National Transfer Necromancer: I Am A Disaster

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"No questions are allowed? What if you don't understand something?"

Several people murmured.

At this time, the Tower of Trials suddenly emitted several beams of light that fell on these people.

These people disappeared instantly.

Then, the imposing voice said, "Rule violation. Qualification terminated."

Mmm!

The complexion of the thousands of examinees changed dramatically, and they covered their mouths.

The rules are actually strict to such an extent.

Not even imperceptible murmur is permitted.

At this moment, the whole area became unusually quiet. You could hear a pin drop.

The examinees even breathed carefully.

After so many years of preparation, if they were eliminated at the final stretch, it would be a real waste.

Lin Moyu remembered that Lu Yun warned them repeatedly.

You must follow the rules of the great examination.

The rules of the great examination are very strict, and absolutely must not be violated, not even a little.

His eyes turned toward Gao Yang, worried that the other party would make a mistake.

After all, for him, not being allowed to speak is probably more painful than dying.

Gao Yang covered his mouth tightly.

He feared he wouldn't be able to control his mouth.

"This guy has some self-awareness."

Lin Moyu snickered in his heart. There is no need to worry about Gao Yang.

The imposing voice rose once more.

"The Tower of Trials gives different trials to different classes."

"Support classes will be given non-combat trials."

"Combat classes will be given combat trials."

"After passing the basic trial, each class will be granted the right to choose the level of difficulty."

"Different difficulties will provide a different amount of points."

"Points represent your score. At the same time, you can bring the points to the academies you will enter."

"In the academies, points are more important than gold coins."

"Finally, let me explain the rules. You can use the equipment you have on you."

"Apart from that, other items are not permitted. If you are discovered to break this rule, your qualification will be terminated."

"After entering the Tower of Trials, your storage space will be locked."

The imposing voice explained the rules of the examination in detail.

So long as you are not an imbecile, you should be able to understand things clearly.

The few people who muttered at the beginning brought it upon themselves.

"Now, line up and enter the tower."

Everyone queued up and entered the Tower of Trials in an orderly fashion.

Everyone was very disciplined.

Even young masters and young ladies who usually acted unbridledly didn't dare to act recklessly at this time.

The great examination is the most important examination in Shenxia Empire every year.

It is held not only in Jiangning Province, but in all provinces across the empire.

The number of people who will participate in the examination on this day will exceed 100,000.

The empire's senior figures will be watching the examination. If anyone makes a scene here, they will only be asking for trouble.

Wang Zihao is also in the crowd.

As the young guild leader of Dynasty Guild, he is usually arrogant and domineering. There has never been a time when he queued obediently.

But today he doesn't dare to stir up any trouble.

Lin Moyu followed the rest into the tower.

He has removed the Cloaking Badge beforehand.

When he entered the tower, light shone, and then he was teleported into an independent space.

Just like he guessed, the Tower of Trials is similar to a dungeon, where people are sent into different spaces.

At the top of the Tower of Trials, there are several middle-aged people.

These people are dressed in attires characteristic of different classes, including support, Warrior, Mage, and more.

They are all above level 70.

They are the examiners tasked with overseeing the great examination in Jiangning Province this time.

[Lin Moyu, level 16, Necromancer]

Lin Moyu's footage appeared in front of them.

"So this is the new class reported by Xihai City's No.1 High School."

"It has been a while since a new class appeared. The last time was more than 30 years ago."

"That's right. The new class called Sprenbringer appeared more than 30 years ago. It is a control-type combat class, and it is classified as a superior class."

"According to the information reported by Xihai City's No. 1 High School, Necromancer should be a summoning-type Mage class."

"Let's see if this new class is anything special. I hope it won't be a let-down."

"It shouldn't be lacking, at least not weaker than a superior class, or else it wouldn't be possible for him to reach level 16."

"Let's go with the superior rank Mage scenario for now."

After discussing among themselves, the examiners decided on the course for Lin Moyu's examination.

A monster appeared in front of Lin Moyu's eyes.

This monster has a wolf head, and it is dressed in a robe.

It also has a stave in its hand.

This is a Mage-type monster.

A light screen is separating Lin Moyu and the Mage-type monster.

Detection can't penetrate the light screen.

Lin Moyu can't obtain information about the Mage-type monster for the time being.

"Kill the Worg Beastman Mage."

No more information was provided.

A countdown appeared on the light screen.

Lin Moyu braced himself.

A Skeletal Warrior appeared beside me.

3... 2... 1

The moment the light screen disappeared, the Skeletal Warrior rushed toward the Worg Beastman Mage.

But Soul Blaze was a step faster.

The moment when the light screen disappeared, it fell on the Worg Beastman Mage's head.

The Worg Beastman Mage let out a miserable scream and collapsed on the ground.

"It died?"

Lin Moyu was dumbfounded. Isn't this degree too low?

At this time, at the top of the tower, the examiners revealed shocked expressions.

"What skill is that?"

"Instant Kill! How did he kill it in an instant?"

"Is there some kind of problem with the data? Is there an error in the setting?"

"The setting is fine. In accordance with superior class setting, the monster's level is two levels higher than that of the class user."

Different levels and different combat classes will face different monsters.

Superior class users will face monsters two levels higher than them.

Advanced class users will face monsters one level higher than them.

Other class users will face monsters of the same level as them.

At the same time, mages will fight Mage-type monsters, while Warriors will fight Warriortype monsters.

The same types are paired up.

Although many can defeat the monster that is paired up with them. But to kill the monster in an instant like Lin Moyu, it is rarely seen.

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In this test, what is being assessed is the combat power of class users.

Although the level of the monster may be a bit high, but it should not be a problem for full-fledged class users.

This setting has been used for many years without any issues.

In general, the battle will last from 10 seconds to half a minute.

This showcases the combat power of the class users.

As for Lin Moyu, an issue occurred.

Since he killed the monster in an instant, his combat power can't be properly evaluated.

"What now?"

An examiner raised this question.

Everyone present looked at a middle-aged man in a Mage robe.

He is in charge of the Mage class test.

However, the objective of the test can't be achieved. He has a headache.

At this moment, an old man appeared in the room.

"Sir Ning, why have you come?"

The examiners immediately saluted the newcomer.

Ning Xuanfeng said in a deep voice, "I heard a new class has emerged this year. I came to take a look."

Lin Moyu's footage appeared on a light screen, and Ning Xuanfeng looked at it, "He looks like a pretty good young man."

The examiners promptly spoke of what just happened.

After listening to them, Ning Xuanfeng uttered in a deep voice, "So you guys want to know how strong this new class really is."

"But his strength can't be measured with the superior class setting."

"Then raise the difficulty to the legendary class setting and give him a second test."

An examiner raised an objection, "But this won't be fair to him. And besides, how would the points be calculated?"

Ning Xuanfeng smiled and said, "This is not the first time that such a situation has occurred. There have been other class user who have killed the monster in an instant."

"Nevertheless, this is still a special case. First things first, he has taken first place in this test and thus shall be awarded 100 points."

"As for the second test, if he passes, give him an additional 1,000 points."

"The 1,000 points will come out of my pocket."

The examiners hurriedly said, "Sir Ning, surely you jest. We can't have you fork out your own points."

"That's right. We will cover the points. As per your instructions, we will administer a second test."

Lin Moyu waited for a moment, then a light screen appeared in front of him once more.

Another monster appeared on the other side of the light screen.

This monster looks exactly the same as the previous one, yet its aura is much stronger.

[Please take the second test and kill the monster in front of you.]

The fact that there is a second test, Lin Moyu didn't find it strange, thinking that this is how things were supposed to be.

He is not aware that he is receiving special treatment.

The moment the light screen disappeared, Soul Blaze was launched.

The Mage-type monster in front of him immediately shrieked tragically and died.

It was the same as before.

Another instant kill.

The examiners were startled once again.

They still weren't able to make out anything.

In the legendary class setting, the monster's level is four levels higher than that of the class user.

The Mage-type monster that Lin Moyu just killed had the attributes of a level 20 monster.

Yet the outcome was still an instant kill.

"This combat power... I can't even imagine how strong he will be in the future."

"Does he have any powerful equipment on him?"

"He's only level 16, and doesn't have any powerful equipment. This is purely his own strength."

"What now? Do we continue to test him?"

Everyone turned to look at Ning Xuanfeng.

Since he has the highest seniority here, he is the one in charge.

Ning Xuanfeng shook his head and said, "There's no need. Proceed to the second round of the examination."

At this time, everyone has already finished the first round of the examination.

The imposing voice echoed in their ears.

"The first round of the examination for combat-type examinees has concluded."

"Of the 632 examinees that participated in this round, 522 passed."

