

GEEDUNK PROP DOCUMENTS

THE FUNGI FROM YUGGOTH

LETTERS

These prop documents are designed for use with the adventure "The Fungi from Yuggoth" from the game book, *Curse of Cthulhu* (later reprinted as "Day of the Beast") by Chaosium, Inc. They could, of course be used for other adventures as well.

"THE FUNGI" PAPERS #1

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FUNGI PAPERS #1

Letter written by Paul LeMond to his mother

This unfinished letter is found in a notebook at Paul's apartment in Boston. The letter is printed on "social" stationary and is in English.

Print on buff or cream paper, though any textured paper will do.

FUNGI PAPERS #2

Pair of letters sent from Baron Hauptman to Dr. Cornwallis

These are a series of letter from Baron Hauptman, to Dr. Cornwallis. The letters are written in German and are slipped into their envelopes. Both envelopes are postmarked Klausenburg, Romania.

Print on cream or off-white linen paper.

FUNGI PAPERS #3

The testament of Jan Savechik

This is an old manuscript that is found under the church in Drosovna. It is written in old Romanian.

Print on heavy linen paper and age with tea or other appropriate technique. The edges can be burned slightly, for an added effect, if desired.

FUNGI PAPERS #6

Letter from Hauptman to Katif

This a letter sent from Baron Hauptman, to Katif to alert him to the Investigator's meddling. The letter is written in German.

Print on cream or off-white linen paper.

FUNGI PAPERS #7

Letter from Johnathan Harris to Edward Chandler

This a letter sent from Baron Hauptman, to Katif to alert him to the Investigator's meddling. The letter is written in English on a single piece of "social" stationary.

Print on regular light grey or off-white paper. **Trim** paper to proper size by using the lines as guides.

FUNGI PAPERS #9

Letter from Dr. Dieter to Edward Chandler

This a letter from Dr. Dieter to Edward Chandler, head of NWI, found in the doctor's quarters at his desk. It is discovered along with another letter in English, from Lang Fu, telling the doctor "of meddlers in his town" and the name of the hotel and room number where the investigators are staying.

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Print on ivory or light grey resume paper.

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Dear Aloun,

Sorry to have been so long to write, but I've been very busy with all the bookings that Herb has gotten for me lately. The sessions really take a lot out of me and I haven't been sleeping all that well.

I'm afraid that I'm beginning to experience those same dreams again; the ones I suffered just before my attack of amnesia. It seems to be affecting my personality, I just don't seem to be able to get along with people like I might, and Valma and I have been fighting a lot. I know you don't care much for Valma, Aloun, but she really is a wonderful girl and I know she loves me.

Later,

I just returned from Valma's apartment. I'm afraid we've had another fight. She said she doesn't want to see me again. I told Herb about it and he wants to take me to check me into a hospital. He thinks I need some rest. I don't want to. I must see Valma but I don't know if I can make it . . . the huge ferns wave in the wind outside my window. Beyond those are spired buildings, . . . I don't remember my way. I'm afraid I'll get lost. I must see Valma, but the Beast waits out there . . .



BARON HAUPTMAN
SECTOR DIN KLAUSENBURG - ROUMÂNIA

Dear Dr. Comnănice,

Congratulations on your discovery. All that you have told me indicates that this child is the one. Praise Jhu- Niggurath! The prophecy will be fulfilled!

I am enclosing copies of the linage you requested. This should verify beyond a doubt that the boy is the One. He bears the mark, and the stars are right.

Mail Yop-Sothoth,
Hauptman





BARON HAUPTMAN
SECTOR DIN KLAUSENBURG - ROUMÂNIA

Dear Dr. Corneliu,

Everything is moving according to plan. I should be arriving in America May 27th to take charge of young Master Edward. I hope you have properly prepared the boy for the journey. We must not lose out chances this time. The stars do not promise another birth for over a century and the Brotherhood grows impatient!

I have in contact with the parents and they understand our interest and purpose, expect no interference from that quarter. He is the typical, short-sighted "man of business" and his company is already benefitting from his decision. They will be quite content, I think.

I will bring with me a present, a gift from the Brotherhood for your invaluable services. It is a pair of spectacles I have constructed. I will instruct you in their proper use when I arrive.

Yours faithfully,
Baron Hauptman





, Jan Sarechik, humble priest of the village of Drowosna, in the year of our Lord 1632, do write this testament in regards to the evens surrounding the actions taken by the people of Drowosna against the Baron Hauptman. This testimony differs from the version given to the legates of the Church who were sent to investigate the actions of the villagers, and is the one true version. I am writing this in private, and when finished will seal the document with wax bearing a pagan symbol to guard it against those who would use it to their own purposes, or to signal another who would stand against these forces.

