

- XVIII. Tsathoggua (The Devil)
- XIX. Night-Gaunt (The Moon)
- XX. Mi-Go (The Chariot)
- XXI. Servitors of the Outer Gods (The Wheel of Fortune)

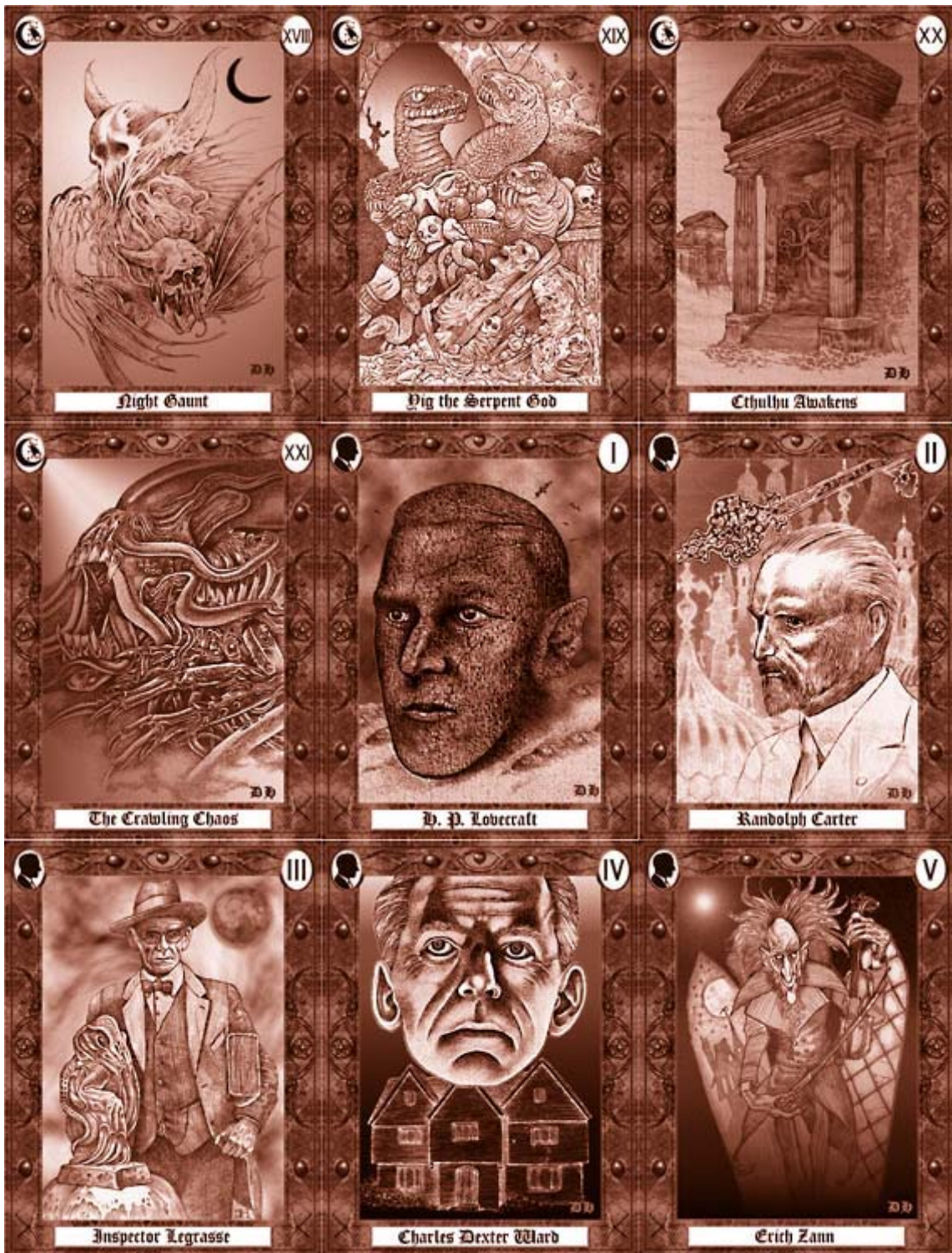
The Minor Arcana more closely resemble a traditional tarot deck, in that there are four suits, each one with the usual number of cards. In this deck the suits are Artifacts (Wands), Tomes (Swords), Sites (Pentacles), and Man (Cups). There are no court cards in this deck, however. Suit icons which are used for each suit do not necessarily match up to those on a traditional deck. For example, the symbol for the suit of Artifacts, which corresponds to the traditional Wands, is a Pentacle, ironically. Within each suit, the cards are numbered from 1 through 14. Roman numerals are used on these cards as well.

The cards themselves are larger than standard sized, approximately the size of the large Crowley deck, and is printed on a nice quality cardstock. They do have a feeling of having been almost hand cut, since when you jog the cards together the edges never come completely smooth. The corners are cut into a rounded shape. This deck shuffles fairly stiffly at first but it gets better with handling. The back design features a portrait of Lovecraft himself. The little white booklet which comes with this deck is very good. It does not give a lot of information but what is there is excellent. The booklet stresses that there is no one set meaning for each card; therefore who can say what is right or wrong. The reader is expected to use their intuition and feelings about each card. I think if you are familiar with the works of Lovecraft this will be a much easier task. However, many of the images gave me a feeling of what the card was about.

