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we have been summoned for several years to state our social_civic_political_ideologic_sexual_gastronomic position (too), which
peter hügel :griffin's_road_14 supports the members of the kinemaikon group to produce experimental hypermedia objet d'art. we repeatedly failed giving birth to theoretical abortions. salvation was brought by an alcohol stimulated brainstorming that generated the concept SAFARIKON = eastern europe as SAFARI for the cameras of the hunters from the west and then arose the proxim gender IMAGOLOGY and number 13 of intermedia. // de cițiva ani sīntem somați sà ne spunem (şi) punctul de vedere otilia hedeşan: le_grand_voyage_20 social_civic_politic_ideologic_sexual_gastronomic din perspectiva căruia membrii grupului kinemaikon produc lucrări artistice experimentale hypermedia. mereu am ratat, dind naştere la avortoni teoretici. salvarea a depozit museum: muntadas//maitec _ 22 venit in urma unui brainstorming cu alcohol din care s-a nǎscut conceptul SAFARIKON = estul european ca SAFARI pentru camerele vinnâtorilor din vestul occidentului şi aşa a apărut genul proxim numit IMAGOLOGIE şi kinema ikon : demo_in_progress _ 24 numărul 13 al revistei intermedia.

The Frenchman with a blue cap on, riding a bicycle and carrying on its bar a French woman with a red cap on, heading towards a Resistance group's meeting place. The Scotsman wearing too short a kilt by reason of avarice. The Englishman with bowler hat and umbrella, phlegmatically examining the American tourist. The German, just like "ein Mann, ein Wort". The spirit of the Slavs. The cool Northerner. The temperamental Italian. The Balkan, always toying with a gunpowder barrel. The Romanian,

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Many are the clichés perceived by the Other One. They have haunted the collective mind for centuries under various denominations, such as stereotypes, common-places, prejudices, trite expressions or banalities. By repetition, these "ready-made ideas" have become meta-clichés, robot-like portraits of reciprocal perception, characterized by the de-formation/distorsion and the exaggeration of defects as well as by a unilateral perspective, in a word by Alterity $\rightarrow$ A 1 t e r a $t$ i o n

The functioning of these collective stereotypes is researched by a relatively new discipline called IMAGOLOGY claimed in equal parts by the History of Mentalities, the Comparative Literature and by the Ethno-Psychology. The reference studies on this domain are plenty and those who are interested in Imagology are already familiar with t
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herefore, I will give up the diachronically aspect of the theme, restricting its area to the contemporary period, which has known an enormous outburst of the mass-media, especially after the fall of the communist regimes in Central and Eastern Europe. From this point of view I can distinguish two groups of subjects: the former at mass level, imagology's favourite theme, and the latter, at the relatively autonomous level of the opinion makers-

On the first level, several sources of influence may be ascertained: - direct contacts between various ethnic groups whose effect is obviously more relevant in multi-ethnic areas and their neighbourhood than in geographically isolated areas - individual education in family, through school, intensive reading, travel-books, feature movies and $\begin{array}{lcccccccc} & \mathrm{V} & \mathrm{s} & \mathrm{e} & \mathrm{r} & \mathrm{i} & \mathrm{a} & \mathrm{i} & \mathrm{s}\end{array}$ ideological and technological differences.

- the violent influence of the mass-media of the written press, the radio and the television in particular. I say "in particular" because the majority of the television manipulating strategies are distorted and distorting to the receiving subjects, which leads to imagological anamorphoses with a negative effects in thecontextof authentically approaching the

Mutatis mutandis, the inter-ethnical imagology after the fall of the Iron Curtain underdone an unparalleled macrogeographical mutation: Western Europe versus Eastern Europe, to be more specific, "versus" is not quite correct because of the predominant refractary attitude of the West against Eastern Europe, which, slightly mesmerized. can hardly react The causes are too obscure to be fully understood Anyway, after the first year's enthusiasm and the sympathy for the East's "returning" among the democratic European countries the Westerners have understood that this "transfer" could bring about plently of economic, social and especially demographic prejudices. Consequently, mass-media people have indulged themselves into an attitude dictated by massmedia consumers, thus, emphasizing the negative aspects of transition. On the other hand, the Easterners, disconcerted by the destructive effects of five decades of communist regime do not succeed in convincing the European community that they are capable of living up to the economic, social and democratic standards of the West. Hence, the emphasis on the difference in perceiving the "Orientals" as sources of public danger: delinquents, gypsies, beggars and illicit emigrants. These are the new imagological cliches, faced by 150
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i $n \mathrm{~h}$ abitants Finally, the counterpart is softer: the Westerners have forgotten that they sold us to the Soviets, they are arrogant, self-sufficient, indifferent and in general, they do not understand us... Certainly, with some distinction frompeople to people

The solutions for this imagological pseudo-conflict to disappear can be centered upon taking the necessary steps of economic re-establishment which should lead to the growth of life quality at such a level as to convince the Easterners to settle in their own countries for ever. That's the problem! If this problem were solved the restless spirit of the Westerners would find its peace.


- imagology should be taught in school, at all levels of Education. These should be identical textbooks in all the European countries and they need to be designed by specialists of the European council
- mass-media people should become awake of the necessity to produce a quasi-paradigmatic change in approaching the real
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A$s$ for the level of the opinion makers - books, publications, public attitudes etc - which can all influence the population - the state of things is directly paradoxical if not painful. As certain impressive analysts from both "sides" of Europe have remarked, almost all the social, economic, ideological, cultural and political vocabulary is interpreted in various, even contradictory ways. The same term designates a totally different thing for the western intellect and respectively for the eastern one: capitalism, liberalism, communism, socialism, fascism, holocaust, goulag, multicultural, revolution, engaged art. erogenous
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The synthetic and exemplary model is established according to the binominal proportion "right - left" whose interpretation leads to really comic results. Thus, the same content of a concept, historic event, v.i.p., doctrine etc. does not have a unique significance, as it should have, but it has opposite meanings. This communication obstruction of an interpretative level results in anger, from personal arguments to debates within some international symposiums. It is to be remarked, nevertheless, that open minded people, in the East and in the West, are conscious of the bad consequences this "mal de language" can create and they try to implement more and more consistent measures of reconciliation. It shoud be mentioned that intelligentsia - the opinon makers - includes both artists and art critics, but in their case, the conflict of ideas has been less distinct so far. n comparison with the facts stated before, it seems that a really useful role in the diminishing of the imagological perceptions could be rendered by the new system of telematic inter-communication. Moreover, the young people who represent the majority of its users are less influenced by the old clichés.


