Bal-Sagoth, Atlantis Ascendant

"From the journal of Professor Caleb Blackthorne III, continued..."

"10 October: 1893"

The inscriptions on the tablet I discovered seem to be a fragmentary piece of some mysterious, pe

"The Chronicler of Antediluvia:

Long ago, before the Third Great Cataclysm reshaped the face of creation, one nation rose above

This jewel in the azure sea, Atlantis Ascendant!

Pax-antediluvia, Atlantis Ascendant!

Kingdoms rise and empires fall, Atlantis Ascendant!

Pax-antediluvia, Atlantis Ascendant!

"The prophecy... the prophecy! What price may the gods demand?!"

(Ancient) prophecy carved in stone, (countless) aeons past by hands unknown,

Winged fiends scream forth attack, carnage as the sun burns black!

"The Sage Counsel: Doomed... doomed! The end is nigh!

The Host of Z'xulth: Your realm is lost... it shall be devoured by the sea!

The Sage Counsel: The worm comes, riding the ravening oceans... the Outer Darkness disgorges It is foretold... Atlantis shall be destroyed!

The Atlantean Quorum:

Hear the call Atlanteans, proud we stand forever,

Mightiest of warriors, we sail across the sea.

Conquering the ancient world, a legacy eternal,

Raise the arcane sigil high, steel and sorcery!

Blessed with immortality, dreaming spires of majesty, glory crowns our destiny!

The Host of Z'xulth:

Your realm is lost... it shall be devoured by the sea!"

"The Chronicler of Antediluvia:"

And so it was written in the stars, astride the world would stand the children of Atlantis!

And yet disturbingly, another voice, a wholly darker and more malevolent presence, can be perceived