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## Issue #9 - February 2012

*This was the first “themed” issue, supporting the recently published The Cradle and the Crescent and containing additional files for use by the Storyguide*

- [Under the Rose](#)
- [News from the Line Editor](#)
- [Storyguide’s Handbook: Covenant Building](#) – By Gerald Wylie
- [Companion Piece: William of Aylesbury](#) – By David Agnew
- [From the Journal of Vulcanis Argens](#)
- [Secrets of Arabia and Beyond](#) – By Niall Christie
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- [The Lists of Solomon: Jinn Apocrypha](#) – By Lachlan Hayes
- [Off the Shelf](#) – By Ben McFarland and James Parks
- [Index of Texts Mentioned in Ars Magica 5th](#) – By Ben McFarland and James Parks
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  - [ArM5 Text Index PDF](#)
  - [Sub Rosa Covenant Build Guide PDF](#)

## Issue #10 – June 2012

*Another themed issue, drawing on the “Hermetic Shipwright” chapter of Hermetic Projects and bundled with a Metacreator file. From this issue “News from the Line Editor” changes to just “From the Line Editor”.*

- [Under the Rose](#)
- [From the Line Editor](#)
- [Storyguide’s Handbook: The Dramatic Journey](#) – By Gerald Wylie
- [Designing the Hermetic Shipwright](#) – By Mark Lawford

- From the Journal of Vulcanis Argens
- The Cult of Silvanus – By David Staveley
- The Grand Tribunals
- Stormbreaker – By Guy Leopold
- Twilight Scars – By Ben McFarland
- Mappa Mundi
  - The Hermetic Shipwright Metacreator file

## Issue #11 – December 2012

*This issue's ZIP file is bundled with numerous Metacreator files and Storyguide PDFs.*

- Under the Rose
- From the Line Editor
- Storyguide's Handbook: Outlawry – By Gerald Wylie
- Conception and Pregnancy – By Cameron Weeden & Richard Wiles
- Training Packages for Magi – By Mark Shirley
- From the Journal of Vulcanis Argens
- Building the Hermetic Architect – By Mark Lawford
- Welcome to the Turb – By Ben McFarland
- The Body on the Shore – By Edward Kendrick
- Mappa Mundi
  - Grogs (Falco, Krause, Kroll, Kukenschabe, Lester, Phil Harding)
  - Metacreator, PDF and JPEG files
  - The Hermetic Architect Metacreator files
  - Hermetic Architect PDF
  - Vis Extraction Laboratory Metacreator files
  - Letter to Quaesitor Regis PDF
  - Letter to the Covenant PDF

## Issue #12 – March 2013

*This is the first (and last) issue where the Journal of Vulcanis Argens and Mappa Mundi are attributed to an author each – unsurprisingly these are Mark Lawford and Ben MacFarland respectively.*

- Under the Rose – By Mark Lawford
- From the Line Editor – By David Chart
- Storyguide's Handbook: Chance Encounters – By Gerald Wylie
- The Governance of Kievan Rus – By Elliot Smorodinsky
- Love's Labours Lost – By CJ Romer
- From the Journal of Vulcanis Argens – By Mark Lawford
- Companion Piece: Lazar ben Yosef – By Ben McFarland
- Who Wants to Live Forever? – By Ben McFarland
- Pilgrims of Darkness – By Jérôme Darmont
- Mappa Mundi – By Ben MacFarland

## Issue #13 – March 2013

*This is the famous “Diedne Issue”. Enough said! (although there are several non-Diedne articles)*

- Under the Rose
- From the Line Editor – By David Chart
- Unearthing the Thirteenth House – By Gerald Wylie
- The Slumbering Legacy – By Ben McFarland and James Parks
- Redcap Training Packages – By Lachie Hayes
- The Watchers in Diana’s Sphere – By Tobias Wheeler and Matt Ryan
- The Divisible Men – By Timothy Ferguson
- Díedne the Theurge – By Erik Dahl
- The Journal of Vulcanis Argens
- The Cult of Belenos – By Mark Baker
- A Chthonic Path to Corruption? – By Christian Andersen
- The House We Never Had – By Naomi Rivkis
- The Lost City of Kitezh – By Chad Bowser
- Mappa Mundi
  - The Gaer Hill Letter PDF (CJ Romer)

## Issue #14 - February 2014

- Under the Rose
- From the Line Editor – By David Chart
- The Path Less Travelled – By Gerald Wylie
- Verditius Longevity Devices – By Mark Lawford
- Demography of the Order of Hermes – By Mark Shirley
- The Journal of Vulcan
- An Eternal Love – By Jérôme Darmont
- Mythic Bloodlines – By Ben McFarland
- Three Good Men of Bréifne – By David Agnew
- The First Lineage: The Inventors – By Mark Baker
- Mappa Mundi
  - Argetlamha Character Sheet Insert PDF
  - Eternal Love Character Sheet PDFs (Carelia, Ethaine, Evrard, Gailhard, Martin, Quinault)
  - Three Good Men of Bréifne PDFs and Metacreator files (Eoin the Clothier, Ristead the Butcher, Somhairle the Weaver)