From the fairly reduced experience of the Kinema Ikon group - producer of hypermedia works on cd-rom support and navigator on the Internet - we conclude for the moment that things are not going as well as we hoped to. Certainly, there are valid general technological reasons like the accessing, sailing and retaking, difficulties due to reduced capacities of server transfer, including the still high financial cost. There is hope that these impediments are going to be solved

What really worries me is the tendency of structuralizing the telematic system in privileged communicative spaces, for those who live in the center and in some accessible spaces for the suburbias. This aspect is evident in the domain we are especially interested in, namely, that of the artistic creation in hypermedia configuration, off or on-line, which comes in conflict with the generous ideas of "cyberspace sans frontieres". In this sense I cannot but have the satisfaction of marking the existence of some specialized centers in the West, of some groups and media personalities, who proposed that their main purpose should be the East-West cultural dialogue by means of new communicative technologies, exhibitions, symposiums and publications. I am thinking about V2_EasUSyndicate from Rotterdam, founded with the aim of "integrating the Central and Eastern electronic arts into an international contact", through web, as well
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Then, the LEAF - Liverpool Eastern European Electronic Arts Forum - which proposed in 97 "the reconsideration of the implications for society/ar/technology from an East-European perspective EastWest borders in cyberspace..." Then, the EMI - Electronic Media Interpretation Department within Bauhaus Institute Dessau, organizer of the OSTranenie forum/exhibition - an expressive language puzzle derived from Sklovski's estrangement/alienation and representing the symbol of East/West estrangement - where from the aim of the forum: "to open the borders towards East through an authentic knowledge, mediated by the electronic arts and the new means of communication". We should underline the contribution of several institutions, itinerant exhibitions like the Manifesta and ISEA - InterSociety of the Electronic Arts (in 98, Liverpool, with the theme "Revolution", where the KI group was present with two hypermedia works on cd-rom support). At the same time we noticed a begennig of interest in what's happening in the Eastern world of the digital - institutions/ımpressive exhibitions like Ars Electronica Linz, Multimediale ZKM Karlsruhe, EMAF Osnabruck, VIPER Lucerne and the exhibitions organized by the Soros Center for Contemporary Art in Europe. Finally the media personalities like Geert Lovink, Andreas Broeckmann, Stephen Kovats, Roy Ascott, Pit Schultz, Robert Adrian, Eric Kluitenberg, Kathy Rae Huffman and the "bi-cultural" representatives like Nina Czegledy (Hu/Can), Bojana Pecic (Yu/D), Calin Dan (Ro/NI) had a very important role. We are obliged to them for the approach they have taken - exhibitions, symposiums, public interventions, theoretical texts in catalogues and specialized publications including those on e-mail (ZKP. Telepolis etc)

Another - already predicted - way is the participation of the Eastern European electronic arts in important international meetings and particularly, in an authentic connection on the Internet, producing common programs, conferences, theoretical debates, on-line exhibits and $n$ et.art $t y p e \quad e x c h a n g e s$

Any type of discrimination could have a negative impact in time from an imagological perspective. Naturally, there are technological and economic differences but there are no differences in what concerns the value of the creative capacity.

Idon't know if $O$. Brachfeld, the man who had first time used the term IMAGOLOGY /Notes sur l'imagologie ethnique, Paris 1961/ considered it as coming from IMAGO, (c.f. G.C. Jung, 1911),-term which in the interpretation of a famous psycho-analysis dictionary is restricted to: "static cliche through which the subject hints at the Other One." or more completely: "unconscious archetype of characters who directs selectively the way in which the subject can perceive the Other One". Anyway, both definitions match well, in the sense that "the Other One" could be the better-half of a divided Ego, a neighbour, an ethnical community or by geographical extentia - the two macro-communities in Europe - West - East through North and South. The advantage of the Telematic System - conversations - MUDs games - fiction - artistic works - creations on the spot - consists in resuscitating the interest in interpersonal and group contacts. The first two aim at the theme of identity - multiplicity, the next two are based on the practice of simulation through visuals and the last two represent a new creative m edium

This "advantage" may be followed by a series of slightly stress causing questions: What is its disadvantage in comparison with the direct contact? What is its disadvantage in comparison with the other media? Is the deformed perception of the "classical" imagological clichés out of question? Can virtual images correct the system of real relationship? Where do we rank the hybrid genres as the installations in the off and on-line hypermedia configuration? If we replace the paradigm of contemplation with the paradigm of interactivity what would we do about "the mass" and its relationship with the creator's "class"?

Apart of the answers have already been stated in reference texts and others are being elaborated, both attempts being often Idevastated by the overwhelming evolution of the digital instruments. In the end, it would be a pity for the system of communication/telematic creation - still in innocent state - to tolerate the infection with old imagological viruses. Another generation and another medium require some other kind of imagology.




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Reflection of an object in conscience, based on impressions and sensations provided by our senses 2. Reproduction of an object with the help of an optic system: plastic representation obtained by drawing, painting, sculpture, etc., reflection of reality by help of words. [Dictionary deffinition] I think this is important because we cannot operate directly on reality - we absolutely need this form of mental representation for understanding the world and in order to generate decisions. Let's take the simplest example - "A man on a plain" - land, horizon and sky.. The little tree in front of us may look taller than the church far-away (the laws of perspective) - there's prior experience telling us it's not true (we know that. ); but whitout prior experience clouds will look like flat clouds up there, although the foamy Cumulus are only 4000 ft . high and the foggy Cyrus 30000 ft . If you dare to do it by night, it will be disastrous - your image will consist of fragments happening now and hundred thousand years ago on distant suns ... (not mentioning details you won't notice because of the dark... To a certain extent this is normal - our senses have their limitations and we must live whit it as it is ... anyway I have to conclude two levels of processing: 1, A physical trim (our eyes can see a limited area we chose); and - focus control in the area of reception; both under subconscious control. 2. - A mental trim (our brain will select interesting items and reject the rest); - prior experience/knowledge refinement; and unfortunately - prejudice This is all under dual subconscious/conscious control. All of this comes from outside - it's an outside-in perception, and now comes the interesting part of it. We all play the prime part in our own plays... so the main character has to be inserted in the scene - this is already an inside-out image-it's ment to be inserted here and then taken out, and showed... This brings in the old dilemma about WHAT WE ARE and WHAT WE WANT TO BE ( or TO LOOK LIKE). Maybe here lies the fascination of the mirror - as a feed-back that brings in the image we send out... In this territory our myths come to life ..


Ware very vulnerable here, and, believe me or not, basically false. do you think the primary purpose of our clothes is protection of our bodies? Try to explain the function of a tye, or compare the shape of a fashionable shoe with the shape of a human foot in an anatomy book.. Try to explain why handy phones ( $200 \$ /$ unit) are largely sold in a country where the average income/capita is $\sim 100$ S...Now comes the video screen image - it's more aggressive than the real one because it produces its own light (the real one just reflects it) and, more than that, it gives you the illusion of reality, although you've just lost your natural instruments of intervention. Trim and focus are not any more in your hands - you are projected in an alpha state, when everything comes in with the power of "I've seen it with my own eyes"... we don't even need special effects to generate this hymera (although largely used...) So, if you put a camcorder in somebody's hand, the result cannot be an objective one... sorry! Sounds (and words) can alone generate images, but, if put in conjunction with image, the results can be spectacular, strengthening or distorting the message. In this medium, written text is ignored unless absolutely needed (e.g. translation), but anyway its message will be ignored More than that, myths and models can be inserted this way into a brain, or you can emotionally take part in the actions of fiction characters .. - the less experienced and educated, the strongest the impact is... You can daily experience products of "masters of illusion" selling life-stile (or images of the self) - once captured by the screen, you become helpless in front of the attack - you want to see the end of the movie, so, waiting for it, messages will penetrate your brain... (unfortunately, even bad add will work). Computer-image comes with all this plus INTERACTION - this brings an unpleasant need of decision (and a necessary beta activity increase) - trim, focus and decision are back in my hands (at a conscious level). Let me believe we have here a SEED OF FUTURE.


