

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Thomas Harlan is planning to make a list of lords players in all campaigns. This list will provide phone numbers and addresses to lords players who want that information. If you want your phone number and address on this list, let me know with your next turn.

I've changed the IS ratings but I'm not sure this is the finished product - perhaps I've over corrected. The new agro rule will be implemented for turn 12 which will be a variable agro production based on a central tendency of your normal production modified by a die roll which will range from very bad to very good - +/- 70% of normal production. For now I'll call sapper units siege units, comprised of catapults, siege towers, and the like. No immediate change in the combat system. If you have suggestions or complaints - write them down and let me know.

Just a heads up - if you want your armies to react to invasion or other unforeseen events, you must make contingency orders or some other device to insure I know how you want your armies to react. Otherwise I'll use my own judgement - tough break!

I will start processing turn 12 on 1 July; if I've past your part of the world by the time I get your orders I'll do what I see fit. This is a weak attempt to speed the turn processing up.

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COSTS

Turn Fees : \$3.50 US  
Mapset (8x11): 4.00  
(11x17): 6.00  
Rulebook : 10.00

Next Turn Orders Due By:  
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1Lo, The Current State of the Wanderer Games' Global Empire!0

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**C\*REWARDS:** Tim Grandi, PO Box 2758 C/S, Soccoro, NM 87801 (505)835-2866. Far future space empire building. Call or write for info - new start!  
**BRONZE AGE LORDS:** Jeff Moehn 4401 Montgomery NE, Apt #161, Albuquerque, NM 87109. Set in 2,000BC Full, not started

**LORDS OF ATLANTIS:** Scott Irwin PO Box 40527 Albuquerque, NM 87196 Very simple game for beginners on a modified Australia map

**LORDS OF CATHAY:** Sean Roberts (505)844-6004 8-4pm 190AD, features the collapse of the Second Han dynasty on a China-only map

#### MERCENARIES FOR HIRE

| Company's Name    | hc | lc | hi | li | g | m | C | I | W | S | Location | Cost  |
|-------------------|----|----|----|----|---|---|---|---|---|---|----------|-------|
| Mohammed's League |    |    | 5  | 5  |   |   | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | Cairo    | 2.5 * |
| Ty Duk's Mariner  |    |    | 7  | 4  | 2 |   | 3 | 4 | 4 | 4 | Employed | 3.0   |

\* Desperate for hire...

Merc Leaders never have combat ratings less than 2....

#### AFRICA

##### The Realm of the Flowing Sands

(5.7C)

Kotakeayo, Master of the Trade Caravans  
 Trade: Kongo, Togo, Boure, Kumbi-Salah  
 Diplomacy: Adrar(t) Terhazza(t) The Master sent colonist to Gorouol wich is now 0/7. Kotakeayo's wife bore him a daughter. The Master attempted to convince King Ghouardi of Kurfei to leave Quantity but he could not be swayed.

##### The Empire of Quantity

(6.1C)

Ali Mohammed, Tyrant of Quantity  
 Trade: Togo  
 Diplomacy: Oyo(a) Marampa(ea) Nupe(t) Kreda(a) Sokoro(c) Batha(c)  
 Mohammed, frustrated by the Realm's good fortune, decided to ... turn the other cheek?... and offer trade, which of course, was refused. Mohammed notice someone stirring up the locals in Kurfei. The outer edges of the empire started to show wear. On the positive side, the Tyrant did see his military might grow when two more allies joined his empire.

##### The Kingdom of Kongo

(2.0B)

Cascone II the Tall  
 Trade: Realm  
 Diplomacy:  
 His Tallness again called his best general forward and sent him to expand the kingdom's frontier; Cuango was trampled under foot again along with N'Gao, TeKessex Douala, Benin. Losses were light. His Tallness was pleased also with the birth of two sons in 1151.

##### The Empire of Zimbabwe

(1.9 B)

Bata of Rozwi  
 Trade: None  
 Diplomacy: Banhine(f)

Bata continued to consolidate his hold on his empire by incorporating Banhine fully into his empire.

##### The Kingdom of Sakalava

(0.5B)

Punda Punda the Islander  
 Trade: None  
 Diplomacy: Betsimarsaka(a)

Punda continued to increased his island standard of living and gain new friends.