"The results shall be announced now."

A ranking appeared in front of everyone's eyes.

[Lin Moyu, 0.1 seconds, points: 100]

[Zuo Mei, 3.2 seconds, points: 70]

[Xia Xua, 5.2 seconds, points: 40]

Lin Moyu shockingly took first place.

It just took him 0.1 seconds.

A class user called Zuo Mei ranked second, and her time is 3.2 seconds.

Xia Xue ranked third, and her time is 5.2 seconds.

Wang Zihao, the junior guild leader of Dynasty Guild, ranked fourth, and his time is 5.5 seconds.

The top 3 received 100, 70, and 40 points respectively. From the fourth place onward, everyone received 10 points.

When he saw the ranking, Wang Zihao was furious.

"How could I not even have entered the top 3."

"I should have taken first place."

"0.1 seconds, is this some kind of joke? There must be an error."

"This result is outrageous."

Wang Zihao is not the only one entertaining such thoughts. After seeing Lin Moyu's result, many felt that it is inconceivable.

Xia Xue looked at the ranking, "Dummy Lin is really amazing. But I won't give up."

Gao Yang has an exaggerated expression on his face, "The boss is the boss for a reason. Awesome. You have to hand it to him."

Lin Moyu touched his nose subconsciously, "Did I overdo it?"

He didn't expect that 100-plus people would be eliminated in this seemingly easy round.

The imposing voice rang once again.

"The second round of the examination for combat classes is about to begin. Examinees can choose the difficulty."

"Attention, there may be casualties in the second round. Please choose the difficulty according to your ability."

"If you are in danger during the second round, you can shout that you give up, and your test will be terminated. Your final score will be the score you have at the moment you give up."

The imposing voice explained the details for the second round.

Not unlike a dungeon, the second round has three degrees of difficulty, namely ordinary, nightmare, and hell.

Killing monsters of different degrees of difficulty will provide a different amount of points.

Killing an ordinary rank monster will provide one point, a nightmare rank monster will provide three points, and a hell rank monster will provide five points.

The time limit is set at 30 minutes.

The second round of the examination consists of determining who can kill more monsters within 30 minutes.

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Wang Zihao chose hell rank difficulty without thinking.

After all, killing a monster in hell rank difficulty is equivalent to killing five monsters in ordinary rank difficulty.

Moreover, he has great confidence in his combat power.

"The kid who took first place, even though you won the first round, don't think you will beat me in the second round."

Wang Zihao gripped a giant blade, which is a weapon specific to his class.

"Ah, someone chose hell rank difficulty."

[Wang Zihao, level 16, Berserker]

"Not bad. Berserker is considered a powerful superior class.

"Berserker's sustained combat ability is pretty good. He should be able to achieve a good score in this round."

After a moment of thought, Xia Xue chose ordinary rank difficulty.

Elemental Mage is not expert at close combat. Without a tank serving as a meat shield, it's not suitable for dealing with strong monsters.

Therefore, Xia Xue chose ordinary rank difficulty, planing to win through quantity.

Since she has taken third place in the first round, Xia Xue also caught the attention of the examiners.

In front of them, there is also a real-time footage of Xia Xue.

When Xia Xue chose ordinary rank difficulty, they all reveled knowing smiles.

[Xia Xue, level 15, Elemental Mage]

"A wise choice."

"Although Elemental Mage has pretty good explosive power. But if you can't kill the monsters before they get close, you will be in trouble."

"Especially when the level is low, with an incomplete set of skills, it is more so the case."

In the second round, Zuo Mei chose hell rank difficulty.

[Zuo Mei, level 16, Rogue]

The examiners showed interest in Zuo Mei's choice.

After she made her choice, they gave their two cents.

"As an Assassin-type superior class, Rogue possess powerful close combat ability."

"Therefore, whether she chooses nightmare rank difficulty or hell rank difficulty, it will be a good choice."

"Indeed. This is also a good seedling."

"I wonder what difficulty Lin Moyu will choose."

The people who are worth paying attention to have already made their choice, with only Lin Moyu remaining.

After listening to this round's rules, Lin Moyu made his judgment.

"This round should test the ability to fight continuously."

"A 30-minute-long combat will put significant pressure on any class."

"However, I am different."

A slight smile crept onto his face.

Lin Moyu made his choice.

"I choose hell rank difficulty."

In fact, the greater the difficulty, the better it is for him.

After all, all his skills have tremendous might.

Therefore, the greater the difficulty, the more points he will earn and the more benefits he will obtain.

An examiner said with a smile, "Sure enough, he chose hell rank difficulty."

"He is both a Mage and a Summoner. With the summon by his side, he has nothing to fear from the monsters."

"And besides, his skill is very powerful. Combined with the summon, he can definitely achieve a good score in hell rank difficulty."

"In fact, Summoners who have taken the test before, they have basically all chosen hell rank difficulty."

"Let's wait and see."

Outside the examination site, there are high school principals from all over Jiangning Province gathered here.

"Old Lu, you're going to hit it big this time."

"Tsk tsk, 0.1 seconds, I have never witnessed such a result before."

"Old Lu, two out of the top 3 are from your school. You hit the jackpot."

"You are going to make a big splash this time."

"If Lin Moyu can take the position of provincial top scorer, you'll be on cloud nine, Old Lu."

Lu Yun's face flushed, feeling very excited.

He also didn't expect that Lin Moyu could achieve such a good result.

In his extreme excitement, no words could come out of his mouth, his body trembling.

After all the examinees have made their choice, the second round of the examination began.

A mass of light appeared in front of Lin Moyu.

The mass of light rotated in the air, looking like the entrance of a dungeon.

Then, a monster wearing armor walked out of the mass of light and let out a roar.

Lin Moyu willed, and the Skeletal Warrior next to him rushed out.

A blade strike welcomed the monster.

At the same time, Lin Moyu's Detection landed on the monster.

[Worg Beastman Warrior (elite)]

[Level: 13]

[Strength: 500]

[Agility: 300]

[Spirit: 150]

[Physique: 400]

These attributes... it's weak.

It's much weaker than the nightmare rank monsters he encountered in Xihai Mine Dungeon.

Lin Moyu immediately understood the reason behind this.

After all, this is an examination, and it has to be fitted to the majority.

If the monsters were too strong, then a large number of the examinees would have been eliminated.

In this way, the examination would lose its original meaning.

The purpose of the examination is not to eliminate the examinees, but to select outstanding talents from among them.

When the Skeletal Warrior's blade landed on the Worg Beastman, its skin was split open and its flesh was sundered.

With just one strike of the blade, the Worg Beastman was brought to the brink of death.

The Worg Beastman was about to counterattack when a second blade strike fell.

The Worg Beastman died tragically.

"It takes two strikes."

Lin Moyu pointed with his finger, and another Skeletal Warrior was summoned.

The two Skeletal Warriors, one on the left and one on the right, stood guard in front of the mass of light, waiting for the next monster to appear.

Five seconds later, the second Worg Beastman appeared.

Subsequently, the two Skeletal Warriors brandished their blades, and the Worg Beastman died directly.

"It's too easy."

After a few cycles, he realized that every time he killed a monster, a second one would appear five seconds later.

This round of the examination focuses on sustained combat ability.

The examiners gawked.

"Why are Lin Moyu's summons so formidable?"

"They are more formidable than the summons of any Summoner we have seen so far."

"And there are two of them."

"This class... is awesome."

In addition to the impressive summons, his own combat ability is also formidable.

This class is incredible.

Lin Moyu's side is too boring. With the two Skeletal Warriors guarding in front of the mass of light, whenever a monster appears, it will die right away.

After a while, the examiners shifted their attention to other class user.

Xia Xue gripped her stave and unleashed her skill.

Since she chose ordinary rank difficulty, the monsters aren't strong.

She can basically kill them after unleashing her skill twice.

She constantly adjusts the power of her skill, trying her best to reduce the consumption of spirit force.

Although it is a bit monotonous, but it is more interesting than Lin Moyu's side.

Chapter 44: This Is Too Much; While Others Give Their Utmost, You Eat Sweet Potatoe

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Xia Xue's performance has received unanimous approval from the examiners.

Wang Zihao brandished the huge blade in his hands, and the head of the Worg Beastman in front of him rose into the air.

His face carries a bloodthirsty shade, mixed with intense arrogance.

Berserker, as the name suggests, has reduced intelligence and heightened aggression during combat.

This is under the condition that you aren't in a state of frenzy. Once you enter frenzy, you may lose your faculty of reason all together.

"He's going full throttle from the get go. At the later stage, I'm afraid efficiency will decrease significantly."

"He doesn't know how to allocate his energy. This needs to be amended."