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Wandering Book in conformity with the highest ordnance from the high royal administration nr. 21080 this wandering book, enclosing 48 pages, and its good being taken care of, its wandering owner hath to bethink, as well as of the following: the named person is to avoid meaningless, loitering perambulation, and especially begging. to direct his trips only towards places where patrons or masters fromhis craft or guild are to be found, in places where he will not find wark, he mon't stop for mare than 48 haurs without the due authorities' consent, and in each place where he meets patrons or masters from his craft or guild, even if he continues his trip without actually working, the guild chief or his assistant or, where there aren't guilds, a patron or master is to make the following notes in this wandering book: whether he had, or not, the apportunity of finding work and whether, and on what reason, herefused the work offered. without superior permission, the wanderer isn't entitled to leave the K EK K territory, on the contrary, he is obliged to occupate his wandering time with useful work and to obtain from the master he worked for a certificate referring to the time he worked and his conduct, which is to be certified by local authorities, this will be used only by him in any situation. finally assuming a false name, using a wandering book other than his own or falsifying the book, erasing or deleting or any other falsification in the wandering book is considered, according to the ordnance of the high royal administration nr. 2355 to be public fraud and to be punished accordingly by the law.
$\square$ Carte de pribegie _ in conformitate cu preainalta ordonantă din partea inaltei administraţii regale nr. 21080 de aceasta carte de pribegie cuprinzind 48 de paginişi de buna ei păstrare trebuie sa aive grijă proprietarul ei pribeag ca sis urmatoarele acesta trebuie să evite umblatul aiurea, fǎra sens şimai ales cerşitul. saşiorienteze călătoriile doar spre localitaṭ unde se gasesc patronı sau maiş̧tri din breaslă sau din meseria lui, in locurle unde nu gaseşte de lucru sa nu se opreasca maı mult de 48 de ore fâră aprobarea autoritătilor şı in fiecare localitate unde intilneşte patroni sau maiştri din breasla sau meseria sa, chiar dacả continua calảtoria fara a ajunge sa munceasca, şeful breslei sau inlocuitorul sǎu, sau acolo unde nu sînt bresle, un patron sau un maistru sa faca in aceasta carte de pribegle urmátoarele insemnări:

dacảa a avut ocazia sa gaseascả de lucru, sau nu și dacă. şi din ce motiv a refuzat sa primeasca de lucru fara permisiune superioară pribeagul nu poate parăsi teritoriul chezaro-craiesc, din contră el este obligat sa-şi ccupe perioada de pribegie cu muncá utilă și să obł̧ină din partea maistrului la care a lucrat un certificat privitor la timpul cit a lucrat şi la comportamentul său, care sa fie certificat de autoritałile locale, acesta ii va folosi oricind in diferite situații. in sfirşit luarea unui nume fals, folosirea unei cărtil de pribegie alta decit a lui sau falsificarea cărtii, radieri sau tăieri sau orice falsificare în aceasta carte de pribegie se socoteşte conform ordonanţei inaltei administraţil regale cu nr . 2355 a fi inşelătorie publicā şi se pedepseşte conform legii.
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R- Sinicolaul Mic _ on the highway making the transit from Aradul Nou to Sinicolaul Mic. under the railway, waving slowly in front of the Liberty shoemaking factory, becoming then straight again \& cutting the neighborhood in two a car of uncertain provenience makes felt its presence. not so much by the noise of its long-exerted upon engine, as by the to-and-fro movement of the redied coachwork, which, at the slightest movement, makes you think it will go apart, like some fireworks. you'd like it so, but the driver knows his machinery so well that he seems a lion tamer who had seen a lot of things in his time. Anghemacht Frei returns in his native neighborhood before of his leaving for his wandering trip. he stops in front of the house of the illegalist Schmeltzer, where he meets doctors Holovati and Wachter, waiting for the number 10 bus these give him useful advice and their blessing. finding out about Anghemacht Frei's leave, people got out at the gates: aunt Roji, housewife, Edmund Colb, the mill's owner, Ioan Prohaska, financier; Albert Toda, hunter; Anton Finster, butcher; Grunzwei Niky, mason; Walter Schtoltz, Renate's father; Mircea Vedenaş, driver; Constantin Varlam, tv repairman; Charlotte, aunt Mary's, the cookie-maker, niece; mr Petrinjel; loji Ritter, ex classmate; Tiulea Alexandru, teacher, Helmer Baci, shoemaker, Nenea Mihu, dentist; loan Milovan, shearsman; losif Bic, president of the Agricultural Production Cooperative, Elisabeta Furbacher, cleaning woman. Gheorghe Sảbẳu, media theorist; Ghiţă Bănătean, Democratic Party member; Aurel Văcaru, the owner of the brandy alambic, Radu Şıculan, superintendent at Mira, Schmit Baci, great landlord; Sava Strein, Nicolae Adam, Sava Damaschin, choice peasants; Father Suteu _ Francisc Dittiger, the most famous scanarator in Arad prepares Anghemacht Frei for the wandering trip he points out that he obtained a few derogations from several rules he can travel unrestrictedly and, which is more important, he needn't specialize in one direction only. so, he is offered the chance of knowing the most various trends of european craftsmanship thus, on return. Anghemacht Frei will have the unpleasing task of converting his indiscipline into an interdisciplinary

$\square$ Sinicolaul Mic_ pe şoseaua care trece din Aradul Nou in Sínicolaul Mic pe sub linia ferată, şerpuind agale in faţa fabricii de incalţaminte Libertatea, pentru ca apoi să redevină dreaptá, impărțind cartierul in doua, o mașină de provenientă incertă işi face simpită prezenta nu atit prin huruitul motorului mult incercat, cit prin mişcarea de du-te-vino a caroseriei revopsite care la cea mai micả hurducătura te face să crezi că se va imprăștia ca un foc de artificii. ai vrea să fie aşa dar șoferul işicunoaşte atit de bine utilajul incit pare un dresor de lei care a văzut multe la viaţa lui. Anghemacht Frei revine in cartierul său natal inainte de a pleca in pribegie. se opreşte in fata casei ilegalistului Schmeltzer, unde se intilnește cu doctorii Holovati ş̧i Wachter care aşteaptă autobuzul nr.10. aceştia ii dau sfaturi utile și binecuvintarea. aflind de plecarea lui Anghemacht Frei, lumea a ieşit la porti: tanti Roji, casnică; Edmund Colb, proprietarul morii: loan Prohaska, finantist; Albert Toda, vinător; Anton Finster, măcelar; Grünzwei Niky, zidar; Walter Schtoltz, tata Renatei; Mircea Vedenaş, şofer; Constantin Varlam. depanator tv; Charlotte, nepoata lui tanti Mary, prăjiturăreasa, domnul Petrinjel; loji Ritter, fost coleg de clasă; Tiulea Alexandru, profesor: Helmer Baci, pantofar, Nenea Mihu, dentist; loan Milovan, frizer; losif Bíc, preşedinte CAP; Elisabeta Furbacher, femeie de serviciu; Gheorghe Săbảu, teoretician media; Ghiţă Bănăł̧ean, membru PD; Aurel Văcaru, proprietarul cazanului de tuică; Radu Şiculan, administrator la Mira; Schmit Baci, mare proprietar: Sava Strein, Nicolae Adam, Sava Damaschin, tărani de elitẳ; Părintele Şuteu_Francisc Dittiger, cel mai faimos scanarator din Arad, il pregăteşte pe Anghemacht Frei pentru pribegie, îi atrage atenţia câ a reuşit să obţină derogări de la citeva reguli: poate călători fărắ restrictii şi ceea ce este mai important. nu este nevoit să se specializeze intr-o singură meserie. prin urmare i se oferả şansa de a cunoaşte cele mai diverse tendinţe ale meşteşugului european. astfel, la intoarcere, Anghemacht Frei va avea ingrata misiune de a-şi converti indisciplina intr-o capodoperă interdisciplinară. ceea ce nu va fi uşor.

