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What Has Gone Before . . .

In the past few years, the population of Riverton and the lands surrounding has lessened. People have been fleeing by the hundreds from rising taxes imposed by Duke Worlan of Riverton, and the taxes continue to rise as there become less people to pay them.

In an attempt to end this cycle and stabilize the economy, Rulian V, King of Irvanshire, recently issued a general request to the people of his kingdom. He asked that the lands in and around Riverton be repopulated. He has offered to fill the tax deficit with his personal funds, and he promises to excuse anyone from taxes for one year who relocates to the area around Riverton. Later this year, ambassadors from every kingdom in Aszuron are scheduled to hold council in Riverton, and King Rulian V wants to make sure the area is stable economically, militarily, and socially for their arrival.

Among the abandoned towns is one just fifteen miles northeast of Riverton called Hanisville. A well-respected nobleman named Vorkarian has paid for its repairs within the past few months, and Hanisville is now ready for repopulation (but by whom?).

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