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## Springfield Citizens Shake

Lance Hastings

The population of the small city of Springfield were awoken suddenly on Tuesday evening, as their homes were shook by a 6.2 magnitude earthquake. The damage was mostly done to a field outside of the city, leading to a mile long crevasse stretching north to south.

Officials have begun researching, even as emergency crews are sifting through the wreckage and cleaning up the southern side of the town. There is no known cause for the seismic activity, and was no reason to worry about it, as the area is not even known for small, magnitude 2 or lower earthquakes barely noticeable outside of seismographs. There have been no casualties reported from the event.

#### Melting Artwork Ends a Season

Henry Spencer

It appears to be the end of an artwork era. The topical, seasonal artwork that has sprung up all over the city, artwork that was once seemingly immune to the weather as the artists continually performed upkeep, appears to be rinsing from the wall after the recent rains.

The puddles of paint are pooling around the base of the walls, leaving the easels blank and as if the artwork had never appeared. It's unknown what could be causing this artwork to disappear as it is, but there are many people saddened by the loss of the masterpieces.



#### Springfield Suffers a Shakedown



On Tuesday evening, Springfield was rocked by a 6.2-magnitude earthquake, waking many citizens from their homes. Scientists are unsure what could have been the cause of the quake, as the area just south of Springfield is not known for earthquakes of this magnitude. Emergency crews are still sifting through the wreckage, though reports of casualties have not been made as of yet.

## Focus On Internal Affairs Rises

**Fack Sherwood** 

Lucas Patterson, Police Chief of the Metro Nashville Police Department, has released a press release, confirming rumors that there is a rise of Internal Afffairs investigations within the MNPD.

"The rumors are true," he said, pointedly before any questions could be asked about the topic. "Internal Affairs has been tasked with rooting out anonymous reports that there is further corruption within the MNPD."

The Police Chief went on to detail information they were looking for, and public requests for any information that can lead to identifying the corruption.

Rumors have been indicating that there is a group of men, about 5 or 6 in total, that have been witnessed in or around precincts around Nashville. Collaborative reports have shown that they appear to be rotating, lurking around precincts in uniform without appearing to be on duty.

#### Psychic Hunters Under Lawsuit

Owen Sebring

Simone Croft, spokesperson for Psychic Hunters, has begun to emphasize that the false psychics, just looking for fame with news that film crews were coming to town, refrain from making untrue waves.

Filming for the show has been pushed back to mid-February, in time for post-production to allow for a fall release. As this news has come out, even more fake psychics have flocked to the streets, hoping to catch the eye of producers for their 15 minutes of fame.

Shops in the downtown area have filed a joint grievance against the producers and directors of the show, saying that they were well aware of what would be caused by revealing their plans to film in the city.

Croft, who was not named in the grievance, was unavailable for a comment at this time, but a hearing date has been set for Wednesday, January 9<sup>th</sup>, to hear the reports from downtown shopkeepers.

## MUSIC CITY FRENZY - ENRAGED

### STREET RUMORS

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The reports of no casualties are a lie. There are bodies missing and haven't been found.

There is a reason why Psychic Hunters has been pushed back, Simone just isn't talking about it.

The tribal ink actually looks South American, almost ancient. Some tatttoo parlor is gonna get real big soon.

The police are forgetting all about those cat attacks, apparently. Maybe those Asians have something to do with it.

Opening night for The Hobbit has attracted some pretty interesting folks. Lots of people in costume were seen walking the streets of Nashville this weekend, with no end in sight.

Patterson's search into the bodies around LP Field has ended. Seems he learned the truth, or gave up on a useless search.

Scientists are still baffled by the particles found in LP Field, as research has not yet determined if popular belief about what they truly are is real or not.



#### **GAROU RUMORS**

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The Don of the Southeast is coming to town. It's unknown about his purpose for arrival, but it will probably be to meet with the power players of Nashville.

One of the reclusive Stargazers seems to have appeared in the night hours, just after explosive sound from LP field.

A Get of Fenris tribal leader is rumored to be coming to town soon. There is no estimate on the date, but from the sounds of it, it's about something big.

A spirit of chaos and the Void has been destroyed, but signs of her presence are still around.

The paradox snake surrounding the city is all but dead, appearing to be very small and all in gray-scale now.

The umbraquakes that disappeared from the north may not still be occurring, but in their place is now a spiritual void. No spirits of Gaia, no Banes, not even spirits of the Wyld.

Spirits of decay, though oddly not Banes, are plaguing the more seedy parts of town.

> MOON PHASE-NEW



## RECENTLY...

The Unmaker has been taken down, and all is right with the world. Though her appearance resembled nothing that had been seen before, she was able to be taken down by the Sept, saving the city from total destruction.

But with her return to the Garou, what ramifications will it have. Will her destruction bring a beacon of light to the world, or will her return simply plunge Garou society into a new level of turmoil and darkness?

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The venue opens at 3pm, but due to work schedules, the STs are unable to arrive prior to 5pm. Because of this, check-in starts at 5:30 pm, and players can start roleplaying at any time: if you have soft RP scenes, including those finishing up from email, feel free to do so at any time prior to 5:30pm. At 5:30pm, hard RP starts (non-narrative roleplaying).

Look at the new Gift Trees (still a Work in Progress).

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