textor hungaricus trade. his textures arouse the interest of the most sophisticated personalities. aspite of all this you can often see an infinite melancholy on the craftsman's face his intimates suspect Erji to be the source of his daze. that's true. but in the subsidiary. the subconscient presence of the magyar madleine just remembers the craftsman of a village near Arad, Szentlani, where once up on a time he listened to an upstiring poem which he wanted to be a piece of his library. the arrival of Anghemacht Frei in Szeged was to shatter this melancholy because in his wanderbuch our youngster kept the poem which he wanted to donate to Isidore Isou, the Pope of the lettrisme. during a routine control of the book, Puskas Vandorlo finds the poem written by Csontos Istvan and dedicated to Csernovits Pal, in the year of 1829. Isidore Isou won't ever know that an important piece of paper is missing from Anghemacht Frei's luggage

$\square$ Seghedin _ Puskas Vandorlo face parte din renumita breasld textor hungaricus. łesảturile sale au stimit interesul celor mai rafinate personalitáti mitteleuropene. cu toate acestea, adeseori pe fata meşterului se poate citi o melancolie infinitả. apropiatii o suspectează pe Erji ca sursă a deconcertării e adevarat, dar in subsidiar. prezenta subconştientảa a madenei maghıare nu face decit să $i$ aducả aminte meşterului de o comună de pe lingă Arad, Szentlani, unde auzise cindva demult un poem răscolitor pe care incâ \$i-t doreşte ca piesa pretioasa a bibliotecii sale. sosirea la Szeged a lui Anghemacht Frei avea sa spulbere aceasta melancolie pentru ca in cartea sa de pribegie tinărul nostru pástra tocmai poemul cu pricina, spre a fidonat la momentul potrivit lui lsidore Isou, papa letrismului. la o verificare de rutină a cărţii, Puskas Vandorlo dă peste poemul scris de Csontos Istvan In cinstea lui Csernovits Pal, in anul 1829. Isidore Isou râmine acelaşi nemdudomn şi nu va afla niciodatả câ in bagajele lui Anghemacht Frei lipseşte o hirtie importanta.


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GGrăz _ though he had in mind to travel only by day. Anghemacht Frei lingered on the road more than he had to, so he entered Graz by dark but what he thought to be the town were just it's purlieus. the citizens he met, though being to exuberant for this geographic region turned out to be very polite. only after he saw them gathered around the fire, Anghemacht Frel understood that he had to deal with a Gypsy tribe these, taking notice of his innocence, invited Anghemacht Freito stay with them and to join the kermis they were to organise next day and if the Gypsy baron would be in good mood he'd take him as an apprentice in pipe-making With regret Anghemacht Frei has to refuse the offer guiding his steps towards Ph Otto, the master vitranus who replaces the broken panes in the windows operating system Anghemacht Freif finds out that Graze is full of surprises for him every evening he skips supper just to listen astonished to Radio Red Egg broadcasting a splendid Random Top Five

we hareby centify that this honest youngster by the name of Anghemachi Frei worked with our commrade crafisman Ph. Olto for 7 weeks_time during which he behaved like a hones! man and he dadicaled a sang to his master _how much is the doggy by the windows this we do sanction with our seal_ First Master of the Guild Z. Wirde _ Second Master D Sache Public notary G Salate


Grat_ deși iși propusese sa calătorească doar ziua, Anghemacht Frei a zăbovit pe drum mai mult decit trebuia şi aşa se face ca a intrat in Grat pe intuneric. dar ceea ce credea el că ar putea fi oraşul nu era decit periferia. iar cetă̧̧̧enii intililiti̧, cu toate că aveau o atitudine prea exuberantă pentru zona geografica in care se aflau s-au arătat foarte politicoş!. de-abia cînd $i$-a văzut adunati î jurul focului, Anghemacht Frei a Inţeles că are de-a face cu o şatră de figani. aceștia. observindu-i inocenţa, i-au propus sa rămină la ei șị să participe a doua zi la o chermeză de-a lor și dacă bulibaşa va fi in toane bune. poate il va lua ca ucenic la facutul burlanelor cu regret, Anghemacht Frei se vede nevoit să refuze tentanta propunere și îşi indreaptǎ paşii spre meșterul vitrarius Ph. Otto, care schimbă geamurile sparte in sistemul de operare windows. Anghemacht Frei constată că in Grat are parte numai de surprize. in fiecare seară sare peste cină ca să poatả asculta siderat postul pirat Radio Red Egg care transmite in eter un Random Top Five de toatả frumusetea.


Monte Carlo _ Merlin Patraque, superintendent, bored of his job, and
of the obligation of being attentive at the new laws which keep appearing
overnight, \& wanting to retire, is waiting for Anghemacht Frei with a brass
band. he nevertheless teaches the youngster facing a long career how to
behave on a talk-show at prime-time he then conjures him to try his luck
at the casino, giving a warning that in such places great fortunes are lost

de obligatia de a fi mereu atent la noile legi care apar peste noapte, dorind
să se retragă la pensie, il aşteapta pe Anghemacht Freı cu fanfara. il
invata totuşi pe tinnarul aflat in faţa unei lungi cariere cum trebuie să se
comporte la un talk show transmis la o ora de maximă audienţă. apoi, il
indeamnă să-şi incerce norocul la casino, prevenindu-l că in astfel de
stabilimente marile averise pierd nu se cişstigà.

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WWien _ it is only after four months of intensive study and work in der Werkstatt fur Herstellung von Fonts fur Statuensockel that Anghemacht Frei succeeds in spending a pleasant evening at the Leopold Hawelka Cafe and admiring the kaiserliche Architektur in the company of the adorable Constantza Okiry in the Prater, to confer a dramatic note to parting. Anghemacht Frei tries a little romance and is groping among words. mentioning the Secession style, Werther, Gargantua. [er konnte nicht wissen daß er Tantza in Prag wiedertreffen solite.] during the next months. Gaspar Wunderlich, a follower of the martial education, is testing the physical capacities of the lower apprentice, making him move statues. in a moment of nebulous insurrection, he wants to know what's the use of such rudeness die bekommene antwort bringt ihn dazu zu verstehen "Beethoven had decided to spend his holidays with us we tuned the piano and sent the employees off only a boy remained, in order to take care of the garden one day, while playing the piano, Beethoven caught the junior eavesdropping. very angry, the master did not play at all during that summer, told my grandfather", sagte Gaspar Wunderlich.
$\square$ Viena _ de-abia după patru luni de studiu intens și muncả sustinută in atelierul de fäcut fonturi pentru soclurile statuilor. Anghemacht Frei reuşeşte sā petreacã o seară plăcută la Cafeneaua Leopold Hawelka și sãa admire arhitectura imperială in compania adorabilei Constantza Okiry in Prater, ca să dea o notă de dramatism despăţ̧̦irii, Anghemacht Frei încearcă să fie romantic şi bijbile printre cuvinte pomenind de stilul Secession, de Werther, de Gargantua [nu avea de unde sā ştie că o va reintilni pe Tantza la Praga.] in lunile urmatoare, Gaspar Wünderlich, adept al unei educații cazone, testează capacităţile fizice ale ucenicului, punindu-l să mute statui. acesta, intr-un moment de vagă răzvrătire vrea să știe la ce bună atita severitate răspunsul primit il face să infeleagă: "Eeethoven hotărise să-şi petreacă vacanţa la noi. am a cordat pianul şi am dat liber angajaţilor a rămas doar un băiȩ̧andru să se ocupe de grădină. intr-o zi, in timp ce cinta la pian. Beethoven l-a surprins pe imberb trăgīnd cu urechea. supărat, maestrul nu a mai cintat delac in acea vara, zise bunicul meu". zise Gaspar Wunderlich

we hereby cerlity that this honest youngster by the name of Anghemacht Frei worked with our commrade ceafisman Gaspar Wunderlich for 32 weeks ime during which he behaved like a honesi man and he moved stalues and learned by heart 27 types of fonis, ralic 8 bold _ inis we da sanction withour seal_ Firsi Master of ine Guid: X. T._ Second Master. O. W_ _ Public nolary Z Y Y


