

A CRAFT OF MINE

Thomas Stone, one of the developers at Mojang Studios, famous for videogame titles such as Minecraft, disappeared two days ago. His nephew, saddened by his uncle's disappearance, decides to play some Minecraft himself only to enter a mysterious server left on Local and witness the truth about his uncle.

+1000CP

[Origin]

Choose your Gender freely.

Curious Relative(1d4+14 for Age): Your uncle, an employee from Mojang Studios, the company that develops Minecraft; has disappeared with no seeming reason. Sad for your uncle, you go to your room to play that same game, still unknowing of the answers you would be getting.

Disgruntled Developer(1d10+20 for Age): While you'll admit that your coworkers up at the studio are doing well in adding content into the game, they don't understand the core point of the game itself. It looks like if you want something done right, you have to do it yourself.

[Perks]

50% Discount for chosen Origin. 100cp Discounts are free.

[Curious Relative]

My Uncle Works At Nintendo! (100cp): Not necessarily Nintendo, but you have some family member that works at a popular or well-known videogame studio and enterprise. This could help with getting insider knowledge or special privileges for games that are developed by that studio.

Who Are Notes? (200cp): You seem to keep finding these pieces of paper lying around that are scribbled with useful instructions and notes that appear to be written to help you along. However, these notes are as helpful as they are weird depending on the circumstances you find yourself in.



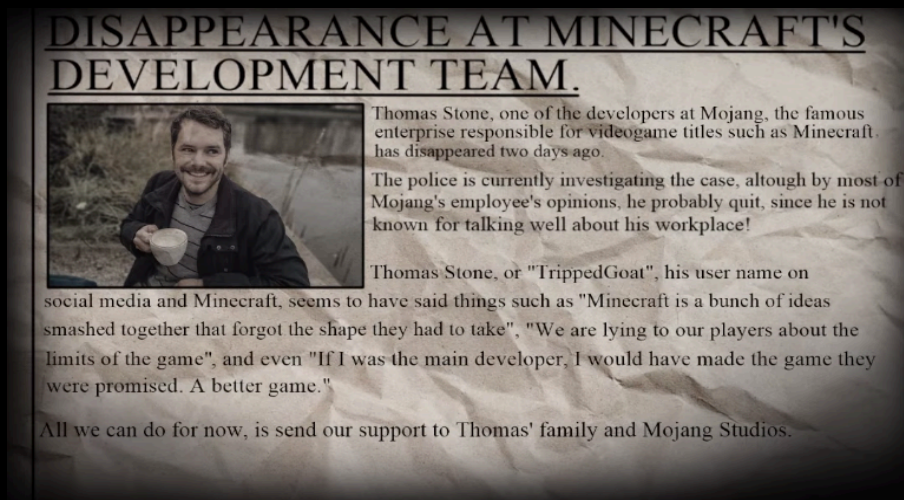
Local Connection (400cp): Honestly, the chances of accidentally finding a local server that contains mysterious and downright horrifying things is really slim, yet it happened immediately. You seem to have a strange luck and attraction towards these sorts of things. Mysterious servers containing unbelievable things accidentally left on Local, suddenly finding a key to the house of a woman that everyone in town considers a witch, or taking a wrong down a road and accidentally discovering a haunted mansion.



A Craft of Mine (600cp): You're exposure to Thomas Stone's obsession has bled into you, revealing the secrets of the Craft in a burst of enlightenment. Through envisioning an object, any object, whether they be real, abstract, biotic, or abiotic, you are able to instantly transform acquired materials into the envisioned object. However, you must hold belief that the materials you gathered have value in what you are creating. For example, in order to make a sword you must use materials that you believe could be used in the creation of a sword such as metal and wood. Note that without a tool and/or a workstation your processes are somewhat limited.

[Disgruntled Developer]

TrippedGoat (100cp): You got some kind of charm to you. Even if you were to talk badly about your workplace or come up with the most cringe-worthy name imaginable online, no one would think that bad about you nor judge you. Just remember to not go out of your way to be an asshole directly to people, okay? That would probably personally get you in trouble.



I Am A God (200cp): Embodying divine prowess, you possess a natural talent for cultivating followers and establishing a fervent religious following. With unparalleled expertise, you can craft intricate belief systems and organize devoted congregations that venerate any entity of your choosing. Your adeptness in creating and leading cults or religions is unmatched, allowing you to inspire unwavering loyalty and devotion from your worshippers.

