

REUNISION – RETURNITURE - REUNIFICATION

REPUBLICAN CITIZENS RE-JOIN THE KINGDOM

APRIL 20th 2012

A day for the History Books

The Prime Minister has sent a petition to the Chancery, which has been acted upon, begging that the Crown accept a mass immigration application naming fourteen returning citizens from the recently dissolved Republic of Talossa.

The Secretary of State, today, sent out an email to the Republican applicants requesting them to begin swearing their oaths of citizenship. He also opened a public forum where he will announce each applicant's naturalisation to the Kingdom as he

receives the returned oaths.

Cezembré was the first province to celebrate (being in an earlier time zone than the Kingdom's mainland) as the first of the oaths began coming in. To mark the occasion, Hooligan promised that the first round was on him. Hold him to it!

The SoS is assigning the incoming citizens to the province of *Maritiimi-Maxhestic*, however, they will be moving into the new province of Fiova after final legal kinks are ironed out.

Sir Támoran dal Nava, now the King-

-dom's safest and most cautious driver, released a podcast to mark the occasion:

"I can't say it doesn't hurt to do this because we put a lot of work and a lot of who we are into this beautiful creation we call the Republic of Talossa and it's disappointing to have to say to people that it's no longer valid, That we have to surrender it, you know?"

"It feels good to be back. It feels sad to have to leave, but like any other phase in our lives, like any other chapter in our story, we have to progress or we stagnate and die."

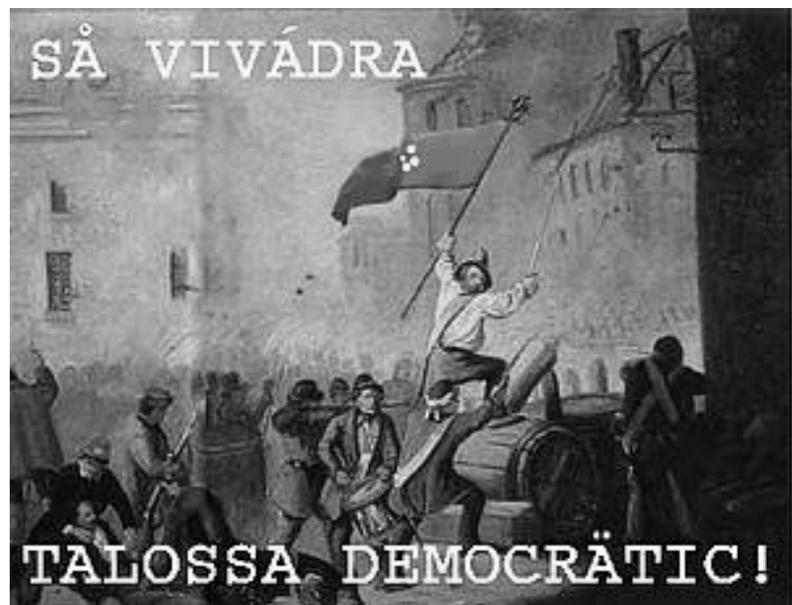
"phhffff, well, we're here, now what?"

Political Round-up

RUMP: Ministry of Culture released a Talossan history tome. New MinStuff and Scribe of Abbavilla appointed. New MinStuff web project announced. Strong in anti-secret ballot position.

CSPP: Launched an attack on government and AWOL Seneschal. Davíu Lundescu and Owen Edwards join party and are assigned 5 seats each, Grischun down to 5 also.

ZRT: Announced that the referendum to dissolve republic has passed. Continue strong in arguments for a secret ballot.



The Republic of Talossa

1 June 2004 – 20 April 2012

April Fool's Celebrations

Bring Nations Closer

April 1 2012 saw Baron Hooligan and Miestrâ Schivâ play a massive joke on both the Republic and the Kingdom in a massive gesture of cross-border friendliness. Baron Hooligan proposed a bill to the Hopper, the Take me to the River Act, which, amongst other things, proposed that King John was to use an instrument of partial abdication to give over sovereignty of the new and eighth province, Fiova, to a second Fiovan monarch. Some confusion followed as opposition leaders raised concerns. Baron Hooligan (RUMP) said to Éovart Grischun (CSPP), *"Your reaction was the best -- the "woah, woah, woah! this was NOT MADE PUBLIC" reaction was EXACTLY what I hoped for. :-)"*

BANISHMENT

The celebrations continued as Istefan Perponest, who cottoned on to the joke from the get-go, accused Miestrâ Schivâ of being ex-King Ben all along and was trying to take over the Kingd-

-om from the back-door. He authored a proposed amendment to the Organic Law which would banish Baron Hooligan and the *"so-called-Miestrâ-Schivâ"* from Talossa.

COMMUNITY

Hooligan and Schivâ came up with the *cumplot* after an idea hatched between them to show that the two Talossas share a similar sense of humour and can *"work together side by side, with smiles on their faces"* - Schivâ.

The idea worked, as after the initial confusion lifted and the joke became apparent, Talossans from both sides were enjoying the celebrations together as had been hoped for.



Jokers: Schivâ and Hooligan

(Editor's note: This article was written prior to the official reunison event.)

Massive boost for Talossan Animal Rights

Talossan Animal Rights received a massive boost on April 3rd as a new bill was Hoppered that would see the official recognition of Talossan-owned animals as Talossan-in-nature.

The bill was authored by Member of the Cosa Grischun (CSPP) who is also founder and leader of the Talossan Animal Protection and Zoological Society, which until now, has lay defunct for several years. In the bill's text, Grischun, paid tribute to his own dog and cat, who are, to him, Talossan -by-nature. The bill mentioned several other Talossan pets, and allows for any Talossan to request a WHEREAS tribute for their pets.

The new law, if passed in May, will see that Talossa officially recognises animals and pets that belong to Talossan citizens as Talossan in some manner too. Grischun argues; *"the personality of these animals both supplement and compliment the character of the owner and vice versa and if the owner is Talossan then it is fair to say the animal is too."*

Wittiquette Serially and Seriously Violated

King John issued a public violation notice to users of Wittenberg and told them to abide by the rules of the forum following serious breaches of the *Wittiquette* guidelines.

SdV is reluctant to reprint a narration of the events, however, we can tell you that several Talossans were rude, abrasive and, on one occasion, near threatening in a two day long saga of bitter in-fighting and attacks. SdV, along with the Crown, urges all Talossans to ensure compliance with *Wittiquette*. Please be nice out there.

Journalism in Talossa Growing Steady

Journalism in Talossa is growing steady according to a new report by the Talossan Press Association.

Stil da Vida returned to regular print last month while the Talossan News Project also made a comeback for a second season. The first episode featured Miestrâ Schivâ. A new outlet, The Talossan Observer, started up and the ZRT also began publishing a new "Weekly Brew" which is aimed at providing non-political material such as beer and science-fiction reviews.

Grischun Swears Fealty to King John

Éovart Grischun, who in recent times has made a career out of being an anti-monarchist, has sworn fealty to King John for the second time. Grischun renounced his oath to the King in May of 2010 adding, at the time, *"I pledge to follow the Organic Law of the Kingdom of Talossa so long as it exists as best as I can so long as it does not conflict with my own moral and ethical conscience."*

The College returned Grischun's Arms to him following his retaking of the oath before the Secretary of State.

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