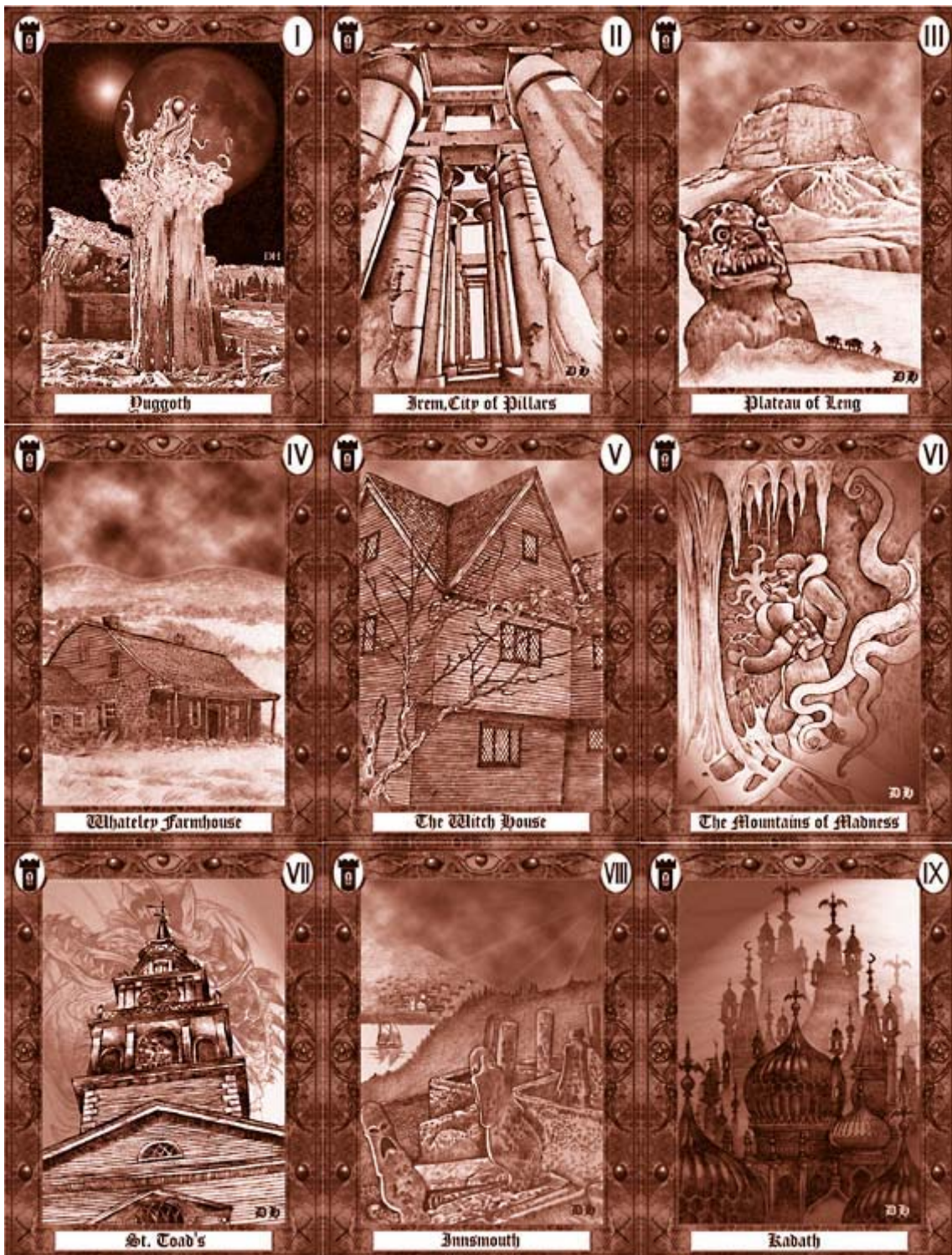
I would recommend this deck heartily for anyone who is interested in collecting in general. Those collectors who are also interested in the works of H. P. Lovecraft will find it appeals on more than one level. For this reason, it may appeal to Lovecraft fans who normally don't get into tarot. It definitely has more than one niche audience. Readers who enjoy working with dark decks (you know who you are!) will actually find this deck is workable, and not just an art deck. It is somewhat macabre but not intimidatingly so.
Look below for the cards!















Guardian of Kadath

The Yellow Sign

EOD Vestments

Resonator

Pickmans Model

Mi-Go Brain Cylinder

Bokrug

The Hound Amulet

Stone of Nepemah Derby

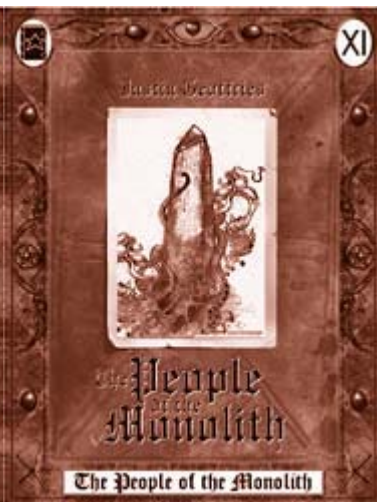




The Dnakotic Manuscripts



The Elddown Shards



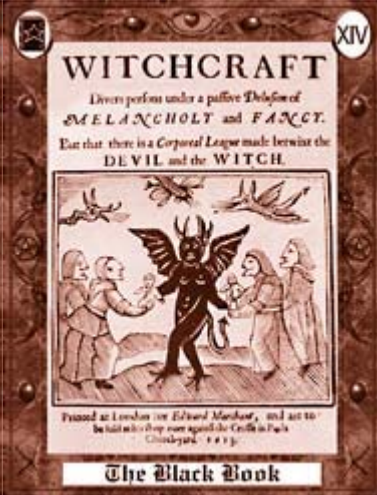
The People of the Monolith



The Ponape Scriptures



Seven Cryptical Books of Hsan



The Black Book