

## Be Honest! 106

Chapter 106 The System's Dilemma

Very quickly, the system returned to its place as though sneaking around its host.

And Dorian, who was in a state of close cultivation, calmly raised his brows playfully.

'Where did you run off to?'

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The system felt very guilty and scared after ratting out its host like that. But it dared not tell the truth, lest it damaged the bond he had worked so hard to build with its host.

That is, compared to when it first came into this world, now, the host was willing to talk to it... Even if it was just 2 or 3 words at a time.

So wasn't this progress?

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[Host! Host! Don't be angry. The system just wanted to sleep a little. That's all!]

'Oh.' Dorian replied casually before entering cultivation mode again.

It felt the system leave it briefly, and even after calling the system, no one responded to him.

So it figured that it either went to sleep or went somewhere else.

And because he couldn't be bothered with the system's movements at this moment, he didn't notice its anxiousness.

Phew.

The system wiped its non-existent sweat, thanking its lucky stars that its host hadn't noticed its weirdness.

'Next time, tell me in advance... And, I hope you don't have the habit of making me repeat myself. This should be the very last time this happens, understood?'

The system trembled with fear and guilt: [Yes! Yes! Host. I will definitely tell you in advance before falling asleep next time]

'Hmm.' Dorian hummed while putting the system's matter behind it.

The warning now was the only one it would give it.

For one, even though he rarely depended on the system, why should he have an Ace card up his sleeve and not use it?

The system for him was his last and final backup in any situation.

So if it were to disappear or suddenly fall asleep during tasks or working hours, then it would screw up his backup plans.

Dorian's eyes glowed mysteriously.

A non-reliable system was not what he needed!

Shiver. Shiver.

The system felt goosebumps after feeling its host cold aura leak out.

It didn't know how, but it suspected that its host was secretly criticizing it in his heart.

The system had no tears but truly wanted to cry.

What should it do if its host is a little too evil?

Master... Master... It really missed its Master's kind aura right about now.

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Like so, the system stayed as silent as it could while watching over its host that was deep in cultivation.

And after another 2 hours or so, its host finally opened its eyes before clicking his hands calmly.

Woosh!

The small jewelry-sized wooden box on the other side of the room steadily flew towards him and landed in his palms.

Eh? What did its host want to do?

~Catchak!

Dorian unlocked the box and opened it slowly.

And only after the system saw the content within it did it go crazy with worry.

[Host. Host... Why are you still playing around with this thing? If you say it's an underworld relic, then do you know how much danger you'll be in once it's discovered?]

The system was so terrified that it almost wanted to go back to its master and report the host's movements yet again.

This time, it was thinking of its host's safety and nothing more.

Of course, those were its initial thoughts after seeing the bone-finger relic.

If those who sent the relic to this world were looking for it, then wouldn't the host's life be in grave danger?

The power from the relics was that of fallen Underworld Rulers, for heaven's sake.

So do you know how much power was stored in this tiny thing?

F\*\*\*!

Those who gathered and activated as many relics as they could, would undoubtedly be powerful existences that could destroy an entire city with just the flick of a wrist.

The system seemed to be pouring water on a duck's back because no matter how it spoke, its host still remained as silent as ever.

But, it was his eyes!

They glowed with a strange light that deeply scared the system.

Honestly, the system felt that if not for the heavenly oath, its host would be more evil!

Well, maybe not too evil

After all, its host was the sort of person that wouldn't pick a fight with anyone.

He never started troubles but did a damn good job at finishing them.

In a sense, he always acted in self-defence and nothing more.

So... Could it be that its host was actually just a good person who liked living like a hermit?

Ahhh! Humans were so confusing! Especially when they have both Yin and Yang in them.

So it was okay for its host to be both good and bad, right?

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Sigh...

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The system had long given up on understanding its host, and was now focused on its host's well-being instead.

After all, it just promised its master that it wouldn't disappoint him.

So how could it lose its host so soon?

[Host. That thing is dangerous, and you're not strong enough to handle it. So I'm only worrying for your saf...]

