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BASIC DARK DOLLAR ARRANGEMENTS



START



GOOD MORNING



SCHOOL DAY



ALMOST RIGHT



SECOND GEAR



NEW FEELING

IMPORTANT DATES

DOR 300 ? Voltaire activated

DOR 250 ? Declaration of Independence

DOR 123 Debussy wins Prix de Rome

DOR 57 Birth of the Cool

DOR 18 Fall of Berlin Wall

DOR 4 Blackstar merger

TRO 0

TRO 132 Ethra killed in Peoria siege

ACT 3 Mayors' League founded

ACT 3 Duluth-Decatur trade route

ACT 5 Blackstar merger

ACT 9 Wichita connection

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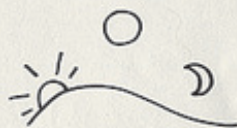
Big Brass Press

Decatur

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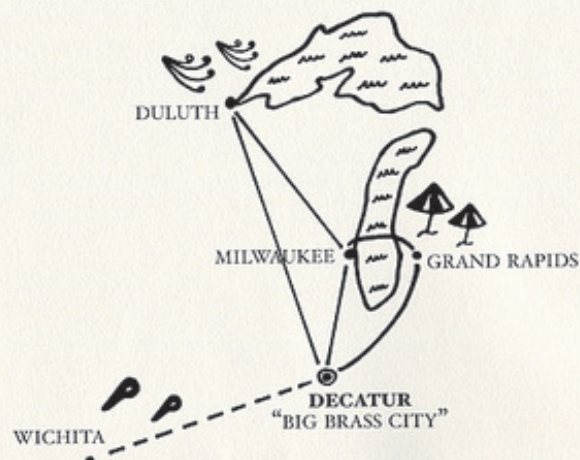
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ACTIVE CITIES



IMPORTANT MATERIALS

1. wood
2. iron
3. plasticite
4. brass
5. reinforced brass
6. flaxwrap
7. brickacite
8. M-brass

INTRODUCTION

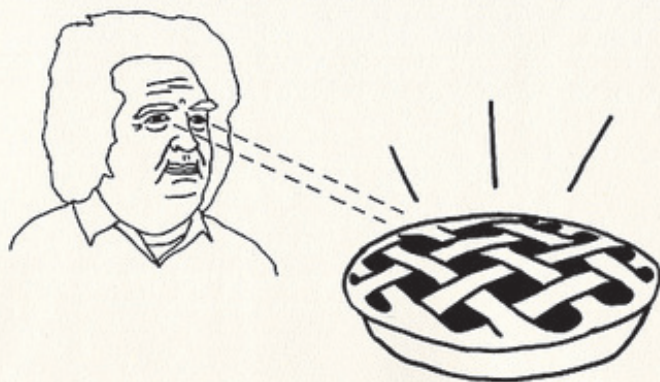
Settlers have always taken risks to get rewards: open land; new animals; adventures and sights. Now *you're* a settler.

No one said it would be easy. But you're already past the hardest part: realizing you deserve a better life. Now comes the second-hardest part: defending yourself from the many Go.D.S.E.E.D. fragments you'll encounter in the desert.

But just think how you'll feel when you step through Milwaukee's East Gate. A new home—a steady job—improving infrastructure—avoiding rebels—not unreasonable taxation—continued Go.D.S.E.E.D. fragment attacks.

So what are you waiting for, settler? We're excited to meet you! Do not enter through the North Gate.

