

The New World News

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New Ingazi

THE EASTERN LANDS

NEW INGAZI EXPEDITIONARY FORCE (1 W/UR)

Gorres, Lord Trouserdale, Admiral of the Ocean Sea, Acting Governor of New Ingazi.

Trade: None

DP: None

The fleet that arrived in the Sea of Tranquility was not half the fleet that set out from Ingazi. In fact, Lord Trouserdale's "Grand Fleet" was down to 115 vessels. They thanked the Dragon Gunwere for her help in negotiating the passage, for without her there would have been far more casualties.

Before the Ingazi had even time to repair their vessels, they were set upon by 50 small warships resembling outriggers, or perhaps catamarands. They attacked without warning.

The Ingazi, however, had learned the lesson of the previous expedition. From the flagship rose the Dragon Gunwere. The enemy immediately turned to

flee. They never stood a chance. Between the Dragon and the fleet, the enemy was soundly defeated with minimal casualties.

The fleet landed in the region designated "Gwakumbi" on the maps and offloaded cavaliers, knights, and a smattering of swordsmen. The Human defenders were light spearmen. Though they fought bravely, the Ingazi crushed them and moved on to their town. The assault was brief, and by sundown Lord Trouserdale was declaring the town of "Saint Ilana" the capital of New Ingazi.

The natives worship the great Dolphin of Urda. The culture appears to be based on tribes or clans, and the new subjects of the Count Palatine of Ingazi seem to think that their kinsman will come and rescue them from their conquerers.

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