MPrague - Mr. K met, a long time ago, a character who, one morning. found himself changed into a bug. this occurrence made him study the mysterious world of entomology and botanics. he fabricated a performant device, with the help of which he hopes to find an answer to his uncertainties. because his master craftsman in Arad, Francisc Dittiger, the scanarator, has similar interests, Anghemacht Freifeels at his ease and suggests to Mr. K applying a program of collecting data from third-party persons come to town. obviously, Q. Vetta, on visit to the parents of Constantza Okiry, is a notorious example of a third-party.
we hereby centry that this honest youngsier by the name of Anghemacht Frei worked with our commrade craftsman Mr. K for 15 weeks _ time during which he behaved like a honest man and he collected dala from third-party persons _ this we do sanction with our seal _ First Master of the Guild: Zdnek Makara _ Second Master. Balint Vlastinul _Public notary Dusan Moritz

BPraga _ Domnul K a cunoscut cu multi ani in urmă un personaj care intr-a bună dimineaţa s-a trezit metamorfozat in insectă. această intimplare I-a determinat sā cerceteze lumea misterioasă a entomologiei şi a botanicii. şi-a confectionat un aparat performant cu ajutorul căruia sperá sà gảsească răspuns la nedumeririle sale. pentru ca şi meşterul sau din Arad, Francisc Dittiger, scanaratorul, are procupări asemanatoare, Anghemacht Frei se simte in largul lui §il ii sugereaza Domnului K aplicarea unui program de colectare a datelor obł̧inute de la terte persoane sosite in oraş. de bunå seamă, Q. Vetta, aflata in vizita la parintii Constantzei Okiry, este un exemplu notoriu de tertă persoana.

©Londra extenuat de munca la atelierul lui John Cartridge, Anghemacht Frei pleacả la Liverpool in speranta că-I va intilni pe Caius care este programat sǻ prezinte la ISEA'98 Commedia del Multimedia de KI şi Locomotion Piclures de caalin - doua lucrảri hypermedia pe suport codrom - cum ar spune DI. Săbău. spre searå, dupa căutări indelungate, Anghemacht Frei se vede nevoit sâ se intoarcă la Londra, unde meşterul sau il aşteaptâ nerăbdător sa-l impărtaşeascả secretele meseriei de taxidermist. John Cartridge este un perfectionist in domeniu: animalele impăiate de el parcă sint vil. de asemenea John Cartridge este si un revolutionar In domeniu: pregăteşte o expozitie cu taxıuri impaiate. şi acelea parca sint vii. ca sẳ nu fie certat pentru escapada făcuta, Anghemacht Frei ia o figura de om suferind. văzindu-I, John Cartridge zimbeşte la gindul că tînărul din faţa sa poate să semene atit de bine cu Ethelred Nehotăritul după invazia daneză

$\square$ Menton before of owning an astronomic observatory with a view to the sea. Rada Baci used to sell ice cream to the children in Sinicolau Mic. Anghemacht Frei even remembers the threewheeled pushbike Rada Baci was lazily pushing on the streets in the neighbourhood during that epoch, the moments clients were lacking. Rada Baci used to think at Eratosthenes, the Alexandria librarian who measured Earth like a sphere. what if he had been nicknamed Beta. in the end, his calculations proved correct said to himself the ice-cream vendor, with the ambition to have an arrangement of his own the arrangement was found at Menton, after having met William Herrmann he had been abducted by aliens in exchange for the inconveniences, they presented him an inscribed small piece of lead. along several strange signs, there were three, which could be deciphered by anyone reads as an entity results the word man retired in his observatories, applying a secret formula Rada Baci discovered the aesotheric meaning of the message that came from the stars. asking him to share the secret, Anghemacht Frei commits an impolite gesture. but he is excused, because he couldn't possibly know that all this time he was having a conversation to Rada Baci's ghost. and, anyway, it is well-known how moody ghosts are
we hereby certify that this honest youngster by the name of Anghemacht Frei worked wth our commrade craftsman Rada Baci for 15 weeks _ tume during which he behaved like a honesi man and from the revolving earth he is still gazing towards the stars _ this we do sanction with our seal_ First Master of the Guild Nichıta Stảnescu

Second Master Guilornme Aramis_Public notary: Jean-Paul Papin
Menton _ inainte de a avea un observator astronomic cu vedere la mare. Rada Baci a vindut inghefatd copillor din Sinicolaul Mic. Anghemacht Frei inca issi mai aminteşte de carruciorul cu trei roti pe care Rada Baci il impingea alene pe strazile cartierului. in acea epoca, in clipele in care nu avea clienti, Rada Baci se giindea la Eratostene, bibliotecarul din Alexandria, care a masurat pamintul ca pe o sferă. şi ce dacă a fost poreclit Beta. in cele din urma, calculele sale s-au dovedit a fil corecte, işi zicea vinzatorul de ingheţată, ambitionat să aibe un rost al fui. rostul şi l-a aflat la Menton in urma intilnirii cu William Herrmann. acesta fusese rapit de extratereştri. pentru deranjul provocat, alienii $i$-au dăruit o bucătica de plumb inscripfionată. pe lingā mai multe semne ciudate, trei puteau fi descifrate de câtre orice om alfabetizat: luate ca un intreg. dau cuvintul man. reiras in observatorul sâu, aplicind o formula secretă. Rada Baci descopera intelesul esoteric al mesajul venit din stele. cerindu-i sa-i impărtáşască şi lui taina, Anghemacht Frei comite un gest de impolitete. dar este scuzat pentru că nu avea cum sa afle ca el, de fapt. in tot acest timp a făcut conversatie cu fantoma lui Rada Baci. și apoi se ştie cît de capricioase sint fantomele.



OParis _ Anghemacht Frei doesn't visit any more Isidore Isou, because the famous facsimile initally destined to him has remained in Szeged, at Puskas Vandorlo. in exchange, he is received with open arms by the Paris bitmapper. Jacques Dauphin his research upon the zootrope and the magic lantern were coming close to an end he has just opened in the Photoshop the XIIth bitmap necessary to the experiment under hand Anghemacht Frei helps him the best he can this time he is much more inspired. after having met Mitzi Kapture®. one of those days, Mitzi introduces Anghemacht Frei to Limerique Stampilierul from that moment on. the frolics of the three go on uninterruptedly when Limerique gives in to fatigue, this taking place in the middle of the street. all of a sudden comes Mister Miclea who gets my Limerique in a cart and the two of them start home like a flash


CoParis_Anghemacht Freı nu îl mai vizitează pe Isidore Isou pentru că faimosul facsımil care ii era destinat initial, a ramas in we hereby certify that this honesty youngster by Szeged lā Puskas Vandorlo in schimb, este primit cu bratele deschise de bitmapeurul Parisulur. Jacques Dauphin cercetarile the name of Anghemachn Frei worked with our sale asupra zootropului si asupra lanternei magice se apropie de final tocmai are deschis in Photoshop al XII-lea bitmap weeks lime during which he behaved like a necesar experimentului aflat in lucru Anghemacht Frei il ajută după puterile sale. de această dată este mult mai inspirat ca honest man and il a fintsse adronement te urmare a reintitilniri cu Mitzi Kapture®. intruna din zile, Mitziīiface cunoştința lui Anghemacht Freicu Limerique Ştampilierul. din Xileme titmap this we do sanction with our acel moment escapadele celor trei se fin lant cind Limerique este cuprins de oboseală iar acest lucru se petrece in plină strada, Tissu Second Masler basıl Malın Public apare ca din senin Domnul Miclea care mi ti-lurcả intr-un cărucior pe Limerique al meu şi pornesc cei doi in tromba catre casa
nolary Tarragon Typhon