Art of the Craft (400cp): You got Mad Skillz, yo! More specifically, your skills in programming and videogame development have reached a little beyond mastery in their area of expertise. For example, you can compress the bytes of a game to such an extent that a 100GB game could be brought down to 1KB and still run perfectly well, or you can make it so the NPC's A.I. are capable of evolving and learning without causing hardware issues in the long run, or you can create an algorithm to release the limits and restrictions on a Crafting System in a videogame.



It Could Be More (600cp): And *More* it shall be. You can take an aspect of something whether it would be an internal aspect, material aspect, or even an aspect found in a videogame, and you are able to externalize that aspect; bring it more to the forefront of what it is a part of and magnify it. This not only rids the aspect of limitations, it also makes the aspect develop more qualities and have much more of a precedence in the thing it's a part of. Additionally, externalized aspects won't negatively impact the thing they are a part of, so there is no need to worry about someone possibly being taken over by their aspect.

[Items]

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[General Items]

This Place of Mine (100cp): Welcome to your very own sanctuary, a pristine and cozy abode that is tailored to your tastes and desires. Step inside and feel instantly at home as you are surrounded by carefully selected furnishings, decorations, and designs that reflect your unique style. From the comfortable furniture to the elegant decor, every detail has been thoughtfully chosen to create a space that is both inviting and harmonious. Whether you prefer a modern, minimalist look or a more traditional, cozy feel, your humble abode will cater to your preferences perfectly.

Auto-Updater (100cp): This is a little underwhelming, but interesting nonetheless. This is an A.I. program that can automatically update any game(s) you have connected to it. This will take from pre-existing updates released from publishers and developers, but can do standalone patches to any errors that are hindrances to the player.

Blank Algorithm (200cp): Ah, this is an interesting thing you've found. What you have in your position is a hard drive containing an algorithm similar to the one Thomas Stone used in his Minecraft server, but it appears to be blank, not attuned to any game to alter aspects and mechanics. Fortunately, you are able to attune it to another game, manually choosing which aspects and mechanics you want to alter in the game. You may un-attune the algorithm from a game in order to attune it to another, without changes you made being lost.

If you have [Auto-Updater], the A.I. program will work in tandem with the blank algorithm. This allows the algorithm to attune to multiple games of your choice simultaneously compared to before, and the auto-updater is

able to use the algorithm as a catalyst to make tremendous and unique improvements to the game(s) instead of needing to draw from pre-existing update releases.

[Curious Relative]

Old Reliable (100cp): Your good old computer that you have fond memories of playing all kinds of games on despite it being so old. For some reason it is compatible with new modern day games despite old hardware and software.

Journal Entries (200cp): In your possession is a journal. Now, normally, this would be the part where I say "and that's it.", but this isn't a normal journal. No, this journal is able to fill itself with the Diary/Journal Entries of someone that you are thinking about, even if they would never write in a journal. Only limit is that this journal will erase previous Entries when you switch who you're thinking about.



Crafting Recipes (400cp): You get a complete binder of various crafting recipes that can have an actual tangible effect when the instructions are followed. All you need is a workbench (doesn't matter what kind), the materials for the recipe, and you can instantly transform them into an object as depicted in the recipe. Though, there aren't any special crafting recipes in this binder as that would require more exotic materials that you may not have.



[Disgruntled Developer]

More Than Reliable (100cp): This top-of-the-line device is a technological marvel, offering unrivaled performance that surpasses conventional computers. Possessing capabilities akin to a supercomputer, it stands as a testament to cutting-edge innovation and reliability in the digital realm.

Church and Altar (200cp): Every deity requires a sacred space for adoration and communion. This item bestows upon you a grand Church housing an exquisite Altar, radiating an aura of divine tranquillity. While the interior currently appears sparse, it holds immense potential for personal enrichment and empowerment. Within the hallowed walls of this Church, your actions are bolstered by the unwavering strength of your faith and convictions, rendering tasks and endeavors aligned with your beliefs significantly more achievable.



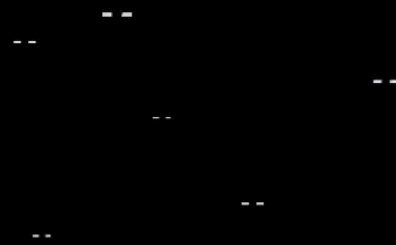
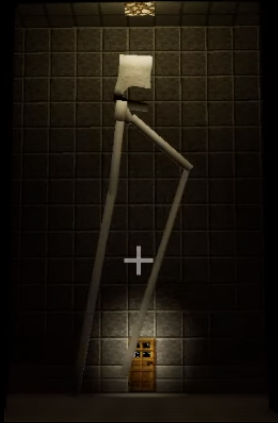
The Table (400cp): Ah, the magnum opus of any Craftsman. This Workbench is able to function similar to the [A Craft of Mine] Perk, being able to take any material input into it and give an output object as long as it can fit on the Workbench and in the squares. The Workbench is pretty gigantic, so you are able to resize it to a more regular size or anything in between so it doesn't hinder you.