## Issue #15 – September 2014

- Under the Rose
- From the Line Editor – By David Chart
- The Cattle Raid as a Story – By Gerald Wylie
- Covenant Finances: An Alternative – By Mark Shirley
- The Journal of Vulcan
- Rats Magica – By Jason Tondro
- The Second Lineage: Explorers of Time & Space – By Mark Baker
- New Heresies: Fixed Arts – By Xavier Requejo
- The Body in the Bog – By David Agnew

- [Designing the Intangible Assassin](#) – By Pelle Kofod and Christian Rosenkjaer Andersen
- [Mythic Bloodlines](#) – By Ben McFarland
- [Mappa Mundi](#)

## Issue #16 – March 2015

*A themed issue exploring Mythic Europe in different points in time.*

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- [From the Line Editor](#) – By David Chart
- [Britannia, 550 AD](#) – By Tobias Wheeler
- [The Glamorous Swamp](#) – By Pelle Kofod
- [865 AD Voventes Centennales](#) – By Berengar Drexel
- [The Journal of Vulcanis Argens](#)
- [1050 AD: The Order Shaken](#) – By Shane Appel
- [1050 AD: Rest Assured, an Adventure for Mandati](#) – By Shane Appel
- [1050 AD: Strange Alliances](#) – By Berengar Drexel
- [Mythic Weapons](#) – By Vincent Garcia-Gomez
- [The Third Lineage: The Cursed Line](#) – By Mark Baker
- [1470 AD: After the Plague](#) – By Mark Shirley
- [Six Strangers Gather 'Round A Table](#) – By Bob Karcher
- [The Intangible Enchanter](#) – By Pelle Kofod
- [Mappa Mundi](#)

## Issue #17 – October 2015

*An issue supporting the recently published Faith and Flame Provençal Tribunal sourcebook. It's also the last issue to feature the From the Line Editor section penned by David Chart, as this is the last issue published before the Fifth Edition line officially closed.*

- [Under the Rose](#)
- [From the Line Editor](#) – By David Chart
- [Werewolves of Gevaudan](#) – By Ben McFarland
- [Set Piece: The Inn](#) – By Gerald Wylie
- [Flambeau's Cave](#) – By Ben McFarland
- [An Unfinished Tower: Himinis' Legacy](#) – By Ben McFarland
- [An Art Out of Time: Tempus](#) – By Ben McFarland and Matt Ryan
- [Common Magics](#) – By Ray Cochener
- [The Giants of Castlenau](#) – By Ben McFarland
- [The Divine of Provence: A Lost Angel](#) – By Ben McFarland
- [Populating Provençal](#) – By Ben McFarland
- [Spells from the Iron-Bound Tome](#) – By Andrew Breese
- [Ruins, Rumors, & Relationships: Provençal Stories](#) – By Ben McFarland
- [Val Negra: Rising from the Ashes](#) – By Mark Faulkner
  - [IronBoundTomeSpells.zip](#)

## Issue #18 – February 2016

*This issue is themed around a Bestiary of Uncommon Creatures, but also including the Beast-Masters of Hibernia and a ground-up restructuring of the rules for designing mundane animals.*

- Under the Rose
- Tharagavverug Who Becomes Sacnoth – By Timothy Ferguson
- Nasr al-Sagheer – By Pelle Kofod
- Ermelina: The Beggar of Stories – By Berengar Drexel
- Advancing the Intangible Assassin – By Christian R Andersen and Pelle Kofod
- The Rat King – By Philippe Saner
- Parandrus – By Andrew Judd
- The Black Cockeral – By Andrew Judd
- Tuchulcha – By Andrew Judd
- The Devil’s Teeth: An Adventure of the Ghost & the Flame – By Mark D Faulkner
- Seabhag: The Hawk of Achill – By David Agnew
- Saint Attracta’s Creature – By Paula Moore
- The Revolving Beast – By Gerald Wylie
- Belagog – By Robin Bland
- Discovering New Shape and Material Bonuses – By Gerald Wylie
- The Beast Masters of Hibernia – By Jason Tondro
- The Wicker Man – By Robin Bland
- The False Golem – By Robin Bland
- The Shambling Mound – By Robin Bland
- The Spriggan – By Norman Ashby
- Creatures: Natural Animals – By Mark Shirley
- Carpenter Fish – By Guy Leopold
- The Devilfish – By Guy Leopold
- The Giant Seahorse – By Robin Bland
- The Oilliphéist – By Gerald Wylie
- The Shamir – By Norman Ashby
- Mappa Mundi
  - Advancing the Intangible Assassin.zip