#### EUROPE

##### The Gaidhealtachd na Eire

(1.3 B)

Lord Dubmnorix, Lorde of Magryn Keepe  
 Trade: Sussex  
 Diplomacy: Munster(a) Ulster(t)

Lord Clannad continued his exploitation of the Norwegian coast at Agder, where he finished enslaving the population. He then stepped down and after much internal confusion Lord Dubmnorix was chosen to lead the kingdom out of (or into) the Dark Ages.

##### The Norman Kingdom of Sussex

(10.0C)

Edward the Black, King of the Gaul  
 Trade: Flanders, RCC, Iberia, Ireland, Theary, Franconia, Mahidia, Byzantine Kabilya  
 Diplomacy: Ponthieu(t) Old Castille(ea) Brittany(a) Poitou(ea) Galacia(ea) Aragon(t)

Edward continued its intensive diplomatic efforts, making important gains in Gaul and the Iberian northland. Edward increase Sete to 3p0 and increase spending on efforts to increase his government. Edward was leaning to cut trade with his powerful eastern neighbor, but without Papal support he was reluctant to act on his own. Edward

reduced his tithe to 4% and cut government support to the Pope in half.

**The Grand Duchy of Flanders (8.2C)**

Duke Micheal I  
Trade: Sussex, Theary, Iberia, Mahidia  
Diplomacy: Lyonnais(t) Savoy(c)  
Sardinia(t) Switzerland(f) Lombardy(t)  
Brabant(a) Corsica(h)

Micheal continued his running feud with the Pope. His armies lunched a concentric attack against the Papal forces in Champagne and Orleans. Just before the two armies met, the Papal forces lost a third of their army when the Lyonnais forces backed their bags and went home. Shortly thereafter the Pope's own lieutenant died, apparently of natural conditions. This left only the Duke of Burgundy to face this onslaught. Although he failed to hold his ground, he did manage to extract the bulk of the papal forces and withdrew to Burgundy. Trade was established with Islamic shipping interests, shipping which looked strangely familiar.

**The Almoravid Emirate of Iberia**

(5.2C)  
Isfastan of Seville, Beloved of Allah  
Trade: Sussex RCC Flanders  
Diplomacy: La Manch(f)

Isfastan consolidated his own position in Iberia. His concerns grew of Christian incroachment from the north and an Islamic rival from the south. Fortunately, more of the infidel chose to trade with him.

**The Emirate of Mahidia (6.1C)**

Bilah Musta-din  
Trade: RCC Sussex Flanders  
Diplomacy: Sicily(f) Granada(c)  
Morroco(ea) Murcia(a)

Bilah expanded his infuence in North Africa and Iberia. He found that trade with the infidels can be like alms from Allah. He envied the ship builders of Flanders and showed his appreciation by initiating trade with them using Flanders' own shipping.

**The Papal States (10.5C)**

Lucius II, Pope of the Roman Church  
Trade: Byzantium Sussex Franconia Mahidia  
Iberia V.Rus

Diplomacy: None  
Monastaries:  
Apulia/3 Aquitaine/3 Burgundy/3  
Calabria/3 Campania/3 Capitania/3  
Hungary/3 Languedoc/3 Latium/3 Liguria/3

Lombardy/3 Lyonnais/3 Napoli/3 Provence/3  
Romagna/3 Savoy/3 Slovakia/1 Spoleto/3  
Sussex/3 Tuscany/3 Tyrol/3 Verona/3

Lucius II felt compelled to withdraw into the heart of the Vatican to consult with God. After five years no one knows when he will emerge again. His absence left the door open for a resurgent Flanders; several nations took the lack of guidance as an opportunity to lower the tithe to the Church to 4%.

**The Nordik Kingdom of Thaery (3.3C)**

Alek Holitzar, King of the Land  
Trade: Flanders, Sussex Poland Franconia  
V.Rus  
Diplomacy: Uppsala(f) Smaland(c)  
Holstien(f)

Alek gained many new friends who wanted to pay only 4% tithe to the Church - so be it. Alek continued his search for better government in the usual way, throwing money at it!

**The Franconian Kingdom (2.1C)**

Wolfgang Hinstaat  
Trade: RCC, Poland, Theary, Sussex, Byz  
Diplomacy: Austria(nt) Slovenia(c)  
Carinthia(nt)

Wolfgang reacted violently to news that Flanders was attacking papal forces in Champagne. Expecting Papal support, he raided Alsace without difficulty. Desiring to drive further into Flanders held ground, he order his force on to Lorraine, but his ally, Adam Wieshaupt balked - being outnumbered was no fun.

