

## Bodyguard 7791

### Chapter 7791 Three Cities In Urgent Need

The others also felt that Jin Yuan Bao's words made sense. Although they were not from the Army, they had some understanding of these military positions.

"Marshal!"

"Marshal!"

Wu yucao and the others greeted him again. From now on, they were not only from the same sect, but they would also be fellow disciples!

At the same time, there was a continuous stream of fast horses coming out of the palace to pass on orders. The calm night slowly became a little restless. A part of the elite Garrison of the king's city began to gather and prepare.

On the way from the capital to the northern border, the cities would receive orders to prepare their troops and gather food, waiting for Lin Yi's Army to cross.

Early the next morning, Lin Yi brought his team, as well as some of Sima Yunqi's staff and guards, to the drill ground for an oath!

On the city walls, Sima zhengxin led the officials to personally see the Army off and pray for Lin Yi to win!

After marching for half a day, the Army stopped advancing. Because the expedition was rushed, the soldiers did not have a good rest last night. They had gathered on the drill ground before dawn and were a little tired.

Hence, Lin Yi ordered them to cook and rest for an hour before continuing their March.

Lin Yi's small team started to move in the temporary central camp.

Li Yingjian was in the forward strike Battalion and did not come over. Ling Hanxue and the scouts Battalion were scattered around the perimeter of the Army to Scout.

Although they were still in the hinterlands of Hongshang Commandery, they were not careless at all.

Other than the two of them, the rest were all there.

"Marshal, this is the information that this general has gathered in the Army. Because the time is too short, I can not verify them one by one."

Zhang Yiming took out a thin booklet and placed it on the table in front of Lin Yi.

Before they left the drill ground, Zhang Yiming had selected some soldiers from the Army to form the surveillance camp.

It was impossible for a grassroots team to achieve any results. This booklet was only a summary of the information that the soldiers of wind listening camp knew.

"You've worked hard. There are no precedents in tingfeng camp, so you'll have to work hard!"

Lin Yi encouraged as he flipped through the booklet. There wasn't much useful information in it-it was all about the guards in the capital, and had nothing to do with the northern border.

"Take a look and think about it. Will the news from above have any effect on our Army?"

Lin Yi gave it to Wu yucao after looking at it.

Wu yucao took it and didn't say anything. She quickly flipped through it and read out some of the information she thought was useful. She didn't continue to read it.

"Marshal, our expedition this time was rather urgent. We did not bring much food and supplies, only enough for two days. So when we pass through the first city, we need supplies."

Wu yucao put down the book and pointed at one of the lines."This is the first city we're going to pass through, Blue Moon City. The soldier who provided the information is from Blue Moon City. He said that

when he returned home to visit his relatives, he learned that Blue Moon City had good weather last year and had a great harvest."

"As such, we can bring more rations from Blue Moon City. Apart from Blue Moon City, the other cities don't have that much food to supply the Army."

Jin Yuan Bao nodded, acting like a military counselor. "That's right. As far as I know, last year, most of the areas in Hongshang Commandery suffered from a certain degree of low harvest. If you want to get enough military food, you can only get more from a bumper harvest City like Cangyue City."

"Once the logistics aren't enough, we can't fight this war! Moreover, we are only the capital's Garrison, and we still need to recruit the garrison of the other cities on the way. We need to have sufficient provisions!"

Fei daqiang didn't speak, but had a thoughtful look on his face.

He was in charge of the logistics, and he was the most direct person in charge of whether there was food or not, so he had to be more attentive than others.

Although it was Fei daqiang's first time being the logistics Manager of the Army, he was not a hooligan who knew nothing.

Back in Kirrlutz, he had gone to University and joined the Army, so his knowledge and experience were far beyond that of Jin Yuan Bao and the others.

"There's no need to worry about this. Last night, a Messenger went ahead to help us. By the time we reach Blue Moon City, the supplementary troops and rations should be ready."

Lin Yi waved his hand lightly and continued after a moment of silence,"However, Blue Moon City should have only prepared what they deserve. If they want more, we'll have to negotiate with them."

"Since we don't have many backup plans and supplies, we can only prepare more in Blue Moon City. Fei daqiang, I'll leave this matter to you."

"This general acknowledges the order!"

Fei daqiang quickly cupped his fists and thought for a moment before saying,"Marshal, it might take more time to gather additional provisions, and bringing a large amount of provisions might slow down the Army."

"You're right. How about this, you send someone or personally stay behind to deal with these matters. The Army of Blue Moon City will protect the rations, and then send a portion of the rations to the Army every day."

