

## WANTED:

## Jack Ho Trid - The Terror of Heridoth



Er, where to start really! Jack Ho Trid internationally famous eh? A quick listing is:

- Robbed from the rich to give to Muadra. Generally regarded as a folk hero by the oppressed and poor Muadra of the East coast of Heridoth.

- York offered a 1gc reward for his capture. The picture on the ftp site is actually the wanted poster, which said "Have you seen this thriddle?" underneath it.

- Embarrassment of the Sholian diplomatic team to York, later made to walk the plank by the JarHar pirates. I posted something about this before Christmas. Ho Trid buttock cream "for peachy smooth buttocks" goes on sale.

- Jack Ho Trid placed an advert in the Heridothian Times which featured a large picture of a pair of Y fronts. The advert offered a 1 gem bounty on all official undergarments of Yorkni or Sholian diplomats, to be handed in to the Heridothian Times offices in Koistra.

- Jack made an Enoch Powell style "Rivers of blood" speech in the Simban parliament. He was arguing against allowing the immigration of Thriddle into Simbi on the basis of the subsequent race riots it would cause. He then stood for election to the parliament on a "One thriddle, one vote" policy. Whether any other races got a vote and whether there were any other thriddle was never revealed since he didn't get elected. Also in Pan Tahsia (which includes Simbi) to be eligible for election a woman must have given birth to at least one child, a man must have killed an enemy of the state, and a thriddle must run all the way around the city walls with a flaming beagre tied to its trid nodes. Jack Ho Trid successfully accomplished this task, although doing it in Simbi is a bit of cheat since it is smaller than Meard.

- Jack finally died on the Meard/Korrid border. Korrid had some primitive flying device (hot air balloons kept aloft using Ebba crystals) and Jack Ho Trid tried to shoot one down with his field rams (he had a pair). The lifter sort of "bounced" on him (i.e. it crashed and then took off again). All that was found was his hat and his thombo, Black Bennit. Jack Ho Trid was presumed dead but the body has never been found.

- A statue to Jack Ho Trid was then erected. There was some debate as to the inscription, so it was left blank. One morning there was found to be an inscription around the base, saying "... for tonight you join me in paradise." The very next day the first victims of Blue Thriddle Flu died. The mysterious inscription is now being called "The miracle of St. Jack" and there are calls for Jack to be canonised. The church has made no official comment, but since thriddle are not considered part of the church and Jack showed no religious inclinations while alive, it seems unlikely.