'Shut it. My ears are bleeding.'

[...]

Fine! Fine!

The system felt like it was a mother taking care of a troublesome child. What else could it do?

Who made it contract the wrong host at the beginning?

Why didn't it contract a lovely host just like its other system friends?

Dorian focused on the relic in his possession, staring at all parts of the bony finger deeply as though trying to find the key that could unlock the relic.

'As you said, this is a protected space created by the heavens, correct?'

[Yes, host.]

'And, nothing outside can detect what's going on in here, right?'

[Yes, host.]

'So, if I activate the relic in here, no underworld being will be able to sense it, no?'

[... Yes, host... But....]

'Hmmm... Then that's good.' Dorian said, as though dismissing the system to shut up.

Dorian stared at the bone intently.

The bone was somewhat silvery and seemed to mesmerize any who stared at it for long.

But Dorian seemed remarkably unaffected instead.

Why?

Why was its host so strange?

Chapter 107 My Precious~~

The system's heart skipped a beat while looking at the silvery-bone textured relic in Dorian's hands.

Oh No! What should it do? What should it do?

The system felt as though its poor system-lifespan was being toyed with by its host.

Underworld relics being around humans was definitely a bad idea!

If the relics came from angels, then the repercussions would be slightly better.

However, an underworld relic only meant disaster for humans that possessed them and couldn't activate them.

Underworld beings in possession of the relics would remain fine and unscathed, even if they failed to activate it. But humans were different.

Okay. It was best to start with the basics when it and to these relics.

In general, Underworld creatures were 99% more liable to activate underworld relics.

It was just facts.

And humans only had a 1% possibility of activating them.

That is, the relic wanted someone with power, as well as someone whose heart and entire being were deemed worthy enough.

The majestic air around the human must be inconceivable for that to happen.

Additionally, they also have to unlock the relic's potential, as though solving a puzzle too.

And throughout human history in this world, there have been some humans that managed to activate these relics... Like Emperor Yuzah way back in this world's ancient times.

That said emperor was recorded as one of the bloodiest Emperors of his time.

It was said that he could kill an entire legion of warriors all by himself.

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You know, the stories went on like this, but now modern people don't believe it.

Anyway, after his body reign, he somehow died mysteriously, 2 years later.

No one knew who killed him, but what they didn't understand was that the moment he awakened the relic, a surge of power emitted out that almost called the attention of all demons to the mortal world he was in.

What was even more frightening was that the demons that already existed in this jurisdiction quickly came for him one after the other, all wanting to take the relic.

Emperor Yuzah fought using the demonic power within the relic and managed to kill them day by day.

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So imagine how invincible one could be?

It was just that after 2 whole years of fighting almost every single day, he ended up getting swallowed whole by a demon who took the relic away to absorb its powers.

So you see, humans keeping relics was just too dangerous a thing.

How long could one fight every single day, forever?

Humans couldn't absorb the power in the relics unless they reached a very high cultivation rank that was complete immortality.

Such a rank would take tens of thousands of years to get to.



And cultivators didn't exist in this world.

So... it was safe to say that humans here couldn't absorb the power in the relics, unlike the underworld creatures that could absorb the powers and get it done with.

In that way, they wouldn't get targeted, and many might but even know that they absorbed the powers in the end.

So humans were indeed at a disadvantage.

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Additionally, if one held on to the relic but didn't activate it, the relic would slowly make them seem mad to the rest of the world.

My precious...

They would sleep with the damn thing, stare at it all the time, and forget about the other important things in their lives.

F\*\*\*! Some would even kick their wives, husbands and children out if they dared touch the relics.

There have been cases of people in other worlds forgetting to eat, so much so that they ended up looking so bony and malnourished.

Some also cut their own limbs out just to get the relics back.

No doubt about it, in the hands of any human that couldn't activate it, these relics would no doubt be deadly.

So thinking in this manner, how could the system not get worried for its host?

The longer its host stayed with this relic, wouldn't it make him eventually grow mad in the end?