Lin Yi decided after some thought."The Army only has two days" worth of provisions left, so the speed of the March will be faster. This way, we can reach the northern border as quickly as possible. "

Although it was slow to transport grain within Hongshang Commandery, there was no need to worry about safety.

With the Army escorting them, no one dared to touch the military provisions.

It was also impossible for the enemy country's people to easily infiltrate the supply route.

"Your honor!"

Fei daqiang didn't say much. Since Lin Yi had given the order, it was up to him to decide what to do next. As long as the Army didn't go hungry, everything would be fine!

"That's all for the logistics. Let's take a look at the situation in the northern border."

Lin Yi stood up and walked to the huge map.

This was the military map of Hongshang Commandery and its neighboring countries. The details were far inferior to Lin Yi 's, but the good thing was that it had more detailed military information.

For example, how many soldiers were there in Blue Moon City, and how many troops could be transferred this time.

There were also some dangerous places that were only names on the geographical map. However, military maps would indicate what passes or fortresses were built and how many soldiers were stationed there.

To be honest, if this map fell into the hands of an enemy country, then the troops of Hongshang Commandery would definitely suffer a disaster.

"Yesterday's urgent report stated that Fire Sickle City, Curl City, and Fei Du City were attacked respectively. We haven't received any further reports today, so it's hard to judge the current situation."

Lin Yi picked up a Long Branch and pointed at the three cities on the map. "With the speed of our Army, it will take at least ten days to get there."

"This is under the premise that we don't consider the logistics troops, and we don't consider taking in the garrisons of other cities along the way. Just our 20,000 Garrison troops of the king's city."

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"Ten days! Fire Sickle City, Curl Flower City, and Fei Du City should be able to hold on. There are twelve to eighteen thousand troops stationed in these three cities. Seitong Commandery is known to have two hundred thousand troops, but if they split their troops into three, they might not be able to take down the city quickly!"

Great military counselor Jin Yuan Bao could not help but frown slightly. He cupped his fists and said, "General, even if Seitong Commandery is divided into two groups, each group will have 60,000 to 70,000 soldiers, which is at least four to five times the number of the defenders. Let's not talk about whether we can hold on or not. Even if we give up the logistics troops and gather the city guards along the way, it won't be of much use, right?"

With just 20000 people, even if they were the elites of the Imperial City's Garrison, it would be difficult to save a city from the hands of 60000 to 70000 enemy troops, let alone three cities!

The people of seitong Commandery weren't stupid. They knew that Lin Yi had brought reinforcements, so why wouldn't they?

The seitong Commandery had an absolute advantage in military strength, so they had more manpower to mobilize than Lin Yi.

"If the people of seitong Commandery are attacking the three cities, we might be able to do something as a surprise attack. But I'm worried that ... They will surround us and not attack us!"

Jin Yuan Bao rubbed his eyebrows."Commander, if the situation is really urgent, the three cities in the northern border will definitely send urgent reports to the king's city. We received the first urgent report yesterday. We should have received a second or even a third urgent report by now."

"And the result? There was actually no news! Wasn't this very strange? Each family in the three cities struck it once, so it should be three times!"

Lin Yi nodded slightly, pleased that Jin Yuanbao was acting like a military advisor now. The fatty from Luling city seemed to have changed.

"You mean there's a conspiracy in the copper County? Surround them and get reinforcements?"



Wu yucao's handsomeness wasn't just for show. After asking, she fell into deep thought. "Marshal, the military counselor's words are very reasonable. It's meaningless for us to rush over with 20000 people. This will only form a strategy of adding fuel to the fire. Why don't we wait until we have gathered our troops along the way?"

The so-called refueling tactic meant that it was the same as adding oil to an oil lamp. Each time, a little oil would be poured in, and after it burned, it would be poured again.

In this way, the fire would never be extinguished. In a war, the fire was the enemy, and the oil was the Army.

In the case of the enemy's small number, the tactic of adding fuel to the fire would cause the enemy to be completely defeated, not to mention that the enemy had a great advantage now. It was easy to get out of this game!

"Your concerns are very reasonable, but quality is more important than quantity. If all of you are from the garrison of the palace, the more the better. But if you transfer troops along the way to form a new army, you don't even have time to get used to it before going to the battlefield."

"I think this kind of Army is just a motley crew! It's better to just have these twenty thousand soldiers. "

Although Lin Yi said that, the real reason was that he didn't care about the people from seitong Commandery at all.

It was only 200000, and each city only had 60000 to 70000. It was far inferior to the sun-swallowing rat tide and could not threaten him at all.

