

# The Apocrypha Files: Cheat Sheet

**Initial Cause:** Nuclear war, global temp rise melting ice caps

**Secondary Causes:** Tsunamis, hurricanes, plague, over crowding

**Threats:** Religious cults, mutated humans, starving animals, disease

**Negatively Affected:** 77.1% of the population

## War of the Gods

Started between Russia and Iran, turned into World War IV. It lasted 25 years, ending in the Blast and the Flood.

## Council of Olympus

The Council of Olympus was a war council formed between the Colonies of America, Russia, England, France, China, Japan, India, Germany, Brazil, South Africa, Egypt, and Australia in an attempt to find an end to the war.

## The Blast

On September 2, 2145, twelve countries simultaneously dropped several nuclear bombs into 12 major cities in the Middle East, decimating them. The subsequent flash of light and mushroom cloud could be seen as far away as Greece, Egypt and India.

## The Flood

After the Blast, the spiking temperatures causing the ice caps to melt at an exponential rate, flooding the world in ten days, raising the level of the oceans by 66m, destroying many cities, countries and lives.

## LHT-117

A “miracle drug” produced by Remnistix Pharmaceuticals. Has extreme side effects with multiple or long term usage.

## Yellow Eye

A disease caused by LHT-117 that starts with a yellowing of the eye, building to increased anger and finally to cannibalism and reduced mental capacity. Often infected are referred to as having “seen the light”.

## Supreme Countries

The Western Alliance (Western US, Canada and Mexico), The Colonies of America (Eastern US, Canada and Mexico), The Kingdom of China (China, Japan and all of SE Asia), Siberia-Baltic Federation (Russia, Norway, Sweden and Finland), Free State of Greenland (Greenland), Territórios Nação do Brasil (All of S America), The African Republic (African continent), and Erebasu (UK, France, Italy, Spain, Germany, Luxemburg, and Austria).

## The Desolate and the Annex

The Desolate is what remains of the Middle East, from the Mediterranean to India, from the Indian Ocean to Kazakhstan. The Annex is Australia, where every country sends their diseased people.

## Key Organizations

Circle of Twelve (Religion), The Champions (Merchant), Blackfeet (Religious extremist)

## Recent History

**2165:** Present

**June 2158:** Countries begin sending their diseased and those with Yellow Eye to Australia

**July 18, 2156:** First documented existence of Yellow Eye, colloquially known as “Seeing the light”

**2155:** Creation and distribution of *LHT-117* by Remnistix Pharmaceuticals

**June 2155:** Recovering from the residual effects of the war, Russia rises to power, absorbing the Baltic States under their banner, becoming the Siberian-Baltic Federation

**Feb 2154:** Uganda rises to power, conquering the inhabitable parts of the continent, becoming the African Republic

**June 2153:** S. American countries opened their borders and became the Territórios Nação do Brasil (Commonwealth Territories of Brazil)

**May 2153:** The Colonies of America and the Western Alliance absorb the eastern and western sides of both Canada and Mexico, respectively

**Mar 2152:** Rise of the Kingdom of China, dominating what remained of SE Asia under its banner

**2145-2152:** Times of turmoil and chaos

**Sep 7-17, 2145:** The Flood

**Sep 2, 2145:** The Blast and end of the War of the Gods

**Aug 15, 2145:** The Council of Olympus was formed

**July 4, 2133:** Disagreements on the war have pulled the United States apart, forming the Colonies of America and the Western Alliance

**Oct 23, 2127:** Greenland declares neutrality and retreats from the war

**Jan 24, 2126:** Australia, Japan, and remaining European powers join in the war

**June 12, 2125:** USA, China, Brazil, England, Italy, France, Spain and Germany join in the war

**Jan 11, 2120:** Russia declares war on Iran