The system wanted to say something but once again had another doubt in his eyes.

Wait. This wasn't right.

The first time the host picked up the relic, shouldn't he already be so drawn to it that he wouldn't be able to put it away.

But not only did its host not seem hypnotized, but he also acted as though he didn't seem to put the relic's enchantment in his eyes at all.

So why was that?

The system had once again fallen into another wave of doubt. But it only felt as though it was overthinking things again.

After all, didn't its master confirm the truth to it a moment ago?

Its host was normal, and all this was talent!

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Dorian stared at the relic lazily, wondering if his guesses were right or not.

In his old world, they said relics could mesmerize and enchant people.

So why didn't he feel anything?

Or could it be that he was wrong, and this wasn't a relic at all?

Dorian borrowed his brows and quickly threw his doubts away.

The one thing he trusted was his intuition.

Maybe he was wrong at this moment, but his intuition told him that he was on the right track.

Additionally, he could feel a very minute, almost non-existent extent of power trying to leak out from the strange finger.

Hmmm...

Dorian tapped his fingers deeply.

He could test it out on his men and see if they got drawn to the relic. But the cons outweigh the pros.

And maybe because of the original owner's good feelings towards his men, as well as his own grown likeness for them, he didn't want to use his men as guinea pigs.

Because if this thing was truly a relic and he allowed them to see it just once, you best believe that they would start searching and acting like a person on drugs, always scratching and looking for something.

So he decided not to go about things in that route.

Nonetheless, he still has other ways of testing it out.

But for now, it was to keep this thing well hidden and away from anyone's eyes.

He felt that rather than the system whinning, it should be grateful that he picked this thing up.

Or, what if it fell into the hands of some other human?

Dorian placed the relic in the box and quickly hid it away.

Heh. He was going to unlock the power within the relic.

But he was still too weak to handle it now.

With that, Dorian continued his deep cultivation.

And soon enough, it was time for him to get ready.

That's right. It was time for them to head to the Auction Home!

Chapter 108 Tigers In Heat!

Time passed on swiftly, with several households getting ready to move out.

The Ghu family, the Gia family, Bho, Su, Hou and of course, the new head of the Tian's group would also come out for tonight's auction too.

Of course, countless other 2nd-rated families were also wealthy, but not as rich as the big 6!

Nonetheless, these people still came out because this was a rare opportunity to mingle with the big 6.

Holy cow! They were going to be in the same room with the big 6.

So you best believe that they would use every opportunity they had to make a connection with any one of these 6, and hopefully, expand their businesses in this manner.

Of course, countless others also planned to come out with their daughters and sons in hopes that any members of these families could fall in love with their children.

They were hoping that their children would be able to catch the eye of any direct family member... But if that couldn't work, then hopefully, they could catch the eyes of extended members like cousins with the same surnames or something like that.

Today, several people headed out to the Auction home like tigers in heat, as their prey was any one of the big 6!

"Daughter, wear the red gown I bought for you today. Trust me; mother knows best nothing can quite capture a man's attention like a woman in red."

"Son, why is your hair still in that wacky hairdo? What stupid trend are you talking about? Slick it to the side and make it look more presentable. Your father needs this contract from the Bho's very urgently. So you just hook up with one of their daughters, be it by hook or crook!"

"Daughter, a man likes women he would protect. Cute and very soft. So wear only soft colours, making you stand out from all those obvious seductresses that would be there today!"

"I know mom, don't you trust your daughter? By the end of tonight, I'll be able to bag at least one of them in my hands."

"Good. Good. That's my daughter!"

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Like so, countless parents began instructing their children on who to target and what to do for tonight's occasion.

They hired the best hairstylists, makeup artists, and so many other professional staff to make their children shine as brightly as they could.

Every parent had their own idea of what men or women should like.

Hence, they began telling their girls to either come on strong or act like damsels in distress.

As for their boys, they gave a few lessons here and there on what they thought girls would like.

Hey! It would be a blessing if any of their children could marry into any of the big 6.

So how could they just let this opportunity slip by?

