She's Gonna Blow!

Scientists near Rykon believe a volcano is about to erupt! They hire the adventurers to investigate and drop in an alchemical concoction that will simmer the volcano. But, when they get near the volcano, they notice some unusual lab equipment. It looks like... yes, there's a laboratory under the volcano! Somebody is forcing the eruption!

The adventures will first encounter some of the hired thugs in a small camp outside of the volcano complex; during the encounter they can find clues that lead to a man made tunnel system leading into the volcano cone. This tunnel leads to the underground laboratory of Dr. Flavious a rather mad scientist who has taken it upon himself to cleanse what he portrays as the unclean of Rykon. In the tunnel complex the adventures will come across more thugs and the two Hephais Hounds. Finally making their way to the laboratory proper here they will first have to fight Me come who will defend Flavious till death and then finally the quite mad scientist himself who will continue to rant of the unclean of Rykon.

Flavious has invented a device that will increase the lava production of the volcano, this will cause the volcano to erupt and cover the town of Rykon (unless the adventures stop him). A byproduct of his research, Flavious has hit upon a lava resistant bioflux technology that allows himself and his minions to work within the volcano, he calls this HEPHAIS'S EMBRACE. Hephais was the ancient name for the god of fire in Rykon.

Hephais's Embrace

Essence Augment

Cost: 2 AP

Your body builds an extra layer of thermal protections when you come into contact with high heat. The only draw back to this augment starts at Mq III and above; if you come into contact with cool water your skin will immediately turn to stone and crack.

Mq.I - Protection against high heat environments (deserts, badlands etc.)

Mq.II - Protection against open flame.

Mq.III - Protection against burning liquids, acids and lava. Mq.IV - Protection against most thermal elements.

Adversaries & NPCs

Dr. Flavious Felton ... Mad Scientist

The lab assistants

Melcome Thomas Dr. Flavious loyal lab assistant. **Hephais Hounds**.... These are bioflux engineered dogs that Flavious and Melcome have created...see below

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Locations

Town of Rykon, Rykon college of Science and Arts, Small Thug Camp, Tunnel Complex, Laboratory

Experience, Loot, and Items

For defeating Dr. Flavious and his minions the characters will receive 4 Experience. If they search the lab and bodies they can receive 100 princess There is also 50 princes' worth of lab equipment.

Hephais Hound

Large Bioflux AnimalPAR: 1AP: 3HP: 18Wounds: 12Priority: +0Speed: 35 feet, 5 ft climb, 30 ft swimBrute +4, Cunning +0, Dexterity +0, Spirit +0, Sciences +0

Guard

Hide (natural organic armor) Eva: +1 Def: +1 Soak: 4 | 8 | 12 | 16

Attacks

Bite & Claws (2 AP) Acc: +1 Stk: +1 Damage: 6 | 12 | 18 | 24

Spit Lava (2 AP) Acc: +1 Range: 25 feet Damage: 6 | 12 | 18 | 24

Reference

Traits: Amphibious in Lava (Can breath under lava and on land. Swim speed 30 ft), Tough (soak class is 2 levels higher)

Adventure Concept