"He is slightly worse than Xia Xue."

Rather than the number of monsters killed, the examiners give more importance to adaptability during combat.

On the one hand, they want to see if you can persevere for 30 minutes.

On the other hand, they want to see how much difference there is in combat power when comparing the beginning and end of combat.

Real battles often last for a period of time. If you go all out at the get go, there might not be a later for you.

When comparing Wang Zihao with Xia Xue, the examiners came to a conclusion.

Xia Xue is clearly better.

Zuo Mei, not unlike Wang Zihao, also chose hell rank difficulty.

Compared to Wang Zihao's reckless combat style, Zuo Mei has maximized the nimbleness of the Rogue class.

She nimbly shuttles back and forth as if a specter, toying with the Worg Beastmen.

Furthermore, every one of her actions is precise and straightforward, not wasting any energy.

The dagger in hand is quick, fierce, and accurate, causing considerable damage to the monsters with each strike.

Moreover, she uses her skills when appropriate, restraining the Worg Beastmen and even interrupting their skill.

She exerts the skills she mastered to the limit.

The examiners also approve of Zuo Mei's performance.

The examiners have gained some understanding of the examinees.

They have already made a judgement in their hearts.

Back at Lin Moyu's side...

The examiners were struck dumb.

"This kid... is too much."

"I also think he's too much."

"This guy is actually carrying food in his pockets. What is he thinking?"

"Is the sweet potato really that tasty? Seeing him eat with relish, I'm starting to feel a little hungry myself."

Lin Moyu slowly and methodically ate a sweet potato.

Before entering the examination site, he took out some sweet potatoes and put them in his pockets.

After all, during the examination, you can't use the storage space.

Seeing as the Skeletal Warriors can kill the monsters in an instant, he was left with nothing to do, so he started to eat a sweet potato.

"Eating during the great examination, this is a first."

"Let's note this down, so that his name goes down in history."

"I think this test is too easy for him. Should we increase the difficulty?"

The examiner ground their teeth. While others tire themselves out, Lin Moyu is this at ease.

Nevertheless, he is far ahead of the others.

"No need. No matter the case, the examination must be fair."

Ning Xuanfeng hasn't spoken since after the examination has begun.

But judging from the look in his eyes, it can be seen he is full of interest regarding Lin Moyu.

"This little guy is interesting."

In the span of 30 minutes, some gave up one after another, while others were wounded and were forced to quit.

Sustained combat is a severe test of endurance for every class user.

This is different from a dungeon, where you can take a break when tired.

Only Lin Moyu defies this principle. Even if he dozes off, there won't be any problems.

Over time, things devolved.

Finally, after 30 minutes were up, the monsters disappeared.

"It's finally over."

"I wouldn't have been able to hold on much longer."

"That was terrifying. I've never been this tired in a dungeon."

Most examinees are sitting on the ground, gasping for breath.

In a short 30 minutes, they almost completely exhausted their energy.

At this time, Xia Xue's face is slightly pale.

In the span of 30 minutes, she did her best to manage her skills and save her energy as much as possible.

Her spirit force is almost completely depleted.

During the great examination, the storage space is sealed, so drugs to restore spirit force can't be utilized.

Sure enough, the great examination is very challenging.

"It's over at last."

"I killed more than 200 monsters, that's more than 200 points."

At this time, Wang Zihao is sitting on the ground.

At the later stage, his efficiency was far from what it was at the start.

He exhausted his strength, and his skill is in cooldown, leading to a sharp decline in combat power.

"I killed more than 50 monsters. Hell rank difficulty is really hard."

Among the examinees, only Lin Moyu is in a good condition.

To him, the 30 minutes were like watching a play.

"This round of the examination is over."

"A total of 522 examinees participated in this round, of which 278 lost their qualification to continue the examination due to injury or forfeiture."

"The remaining 244 examinees are eligible to enter the next round of the examination. Of course, you can also choose to give up."

"The next round will be more difficult and more intense, and your life may be in danger. Please choose carefully."

Everyone received the warning at the same time. They can choose to give up, or continue with the examination.

If you continue, the next round will be even more difficult, and your life may even be in danger.

But if you give up now, you will feel bitter.

Many people found themselves in a dilemma at this time.

Meanwhile, the examiners revealed mischievous smiles.

"How many do you think will choose to give up this time?"

"In previous years, at least one-third of the examinees chose to give up."

"The qualification rate this year is similar to last year's. So far, about 60% have been eliminated."

A total of 632 combat-type class users participated in the examination. At the moment, there are 244 left.

"It seems that they are having a hard time making a decision. Let's give them a push and help them come to a decision."

At this moment, the imposing voice sounded once again.

"Even if you give up now, your score is already high enough to enter an academy."

"I will give you now 60 seconds to think things over. If you haven't made a choice after the 60 seconds are over, you will proceed ahead by default."

As if the last straw that broke the camel's back, these words shattered the mental defense of many people.

"I choose to give up."

"I quit."

"I can't go on anymore. If I continue further, I'll die."

Many examinees chose to give up.

At the same time, even more people chose to continue.

After coming this far, it would be a pity not to continue.

Chapter 45: If Things Continue Like This, Others Won't Stand A Chance

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Among the 244 examinees who passed the second round, over 60 chose to withdraw.

Only 180 people decided to proceed with the examination.

Although the others chose to quit. However, by passing the second round of the examination, they have already proven their strength.

They can enter an ordinary academy without a problem.

As for the remaining people, their targets are top-ranked academies.

"The ranking following the second round is out."

No. 1, Lin Moyu, total points: 1,605.

No. 2, Zuo Mei, total points: 470.

No. 3, Xia Xue, total points: 270.

No. 4, Wang Zihao, total points: 265.

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Wang Zihao jumped up and shouted, "This can't be."

"How did he get so many points?"

At a frequency of one monster per five seconds, that amounts to 12 monsters per minute at most.

In hell rank difficulty, each monster is worth 5 points, providing a maximum of 60 points per minute.

In the period of 30 minutes, you can earn 1,800 at most.

When factors such as time taken to kill the monsters are taken into account, you should be able to only earn around 200 to 400 points.

Zuo Mei, who was able to earn 400 points, killed 80 monsters. This is already considered excellent.

Lin Moyu, however, earned 1,505 points.

This shows that he killed 301 monsters.

A rate of 10 monsters per minute, it's just a short distance away from the limit of 12 monsters per minute.

At this moment, a thought welled up in everyone's minds: Is this guy a freak?

Wang Zihao even felt that Lin Moyu is cheating, but he didn't dare to say it out loud.

If he were to voice these words, that would offend the senior figures of Shenxia Empire.

No one has ever dared to cheat in the great examination. After all, that's just asking for trouble.

The entire examination site is under complete surveillance, so cheating is impossible.

Outside the examination site, Lu Yun jumped up.

His wrinkled face has become even redder than before.

His hands trembled from excitement.

The cup in his hand shook, spilling water.

"Old Lu, your student is abnormal."

"Indeed, he's really abnormal."

Lu Yun couldn't help but curse back, "You guys are abnormal. Your entire families are abnormal."

He would really like to know how Lin Moyu did it.

As far as he knows, no one has ever been able to achieve such a score.

Back in the day, the astonishingly talented Su Qianxing only scored 700 points in the second round.

Last year, Lin Mohan only got 650 points.

As for Lin Moyu, his score is higher than the both of them combined.

Beams of light shot out from the Tower of Trials and fell on the examinees who chose to continue.

Illuminated by the light, their fatigue melted away, and their spirit force was restored.

In the blink of an eye, they were back at peak condition.

"Next, the third round of the examination will be conducted."

"This round also has three degrees of difficulty."

"You will be facing a leader rank monster."

"Ordinary rank difficulty will provide 100 points."

"Nightmare rank difficulty will provide 300 points."

"Hell rank difficulty will provide 500 points."

The rules are similar to last time.

The last round evaluated sustained combat ability.

This round evaluates the limits of combat ability.

You need to duel a leader rank monster.

Facing a leader rank monster without any support, it will be a significant challenge to any class user.

This time, Lin Moyu was the first one to make a choice.

"I choose hell rank difficulty."

When the examiners saw Lin Moyu's choice, they broke out into a discussion again.

"As expected, this kid really chose hell rank difficulty."

"With the power of his skill and summons, he will definitely take the first place this time, as well."

"It seems that he is going to become the top scorer of Jiangning Province this time."

"It's hard to say. After all, there are still two rounds to go. The fifth round, in particular..."

They have supervised the great examination many times and have seen a number of people turn the tides and make a comeback.

Although Lin Moyu's performance is currently pretty strong. But it is not a foregone conclusion that he will be able to become the provincial top scorer.

