paem, his forces were forced back to Khmer itself. Siam was to fall to the invaders along with the city of Chi. King Jayavarman himself took a bride from the House of Khmer before ruling his kingdom. General Rajendra was sent to Selaton to defend the Khmer lands there. Admiral Ramesuan was to take command of the Khmer fleet before exploring the seas of the Selat Strait. Ponhea Yat was to travel to Hmong to improve relations with the northern province.

# Manchu'ko and Nihon



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## The Minamoto Shogunate

(Shinto Civilised Open Empire)  
*Askikaga, Emperor of the East*



The theft of Goryeon technology by the Shogun's agents edged the Minamoto even closer to the Renaissance. The wilds of Manchuria were further tamed as more Japanese colonists arrived to settle the lands. In the far south, Shinto missionaries were successful in gaining many more converts. In Kurchin, the port of Ainu was built around the fortress. The emperor continued his rule while Prince Niro oversaw the Taira Clan from Saga. Prince Nakayma travelled to Liao-Tung where he was to assist Naru Komi in gaining influence amongst the Goryeo Ui Bugbu Gong-Gug. He was to fall ill and die in the autumn of 1491. It was left to Princess Mouri to oversee the Shogunate's defence from her base in Yamoto.

## The Goryeo Kingdom

(Buddhist Renaissance Open Empire)

*Gun Sam Jun Ho, King of Goryeo*



The trade cities of Kudat and Daegu were to grow in size and prosperity while Gun Sam Jun Ho ruled the merchant kingdom. His son, Prince Gun Bai, was elevated to become his heir apparent. The king's generals continued their wary watch on land and sea.

## The Taira Clan

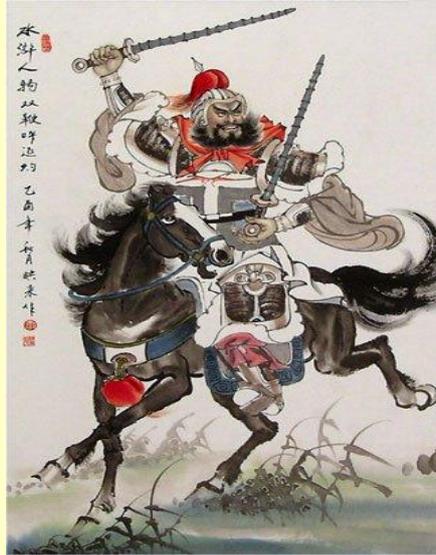
(Shinto Renaissance Open Empire)

*Taira no Tadanori, Daimyo of Saga*



While Shinto missionaries saw some gains Hainan, the Taira heartland of Saga was further developed and improved. The Daimyo oversaw the Clan's affairs from his estates in Saga. Instructing Kaneshiro Sadatake and Domen Yorikane to cement an alliance with Palembang. General Ryozo was in command of the Sabah garrison when he was to die from an infected lizard bite in 1491.

# The Land under Heaven



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## The Kingdom of Chiang'Ning

(Buddhist Civilised Open Empire)

*Ban He, King of Chiang'Ning*



King Ban he was to rule his growing kingdom until his untimely death in 1492. His son, Prince Ban Sai, was to accept the Chiang crown while he continued the complex negotiations the Chang about their annexation. The security of the kingdom was left in the hands of General Wi and Admiral Wo while the diplomat Shang'Ti travelled to Zhengzhou to improve relations with the city's elite.

## The Ko Kingdom of Koueichou

(Buddhist Civilised Open Empire)

*Bon He IV, King of Koueichou*



King Bon He IV took a bride from amongst the House of Szechwan and ruled his inland kingdom with the assistance of Hui Jing. Roads were built to Jiangxi in the east as well as to the cities of Jingjiang and Guiyang. The defensive wall between Szechwan and Kweichou was finally completed as well as the Yangtse bridge.