Anna Tate Mellon
MAYOR



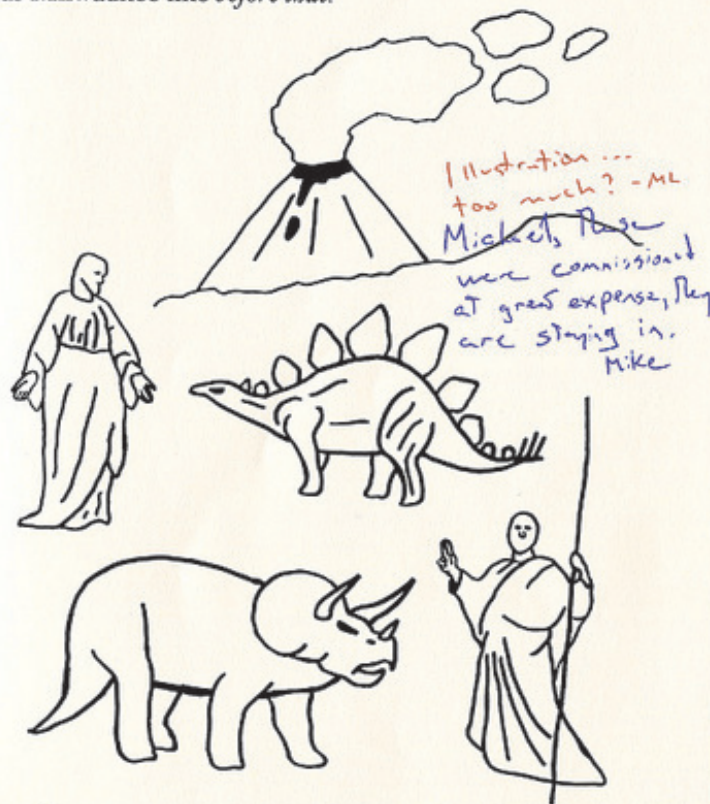
... he turneth to enjoien the sighte of the pye ...

THE WORKER'S TALE

My tale is of a duc, large of stomak and purs;
 That he sholde oonly dyne oon pye was his curce.
 Bitwixen fyshe pye and bee pye his mouthe groue tere,
 Thus hath I, the worker, as his cok been hyred.
 For the bold newe pye, briddes were my chois:
 Hard to catche; their goode meate, moiste.
 My werke constaunt, to cok my oonly wische,
 After a monthe I delyueryd the dish.
 The duces face groue brighte as the skie
 As he turneth to enjoien the sighte of the pye.
 Shoutyng a crye, wilde with glotonye,
 He putte the hool pye insyde his bely.
 From this foule prisoun, the briddes twitter and tweet;
 Now in his stommak, they were what chuck dide eate.

MILWAUKEE: A HISTORY

We all remember The Three Hundred Troubles. And everyone knows the story of Blackstar's arrival. But what was Milwaukee like *before that*?



Dormant-era dinosaurs and man—living in peace?

will never invent a machine that travels under the sea." The Dinosaur Viceroy was given to such statements.

Magnetism also played a rôle. By DOR 200, the use of turbines was well-established. It was a technology man would soon steal—and with the replication of the compass in 180, the playing field was finally level.



An early compass.

INCENTIVES

Moving to Milwaukee is more than just a fun adventure—it's money in the bank. Here's a sampling of what the successful traveler stands to gain, just by relocating:

	MTC	★	FEBRIZZIO'S
ADULT	Gender-specific rebreather	1000 DD	seasonal employment opportunities
TEEN	Teen-specific rebreather, skateboard	250 DD	Teen Dinner Time! coupon booklet
FORMER RESIDENT	'Welcome Back, Pard'ner!' gift basket	5000 DD, 2 years Blackstar housing	Former Resident Pack
FAMILY	2500 DD	(none)	Family Pack
POLYSKILLED	MTC Clearance Card Red	personal luncheon with Terry Nanny	FeBrizzio's Sword of Slaying
POWERCLASS 40+	personal luncheon with Anna Tate Mellon	Blackstar Sword of Slaying	franchising opportunity
SPECIAL	Hyperboard	Big Key <i>why are we allowing FeBrizzio's</i>	FeBrizzio's Airship life-time pass

submarines. So while no one can be sure, it seems certain that man's freedom from the dinosaurs coincided with the advent of the Brass Age.