The gap between Wang Zihao and Lin Moyu has reached more than 1,300 points.

Wang Zihao came with the intention to take the position of the provisional top scorer, but he couldn't even make it into the top three.

"The first place is mine. There are two more rounds to go. I won't lose."

"After the great examination is over, I better don't run into you, or else I'll make you pay."

Wang Zihao spoke viciously. He also chose hell rank difficulty.

Xia Xue and Zuo Mei also chose hell rank difficulty.

They only need to deal with a single monster.

Xia Xue's Elemental Mage and Zuo Mei's Rogue, both classes possess very high explosive power. The two aren't worried.

After everyone made their choice, the examiners announced the start of the third round of the examination.

A huge monster appeared in front of everyone.

It is still a Worg Beastman, a monster with a wolf head.

The monster holds a sword in each hand, akin to a human Sword Champion.

[Worg Beastman Captain (leader)]

[Level: 15]

[Strength: 1,000]

[Agility: 800]

[Spirit: 500]

[Physique: 1,000]

[Skill: Twisted Winds Slash]

After taking a look at the monster's attributes, Lin Moyu felt that it's a bit of a misnomer.

It's supposed to be hell rank difficulty, yet the monster is actually greatly weakened.

Maybe it's because this is a test, but this if far from matching the standard of a hell rank dungeon.

The monster is merely stronger than the elite monster guarding the entrance of Xihai Mine Dungeon's nightmare rank dungeon.

It is far from being a match for a genuine leader rank monster.

Lin Moyu can understand the empire's approach. If they were to really release a hell rank monster, not to mention a leader, even a mob wouldn't something that ordinary class users can deal with.

The aim of the great examination is to select living talents, not dead people.

After the battle started, Lin Moyu casually gave an order.

Two Skeletal Warriors quickly rushed out and unleashed their skill.

Berserk Strike!

Bang bang.

Without even making a sound, the Worg Beastman Captain collapsed on the ground and died.

Instant kill.

Another instant kill.

The examiners were stupefied once more.

"Again! Another instant kill!"

"The summons can actually use a skill."

"And this skill is quite powerful."

"Time and time again, Lin Moyu has gone over the top."

"Others don't stand a chance."

Chapter 46: The Best Way Is To Eliminate The Summoner Themself

46 - The Best Way Is To Eliminate The Summoner Themself

Even the leader rank monster was instantly killed.

Lin Moyu's strength has been acknowledged by the examiners.

Although the monster they arranged has been weakened.

But it shouldn't be possible to instantly kill it.

This can be seen from how hard the others are pushing themselves.

While dodging the attacks of the Worg Beastman leader, Xia Xue continuously released skills and fought back.

Wang Zihao's approach was more direct, meeting force with force.

Berserker's warlike nature was fully displayed at this time.

Zuo Mei, on the other hand, circled around the monster and restrained it, her performance slightly better.

As for other class users who choose different degrees of difficulty, not a single one was as relaxed as Lin Moyu.

Two Skeletal Warriors stepped forward, two clacks sounded, and the battle ended.

From start to finish, Lin Moyu didn't move.

"I think he can do solo grinding in low-level dungeons."

"He is qualified to do solo grinding even in nightmare rank dungeons below level 20."

"I don't think this is the limit of his combat power. We haven't measured his true combat power yet."

"Let's wait for the fifth round of the examination. If he wants to become the provincial top scorer, or even the imperial top scorer, he must go through the fifth round."

"At that time, maybe we'll be able to see the true extent of his combat power."

The examiners went into a bout of discussion. The contents of the examination are determined by senior figures of the empire, and the examiners have no right to make changes.

The only one with this right is Ning Xuanfeng, who arrived later.

He spoke up when he first arrived. After this, he stayed quiet and just watched with interest.

The examiners noticed that most of his attention is on Lin Moyu.

He seems to be very interested in Lin Moyu.

The third round of the examination ended quickly, only lasting 10 minutes.

Xia Xue, Zuo Mei, and Wang Zihao successfully killed their opponent and obtained 500 points.

As for the rest, some succeed, some failed.

Another batch of the examinees was eliminated, losing the qualification to continue to the next round of the examination.

They either gave up on their own or were forced to stop after sustaining injury and losing their combat ability.

Although they have been eliminated, but since their performance was quite good, they can enter a good academy.

Only 120 people were able to pass the third round successfully.

"The ranking following the third round is out."

No. 1, Lin Moyu, total points: 2,105.

No. 2, Zuo Mei, total points: 970.

No. 3, Xia Xue, total points: 770.

No. 4, Wang Zihao, total points: 765.

No. 67, Gao Yang, total points: 302.

Lin Moyu saw Gao Yang's name in the ranking.

Ranked 67th, that's a pretty good result.

After persevering until now, Gao Yang will surely be able to enter Jiangning Academy.

Lin Moyu has an understanding of Gao Yang.

This guy is quite proud.

After coming this far, he won't give up easily.

Needless to say, he will surely challenge the fourth round.

Wang Zihao is still ranked fourth. He was already aware he wouldn't be able to catch up in the third round.

"The fourth round is about to begin. This is my chance."

He gripped his blade with both hands, and his eyes flickered with ferocious fighting spirit.

The examiner's voice rang out again.

"The fourth round of the examination will be conducted next."

"The fourth round will step up in terms of difficulty and danger."

"You can choose to continue, or you can choose to give up."

"With your current score, you can be admitted into the top 100 academies of the empire without an issue."

This time no one chose to give up.

To be able to persist till here, none of them is a coward.

Pure white light sprinkled down.

Illuminated by the white light, the examinees regained their peak condition.

Fatigue evaporated, attributes were restored, and the cooldown period of skills dissipated.

"I respect your decision."

"The rules for the fourth round of the examination are as follows."

"You will face 10 waves of monsters."

"Each wave consists of 10 monsters, for a total of 100 monsters."

"The waves will appear in intervals of one minute."

"Whether you have cleared the previous wave or not, the next wave of monsters will appear one minute later nonetheless."

"The last wave will be led by a leader rank monster."

"You will pass by killing all the monsters."

"Each monster will earn you 10 points."

"If you kill all the monsters, your points for this round will be doubled, totaling 2,000 points."

After the rules were explained, a light curtain appeared in front of everyone.

The first wave of 10 monsters has appeared behind the light curtain.

The monsters are just ordinary monsters -- level 13 Worg Beastmen.

Of the 10 monsters, nine are Warrior-type monsters. The monster at the back is a Mage-type monster.

Warriors cooperating with a Mage, this greatly increases the difficulty.

Lin Moyu calculated the increase of difficulty in his heart.

Without sufficient monster clearing ability, you will be surrounded by more and more monsters, ultimately leading to failure.

He realized that this round of the examination tests monster clearing ability.

From basic combat power, to endurance, to duel ability, and then to rapid monster clearing ability.

This covers the strengths and weaknesses of the classes.

The great examination is really challenging.

The examiners revealed smiles on their faces.

They stared at Lin Moyu.

"Let's see how you will respond this time."

"The best way to deal with a Summoner is not to eliminate the summons, but to eliminate the Summoner themself."

"I think Lin Moyu might be flustered this time."

"However, his summons are strong enough. It shouldn't be a problem for him to clear this round.

Ning Xuanfeng, who has been silent until now, spoke up at this time, "I think this round won't stump him."

Everyone looked at Ning Xuanfeng, a hint of surprise in their eyes.

Ning Xuanfeng's words carry a certain degree of certainty, as if he were quite confident.

Although some examiners weren't that certain. But with the gap in status, they didn't retort.

Anyway, facts will soon prove who is right and who is wrong.

Chapter 47: Holy Swordsman; Frenzy Mode

47 - Holy Swordsman; Frenzy Mode

The fourth round of the examination started.

A third Skeletal Warrior appeared in front of Lin Moyu.

The three skeletons charged toward the monsters, who range between level 9 and level 13.

Each time the skeletons brandished their blade, they would kill a monster.

Lin Moyu's palm flashed with firelight, and a flame fell on the head of the Wizard-type monster at the back.

It was also killed in an instant.

From the start of the round, it has been less than three seconds.

It lasted nearly a moment.

Nine Worg Beastman Warriors and one Worg Beastman Mage have been killed.

"This..."

"This kid still has a third summon."

"This little bastard, why didn't he let it out until now."

"This punk, why would he hide his strength?"

"That's right. The stronger he is, the happier we will be."

At this time, Ning Xuanfeng's face expressed 'sure enough'.

Lin Moyu curled his lips unconsciously. The so-called great examination poses no challenge to him.

It's not as eventful as the first time he entered Xihai Mine Dungeon.

There is no surprise.