# Africa

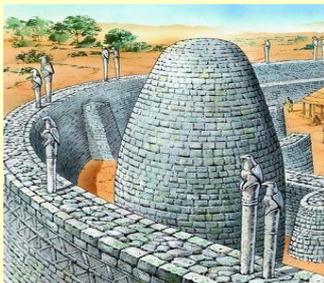


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## The Mwene-Mutapa Empire

(Unkulunkulu Civilized Open Empire)

*Muthzanga, King of Mapungubwe*



Unkulunkulu priests were able to convert the lands of the Kimbu, Merintha, Matabele and Lenje to the true religion. Emperor Muthzanga was to continue his rule with Prince Kualze while Fahmonti finally got the Banhine to fully support the Empire.

## Usama-Yoruba Onium of Ibo

(African Pagan Civilized Open Empire)

*Komala, Oni of Ibo*



Fortifications were raised throughout the Onium while the lands of the Tusyam were cultivated and farms built. The road was extended from Ijebu in Yoruba to Jumagi in Gurma, bypassing the longer route through Oyo. Komla continued his rule and instructed his diplomats to further bring the lands of Togo, Bomi, Teke, Mbouda and Marampa back into the Iboan fold.

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# Eastern Europe



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## The Varangian Rus of Kiev

(Orthodox Civilized Open Empire)

*Osberic, King of the Rus*



The lands around Galich were further improved as more Rus settlers set up farmsteads. To further protect the Great Wall, a defensive dyke was added along the Chernigov and Pereaslavl borders. Orthodox priests were able to make inroads into converting the remaining Moslems of Levedia. King Osberic rules from Kiev while the Princes Hrolf and Rolla were to gain an alliance from Polovotsy. Before his demise in 1493, Brother Alexandrov was in command of the Rus fleet in Pechnograd. On his death command was passed onto his fellow Vladimir Brother.

## The Oriental Roman Empire

(Roman Catholic Renaissance Open Empire)

*Adronikos II, Emperor of East Rome*



The emperor was to order the construction of the Manuel Walls across the ferry crossing from Paphlagonia. He then travelled to Thrace with Prince Adronikos II and Princess Andrea to meet with Ediz of the Uighurs. Swayed heavily by the gifts brought by the Roman's and the offer of the hand in marriage to Princess Andrea, Khan Ediz was to offer his lands as tribute to Manuel and retire to his estates. Sadly, the deal was still being finalised when Manuel took ill and dies in the winter of 1492, leaving the throne to Adronikos. In far Bosphorus, Hesperos was to continue his diplomatic efforts before his death in 1491.

## The Order of St Vladimir

(Roman Catholic Civilised Religious Order)

*Roderic, Grandmaster of the Order of St Vladimir*



Roderick, Grandmaster of the Order of St Vladimir, was to continue to oversee the Order's efforts to convert the Muslims of Ialomita; nearly three-quarters of the province were now converted to Christianity. The Vladimir army in Moldavia was to gain a new commander after the deaths of Mark and Skallagrim.

## The Noble House of Byzantium

(Roman Catholic Renaissance Mercantile House)

*Aristotle, Chairman of the Noble House of Byzantium*



The death of Laodamos in 1491 saw his popular prodigy become Chairman of the Merchant House. Laodamos had established a Factor in Vitebsk before his death. A Factor was also gained in Attica along with an Agent in Tuscany. Despite his efforts, Jason had no luck on gaining a Factor in Holy Latium. Aegous took the long voyage to Land's End where the Orkneymen were to gift him rutters for the seas off the British Isles before he travelled south to explore the Bight of Benin and the lower reaches of the Niger.