**The Kingdom of Poland (3.3B)**

King Ludwik  
Trade: Franconia, Theary, Rus  
Diplomacy: Silesia(f) Bialoweza(a)  
Moravia(nt) Kuyavia(nt) Bohemia(nt)

Ludwik decided to turn over a new leaf and win friends by the pen instead of the sword. This method proved very successful for him. He also was blessed with a son.

**The Kingdom of Hungary (0.7N)**

Stephen, Christian King of Hungary  
Trade: Byz  
Diplomacy: Slovakia(t) Slovenia(t)  
Lyria(c) Carinthia(h) Dalmatia(h)

Stephen wondered why the papal emissary just sat on his @#! He was equally concerned about a Polish claim on one of his newly acquired tributaries - Slovenia. Trade was established with the Byzantines down the Danube.

**Varangian Rus** (4.8B)  
David Draoviydovich, Prince of Kiev  
Trade: Poland, Byz, RCC  
Diplomacy: Lithuania(nt) Latvia(nt)  
The Prince opened trade with Rome and built a city, Riga(1p0), in Musa. David found it harder to hang on to his outlying regions.

**The Holy Roman Empire of the East**  
**Byzantium** (9.6C)  
Nicophorus III, Emperor of Constantinople  
Trade: RCC, Baghdad, Sussex, Rus, Y'Israel, Sarkel, Hungary  
Diplomacy: Paphlagonia(t) Morea(a) Croatia(ea) Dobruja(t) Dalmatia(t)  
The Emperor won the hearts and minds of many people, most by charm, some by force. He order a city built in Attica, Nicopolis(1p0), on the Adriatic coast. Efforts were made to convert much of the masses to christianity, eastern still. The Emperor was amused by the Hungarian claim on his newly conquered province of Lyria.

### The Mid East

**The Coptic Kingdom of Ethiopia** (5.7C)  
Gobbu, The Next Great Funji  
Trade: Y'Israel  
Diplomacy: Alwa(f) Shoa(a)  
Babbu'ben Dabbu continued to consolidate his earlier gains. He also continued to improve the quality of life for his subjects. His was much loved throughout the kingdom. It was a sad day when he died, leaving only an infant son behind. His nephew, Gobbu, assumed the throne with little disruption.

**The Coptic Kingdom of Y'Israel** (4.0C)  
Scooby'ben Dooby, Lion of Judah  
Trade: Ethiopia, Baghdad, Byz  
Diplomacy: Petra(a)  
Scrappy'ben Dooby consolidated his military power under one flag, his own. The various parts of his empire are now connected by land.

**Dar-al-Islam** (10.5C)  
Sayf-ad-Din al-Akbar, Califat Rasul Allah, Commander of the Faithful  
Trade: Y'Israel, Byzantium, Nirritian, Kuanaj  
Diplomacy: Diyala(nt) Ahvaz(ea) Syria(a) Abadan(c)  
Sayf continued to invest in various projects and to strength his ties with India.

**The Emirate of Isfahan** (8.1C)  
Darius X, Emir of Merv  
Trade: Baghdad  
Diplomacy: Turkman(t) Al Zagros(t) Persia(nt)

Darius X ordered his armies to and fro, often forgetting allied armies only respond to their own leaders. Darius saw success, both diplomatically and economically - finally getting a trade partner. In 1155, he announced there would be a new heir, since Bessus had apparently fallen from grace; something about someone's daughter, wife, or something?

### The Indian Ocean Basin

**The Empire of Kuanaj** (10.4C)  
Somnath II of Kuanaj  
Trade: Chalakuya, Kalanjara, Pagan, Baghdad  
Diplomacy: Punjab(nt)

Somnath II up-graded the postal road between Kotla and Delhi. He spent much of his time in Vasta where results were imminent. Before a deal could be signed an overzealous Nirritrian leader intervened. First one thing then other, arrows started to fly, the king was injured and his army withdrew in disorder to Uttar Pradesh. The White Rajah sent his apologies, claiming some misunderstanding had occurred. Apparently he wasn't sorry enough to give up the region.