He felt sleepy.

He took out another sweet potato and slowly ate it.

"I won't watch anymore. Watching this kid is not interesting at all."

"That's right. It's better to watch someone else."

Lin Moyu dealt with the monsters in less than three seconds after their appearance.

As such, watching others would be much more interesting.

Xia Xue retreated repeatedly, treading on a path of flames.

The Worg Beastmen stepped on the flames while pursuing Xia Xue, constantly sustaining fire damage.

Burning Trail!

This is a skill that a Mage can only master after level 10, and it causes fire damage in its wake.

It is quite effective here.

AOE offensive skills are a Mage's strong point.

Although the level isn't high enough, but Xia Xue has already mastered two AOE offensive skills.

The other is Rain of Ice, and it has a slowing effect.

With a combination of the two, Xia Xue quickly disposed of the Worg Beastman Warriors.

In comparison, Zuo Mei had to work much harder.

Rogue possesses strong explosive power, abundant combat skills, and many control-type skills.

Whether it's in terms of assassination or one-on-one combat, it's an excellent class.

Its disadvantage is that it is not expert at crowd combat and does not possess AOE offensive skills.

As a result, Zuo Mei appears to be at a disadvantage, and can only dispose of the monsters one by one.

Wang Zihao still maintains his reckless combat style.

A huge two-handed blade swished through air.

Everyone's fight is rather eye-catching.

Only Lin Moyu's side is extremely boring.

None of the examiners want to watch him.

Time spent staring into the void feels much longer than time spent fighting monsters.

"There's no use watching. He has taken first place in the fourth round, as well."

"Let's see if he will participate in the fifth round."

"Although he is far ahead in terms of points at the moment, but if he doesn't participate in the fifth round, others will still catch up to him."

In the fourth round of the examination, examinees have to face waves of monsters, with each wave containing 10 monsters. The waves are spaced out in intervals of one minute.

Slower examinees are faced with more and more monsters.

After three minutes, some had already given up.

There were too many monsters.

They were transported outside the Tower of Trials.

To be eliminated in the fourth round, this is not a disgrace, but a badge of honor.

They are all classified as geniuses and can enter a top 100 academy without a problem

The people who were eliminated wore a relieved look on their faces. There were just too many monsters.

"That was scary. I thought I was going to be eaten."

"There's no way I can kill so many monsters."

"I wonder how many people will pass this round of the examination."

"I thought I was strong enough. But alas, there is always someone stronger."

"Speaking of which, that guy called Lin Moyu is really impressive. I guess he won't be stumped this time."

After Gao Yang persisted until after the fifth wave of monsters appeared, he reached his limit and could only choose to give up.

When he emerged from the Tower of Trials, he heard people talk about Lin Moyu. He, who has been holding it in for a while, couldn't help but say, "Lin Moyu is my boss, of course he is impressive."

"Brother, what is your name?"

"May name is Gao Yang, and I am from Xihai No.1 High School." Gao Yang responded loudly.

"So it's Brother Gao. Brother, can you tell us about Lin Moyu?"

Gao Yang smiled and said, "That's easy. I'll tell you."

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He began with a soliloquy. When he mentioned the time Lin Moyu took him into the nightmare rank dungeon and cleared it in 10 minutes, several people revealed shades of disbelief.

This is impossible.

No one believes it, thinking Gao Yang is just talking big.

Gao Yang just prattled on, not caring if they believe it or not.

He just wants to vent. After all, he had this bottled up inside all this time.

As more and more people were eliminated, the number of footages at the top of the Tower of Trials decreased.

In the end, only five people remained.

Lin Moyu, Xia Xue, Zuo Mei, Wang Zihao, and there is also Feng Xiu.

[Feng Xiu, level 15, Holy Swordsman]

At this time, the examiners are watching Feng Xiu.

Feng Xiu waved his sword and cruised within the encirclement of the monsters.

He is no less nimble than Zuo Mei.

Although a single attack may not seem impressive, but as the saying goes, many a little makes a mickle. The Worg Beastmen unwittingly collapsed one after another.

"This guy called Feng Xiu started to exert himself at last."

"Holy Swordsman is a superior class. So why didn't he show good results from the get go? Why did he wait till now?"

"He should be a member of the swordsman family, the Feng Family. As such, he knows the rules of the great examination. He knows that the last two rounds are key to raising points."

"That's why he only started to exert himself now."

"Since the Feng Family had a hand in the formulation of the rules of the great examination, he naturally is familiar with them."

"Eh, Wang Zihao has finally gone into a frenzy."

"He's not stupid. He calculated the time before entering frenzy at this time."

The seventh wave of monsters appeared.

Wang Zihao bellowed and activated the skill Frenzy.

[Frenzy: for a duration of five minutes, strength will be increased by 500% and physique will be increased by 500%, while agility will be reduced by 200%. After the state of frenzy is lifted, you will be in a weakened state for 30 minutes.]

After he entered frenzy, Wang Zihao's offensive power increased by a number of times.

However, he can only maintain it for five minutes. Therefore, he waited for the seventh batch of monsters to appear before entering frenzy.

Five minutes is enough.

At this point, there are still more than 30 monsters on the field. Coupled with the seventh wave, the number of monsters has reached more than 40.

In the state of frenzy, Wang Zihao began to madly sweep the monsters as if with a scythe.

With every sweep of his blade, he felled two or three monsters.

The area was cleared at a rapid speed.

Chapter 48: Battle-Space, A True Battlefield

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After Lin Moyu waited for a minute, a wave of monsters finally emerged.

This time, the Mage-type monster was replaced with a leader rank monster.

To Lin Moyu, there was no difference.

The Skeletal Warriors rushed forward and smashed the opponent, and then the place became quiet again.

For Lin Moyu, the fourth round of the examination has come to an end.

Now he has to wait for the others to be done as well.

After waiting for 10 minutes, the fourth round of the examination finally concluded.

"The fourth round of the examination is over."

"120 people participated in the fourth round, But in the end, five passed."

Murmur...

The examiner's voice spread out both inside and outside the tower.

Only five of the 120 people were left.

This indicates that these five people are true geniuses, capable of entering the top academies.

At the same time, the ranking of the five individuals came out.

"The ranking after the fourth round is out."

No. 1, Lin Moyu, total points: 3,605.

No. 2, Zuo Mei, total points: 2,470.

No. 3, Xia Xue, total points: 2,270.

No. 4, Wang Zihao, total points: 2,265.

No. 5, Feng Xiu, total points: 2,200.

Lin Moyu still has a strong lead.

Light shone on the five individuals, and they regained their peak condition.

Wang Zihao has fallen into a weakened state after entering frenzy. But when he illuminated by the light, his weakened state evaporated. His skill Frenzy can be used once more.

"Everything was as expected! The fifth round is when the winner will really be determined!" Wang Zihao gripped his large blade, a smile on his face.

Xia Xue let out a long breath, "I'm in the top 5. It shouldn't be a problem to enter Xiajing Academy."

Zuo Mei has a solemn look in her eyes, "Xiajing Academy, here I come."

Without exception, the goal of all five people is Xiajing Academy.

The examiner's voice rang out again.

"I know you want to enter Xiajing Academy."

"However, it's not that easy to enter Xiajing Academy."

"Don't think you can have a peace of mind by reaching the top five. There is still the final round of the examination left. If your performance isn't good enough, you will still be eliminated."

"If you want to enter Xiajing Academy, you must earn points."

"So long as you earn 10,000 points, you will be able to enter Xiajing Academy."

"Now listen carefully to the rules of the fifth round."

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The five individuals perked up their ears and listened attentively.

The fifth round has its own name.

It is called Battle-Space.

They will be sent into a special space.

Where monsters will emerge in endless succession.

Including Warrior-type, Mage-type, Archer-type, and Knight-type monsters.

Any type of monster you can think of will appear in Battle-Space.

And they will appear in large numbers. For the first batch, there will be more than 100 monsters.

In the later stages, there will be enhanced, elite, enhanced elite, leader, and even boss rank monsters.

The faster you kill the monsters, the more monsters will be bred and the stronger they will be.

This requires them to adjust their killing tempo.

In this case, the faster the tempo isn't the better.

The most crucial thing is the changes regarding points.

Battle-Space can be divided into five stages, with different amounts of points that can be earned at each stage.

In the first stage, the monsters are level 15, and killing them will earn you 50 points per monster.

In the second stage, the monsters are level 16, and killing them will earn you 100 points per monster.

Every time the level of the monsters is raised by one level, the points are doubled.

In the fifth stage, the monsters are level 19, and killing them will earn you 800 points per monster.

And this is just the case for ordinary monsters. Enhanced, elite, leader, and boss rank monsters are worth more points.