# Arabia and the Middle East



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## The Buwayid Sultanate

(Sunni Islam Civilized Open Empire)  
*Lamman III, Sultan of the Buwayids*



After sending more gold to the Al’Bahri to defend the faith, Lamman III travelled to Ra’s ad Daqm in Muscat where he met with representatives of the Ar Rassid Imanat. His efforts saw the influence of the Sultanate grow with the rulers of Sa’Na. His son, Prince Talmar, was left to rule in his stead while Biway continued his work in Qom. Andai Sawar sailed to Bosnia where he was to assist the Magyars in building the city of Sarajevo. The Moslem garrison of the city was turned over to the Magyar rulers and settled down to protect the city and married into the Bosnian population. Jalal Hayat struggled to gain any more influence from the elders of the holy city. Engineers from the Sultanate successfully worked out how to construct Bombards from the ones already acquired but had little success in gaining more technology from the Western nations. Lamman was to send his third child to the Al’Bahri order to increase his influence with the Sea Lords.

## The Egyptian Empire

(Sunni Islam, Renaissance Open Empire)

*Ahmad III, Emperor of all Egypt*



The far port of Luxor was further expanded and its walls replaced to encompass the growing population. Along the Mediterranean coast, a great wall was built from the Sinai to Egypt. Meanwhile, in the south, the road was extended down from Funj to the newly conquered lands of the Sennar. The Emperor was to continue his rule from Alexandria and was blessed with two more children by his Queen Aisha. Prince Kufa was assigned the task of investigating worrying reports from Al'Qiarah, but if there was anything suspicious there it was well hidden from sight. Gathering a force of cavalry from Egypt, Prince Ahmad was to attempt to claim the Oases of El Wahat and Bir Tarfawi but discovered that they already owed allegiance to the Adjou Aba in the north. After giving some of his force to Prince Kufa, Prince Tariq travelled south to Axum where he claimed the garrison stationed there. His newly augmented force was to attack Atabara from Sennar and successfully drive off the small army there. After his untimely death in 1490, Malik's fleet was given over to Asad al-Jannah. The Egyptians then sailed for Trichar where al-Jannah secured an alliance with the city through the marriage of Princess Ranya. After renaming the city of Soba to Abu Simbel, General ibn Zayd led a successful campaign against Shoa and Adowa before returning to Sennar.

## Amir Al-Bahri

(Sunni Moslem Seafaring Religious Order)

*Fayruḡ al-Daylami, Lord of the Sea*



The new Order cities along the North African coast were further improved. Despite investing vast resources in expanding the Order's network, only the House in Kassala was improved but worryingly the one in Djibouti was set on fire by an arson attack and destroyed. Sa'd ibn Abu Waqqas was to assist ibn Jabal with the Maliki while ibn Saad was to concentrate on gaining influence with the Hanafi. Nikolis Giamou was tasked with finding any sign of the Mamluks or the Assassins but could not locate any of their sites. His investigations almost led to his death when he was beset upon and almost killed by masked thugs.

# Western Europe and Moslem Spain



## The Knights of Malta

(Roman Catholic Civilised Religious Order)  
*Frederick, Grandmaster of the Knights of Malta*



The Order was to increase its influence with the Pope at the expense of the European nations. The Order's Grandmaster, Frederick, was to travel to Verona in an attempt to improve on the Oratory in the province. Despite all his efforts, the local population were to withdraw their support and the site dropped to a Preceptory. Prince Acteon of Constantinople was able to found an Order House on the Island of Rhodes but Brother Jens was unable to stop their House on Sicily from being pillaged by local thugs. Brother Fritz continued to patrol the sea from Valletta while Brother Jochen was to keep an eye on the Infidel in Spain.

## The Kingdom of Germany

(Roman Catholic Civilized Open Empire)  
*Alef, King of the Germans*



Missionaries from the German Kingdom were able to reverse the trend towards Islam in Corsica and gain large numbers of converts in Sardinia. This was a time when German cities were to grow and prosper under the rule of King Hans. Sadly, the King was to choke on a sausage in 1491, leaving Prince Alef the Saxon throne. The prince had travelled to Rome where he assisted Carolus in gaining more influence with the Pope. Prince Johann was to be ordained into the Papacy, further increasing German

influence with his Holiness. Sigmund continued his work by convincing the Bavarians to pay tribute to Hanover.