Which brings us to DORS 27 through 18—the "Me Decade." With the so-called "Ultimate" Warrior's refusal

thorough purification. While you wait, you can fill out your city registration forms. Stay away from unlicensed spas in the outer sectors; you've traveled too far to undergo cleansing in the back room of a parlour.

Feeling right again? Stop by the MTC office one last time before heading back to your housing complex. We'll show you a short slideshow introducing Milwaukee customs and culture. (If you're a teen or are coming from Wichita, ask to see a special video made just for you.) Also, if you are skilled or polyskilled, a registrar will add you to the Blackstar Book.

Now you're a Current Resident!

MIKES,
ARE WE STILL
DOING THIS
LB

Not sure,
Mike's
territory.
-ML

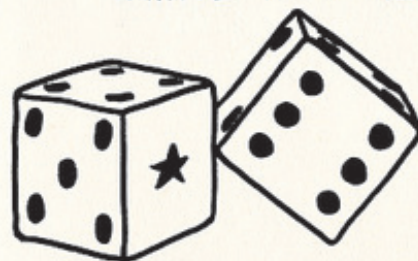
Larose,
ATM disagree with
our Wichita stance
Mike

A NEW PLACE

Current Residents have many unpleasant responsibilities. If you are skilled or polyskilled, you'll wish you'd never been added to the Blackstar Book. But just as we bury Family Trees, we must too keep our dreams underground until the proper time.

Without a doubt, Milwaukee living is marginally less grim than it was during The Troubles. When things get bad, you can always blow off some steam at Antoinette's, the famous Bleecker Street card room ... listen to slow jazz waft in from the piers as you "roll some bones," secure in the knowledge that life may improve.

WHATS THIS MEAN ?



Larose,
See me -
-ML

NEW RESPONSIBILITIES

Let's talk about The Creep. Best-known as the punch line of the joke, "What's the only thing Go.D.S.E.E.D. fragments won't destroy and consume," The Creep demands

widely regarded as an absolutely terrible idea due to the difficulties inherent in re-seating, to say nothing of the sheer level of chthonic energy produced by the rotor coil.

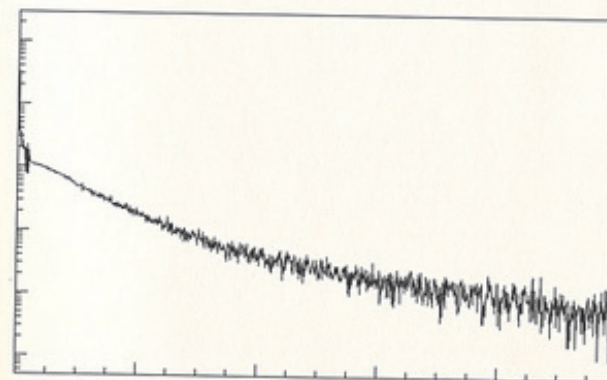
But all of that is lollipops and porkchops compared to the threat of M-collapse. This little-spoken-of contingency becomes a likelihood during superspin commonality of at least 80% of active rotors in the metropolitan area. The data tables tell a tale more grim than mere words dare:

	E_p (GeV)				
	150	226	273	304	324
1000	3	6	9	15	27
2000	3	84	2010	7	124
3000	7	T	A	U	Q
4000	+	I	!	NO	NO
5000	3	■ D	NO?	NO	M

The way into the doleful city.

2 ^H	0 ^{W2}	2 ^K	2 ^{U2}	9 ^L
2 ^E	6 ^R	1 ^O	5 ^{R4}	5 ^S
4 ^{R3}	0 ^U	0 ^{Y2}	1 ^Y	3 ^{E2}
8 ^{R2}	2 ^{E3}	6 ^A	0 ^F	0 ^{O2}
4 ^N	6 ^W	5 ^M	9 ^I	0 ^T
1 ²	N ²	G	T ²	O ³
—	—	—	—	—

Simple ... and direct.



A long walk.

SOLUTIONS?