**The Nirritrian Empire** (4.9C)  
The White Rajah  
Trade: Kalanjara Tripuri Chalakuya Baghdad  
Diplomacy: Avanti(c) Edrosia(a) Pundra(t) Vengi(t)

The White Rajah tried to scoop Kuanaj in Vasta, but things got out of hand. As discussions were progressing, a guard sent an arrow into the chest of Somnath. Fortunately for the small Nirritrian force, the Kuanaj were thrown into confusion and were last seen fleeing north.

**The Chalakuya Kingdom** (11.2C)  
Rhajaput II, The Great Muta  
Trade: Kuanaj, Nirritrian  
Diplomacy: Anhivarta(f) Damala(nt)  
Rhajaput saved for a rainy day.

**The Kingdom of Pagan** (3.1C)  
Supreme Rajah Monson of the Pagan

Trade: Kuanaj Khemer  
Diplomacy: Burma(t)  
Monson watched the war in Khemer with growing concern. Despite this, he continued to improve living conditions in his poor contry.

**The Hidden Kingdom of Khmer (4.4C)**

Jina, Regent of the Emerald Throne  
Trade: Java, Pagan  
Diplomacy: Nakhon(ea) Thaton(f)  
Pendasha seemed unable to keep Annam at bay, as Phan Rang was successfully raided before imperial troops could react. The king of Siam died and the region join the Khemer as one.

**ASIA**

**The Kingdom of Annam (4.6C)**

Wa-Ren King of Thanglong  
Trade: Nippon Chekiang Java  
Diplomacy: Gouangxi(a) Lingsi(f)  
Wa-Ren sacked Vijaya down to (1p0). He also raided the Khemer lest they forget about him. Diplomacies were general successful and trade was established with Java.

**The Hidden Dragon of Chekiang (8.5C)**

Celestial King Quan-Lee, King of Chekiang  
Trade: Tsung, Tumet, Java, Annam, Nippon  
Diplomacy: Taiping(f) Fujian(ea)  
The Emperor, again choosing the sword over the pen, sent what he thought was overwhelming forces to subdue Kwangtung and Kwangsi. In both actions the Hidden Dragon found themselves to be outnumbered by 50%. Neither action succeeded. On a positive note, diplomatic efforts proved more fruitful. Other actions were equally as fruitful, when in 1151 he received another son.

**The Tsung Tyranny (13.0C)**

Celestial God-King of the Middle Kingdom  
Wu Yaun  
Trade: Hidden Dragon, Tumet  
Diplomacy: Kansu(f)  
Wu Yaun saw moderate success diplomatically. Which is OK if you don't do anything.

**The Tumet Dynasty (8.0C)**

Yo'ul Jai Wong Che, Lord of the Steppe  
Trade: Cheikiang Tsung  
Diplomacy: Shan'si(f)  
Jai Khan granted tributary status to many regions previously pacified. He moved on Honan until his advisors told him it was owned by Chekiang. He

immediately withdrew after beheading all his advisors. He also purchased Hong Kong from Nippon.

**The Empire of Nippon (7.6C)**

Lord Toshiba, Shogun of Nihon  
Amaterasu Incarnate  
Trade: Annam, Hidden Dragon  
Diplomacy: Shikoku(ea) Kagoshima(t)  
Totama(t) Akita(c) Luzon(nt)

The King and Heir obtained several political wives in their diplomatic efforts. Hong Kong was sold to Jai Khan for big bucks. Anshan was convinced to join by at sword point. Everything's fine.

**Polynesia**

**The Island Kingdom of Java (10.0C)**

Rastafarian the Great, Trade Mogul  
Trade: Chekiang, Khemer, Annam  
Diplomacy: Sabah(ea)

Standards of living were raised for all and trade was extended to Annam.

**The Mayori Kingdom of Toowomba (0.4B)**

Ewa Dundee, Lord of the Reef  
Trade: None  
Diplomacy: Taree(f)  
The Aboriginies danced some more.