## The Akramid Caliphate

(Sunni Islam Renaissance Open Empire)

*Tiroman VII, Caliph of the Akramids*



The Adjou Aba were paid off for now but along their border with Tunisia a great Wall was built while behind the wall the devastated lands were rebuilt. The cities of Algiers, Casablanca, Lisbon and Santiago were to grow in size. Missionaries from the Caliphate were not very successful in converting the Christians of Corsica and Sardinia, as well as the St Denis lands in Valencia. Young Prince Tiroman was to spend these years at the Caliphate court and was blessed with two young children by Princess Lauriana of Andalusia. Crockus continued his diplomatic mission with Mongo in the Canary Islands, finally removed any Italian influence. Dirchen continued his work preaching to the Christians in Sardinia before his death in 1493

## The Principality of Salerno

(Roman Catholic Renaissance Open Nation)

*Socto Durrazo, Prince of Naples*



After sending gold to the Knights of Malta and La Orden de San Denis, Prince Socto sent an envoy to the Magyars. No Italian gold would flow east and they were welcome to try to take to from the Duke's possessions. Try they did. With a force of over 20000 light horse, the Magyars attempted to raid Carinthia in 1490. They were met by the forces of Petro Canossa and Francesco Mattei. Decidedly defeated, they then attempted to raid Slovenia but were again defeated by the Italians. Prince Enrico said goodbye to his new bride Carmela and collecting a sizeable army, sailed for Petropolis in Illyria. With the Magyars despondent after their failed raids, his force encountered little resistance when they attacked Croatia. Easily taking the province from the Magyars and splitting the Khanate in two and allowing the Bosnians to rebel. Sadly, Canossa was to die from wounds taken early in the campaign against the raiders and died in late 1492.

## The Kingdom of France

(Roman Catholic Civilized Open Empire)

*Louis XI, King of the French*



Louis was to take stock of the French kingdom and ruled from his palace in Paris.

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# Scandia and the Out Isles



## Kingdom of Orkeneyjar

(Roman Catholic Seafaring Open Empire)

*Valbrand, King of Orkeney and the Isles*



King Valbrand rules from Kirkval and sent his beautiful Queen Coenburga along with Ulfr to far Vestrehavn to oversee the Order's attempts to construct an Oratory in the city. Prince Svein deferred to Admiral Leifr's superior naval ability and transferred the London fleet to him. Princess Helga was to travel to Anglia to meet with Lowen of Cornwall but fell ill in early 1490 and died before she even left Wessex. In Thingvellir, the King's brother Valgard, was to lead a diplomatic delegation in the important city. Their efforts saw the port come back into Kirkval's control.

## The Ests

(Jumali Skyfather Civilized Open Empire)

*Braddick IV, King of the Ests*



Kalinin was to be cultivated as farmers spread out from the city of Hobune. Missionaries from Riga were active in the city of Ventapils and the southern region of Tver. King Bradick ensured the smooth running of the Estonian nation and sent Saimo to assist Hillar in

persuading the Tver to join with Riga. The defence of the Kingdom was left in the able hands of Prince Varik.

## **The Svear**

(Roman Catholic Seafaring Open Empire)

*Karl Person, King of the Svear*

While King Karl was to rule and dabble in mercantile affairs, his wife Queen Merewen was to lead a concerted effort to maximise the status of Le Marteau within the Svear kingdom .

## **La Marteau de Dieu**

(Roman Catholic Civilised Religious Order)

*Arild, Hammer of God*



The Grandmaster travelled with Queen Coenburga of the Orkneys and her retinue to far Vestrehavn where he met with Borthur Gustav. With the young Queen looking on, Gustav led the Order in upgrading the Preceptory in the city to an Oratory. Brother Sigehere collected the Order garrison in Poctumtuc before leading his force into the Huron lands of Mohawk. There was little resistance from the natives of those lands and Sigehere was able to leave Brother Luchador in charge of the province. Brother Geir was to take command of Order fleet based in

Kirkval.

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