Even those with so-called fiances still joined the hunt, but decided to do so discreetly, as though it wouldn't be their intention to seduce their prey.

Yes!

Tonight, the hunt was on. And even the divorced middle-aged ladies and men also joined in on the plan, targeting any married men within the big 6.

Heh. So what if they were married?

All they had to do was two the guy around their little finger and made him kick and divorce his existing wife.

So in the end, wouldn't they finally join any of the big 6 families in this way?

Thinking about it now, the fastest method was to sleep with the guy and get 'pregnant.'

Yes! Yes! They all wanted to join the big 6!

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Like so, countless people swarmed towards the massive Auction home in the same manner in which honey attracted bees.

Vrrrrrrmmmmmm!

The traffic to the place was heavy, with everyone heading over there in a jiffy.

Heh.

Tonight, everyone had their own agendas at heart.

And one by one, they popped out on the scene, mixing their excitement to be here in the I'm a place with the big 6!

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Tick-Tock. Tick-Tock.

The clock was ticking with countless people hastily taking their seats while chatting and looking around from time to time.

Their eyes kept darting around maniacally as though they were hungry for blood.

And what were they searching for?

Of course, it was for one of the Big 6!

In events like this, the big 6 were typically sent to the Private bulletproof and sound-protected glass rooms above the floor, where they would sit and observe the overall situation.

Of course, they were placed alongside the walls of the curved room, giving them some access to see the faces of those below. .and you know, some women and men wanted to use this to their advantage.

Anyway, unlike the other guests, the big 6 had a 'V.I.P-Super Plus' status here and could use as many of these glass viewing booths above.

That's right. The upper part of the booth was see-through.

So even those below could see the faces of those in the glass boxes from the waist upwards.

In the room, these guests would have any drinks or comfort that the auction home could offer.

And when they intended to call out their bid, they could just press the buttons before each seat and call out their bids from the glass boxes.

Everything was properly organized, giving the Super-Plus V.I.P's all they required, with maximum privacy in their glass booths.

Heh. But this wasn't the opportunity that many people looked forward to.

Yes. The big 6 could notice them and see their beauty or handsomeness from above.

But if they didn't have the chance to talk to me another, then what good is it?

No! Many people were looking forward to the small charity event after the Auction.

That is, today's charity event was hosted by the Su family here in the Auction Home.

So of course, all the other Big 6 would stay back for a while and show face, which was a perfect opportunity for them to mingle!

Like so, the guests all sat with deep smiles on their faces, looking forward to the charity event after this.

And soon enough, the first Big Guest had arrived!

Chapter 109 Enter: The Great Medical Family!

Instantly, everyone deludedly turned their heads towards one of the glass booths that now had people walking into it.

The ladies took out their trusty mirrors and quickly looked at their faces, ensuring that they were still as beautiful as ever, before secretly twisting their trusty hand mirrors to the booth on the side.

Who? Which one family had just stepped in?

Bubuum! Bubuum!



Their hearts all speeded up, unbeknownst to them.

And some people quickly gripped the edge of their seats excitedly while trying to stop their lips from quivering in glee.

Hahahhahahah! The first one had arrived! One of the big 6 was here!

But which family was it?

"Daughter! Look, don't look now. But on the booth directly to our left is the Hou Family!"

"The Hou family? The famous Medical family that owned and supplied over 60% of pharmaceuticals in the country?"

"Yes! That's the one. But that's not all they have under their belt. They also have hospitals across the nation, and almost all of their direct descendants are famous doctors in the country... Daughter. The Hou's have a lot of talented people in their home. But it's best for you to target any of the main 4 young masters!"

"Son! The Hou's have renowned female doctors in their homes. So make sure to woo them fast!"

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Once again, everyone was secretly reinforcing their plans while glancing at the Hou family in awe.

It would truly be nice if they could enter the Hou family.

And the Hou members above only stared at those below casually, not putting their little calculations in their hearts.

Rather, they were deeply focused on other major concerns that worried or troubled top-notch families such as theirs.