[Companions]

Multiplayer Server (50-300): You can import your Companions in this world for 50cp per Companion or 300cp for a total of 8 Imported Companions.

A Monster Of Mine (100cp): There are some, frankly, freaky creatures that reside in Thomas Stone's world. Maybe you wish to take one of them with you as a pet.



[Drawbacks]

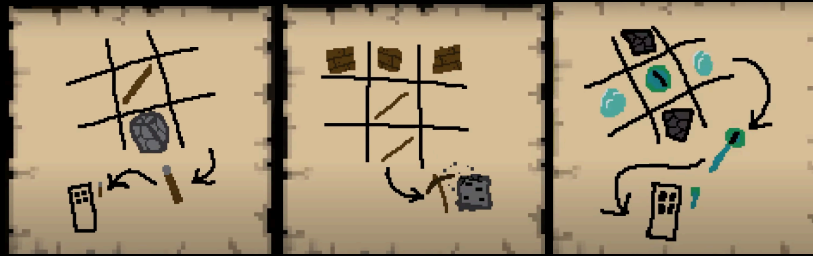
Oh! A Diamond! (+100cp): You are easily distracted by shiny and interesting things, possessing an annoying case of tunnel vision upon spotting things like diamonds for instance.



Puzzlin' About (+100cp): Normally, there would have been simplistic and easy puzzles that you go through, but this makes it so that these puzzles are more challenging and frequent in encounters.



Resource Acquisition (+100cp): Sometimes the resources to perform the crafting recipes are just lying around nearby so you can easily pick them up with no trouble. This makes it so those resources aren't nearby anymore and much more difficult to acquire. Perhaps they are in specific rooms or storehouses, or maybe they are locked behind doors that need other resources to open.



Tripped Out Goat (+100cp): Okay, so you got a bit of a God Complex and are probably also a Megalomaniac. But, hey! You still have your morals and ethics even if you believe others should worship the ground you walk.

They cuddle me. They show me their warm embrace. They do not want me to feel alone.

They know I made them, and they know I made this world with the push of a button.

Their existence belongs to me. Every breath they take is proof that I am no longer a developer.

I am a god.

Virtual Reality (+100cp): Ah, so you wanted to get up close and personal huh? Well, look no further than the VR Headset in your hands! You will experience the horrors of Thomas Stone's world much more deeply than from behind a computer screen.

All To Real (+100cp): Okay, so the pixels and art style of the game kind of curb the horror a bit, but this fixes that! Instead of blocky and slightly pixelated textures, you will see everything in this game as hyper realistic. Every creature will be the grotesque monsters they are, and nothing will be the same blocky appearance as it was before.

ALL HAIL THE TABLE! (+200cp): This is a bit of a problem. You're not the only one to have accidentally discovered Thomas Stone's local server, you are just the only one to not get indoctrinated by it. It would seem that Thomas Stone has accidentally spawned a cult worshipping him and the crafting table. I shouldn't need to describe how bad a cult of this would be...



This whole world... (+200cp): Thomas Stone isn't the only one that found the creative decision of their studio to be lacking and disappointing. There are currently many other game developers across the world that took an aspect of the game they worked on and pushed it to the extremes. Perhaps you'll encounter those insane creative visions.

IRL;Fractured (+300cp): This is a problem. Near the end of his Nephew's journey before Thomas Stone banned him, he witnessed an incredibly large crafting table in another room obviously prepared for Thomas's crafting purposes. This is Thomas' magnum opus. Limits broken, the game has breached into the real world and along came his creations.

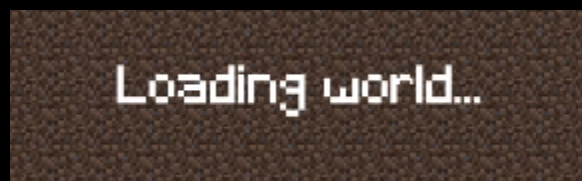
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Move On



Notes

A Craft of Mine was created by SirTartarus.

Changelog 1.1

- Altered [A Craft of Mine] perk a bit.
- Created [This Place of Mine], [Blank Algorithm], and [Auto-Updater] items into a newly added [General Items] section.