The Corsican War, year 866 a.d.

In year 866 a.d., a small force of "unknowns", but possibly agents of the mysterious Catalonian's Assassin's Guild, occupied the small island of Corsica, in the Gulf of Lyon. With no forces on the ground, and just some scattered peasants, the take-over was swift.

Late that same year, the heir of the Holy Roman Empire, lead an expedition to Corsica, to try to repel the invaders.

Four heavy transports, which had been originally slated for shipping, loaded 4000 infantry, and 2000 heavy cavalry troops. Following the orders of the Emperor, they embarked to Corsica. But someone forgot to tell Miguel (the heir) that he didn't have any warships.

All of the HRE's troops were slaughtered.