If Lin Moyu fails in this round of the examination, his lead will go up in smoke.

It seems a bit unfair.

All previous efforts will be rendered useless.

Lin Moyu realized that for the truly strong, the fifth round is where they will truly exert themselves.

The great examination's function is to select talents who can become pillars of the human race.

When the countdown ended, the fifth round of the great examination officially started.

The remaining five individuals were teleported into the Battle-Space.

In the control room at the top of the tower, footages of the five people disappeared at this time.

The examiners revealed disappointed looks, "Sigh, this damned rule. Even we can't watch."

"Indeed. The fifth round is the most exciting part. But it's not for us to watch."

"With our authority, we can only see the points change."

"Sir Ning, can you watch the fifth round?"

The examiners looked at Ning Xuanfeng with anticipation in their eyes.

They are feeling really restless, especially itching to see Lin Moyu's performance in the fifth round.

Ning Xuanfeng swept with his eyes and uttered in a flat tone, "I can't."

The examiners revealed a startled shade on their faces, "Even you can't."

"Then who can?"

Ning Xuanfeng nodded, "In the empire, there are no more than 10 people who have the authority to watch the fifth round of the great examination."

The examiners were dumbfounded.

No more than ten people, they dare not even think what kind of big shots they are.

Ning Xuanfeng carried on, "Anyway, keep this in mind. This isn't something you should inquire about. I was in a good mood, so I overshared a little."

"I see, I see!"

"Don't worry, we won't."

The examiners are no idiots. They realized that things aren't that simple.

No matter how bold they are, they dare not inquire.

There are no more than 10 people in the entire Shenxia Empire who have this authority.

Just listening to Ning Xuanfeng's words scared them sufficiently.

The Battle-Space is a huge and wide plain.

The earth here is pitch-black, emitting a smell of blood.

There are countless rocks scattered about, some of which are several meters tall.

This environment provides class users with more intricate room of maneuver.

Lin Moyu's nose twitched slightly, "The smell of blood is quite strong. And it's full of the aura of death. This place has gone through an unimaginable battle."

As a Necromancer, Lin Moyu is particularly sensitive to the aura of death.

Whether it's Xihai Mine Dungeon or the previous rounds of the examination.

None contained the aura of death.

This place is different.

It has genuine aura of death lingering in the air.

There has been a real deadly battle here, and it has been of a very large scale.

Blood soaked the earth, turning it dark-brown, with the smell of blood lingering for years.

"This is to have us experience the battlefield in advance?"

Footsteps resounded, and a group of monsters appeared in his line of sight.

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They are at least 50 or 60 meters away.

The group of monsters discovered Lin Moyu.

The monsters roared simultaneously and charged toward Lin Moyu.

There are 10 monsters. They aren't many in number.

Lin Moyu used Detection.

[Ferryn Beastman Warrior]

[Level: 15]

There was no more information.

No attributes, no skills.

This is the first time Detection provided so little information.

Lin Moyu saw that the Ferryn Beastman Warriors have a long tail trailing behind them.

The Ferryn Beastman Warriors look like giant lizards.

Giant lizards that can walk upright.

Roars echoed in Battle-Space, catching the attention of other Ferryn Beastmen.

All of a sudden, several teams of Ferryn Beastmen appeared in Lin Moyu's line of sight.

If it were another class user, when faced with a wave of Ferryn Beastmen.

They would go all out and eliminate a few, and then retreat before being completely surrounded, assuming an indirect approach.

After all, once they are surrounded, the outcome can well be imagined.

Although this way of fighting is suitable for others, but it is not for Lin Moyu.

The three Skeletal Warriors standing next to him rushed out and charged toward the Ferryn Beastmen.

Blades rose and then fell, dealing severe damage to a couple of Ferryn Beastmen at the very front.

After taking a blade strike, the Ferryn Beastmen were on the brink of death. But they didn't die yet.

They still have some health left.

"Eh? They can't be killed in one strike."

"This attribute ... "

The Skeletal Warriors failed to kill the Ferryn Beastmen in one shot, which surprised Lin Moyu a bit.

The physique attribute of the Ferryn Beastman evidently isn't low.

Their attacks also fell on the Skeletal Warriors, but didn't cause much damage.

This indicates that their strength attribute isn't high.

These monsters possess high physique but low strength.

Lin Moyu made his judgment.

If one strike isn't enough, then two will do.

A Ferryn Beastman unleashed a heart-wrenching scream and then collapsed on the ground, dead.

Lin Moyu's points changed in an instant.

They jumped from 3,605 points to 3,655 points.

In the control room, although you can't see footages of the fifth round of the examination, but you can see the points change.

"Lin Moyu has started."

"That was quick."

Then the points jumped again, from 3,655 to 4,105.

This greatly startled the examiners.

They exchanged looks, wondering what happened.

Why did they suddenly increase so much?

After a Skeletal Warrior killed a Ferryn Beastman Warrior, Lin Moyu used Corpse Explosion.

With a loud bang, the group of Ferryn Beastmen was wiped out.

The 10 Ferryn Beastmen provided 500 points to Li Moyu.

Following that, Lin Moyu didn't take any further action, but instead waited for the remaining Ferryn Beastmen to come to him.

Since the other party will rush to him, there is no need for him to go to them.

There are nine corpses left. Once the other Ferryn Beastmen come to him, he just needs to unleash Corpse Explosion.

But in the next moment, Lin Moyu was surprised to find that the corpses were missing.

It's as if the corpses have sunk into the pitch-black earth and disappeared.

From start to finish, the corpses only lasted for 10 seconds.

"What's going on."

"It seems that the plan needs to be amended slightly."

Looking at the Ferryn Beastman teams rushing toward him from different directions, Lin Moyu released several Skeletal Warriors.

A total of nine Skeletal Warriors were released, allocated to the nine teams respectively.

The Skeletal Warriors ran toward the teams of Ferryn Beastmen along with clicking sounds.

The monsters were gradually drawn together.

Two minutes later, close to 100 Ferryn Beastmen have been gathered together.

The Skeletal Warriors attacked simultaneously, instantly killing a Ferryn Beastman.

A blare erupted in an instant.

In the short span of three seconds, Lin Moyu used Corpse Explosion seven or eight times.

The pitch-black earth trembled incessantly.

The Ferryn Beastman Warriors were slaughtered completely.

And Lin Moyu's points reached 8,605 points in a flash.

The control room of the Tower of Trials became lively again.

"What on earth did Lin Moyu do?"

"Why did his points suddenly increase so much?"

"Who knows. We can't see anything that's happening in the Battle-Space."

"Lin Moyu had 3,605 points before. But now he has 8,605 points. This is an increase of 5,000 points."

"I can only be seen that the first batch of 100 monsters has been completely wiped out. As for how they were wiped out, I also don't know."

The examiners exchanged looks.

Looking at the points of the others, they couldn't really figure out anything.

Lin Moyu is just a level 16 kid, so how strong can his skills really be?

For him to kill 100 monsters in one fell swoop, this is something unbelievable.

Xia Xue, for example, is an Elemental Mage and is proficient in AOE offensive skills, yet her points only rose in increments of 50 or 100 points.

Unlike Lin Moyu, who gained 5,000 points in just a few minutes.

This is something that no one would believe.

Ning Xuanfeng is much calmer than the examiners, but his eyelids still jumped up.

Even with his insight, he can hardly imagine how Lin Moyu did it.

"What on earth did this kid do?"

"What sort of class is Necromancer?"

"What the hell is his limit?"

Question marks appeared in Ning Xuanfeng's mind one after another.

He is also very curious about what is happening in the Battle-Space.

Unfortunately, he doesn't have sufficient authority to access the Battle-Space.

He can only analyze changes in points and make judgements.

In the Battle-Space, the corpses disappeared without a trace after only 10 seconds.

Lin Moyu waited quietly for the second batch of monsters to appear.

"Do I have to wait for one minute, like in the fourth round?"

This thought just popped up in his mind, when a sense of crisis arose out of the blue.

The sky turned red, and dozens of fireballs with a diameter of one meter smashed down like meteorites.

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Lin Moyu was startled. The Skeletal Warriors stacked on one another, forming a shield to protect Lin Moyu.

The meteorite-like fireballs smashed into the Skeletal Warriors and exploded into seas of sparks, painting a gorgeous picture.

Lin Moyu is very clear about his weakness.

His physique is too lacking. If he faced this attack head-on, a massive amount of damage would be transferred to the Skeletal Warriors.

But if the Skeletal Warriors block the attack themselves, the result will be completely different.

With their powerful physique, Skeletal Warriors possess extremely high defense.

They can practically ignore this little damage.