The current head of the Hou Family, 2nd Master Chen Hou, calmly looked at his older brother curiously.

"How odd. So you're saying you found nothing wrong with the little girl when you went over there this afternoon?"

"Second brother, nothing. The girl's results were drastically different from what I recorded earlier on. The change is just too shocking, to say the least. But if that's true, then this is nothing short of a medical miracle! But I don't believe in miracles. Only science can explain it all. So what exactly caused the girl's current results?" 1st master Jung Hou said while frowning suspiciously.

You know, he was the one who personally handled the Gia girl's matter a few days ago.

And each day, he and his team would go over to the Gia home for checkup.

Yes. He may have been Old Hou's eldest son, but he wasn't interested in running and overseeing the numerous businesses under their name.

And that's where his 2nd brother came in.

His second brother focused on Running and getting licenses and portals for all pharmaceutical companies under their family name.

And his 3rd brother was the current head, in charge of all hospitals and clinics they also had under their names.

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When talking about the Hou household, many people would only sigh at their incredible history and accomplishments both in the past and within today's society.

That is, the Hou family itself was an enormous family, or rather, a big clan with a fierce group of elders, over direct line family members and distant line family members.

So even though his brothers were the current presidents and heads of these businesses, there were still many Hou family members on the boards working with them.

Anyway, most Hou family members actually didn't like working, overseeing the companies or dealing with management.

They were a medical family, right from ancient times.

So a majority of them focused on being doctors, nurses and whatnot.

And their salaries from their personal work were also so high that they could afford comfortable lives without getting their regular pay from the Hou family.

Some of them made names for themselves out of the country in foreign lands, dominating the market there.

And others chose to stay in the country but worked in direct regions all over the place.

Even within the military, the best doctors did come from the Hou family.

So it was no wonder that their names would resound out this much

Not to talk of their lineage and firm prestige that had followed them way back in the ancient times when dynasties still existed.

They used to be the ones treating the emperors and all those in power back in the day.

So one could never underlook this massive Clan of Hou's.

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That said, unlike his brothers, Jung Hou only wanted to be a doctor. So he and his remarkable team would work in different hospitals or regions worldwide, sometimes also going out to treat complex situations.

After all, he was famous for being the first Hou descendant to specialize in over 8, different medical professions, all under the age of 31.

It would truly be a waste to let such a bright talent get buried behind the company.

And even Jung Hou hated the idea of sitting behind a desk when he could be out there in the field of patients.

It was old Hou's 2nd son, Chen Hou, and the 3rd son, Rei Hou, that took on the mantle from the old man's hands.

Apart from the boys, the 4th child, who was Rei Hou's twin sister, was also out in the field as well.

She wanted nothing to do with any management and headed to the military to be an army doctor instead.

Of course, Old Hou himself also had brothers and sisters, who in turn had their own children and whatnot.

And even at that, Old Hou also had cousins too.

In short, the clan was large.

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Everyone listened to Jung Hou's analysis, feeling something very off.

That is, even though some of them were in management, they still had medical licenses and knew a thing or 2 in the field.

So how could a little girl change so much?

The reports and results were just too drastic a change to occur in such a short time.

So what exactly happened?

Jung Hou frowned deeply, with a calm expression on his face: "It's the girl. The answer lies with the girl!"

Chapter 110 More Brains Get Fried

The girl?

The Hou family felt their hearts constrict uncomfortably after thinking about it deeply.

Yes! The girl's matter seemed to be shrouded in mystery.

And in particular, they felt that the girl should be the key to solving that mystery.

Look! Powerful people like them made it their business to know what happens around them.

And ignorance might one day lead them to death.

So better to know now than later.

It was just that from the Gia family's actions today, they weren't overly sure that the family would let them seek out the truth for themselves.

As a family of doctors, it was their sworn duty to find out how the girl got healed up so fast in only a day or so.

That is, some other patients might need the same treatment. So how could they not want to know the truth?

Unless... Could it be that the treatment process was something illegal or unethical?