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**Imperial & Economic Strength ratings for LORDS OF THE EARTH X, 1155AD, TURN 11**  
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| Rank                | Nation                   | ISI  | ESI | Player                      | Phone #              |
|---------------------|--------------------------|------|-----|-----------------------------|----------------------|
| <u>Super Powers</u> |                          |      |     |                             |                      |
| 1                   | Hidden Chekiang Dragon   | 88.5 | 4   | Bret Bruhn                  | 503-623-8823         |
| 2                   | Grand Duchy of Flanders  | 86.1 | 8   | Ronald L. Cash              | 505-293-9782         |
| ③                   | Tsung Tyranny            | 85.6 | 2   | <b>OPEN FOR A PLAYER!!!</b> | 505-296-8818         |
| 4                   | Byzantine Empire         | 78.5 | 7   | Shelley Louie               | 415-849-4478         |
| 5                   | The Khanate of Tumet     | 77.2 | 9   | Chris Wayne                 | 505-877-6646         |
| 6                   | RCC - The Papal States   | 73.0 | 1   | Brion Dafydd Williamson     | 318-442-1175         |
| <u>Major Powers</u> |                          |      |     |                             |                      |
| 7                   | Empire of Quantity       | 66.5 | 18  | Don King                    | 415-686-4654         |
| 8                   | Chalakuaya Kingdom       | 63.0 | 10  | Gary Pogue                  | 818-355-1386         |
| 9                   | Norman Kingdom of Sussex | 60.2 | 5   | Bill Rakowski               | 301-483-9635         |
| 10                  | The Emirate of Isfahan   | 58.0 | 11  | Sean E. Padden              | 412-521-7834         |
| 11                  | Empire of Kuanaj         | 54.8 | 6   | Robert J. Kohn              | 714-787-7781         |
| 12                  | Abbasid Caliphate        | 53.9 | 3   | Thad Plate                  | 602-952-8929         |
| 13                  | Almoravid Emirate        | 53.1 | 13  | Robert W. Barath            | 714-777-9527         |
| 14                  | The Kingdom of Annam     | 52.2 | 20  | Warren Bruhn                | 714-624-2022         |
| 15                  | The Empire of Nippon     | 50.8 | 16  | Ed Huefe                    | 714-624-3551         |
| <u>Minor Powers</u> |                          |      |     |                             |                      |
| 16                  | The Emirate of Mahidia   | 49.2 | 15  | <b>OPEN FOR A PLAYER!!!</b> |                      |
| 17                  | Coptic Kingdom of Y'Isr  | 43.6 | 17  | Paul Wang                   | 617-666-5688         |
| 18                  | Coptic Ethiopia          | 43.6 | 14  | Charles Hickok              | 717-599-5603         |
| 19                  | Realm of Flowing Sands   | 43.3 | 21  | Frisbee                     | None                 |
| 20                  | Hidden Kingdom of Khmer  | 42.6 | 23  | Robert Hanson               | 201-368-9215         |
| 21                  | The Nirritrian Empire    | 42.2 | 19  | Robert White                | 404-426-4041         |
| 22                  | Island Kingdom of Java   | 38.8 | 12  | Robert Keone Kries          | 808-262-6081         |
| 23                  | Varangian Rus            | 37.2 | 22  | Masami Hamasu               | 81-75-591-3062#      |
| 24                  | Kingdom of Poland        | 34.3 | 27  | John Bogan                  | 516-585-9089         |
| 25                  | Kingdom of the Kongo     | 32.7 | 30  | Ted Kaminski                | 213-464-2590         |
| 26                  | Nordik Kingdom of Thaery | 31.4 | 26  | Miljenko Mervic             | 215-783-6187         |
| → 27                | The Kingdom of Hungary   | 31.1 | 32  | Wilson Hsieh                | 617-864-9319         |
| 28                  | Kingdom of Pagan         | 30.3 | 24  | Charles Monson              | 206-522-1779         |
| <u>Upstarts</u>     |                          |      |     |                             |                      |
| 29                  | The Kingdom of Sakalava  | 29.1 | 31  | Steve Cameron               |                      |
| 30                  | The Franconian Kingdom   | 28.9 | 25  | Ed Allen                    | 213-327-8125         |
| 31                  | The Kingdom of Connaught | 28.6 | 29  | Todd St. Pe'                | 713-448-9813 441-243 |
| 32                  | The Empire of Zimbabwe   | 18.4 | 28  | Jeff Billings               | 805-685-4031x104     |
| 33                  | Toowomba Mayori Kingdom  | 13.9 | 33  | <b>OPEN FOR A PLAYER!!!</b> |                      |
| <u>GM</u>           |                          |      |     | David Salter                | 703-644-4618         |