Standing behind the Skeletal Warriors, Lin Moyu saw groups of Beastmen appear in front.

A group of Ferryn Beastman Mages waved their staves and unleashed Rain of Fire.

A large number of Ferryn Beastman Warriors rushed over, brandishing their weapons.

These monsters appeared out of the blue.

Lin Moyu's lips curled up.

It doesn't matter how they appeared. What matters is that he doesn't need to wait for them to spawn.

The Mage-type monsters kept using their skill from behind, ceaselessly unleashing Rain of Fire.

In order to ensure his safety, Lin Moyu used 10 skeletons to form a shield to block the attacks of the Mage-type monsters.

At the same time, 10 skeletons were released to confront the Warrior-type Beastmen.

"Use your skill!"

Following his order, the blades in the hands of the Skeletal Warriors suddenly lit up with red light.

Berserk Strike!

The strength attribute of the Skeletal Warriors is 5,000. Coupled with the skill's effect, their attack power was doubled.

Ferryn Beastman Warriors were killed in an instant.

Lin Moyu's palm glowed.

Loud rumbling rose.

Corpses exploded one after another.

Ferryn Beastman Warriors fell like wheat to a scythe.

In just a few seconds, the more than 100 Ferryn Beastman Warriors who rushed over had died.

The 10 Skeletal Warriors rushed toward the Ferryn Beastman Mages lightning fast.

With their agility attribute of 5,000 points, the Skeletal Warriors can break out with astonishing speed.

With the huge disparity in attributes, the Skeletal Warriors appeared in Lin Moyu'e eyes as afterimages.

In the blink of an eye, the Skeletal Warriors crossed a distance of tens of meters and appeared in front of the Ferryn Beastman Mages.

Blades rose and fell, claiming the life of a Mage-type monster with each strike.

Since the Ferryn Beastman Mages can't compare to the Warriors in terms of physique, they were killed by the Skeletal Warriors with one strike of the blade.

Consequently, Rain of Fire disappeared, and peace and quiet resumed once again.

When Lin Moyu's side recovered its calm, the eyes of the examiners in the control room of the Tower of Trial turned round.

After only stopping for 10-plus seconds, Lin Moyu's points soared like a rocket again.

14,605 points. In less than 10 seconds, his points increased by 6,000 points.

This signifies that Lin Moyu killed another 120 monsters.

After witnessing Lin Moyu's points soar for the second time, an answer came to mind.

"This guy has an AOE offensive skill."

"This class is outrageous. Its single target skill is already abnormal, and it still has a similarly abnormal AOE offensive skill."

"Not only are the skills powerful, but the summons are equally powerful."

"I think this class has exceeded the legendary rank, and can compare to those several classes."

"We can't say it for sure. After all, his level is still low. It still remains to be seen."

Just because you are strong while at a lower level doesn't necessarily mean you will continue to be strong when your level rises.

Conversely, just because you are weak while at a lower level doesn't mean you will continue to be weak when your level rises.

There are even some classes that remain unremarkable until you acquire a certain skill, and then become irreplaceable.

There is also a class that is generally not very useful.

But once war breaks out, it will become overpowered.

All of its skills are legion-type group skills.

If there is such a class user in an army, the combat power of the entire army can be doubled.

Lin Moyu is oblivious of the examiners' thoughts.

At this moment, he heard a rumble.

The earth started vibrating.

The corpses disappeared during the vibrations, as if engulfed by the earth.

Invisible gases rose from the earth, and the air became even more saturated with the smell of blood, even carrying a hint of a putrid smell.

It is nauseating.

The sky has become even darker and more gloomy.

The atmosphere became suffocating.

"The second stage."

Lin Moyu looked at the sky.

Lin Moyu seems to be well adapted to this atmosphere, showing no signs of discomfort.

Perhaps it is related to his class.

The aura of death doesn't make him feel uncomfortable.

The only thing he doesn't like is the increasingly bad smell.

The earth's vibration gradually stopped. Lin Moyu had the Skeletal Warriors surround him and remain vigilant of the surroundings.

A few seconds later, footsteps sounded.

"Here we go!"

Lin Moyu spoke in his mind.

A large number of monsters, in teams of five, suddenly emerged in the surroundings.

[Ferryn Beastman Champion]

[Level: 16]

[Ferryn Beastman Archer]

[Level: 16]

Each team is composed of three Champions and two Archers.

The Champions and Archers are both level 16.

There are at least 40 teams scattered in the surroundings.

Lin Moyu seems to be surrounded.

After entering the second stage, not only did the level of the monsters increase by one level, but also their number increased two-fold.

Lin Moyu, however, isn't worried.

After all, it's just a level 16 monsters.

Even without using Corpse Explosion, with just 20 Skeletal Warriors, he can spend some time to cut all of these guys to death.

At this time, he is pondering another question.

"Based on this level of difficulty, it will be hard for other classes to pass the second stage."

"Even if they can break through it, it will take a lot of time."

In Lin Moyu's eyes, the difficulty of the first stage wasn't high.

With a little effort, most class users can break through it.

The second stage is much more difficult. Merely increasing the level by one level and doubling the number, the two changes are enough to increase the difficulty several-fold.

Plus, there are also Archers. Archers are known as the natural enemies of Mages.

These changes can be daunting to most Mage-type class users.

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Lin Moyu's conjectures are correct.

In the history of Shenxia Empire, very few examinees were able to pass the second stage of the fifth round.

The fifth found of the examination is held in Battle-Space, and it is the final round.

Battle-Space has a total of five stages.

The current record is passing the third stage.

This record was set more than 100 years ago.

No one has broken this record until now.

The examiners of Jiangning Province wonder whether Lin Moyu can break this record.

"I think he has a chance."

"Although I don't know what this guy's skills are. But from his previous results, it can be seen that his skills are quite abnormal."

The examiners no longer want to describe the skills as powerful, but directly refer to them as abnormal.

"I suspect he has awakened a talent."

"No matter how powerful a class is, but it still has its limits. It can't be this powerful."

"If he has really awakened a talent, that would be a great thing."

"That's right. If you awaken a talent just after awakening your class, you might be able to awaken a new talent during the second class awakening."

"You're asking for too much. Class users with a talent are already very rare, while class users with two talents are even rarer."

"Who knows."

The examiners went off track as they talked.

But they all paid close attention to changes in his points.

Lin Moyu's points either remain unchanged or soar like a rocket, painting a stark contrast.

Lin Moyu repeated the same old trick, and the Skeletal Warriors rushed out and attracted the attention of the Ferryn Beastmen.

What matters is not that the method is novel, but that it is practical.

The Skeletal Warriors will attract the monsters' firepower, pull them together, and create corpses, and then Lin Moyu will use Corpse Explosion and unleash a massacre.

Lin Moyu is already familiar with this method, and it is highly efficient.

The scattered Skeletal Warriors quickly attracted all the Ferryn Beastmen in sight.

Next, they began to run around the Ferryn Beastman Archers.

When the monsters were gathered together, Lin Moyu ordered the Skeletal Warriors to attack.

After the Skeletal Warriors unleashed their skill, they instantly cut down several level 16 Ferryn Beastman Champions.

Then Lin Moyu unleashed Corpse Explosion successively. In the blink of an eye, the surrounding area regained its peace once again.

His points instantly increased by 20,000, reaching a total of 34,605 points.

In the second stage, each monster will provide 100 points.

Lin Moyu killed 200 monsters, which is equivalent to 20,000 points.

The examiners kept their calm this time.

"This guy has entered the second stage."

"The level of the monsters in the second stage increased only by one level. This had no impact on him."

"This is no different from delivering points to him. If it weren't for the lack of authority, I would really like to increase the difficulty."

"That's right. If dozens of bosses were unleashed, that would be really fun."

Looking at Lin Moyu's 30,000-plus points, and then at the points of the others, the contrast is really stark.

So far, Xia Xue ranks second.

Xia Xue, as an Elemental Mage, has pretty good AOE offensive skills.

She is the second-fastest individual to clear the monsters.

At this point, she has already accumulated more than 7,000 points.

She has nearly eliminated the first round of 100 monsters.

Following Xia Xue is Feng Xiu.

This Holy Swordsman caught up from behind and accumulated 6,000 points.

From this, it can be seen that Holy Swordsman is also a class that can handle crowd combat well.

Then there is Zuo Mei and Wang Zihao.

Zuo Mei carried out one attack after another. Although she is steady, but the efficiency isn't high.

Wang Zihao's approach is quite direct. He directly confronted the monsters, meeting force with force.

As for the skill Frenzy, it's not the time for it yet.

The both of them are slower at accumulating points. So far, they have just over 5,000 points.

But they have confidence in themselves.