No! No! No! No!

The Hou people shook their heads in denial.

This was the Gia family they were talking about.

These people stayed clean in order to give the enemy no chance of attacking them.

So even if the world were coming to an end, these people would still stand tall and not take the disgraceful path.

Sometimes, being in the light was also security, even though the darkness seemed to be a hidden spot.

And the Gia family were so clean, going over their businesses, as though it were a military task.

Secret members of the Gia family would dispatch towards the different locations and get things done fast.

They may allow others to work in their company, but by the end of the day, even if the others checked things out, the Gia family would still go through the final books themselves.

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Anyway, they, the Hou family, didn't think the Gia family would do anything illegal or condemnable.

So why then did these people act so suspicious?

Or could it be that the girl's recovery was tied up to some big government secret that they weren't allowed to share out?

Again, they quickly denied that fact.

Just as the Gia family was a well renowned Military family, their Hou family was standing shoulder to shoulder with the Gias.

So if any medical breakthrough or secret serum or drugs got invented, you best believe that within the team of inventors, the Hou family would be amongst.

Not to mention that within the Renowned Medical association, The Hou family was still the head of it.

So it was impossible for anything medical to have been created by the Government without their knowledge or involvement.

Then why? Why all the secrecy from the Gia family?

A strange light flickered in Jung Hou's eyes the more he thought things through.

"Grandpa, Father, Brothers, Uncles... Yesterday during the earlier hours of the afternoon, my team and I personally handled the girl's matters. Mind you... before then, we had also been attending to the girl ever since she returned to the Gia family from the Park. So in just a day, how could she change so much?"

Old Hou, who was Jung Hou's grandfather, also frowned deeply.

Even he found it ridiculous.

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Old Hou was a retired doctor, and he knew that no matter what field of medicine one was, everything needed a recuperation and recovery time.

Even physiological issues needed time to heal. Not to talk of surgery or even taking something as simple as a painkiller.

It can't just heal someone at the snap of a wrist.

Sure, one would feel the pain a little elevated.

But they wouldn't be completely healed until the body had repaired and nourished itself.

That is, what sort of society did the Gia family hold to cure that girl in under a day?

Old Hou looked at his grandson deeply: "Just how much contrast do the results have?"

p "Grandpa. The contrast is like day and night. From the girl's vitals to everything else, it was as though she were a completely different person altogether. That is, if I didn't secretly take a strand of hair out to test her DNA and ensure that she was indeed the same Gia girl, I wouldn't have believed it myself! That is, her DNA matches all the blood samples and various medical tests she had performed since her birth. And it also matches her files too. So it's definitely the same girl. But why do I feel it strange?" Jung Hou said suspiciously.

Who was he? A genius that had mastered over 8 extremely hard-to-learn medical professions under the age of 31.

Yes! He was Old Hou's first grandchild.

Of course, the majority were still around 14~26.

Anyway, Jung Hou was a genius in his generation.

It was as though he were the reincarnation of some ancient medical God because he always seemed to find medicine easy to grasp.

And from the moment he touched the girl's skin this time, he felt that the girl before was different from the girl he had been treating for the last few days.

Call it intuition or so. But his gut feeling was hammering on this point hard!

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Jung Hou rubbed his elbows in a daze.



The reports show that they were both the same people.

[Yes! The creature had even found a way to prove itself human]

Jung Hou remembered that the girl's body was too cold and weird, to begin with.

But now, the person he saw today was completely warm-blooded.

More than that, the girl now seemed too slippery as well.

The Gia family said that she seemed to have amnesia, not remembering him at all.

So, could it be that she recovered because she forgot?

But... But... Her brain activity and all test results showed that she never had any such amnesia.

Or could it be that the girl had a split personality deep within her?

No! That didn't make sense.

How can the split personality cause the girl's body to go cold?

Ahhhhhhhhh ~~~

The more Jung Hou and the others thought about it, the more confused they were in the end.

Their heads were about to explode from the mystery alone.

Something wasn't adding up.

But what? What was it?