Venice _warned by a gondolier, Anghemacht Frei observes through windowing and ogives the escutcheon of the Vaporettes. then the house in which numerous apprentices became accustomed to a skill which is of great demand all over the world. after a long lasting haggle he paid for the ride so that now in-between him and the venerable Vaporetto Papavero there is nothing but a massive wooden door at the shy ringing of the bell a brisk old lady appears as if she knew of the journeyman's arrival just like she was continuing a discussion, the old lady told Anghemacht Frei that Roberto. Vaporetto's only son, one day signed a four year contract with an A series footballteam. "So, after centuries through which our family gave great navigators and mapdrawers to Venice everything crumbles due to a moment of confusion of a fastidious child" a barytonal voice said from the library, while outside it started raining in plastic buckets.

we hereby certily that this honesl youngster by the name of Anghemacht Frei worked with our commrede crattsman Vaporello Papavero for 5 weeks _ time during which he behaved tike a honesl man and he proved himself adepl el drawing waves _ this we do senction with our seal _ First Masior of the Guild Barcalolo Bea _ Second Masior: Cavo Radar_Public nolary: Moloscaio Glu

QVenetia _ atentionat de gondolier Anghemacht Frel observà mai întiii, printre canaturı §̧ı ogive blazonul cu insemnele Vaporefilor apoi casa în care zeci de invātacei au deprins meşteşugul atît de de căutat in intreaga lume dupa o tirguiala cam lunga. Anghemacht Freı iṣı plateşte drumul iar acum intre el și venerabilul Vaporetto Papavero nu se mai afla decit o poartă din lemn masiv. la sunetul clopotului tras cu sfialá iṣi face apariṭıa o bătrinicǎ vioaie care avea cunoştinţa de sosirea calfei. ca şi cind ar $\pi_{i}$ continuat o discutie mai veche. bătrinica îi spune lui Anghemacht Frei cá Roberto, unicul fiu al lui Vaporetto, a semnat deunăzi un contract pe patru ani cu o echipă de fotbal din Serie A - astfel, dupả secole in care familia noastră a dat Veneţiei navigatori şi cartografi celebri, totul se năruie intr-un moment de rătăcire al unui copil mofturos, se auzio voce baritonala venind dinspre bibliotecă, in vreme ce afară incepe să plouă cu garleata din plastic


EGeneva _ after a spectacular but unhappy entrance in Geneva. Anghemacht Frei's power of concentration is sensibly diminished understanding the temporary inconveniences of the apprentice, Scharlezip Elvet, chronometeur-en-scene, imposes some easier work upon him which work, if well done, yields invaluable results thus, as in a dream, Anghemacht Frei changes the clocks' setup, on the occasion of passing to the official summer hour


QGeneva _ după o intrare spectaculoasă dar nefericită in Geneva, puterea de concentrare a lui Anghemacht Frei este mai redusă intelegind inconvenientul pasager al calfei. Scharlezip Elvet, chronometeur-en-scene il pune la un travaliu mai uşor, care, daca este bine facut dả rezultate de neprefuit. astfel, ca in vis, Anghemacht Frei schimba setarile ceasurilor cu prilejul trecerii la orarul de vara.

Koblenz _ during the first part of his sojourn in Koblenz, Anghemacht Frei was convinced that in this places people lean over a table without doing anything. after adjusting his glance's zoom and following the acid observations of the master. Anghemacht Frei acknowledged his ignorance in this town every work is done meticulous and the detail is given the right importance. so the workshop of Bayer Zimmer rather seems to be a livingroom. just the liftle pixel-cleaning-machine (apparatus sau device), put on the gueridon, confirms the indisputable fame of the craftsman the patenting of the machine also brought him the well deserved title of a cyberpomp. duning the second part of his sojoum Anghemacht Frei became a native. bend over a table, meticulously cleaning the pixel-cleaning-machine

KKoblenz _ in prima parte a sederii sale in
Koblenz, Anghemacht Frei a fost convins cà oamenii din partea loculuistau aplecaţi la cite o masả şı nu fac nimic abia dupa ce şı-a mai reglat zumul privirii şi la acidele observaṭii ale meşteruluï Anghemacht Frei işi recunoscu ignoranta in acest oras toate muncile se fac cu migala iar amanuntului i se acordă importanta cuvenita. de aceea atelierul lui Bayer Zimmer aduce mai degraba a camerả de zi. doar micul aparat de curatat pixeli, aşezat pe un gheridon confirmả faima de necontestat a meşterului brevetarea aparatului 1-a adus şı binemeritatul titlu de cyberpomp. in a doua parte a şederii sale in

Koblenz, Anghemacht Frei a devenit un om din partea locului, aplecat la o masă, curặ̆nd cu migalả şi aplicaţie aparatul de curăłat pixeli.

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which he behaved like a honest man and he cleaned a prel-cleaning-
machine _this we do sanction with our seal_ First Master of the Guild Helmu:

Hack_Second Master Blau Fuchs _ Publicnotary Tischler Johan


DLuxembourg_though awaited by master Em Boss, Anghemacht Frei still strolls along the streets fascinated by the hubbub coming through from the north side of the town. in the end, arriving at the scene of the fuzz he finds out that an ostrich-cart-race was to be put up the loudspeakers announce the name of the three athletes. Popesquieu, Cantemiri Cine and Ostrich Himself but stupor Cantemiri Cine left for you wonder where in order not to compromise this year's race too, another jockey was looked for from the crowd of dupes, at a glance, they chose precisely ... as he passed the finish line Anghemacht Frei realised that he already got out of Luxembourg and as the longer way is the way back, assuming the risk of vexing a honest craftsman and of remaining with his wanderbook uncompleted, he continued his ride covered with the glory of a surprising victory in the ostrich-cartrace.
® Luxemburg_deşieste aşteptat de cảtre meşlerul Em Boss, Anghemacht Frei inca mai flaneazå pe străzi furat de rumoarea care razbate dinspre partea de nord a oraşului. ajuns in cele din urmă la faţa rumorii, află cà se pune la cale o cursă de atelaje trase de struṭi. la megafon sint anunţati cei trei atleţi: Popesquieu, Cantemiri Cine şi Struł̧ul Insuşi. dar stupoare. Cantemiri Cine a plecat te miri unde. pentru a nu fi ratată cursa şi anul acesta, se caută un alt jocheu. din mulł̧imea de gură cască este ales la repezeală tocmai... trecînd linia de sosire, Anghemacht Frei constată că ieşise din Luxemburg şi cum mai lung e drumul la intors, cu riscul de a supåra un meşter cinstit şi de a rămîne cu cartea de pribegie necompletatả, pleacå mai departe, încununat cu laurii unel victorii surprinzătoare la cursa de atelaje trase de struţi.