Enough about problems! Let's hear some plausible solutions to everyday difficulties.

NO MONEY

- ★ Learn a new skill. You can pick up a few extra Dark Dollars outside of Blackstar hours with abilities like BAKING, ARCHERY, and DARK ARCHERY.
- ★ Move to a cheaper, more vulnerable housing complex.
- ★ Sell unneeded weapons and armor.

BAD ROOMMATE

- ★ Create a shared schedule for chores like washing the dishes and cleaning the bathroom.
- ★ Duel your roommate for Dark Dollars or items in the Fight Gallery.
- ★ Arrange for regular "quiet time" hours on week-day evenings.

CONSTANT SENSE OF DREAD

- ★ Think about the Blackstar machinery you work with during the day. Is there any item, however small or insignificant, that could be slightly out of place? Is there any chance you've made a careless oversight that will lead inextricably to catastrophe?

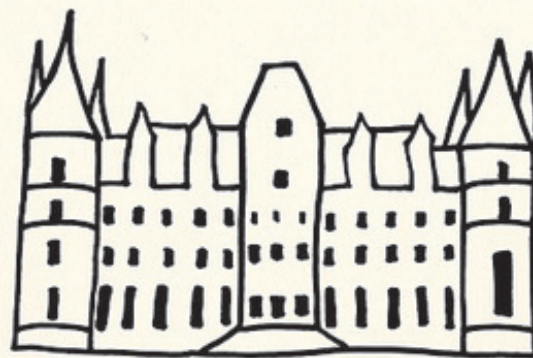
HOLDING ON

Once, while strolling through the outer provinces, Voltaire happened upon a struggling machinist.

"Sir," implored the machinist, "how am I to concentrate on my labours when my château is under constant assault by the banditry?"

Voltaire left promptly without responding.

If only we could all be entities of Voltaire's power-class, unburdened and capable of rapid conveyance. Most of us are more like the château—under assault, largely stationery, and in danger of lasting structural damage.



A typical château.

IF YOU NEED TO LEAVE

Andy? Even hardy settlers from the Dormant era sometimes had to change their plans; maybe their homestead simply ran out of nutritious grubs, or their wagons were unable to ford a treacherous river. Try as we might, the Milwaukee Tourism Commission can't offer everything to everyone. That's why, if you've ever "gotta go," we'll gladly shake your hand, give you a slap on the back, and wish you a full-throated "Happy trails, pard'ner!" provided that you take the following steps:

- ★ Fill out (in quintuplicate) a Standard BG-90 "Happy Trails, Pard'ner!" Voluntary Citizenry/Studentry Evacuation Couplet.
- ★ Jettison all affiliated personnel in the event of a BG-90 Couplet failure.
- ★ Return rented/leased rebreather apparati, including but not limited to the Mark II Blackstar Personal Rebreather, the MX "Big Kid" Juvenile Rebreather, and the "Lil' Missy" Blackstar Rebreather for Her (for Petites and Plus-sizes, please contact Blackstar directly).

All citizens, visitors, tradeswomen, and otherwise uncategorized humanry who fail to complete the compulsory emigration steps will lose, immediately and in perpetuity, and only to be restored by Mayoral pardon, the ability to apply for the 15% Tequila Tuesday discount at participating FeBrizzio's restaurants.

A PARTING THOUGHT

This may seem like the end of the story, settler, but your trail has only just begun.

There's a lot of information in these dusty pages. Like Voltaire sez, "Knowledge is power—so watch your back!" If there is anything in this tome you find confusing or unclear, we urge you to reread it several times, perhaps from a different perspective ... or maybe after a good night's rest?

However you interpret its contents, we hope our booklet will serve as your stalwart companion—and, if necessary, solid fuel—as you make your way to Milwaukee.

Excelsior!

Anna Tate Mellon
MAYOR

MIKES,
WE NEED
TO TALK

Okay. we'll
hold off.
Michael do not
release.