Twenty thousand elites should be enough to take care of them. If not, Lin Yi felt that he could take them all on his own.

"Marshal is right, we didn't think it through."

Wu yucao and Jin Yuanbao looked at each other, naturally accepting Lin Yi's explanation.

They were all newbies in the military, and it was a bit of a rush to take on such a heavy responsibility. Lin Yi's opinion was basically their final decision.

Lin Yi felt helpless. He wanted them to be strong, but it seemed like they needed time and space to grow.

Someone came in to report that lunch was ready, and the generals were invited. Lin Yi waved his hand and ended the meeting.

The Army's food was simple and crude. Everyone hastily filled their stomachs, rested for a moment, and then got up to continue moving forward.

This time, Fei daqiang didn't act with the rear Army. Instead, he promoted an assistant to manage the Army. He himself took a few guards and went to Blue Moon City first.

Cangyue city. This place did not have the tension of a war.

Perhaps the news of the war at the northern border had not yet spread, so the city was still peaceful and prosperous.

Fei daqiang directly went to find the city Lord of cangyue city. The other party had been preparing after receiving the order. At this time, he had already arranged the Army and materials.

After verifying Fei daqiang's identity, he simply handed it over to him.

Four thousand men, and enough food for fifty thousand to eat for ten days!

Fei daqiang and the city Lord of cangyue city talked for a while, trying to say that there was too little food, but it was of no use.

The city Lord had only given Lin Yi, the young prince of the Sima family, an extra twenty percent of the provisions.

10 days became 12 days ... It could be considered an increase!

"It seems like it's not reliable to expect these city Lords to take out more food!"

Fei daqiang left the city Lord's mansion and stood on the street, pretending to be very depressed. He looked up to the sky and sighed, ""If you don't want the Army to go hungry, you have to rely on me, Fei daqiang!"

Cangyue city was the city with the most food on Lin Yi's route. If he couldn't get more here, it'd be a big problem if the northern border fell into a stalemate!

The capital would slowly gather resources, but Lin Yi had already told his small teams not to count on the capital too much.

There were too many people there who didn't want to see Sima Zhongda rise. Even if Sima Zhongda had his eyes on him, it might not be of any use.

After all, the people in charge of this power were not from the Sima clan!

Fei daqiang's guards didn't have any reaction, which made him very sad.

No one came to support you even when you were acting tough. You deserve to be the guards of the logistics team!

"The few of you, split up and look for the grain merchants in Blue Moon City. Tell them that general Conqueror Fei da Qiang has invited them to the best restaurant in Blue Moon City tonight to discuss business."

Fei daqiang paused for a moment and then added, "When you go, bring a team of Blue Moon City's soldiers, they are familiar with Blue Moon City! By the way, ask them where the best restaurant in Blue Moon City is. Don't be unable to find the place when the time comes. "

The guards behind him bowed and accepted the order. They first went to find the soldiers of Blue Moon City.

The 4,000 troops had already been handed over to Fei daqiang, so the command was in his hands. For a long time, they would be Fei daqiang's grain protection Team.

Lin Yi had already passed cangyue city and continued to move forward. He didn't enter the city at all and left everything to Fei daqiang to handle.

To be honest, they would be very fast if they were to rush to the northern border in such light clothing. However, if there were any accidents on the way and they did not have any food supplies, the 20000 elite guards of the king's city would probably be completely annihilated!

Lin Yi's team didn't know if it was because they were brave, or if they didn't expect to get into an accident in Hongshang Commandery, but no one thought there was anything wrong with it.

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## Chapter 7793 Unafraid Of Backlash

"Daren, are you going to ask for grain from the common grain merchants of cangyue city? I'm afraid they won't agree! All of these major grain merchants have their own backgrounds. Blue Moon City is so close to the capital, so all of them must have some connections. "

One of the remaining two guards hesitated for a moment and finally reminded Fei daqiang in a low voice, ""If we use tough methods, the backlash in the capital will be huge. I'm afraid we'll be targeted at that time!"

He wasn't talking about Fei daqiang, but the commander Lin Yi and the Army he led.

The guard who spoke had no background, or rather, his background was this Army. The two sides were bound together for good or bad, so he appeared and said a few words.

"It's fine. Do you think I'm afraid of a rebound? What a joke!"

Fei daqiang snorted disdainfully, "They have a background, but do I not? The Marshal is the backing of this general. Who has the ability to touch him?"

The guard didn't say anything more, but he didn't think so.