_on his returning into the country, Anghemacht Frel is hurrying to announce his master, Francisc Dittiger, that he is ready to pass his final examination, which will allow him to open a workshop with acme apparel and, for the beginning, an apprentice. the master warns Anghemacht Frei that the examination consists of three $\square_{\text {a dinner for the entire }}$ commission, _achieving a masterpiece susceptıble of bringıng fresh air in the field, $\square$ _and, last but not least, to marry his beloved one. Anghemacht Frei's answers: Foneing a natural born cook, it wasn't difficult for him to prepare a menu based on beef, veal and pork the masterpiece comprises two panels _a short digital reconstruction of his trip; _a popcorn rations making device for the happy endings of american films. with a voice submerged by emotion, Constantza Okiry accepted to tie forever her destiny to our youth's the young couple will go for honeymoon at Debelagora. but this is another story. another cd-rom _reintors in patrie. Anghemacht Frei se grăbeşte sa-l anunţe pe meşterul sǎu, Francisc Dittiger, cà este gata sā treaca şi ultimul examen, care odată luat ii va permite să-şi deschidă un atelier dotat cu aparatură
de ultimă oră şi pentru inceput, un ucenic. meşterul il previne pe

Anghemacht Frei ca examenul cuprinde trel probe: _o masǎ pentru
intreaga comise; realizarea unei capodopere care sa aducă un suflu
nou in domeniu; $\square_{\text {_și }}$ nu in ultimul rind sa se insoare cu aleasa inimii.
răspunsurile lui Anghemacht Fre: D_find un bucatar innäscut, nu i-a
fost greu să pregătească un meniu pe bază de came de vită, viţel şi porc.

B_capodopera cuprinde două paneluri: _o scurtă reconstituire digitală a
călătoriei sale: _un aparat de pregătit portiile de popcorn pentru finalurile
fericite ale filmelor americane. ©_cu emoţie in glas, Constantza Okiry a acceptat sả-şi lege destinul, for ever, de cel al tinărului nostru. tinerii
căsătoriţi îşi vor petrece luna de miere la Debelagora. dar aceasta este o
altă poveste, un alt cd-rom._

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our Beloved Lord and Master dragul nostru Damn Meşter

## Francisca Dittiger

and by consequence of achieving of the masterpiece entitled si ca umare a realizarrii capodoperei cu titlul:
a device for preparing popcorn rations for the happy endings of american films, un aparat de pregătit portiile de popcorn pentru finalurile fericite ale filmelor american we declare him a master,
il declarăm meşter
observing that all along his apprenticeship and, also, all along his wandering trip, according to the constatind ca de-a lungul uceniciei și de asemenea in timpul pribegiei

which enjoys us and thus we apply the great seal of our honorable guild. dea ce ne bucurà si ca tare aplicdam marele sigiliu al breslei noastre
the superior master of the honorable guild of scanarators:
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## Toomnail Pop

the members of the masterpiece's accrediting commission: membrii comisiei de acreditare a capodoperei:

Anton Finster; John Cartridge; Edmund Kalb.





The road system was meant to be used for the rapid movement of troops, for supplying the great cities (Rome in the first place) with all the necessary goods, for business travelling and tourism (including all of today's genres) There were maps and traveller's guides. As to start a journey officially you had to get a kind of freepass and a ticket for the luggage including a list with all the personal objects. The ticket specified the itinerary to follow, reserved you a seat in a vehicle, bed and breakfast in the resting places (mansiones) Tickets could be issued, for a period from one to five years, by highranked officials If you wanted to travel on your own you were free to do so but you had to assume all the risks.
For several years an important discussion is going on amongst historians and archaeologists on the roads through the barbaricum, linking the roman world to it's less civilised neighbours. A special interest belongs to the roads between the provinces Pannonia and Dacia through the sarmatian territory.
Ancient sources such as Ptolemy, the Tabula Peutingeriana and the Itineranum Romanum written by a anonymous, Christian geographer from Ravenna mention some of the most important roads and stations of the Empire and the neighbouring regions. The geographer from Ravenna enumerates the stations of a road that modern historians and archaeologists locate between Aquincum (Pannonia) and the river Dnjestr (on the territory of today's R. Moldavia);

Comparing the three sources we found out that the guide from Ravenna refers in fact to a road linking Pannonia to Dacia The geographer always enumerates the stations in the strict order as you pass them on a shoestring. So he mentions. Phira, Tirepsum, Iscina, Capora, Alincum, Ermerium, Urgum, Sturum, Congri, Porolissum and Cersiae. It is obvious that the road enters Dacia from the Northwest as the last two stations show it. These are also the only ones that could be exactly localised on a modern map. The other 9 stations stay with their mystery. At a closer look one can recognise that Alincum is in fact Aquincum and Capora is Carpis, both also marked by Ptolemy The stations between Capora (Carpis) and Porolissum must be in the territory of the Sarmatian, Germanic and Dacian tribes located between northern Dacia and Pannonia. The names seem to be of Germanic and Dacian origin. So the anonymous geographer describes what we might call "The Northern Road", perhaps the one that comes from the hyperboreans.
There always was confusing image of the northern world amongst Greek and Romans. To the north they placed the griffin who guarded the gold of the hyperboreans. It is the region where from Apollo came, as well as Hiperohe, Laodike, Arge, Opis and Abaris with his strange arrow. This mysterious mixture of strange fright and obvious admiration must have been in Trajan's mind also as he conquered Dacia making, as Mommsen put it, "one of the greatest mistakes of roman foreign policy". But that's an other story.

## Some literature

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But there is no Morondava on the Ptolemy-based map (see background), nor in other ancient literary, historic or geographic sources. None of the modern historians mentions it. She started writing a shocking article about her new discovery but in the end it turned out to be rationally impossible finding a connection between her Morondava - a seaport in Madagascar (Webster 1995, p 931 sv) - and Dacia. Somehow confused we keep asking ourselves, who's wrong ? Ptolemy? The Webster? Historians? The Dacians ? Or maybe the Madagascarians? (Based on Delia Hugel's idea)


On one hand the hand, on the other a
woman's body. On which the former
inscribes letters assembling
themselves into lines, then into
poems. Dedicated to the very parts of
the body on which they are inscribed.

Exploring the body: hand's gesture,
prolonged by the writing instrument.

The erotic gesture on one hand, the

symbolic one - writing - on the other. To
use skin as a means: nature traded for
culture, skin for parchment, for
papyrus, for paper.




Which, actually, isn't a such alteration of the initial objective, but only a


Because we are talking about reading, about reading on a physical/corporal level, interpreted symbolically, in the first case, about reading on the level of a cultural intertext (arrived at anyway), in the case of the second choice.

Which sends us to the disturbing question whether there are thoughts not thought before, whether it is compulsory to use ready-made stuff for expressing. nevertheless, our spontaneity.

Does it matter the uniqueness of the initial body? Or it is about, for the Other, that in front of the screen, just another possibility of phantasmal identification? Where he can project any body ever met, even an imaginary one, even one lived as an artistic reminiscence. A space for exploring the memory and the subconscious. A possible consolation for not being able of really being together with the Other.

And (in order to avoid some possible feminist objections): body isn't seen here as a sexual object. Only from an unavoidable (male) perspective. For the complementary one, a feminine approachoguldbeneedear Any attempt is welcome.

Stânga
E calea nătângà Cu bivoli arată, Cu spini semănată

## La Gauche

C'est la voie maladroite, a l'aide des buffles labouree, et d'épines parsemée

Eun drum
care nu duce nicǎieri.
Aici e spatiul sufletelor
sinucigaşilor și al strigoilor.
C'est un chemin qui va nulle part. C'est l'espace des revenants

## Dreapta

E calea cea dreaptă
Cu cai albi arată,
Cu grâu semănată,
Sunt tot mese-ntinse
Cu făclii aprinse

## La Droite

C'est la voie adroite,
à l'aide deblancs chevaux labouree, semée de blé.
Partout des festins
et des torches scintillants.

et des âmes des suicidés.