For them, clearing the first stage and breaking 10,000 points is not a problem.

Once they break 10,000 points, they will meet all requirements, namely level, class, and score, and will be able to enter Xiajing Academy.

The great examination of Shenxia Empire is empire wide, and is conducted on a provincial basis.

It is held on the same day and at the same time, and the progress between provinces is also similar.

Practically all provinces have already started the fifth round of the examination.

One Tower of Trials after another has opened a Battle-Space.

Anyone who can enter it is unequivocally a genius

This is the most talented group of examinees of Shenxia Empire this year.

In the eyes of the senior figures of Shenxia Empire, these examinees are future pillars of Shenxia Empire.

Every year, a group of strong seedlings is born, delivering fresh blood to Shenxia Empire.

In the capital of Shenxia Empire, the renowned Xiajing City.

A huge tower emerged in midair.

Countless people in Xiajing City looked up at the sky. No matter where they were located in the city, they were able clearly see this tower.

This tower is usually hidden, only showing itself on the day of the great examination of Shenxia Empire.

This is the main body of the Tower of Trials.

The Towers of Trials that are holding the great examination in the provincial capitals are its clones.

In Shenxia Empire, there are three towers.

The Tower of Trials is one of them.

Another one is Shenxia Tower located at Xiajing Academy.

The last one is known as Demon Extermination Tower, and it is permanently located on the front line.

Suddenly, the sky darkened, and the temperature dropped sharply.

A darkness fell in an instant, and a pitch-black wicked radiance streaked toward the Tower of Trials at an astonishing speed.

"Brazen!"

A deafening voice resounded throughout the city.

A large virtual hand appeared in the air and tried to block the pitch-black wicked radiance.

"Ke-ke, you can't stop me!"

Eerie laughter came from the pitch-black wicked radiance. At the same time, the black radiance expanded.

A huge Demon head appeared in the darkness.

The head has two horns and a mouth full of sharp teeth. It looks exactly the same as depictions of Demons in books.

The horns emitted a piercing sound, and black light burst out and shot toward the giant illusory hand.

When the black light and the giant hand collided, they cancelled each other out.

At this time, a giant eyeball appeared, and golden light ejected out from the eyeball and barreled toward the pitch-black wicked radiance

The pitch-black wicked radiance suddenly split into two, and one of them collided with the golden light.

The speed of the other suddenly increased by dozens of times, and it rushed into the Tower of Trials in the blink of an eye.

"You're seeking death!"

A giant hand appeared in the air again and firmly gripped the Demon head.

The Demon head chuckled malevolently, "This is just a clone. Go ahead and kill it."

"However, the little ones in your Tower of Trials... ke-ke..."

With a bang, the Demon head burst.

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Three figures appeared next to the main body of the Tower of Trials.

They have an imposing stature, and are standing on empty air.

"I didn't expect those scum from the Abyss to come and launch a surprise attack."

"These unsightly vermin."

"What now?"

One of them touched the Tower of Trial to investigate the situation inside.

"The scum of the Abyss has sneaked in."

"Their target is the examinees in the Battle-Space."

"The space inside the tower is disrupted. Abyss's power has polluted its laws."

"The land inside the tower originally stems from the Abyss, which is advantageous to them. I need time to rectify the disruption."

"How long will it take?"

"One hour."

At this moment, in the tower's Battle-Space, the students are killing monsters with all their might.

All of a sudden, all the monsters disappeared.

Then the space changed.

In a flash, the atmosphere became even more oppressive.

Strands of black gas oozed out of the earth.

"What is this?"

"What's going on?"

"Why did the monsters suddenly disappear?"

Lin Moyu promptly called the Skeletal Warriors over to protect him.

When things are unclear, protecting your safety is the best choice.

"Dummy Lin."

There was a familiar voice, and Lin Moyu saw Xia Xue.

To see another person in the Battle-Space, Lin Moyu was evidently a bit surprised.

Not only was he surprised, but Xia Xue was also surprised.

The Skeletal Warriors opened a path for Xia Xue to get to Lin Moyu.

Xia Xue asked, "Do you know what's going on?"

Lin Moyu shook his head, indicating that he doesn't know.

Xia Xue said, "A moment ago, I was fighting monsters, but then they suddenly disappeared."

"I wonder what's going on."

At first, Xia Xue was startled, but not anymore. With Lin Moyu around, things didn't seem as scary anymore.

Lin Moyu is quite calm and collected, which gave Xia Xue some peace of mind.

Immediately after, beams of light rose in the pitch-black Battle-Space.

Examinees appeared in the Battle-Space one after another.

There are more than 100 people in total.

In addition to the five people of Jiangning Province, there are also examinees from other provinces.

"Kids."

A voice suddenly rang out.

"I am Bai Yiyuan."

Murmur!

Everyone in the Battle-Space was shocked, and their eyes went round.

"God Bai, it's God Bai."

"I can actually hear the voice of God Bai."

Bai Yiyuan is a top powerhouse of Shenxia Empire and is addressed as God Bai.

When his voice sounded, it caused a fierce reaction in the Battle-Space.

God Bai's voice not only resounded in the Battle-Space, but also spread throughout every examination site.

Ning Xuanfeng's countenance changed slightly.

"Why did God Bai step it? Did something happen?"

Bai Yiyuan's voice rang out again, "A Demon from the Abyss has invaded the Battle-Space."

"We are now in the process of repairing the laws of the Battle-Space, and it will take about an hour."

"The Demon's target is you guys."

"Therefore, for the next hour, you must do your best to survive."

"We don't know what methods the Demon will use to deal with you."

"However, so long as you stay united, the invading force of the Abyss won't be able to take you down."

"Shenxia people fear not combat nor death."

His words carry extreme inspiratory force, giving rise to strong resonance.

"We fear not combat nor death!"

"We fear not combat nor death!"

"We fear not combat nor death!"

The examinees are youths full of vitality.

At this moment, their emotions were roused, and they shouted loudly.

Xia Xue couldn't help but want to shout as well, but when she saw the still quiet Lin Moyu, she raised her hand halfway before giving up.

Although Lin Moyu didn't shout. But he is only 18 years old, and is a Shenxia person.

His eyes inadvertently surged with a shade of agitation.

Although he didn't shout, but when it comes to killing the Abyssal Demon, he won't be pulling his punches.

The examinees began to gather together.

They were told since they were little that the Abyss is a very scary place.

In the Abyss, there are countless monsters and Demons and a large number of dungeons.

"It is said that the Abyss is a very scary place. In the Abyss, the weakest monsters are level 70, and they are elite monsters to boot." Xia Xue uttered in a low voice.

She heard Xia Dongyang talk about how terrifying the Abyss is, and so a seed of fear took root in her heart.

Lin Moyu only knows about the Abyss from books. However, it was only mentioned in passing.

In other words, he knows nothing about the Abyss.

"I believe God Bai." Lin Moyu said lightly.

Since Bai Yiyuan has spoken, then as long as they unite, they should be able to resist the invading force of the Abyss.

Lin Moyu caught the key point in Bai Yiyuan's words.

They are not facing the Abyss.

But an invading force of the Abyss.

The invading force wouldn't be too strong. They should be able to contend against it.

If a monster from the Abyss, a level 70 elite monster, had come, it would be enough to one-shot everyone here.

Including Lin Moyu.

In the control room, Ning Xuanfeng's eyes turned dignified, "How could such a thing happen?"

He is much calmer than the examiners, who are quite a bit panicked.

"How could this happen?"

"Unexpectedly, such a thing took place. The force of the Abyss deliberately broke in during the great examination."

"No good. Their target is the geniuses who are taking part in the fifth round of the examination."

"If this issue isn't handled appropriately, they will come again next year and the year after that."

"They intend to sever the roots of Shenxia Empire."

The geniuses who can enter the Battle-Space are future pillars of Shenxia Empire.

The force of the Abyss is quite insidious.

"Quiet."

Ning Xuanfeng suddenly spoke up, causing the examiners to shut up.

Ning Xuanfeng swept them with his eyes as if with a sword, "Tell the people outside not to panic and to believe God Bai."

"You too. Believe God Bai"

The examiners spoke respectfully one after another, "Believe God Bai!"

The status of God Bai is sublime. In Shenxia Empire, there is no one who wouldn't believe his words.

Soon, the people outside quieted down.

Everyone chose to believe God Bai.

At the same time, they also prayed for the examinees in the Battle-Space.

The atmosphere in the Battle-Space grew increasingly more solemn.

At some point, a crimson moon appeared in the sky.

"It's an Abyssal Blood Moon!"

Someone exclaimed in surprise.

"The force of the Abyss has begun to act."

"Everyone, get ready."