In the year of our Lord, 1627, a book belonging to Baron Hauptman can into my possession. It was a large volume in Greek. Its title shall not be repeated here. Blasphemous things were hinted at in the ramblings of a heathen poet who was supposed to have written the original, and protection against devils and demons were also offered to the reader.

When, in 1628, a young girl of the village was taken by the Baron and later killed and her body thrown from the castle walls, her father, in rage, assailed the door of the castle with his hands and screamed his hate for the Baron. It was then, in full sight of the village, the Baron appeared upon the ramparts above the castle gate and with his evil gaze alone, killed the poor peasant. His body lay at the foot of the castle for two days before anyone dared approach to carry it away.

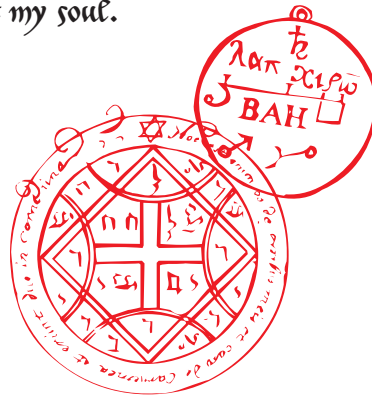
It was then, though I realized I imperiled my soul, I read that accursed volume. What was spoken within those pages shook me to the very heart of my faith, and I still feel as though a cold, dark hand grips my heart. The book told me of monstrous beings who live in another place from us from the notes written in the margins in the Baron's hand, I knew that he worshipped these as gods, in particular, one who dwelt below the castle in a stinking pit. The book also told how to make a sign that these gods would not tolerate and would flee from. Arming the villagers with crucifixes from the church, I led them against the evil Baron.

We broke down the doors and ran through the castle, searching for the Baron. A small group of men found entrance to the catacombs below and bravely entered the dark tunnels. I followed at a distance and heard their cries ahead. I hurried on bearing the pagan symbol and the blasphemous book and rounding the corner, saw a devil, a demon that should not be. I screamed as I watched it devour the villagers, crucifixes still clenched in their hands. With gunshots and torches we forced it back into its stinking hole, and I hammered the pagan symbol onto a great stone, which we used to seal the hole. We did not find the Baron, though his hated servants were slain, and after pulling down one of the great towers, we left the castle to its abandonment.

I never spoke of the things that I saw below the castle. None of the men dared approach the abyss. I fear that I have risked eternal damnation for my actions, but must write them down to at least cleans my mind if not my soul.

Jan Sarechik

Jan Sarechik





BARON HAUPTMAN
SECTOR DIN KLAUSENBURG - ROUMÂNIA

Katip,

A matter of urgency. Several foreigners appeared in Droosna, possibly bearing information regarding our plans. They suspect my involvement. I have reason to believe that they have come across information that will lead them to the site of the tomb. They should be dealt with severely if they try to interfere. I will leave the handling of this matter up to you, but at all costs you must steal or destroy the scrolls found in the tomb should they be discovered.

*Hail Yop, Sothoth,
Hauptman*



NEW WORLD INCORPORATED

-- PROJECT STATUS REPORT --

Dear Sir:

Please be advised that the operation in sector A-48 is ahead of schedule and nearing completion. Dismantling of the operation will begin soon and a reduction of activity at the NWI site will also begin soon. Our allies from Y. appear to be happy with the future arrangements made for them in your plans. I believe that all will go well.

Ia Shub-Niggurath,
J. Harris

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NEW WORLD INCORPORATED

27 CHANDLER PLAZA - OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA

Dear Mr. Chandler,

Once again I am pleased that you have chosen to ask my advice on political matters involving NWI, and am only too happy to respond.

I would first say that continued fueling of bloodshed in China will continue to create a political turmoil much like the one that gripped Russia after the revolution. I would also consider continued funding of anti-British militants in India, but refrain from helping young Congressman Nehru. I do not believe his philosophies mesh well with ours.

I cannot again emphasize how important I feel it is for NWI to continue to support the National Socialist Party in Germany. Their leader's strong beliefs in hereditary superiority indicate a common link with the Brotherhood, and I believe that if the party is informed of the goals of the Brotherhood, it will bend all efforts to see them to fruition.

Respectfully yours,

Dieter

Dr. Dieter