Bradul Le sapin
cu varvurile pe cer şi cu poale jos, pe märi...

E drumul dificil către lumea de dincolo, cātre lumea celor multi. Pe aici trec morții buni, "dalbii de pripegi".
C'est le chemin difficile vers
le monde d'au-delà vers le monde des ancètres
C'est le chemin des bons défunts, "des bons errants"
-Brade, brade, Sä-mi fii frate! Întinde-ți, întinde,

Ramurile tele
Să trec peste ele Marea-n ceea parte!
-O, sapin, 0 , sapin! Sois mon frère dans mon destin! Allonge tes branches, tes rameaux, Au-dessus de toutes ces eaux Pourque je passe sur l'autre rivage.

Cocoşii cântarà, Zori se revărsară, Toți mi se sculara, Numai dumneata Nu te poți scula.
la calea soarelui, Entame la voie du soleil că soarele-i ducaltor, Car le soleil s'en va, s'en va, Tnapoi ne-ntorcator; ne revient jamais sur ses pas.
Apa este ducătoare, L'eau voyage, s'en va touhours, Inapoi Intorcătoare Mais toujours est de retour

Să îti pregăteşti Tu dois préparer 9 care cu påine, 9 chars de pain 9 buti de vin 9 chars de vin Şi-o văcuţă grasă, Et un ebelle genise Să-ți fie de masal Qui te nourisse.

Les coqs chanterrent Les aubes se leverent Tous se reveillerent Seulement toi, aime, Ne puis te lever.

Lumea noastră:
cu soare, cu mila, cu bucurii și supărări... - lume ALBÅ dar TRECÃTOARE

Notre monde:
le monde du soleil, du désir, de la pitiè, du bonheur, des ennuis... un monde BLANC mais PASSAGER

Lupul ştie potecile şi pädurile Vidra: știe apele
Şoimul: ştie cerurile


Sā nu te späimànți,
Le loup connaît les sentiers et les forèts
La loutre: connaìt les eaux. L'aigle. connaît les cieux.


Ne t'effarouche pas, Cherche bons freres et va!


E-o lina fantană; Sufletul ca bea Si el lumea o uita

C'est une douce fontaine; L'âme s'en abreuva, Le monde elle oublia.

Frați buni să îi prinzi!

Sàntā Märie
Şede şi scrie İntr-o carte pe cei vii, in cealaltä pe cei morți.

La Vierge Marie
Est assie et écrit D'un cotté les vivants De l'autre les morts.

Lumea de dincolo: fară soare, färä dor, făra milă; este lumea "celor multi"; o lume NEAGRÄ și VESNICA'

Le monde d'au-delà: sans soleil, sans désir, sans pitié; c'est le monde des ancétres; un monde NOIR et ETERNEL.

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The Games (Atlanta. 96)
The Transmission (TV)
The Internet Projed (Kassel, 97)
The Bank (New York, 98)
The Audience (Rotterdam, 98)
The Monuments (Budapest. 98)
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these works, Muntadas has analyzed power relations and exposed
their underlying value systems. //S. L.//excerpt from documentax 97 shortgundet

A color can be a code. an identification, a choise. . Implications can be
aesthetic, but also more complex, related to meaning and decoding.
political, commercial, advertising.. A colour's interpretation,
transcription and consistence reproduction also depends on other values: technological, economical etc.//from Muntada's project notes/


It is very interesting to notice that from a chromatic point of view, blue prevails in the Romanian public space. The "deepest" of all colours - your eyes can wander freely through its vastness; that is why there is a Romanian expression un albastru infinit - "an endless blue", which you may come across in the title of one of the songs performed by a famous Romanian pop singer - , blue can be seen in the most unexpected context: on the national flag - apparently evoking Romanian rivers -in most of the companies' logos, in the newspapers' headlines, on book covers, on the murals of the Voronet Monastery, on door plates and signs, on electoral posters (blue backgrounds), in pupils', policemen's, gendarmes' and airmen's uniforms. The telephone booths are painted blue. The phones themselves and the garbage bins are of the same colour[ . ] Kandinsky wrote once that blue is a colour which has a sooting effect on the viewers, but compared to green, it is not as vigorous, encouraging a certain escape from reality. That is why it gives depressions in the long run. Therefore, can one speak about a "blue syndrome" in the case of the Romanians? //excerpt from catalogue / Mihai Grecea/

A Dialogue Between Muntadas and Susan Snodgrass Susan Snodgrass: What is the correlation between the Hungarian and Romanian versions of the On Translation project? // Muntadas: Later working on the series On Translation, I decided to develop part of the project in Budapest, Hungary, and part in Arad, Romania, and to call them On Translation: The Monuments and Media Sites $/$ Media Monuments: Budapest, and one to the Romanian context. On Translation: The Colori...] The process in both was very different. In Budapest, I started to focus very consciously on information, dialogue and the past/present relationship. Confacts and previous meetings with Hungarians were an important determinant factor for the possibility to develop this project. The Romanian project was a direct and perceptual reaction to an unknown environment. In the project I started out as a flåneur. The color blue emerged as a persistent (obsessivel) translation filter as code. The result will be a photo publication as a question/testimony of this personal/public evidence. //excerpt from catalogue The Monuments/



In noaptea de 24 spre 25

Decembrie 1989 in confruntarea
armată din timpul revoluţiei arde
atelierul din strada Pangratti, 31 cu
tot ce era adunat şi realizat în el.

Aproximativ 70 de sculpturi in lemn
si bronz, biblioteca, utilajele,
instrumentele, documentele.
"Asemeni genialului såu predecesor Brāncuşi, cảruia ii este cel mai puternic urmaş spiritual. Ovidiu Maitec regaseşte această dublă inspiraţie, terestrả şi aeriană, prin care omul veacului 20 reia simbalismul arhaic ce insufleţeşte marile mituri cosmogonice. Ceea ce it apropie pe aceşti doi sculptori este dinamica imaginaţie, care luànd în stāpảnire massa de materie inzestrată cu forme arhetipale şı misterioase, o smulge gravităţii, ancorånd-o totodatả in pământ."

## Mircea Eliade

"Prin selectie, prin dispunerea in spaţiu şi prin indicaţiile de lectură este pusă in valoare latura austeră, gravă și melancolică a unui univers, în plină expansiune. Optiunea pentru forma inchisă, pentru materia compactă, pentru sensul ascensional care mai pāstrează incā legătura cu pamantul este şi dovada implicită a unei autoevaluări morale. Şi, din acest punct de vedere, Maitec opereazá o separaţie in propria sa lume, apasand cu precădere pe una dintre componentele sale Mari voleuri care se desfaceau in spaţiu, captănd, in aceeaşi māsură, prin golurile lor, aerul şi lumina, au fost lăsate undeva in urmă, lacul lor fiind acum ocupat de formele pline, cu suprafaţa abia accidentată. Aceastẳ selectie exprimă, inainte de toate, starea de spirit pe care artistul o incearcă acum. Şi in aceasta mutaṭie a interesului poate fi uşor descifrată asumarea tacita a unei noi vârste. Exuberanţa convertitǎ in reculegere, temperarea zborului pentru a face loc meditatieĭ, abandonul dialogului cu exteriorul pentru a lăsa suficient spał̧iu interogaṭiei sunt semnele peremptorii ale unei gândiri care şi-a precizat termenil. Şl a carei miză este, cu precădere, accesul la teritoriul sigur al arhetipalului." Pavel Şuşara




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