As far as he was concerned, Lin Yi was a Marshal, and he wouldn't be able to protect himself in a fight, so what was a mere second Prince's son to him?

It was true that the current Sima clan was a royal family, but the Feng clan and the Nangong clan both had the qualifications to become royal families. Once they offended too many people, the Sima clan would be completely overturned!

At that time, Sima Zhongda would be the one to take the blame, and the instigator would be Fei daqiang. He would definitely be thrown out to take the blame!

The guard glanced at Fei daqiang and sighed in his heart.

He could only stop there. If he said too much and word got out, he would be in deep trouble.

Fei daqiang's words were unyielding, but in fact, he didn't want to forcibly collect grain. He had just said that it was business!

Blue Moon City had a bountiful harvest, so the grain merchants here would definitely have a lot of grain stored.

This was because it wasn't very convenient for the civilians to transport food on the sub Island, and they might be attacked by the darkness magical beasts on the way.

In addition, there were also many groups of thieves who would Rob.

Therefore, unless there was a military escort, very few cities would exchange food with each other.

Thus, Blue Moon City really had a lot of grain. Everyone had surplus grain in their hands, and the grain merchants couldn't sell their goods at a high price.

Fei daqiang saw this point and wanted to purchase in bulk.

When he left the capital, other than some rations and supplies, he also had a lot of gold certificates.

This was reserved for the daily expenses of the Army, the soldiers "salary, and rewards.

Fei daqiang was in charge of logistics, so this sum of money was naturally in his hands.

In order to ensure that Lin Yi's Army had enough food, he was going to use the money to buy supplies first.

Of course, Fei daqiang would definitely not buy them at market price if he found those big grain merchants.



Now that he was representing the royal family, how could they not give him a discount for such a large transaction?

If he didn 't, he would break the legs of these profiteers!

In cangyue city, Fei daqiang was busy with the logistics of the team, and at the front of the Army, Ling Hanxue was leading the scouts.

Ling Hanxue was leading a small team of six Scouts as they rode their Black Spirit Ferghana horses through a Canyon.

After passing through the valley, the Black Spirit Ferghana horse would arrive at The Second City in about six hours.

The canyon was fifteen to sixteen miles away from Lin Yi's main force, and Li Yingjian's forward strike Battalion was seven to eight miles away.

"Commander, we've run a little too far. Why don't we turn back here?"

One of the scouts beside Ling Hanxue pulled on the reins and controlled the Black Spirit Ferghana horse to turn two rounds on the spot. ""It's already getting dark. The Army should be setting up camp soon. "

He thought that the Army would be stationed in Cangyue city tonight, but Lin Yi didn't even enter the city. He went around the city and maintained his speed, so they had to camp in the wilderness.

Normally, the night in the wilderness was very dangerous. The strength of the spirit beasts of darkness would be enhanced at night, so there were more dark spirit beasts at night.

This was also the reason why there was a warrior's relay.

However, the Army didn't have such concerns. The Army of 20000 would also set up defenses when they set up camp. Unless those darkness spirit beasts formed a beast tide, generally, even 30 to 50 of them would not dare to approach the Army's camp.

Ling Hanxue raised her head to look at the sky, and then looked at the canyon in front of her.

The two sides of the steep rock walls were so high that the top couldn't be seen. In the middle, there was a stone path that could allow five riders to ride side by side. If someone threw a stone the size of a fist from above, as long as it hit someone, it would definitely break their skull!

"This is a dangerous place. The Army will set off tomorrow. If there are enemy troops, it will be too late for us to investigate!"

Ling Hanxue shook her head. Although it was her first time following an Army, she was still very qualified to be a Scout. "I will go up from this side, you two go up from the other side. The rest of you stay on alert. If you find something wrong, send the signal right away. Those on alert can retreat at once!"

"Yes!"

The scout team cupped their fists and accepted the order.

However, they did not think much of it and felt that Ling Hanxue was being too careful. How could there be an ambush in the heart of Hongshang Commandery?

However, they were the most elite of the king's city's Garrison, and the Scout Camp was the elite of the elite. If their commander gave an order, even if they had doubts, they would carry it out to the letter.

Two Scouts who were experienced in mountain climbing separated from the small team of six. They climbed up from one side of the cliff, while Ling Hanxue climbed up from the other side alone.

They were all body cultivators, so even without any tools, they were still quite fast. After a while, the people on both sides had reached the top of the cliff, but they didn't find anything unusual.

"I knew it. How could anyone ambush us in the hinterlands of our Hongshang Commandery? Commander, you're a bit too cautious. "

One of the two Scouts who had climbed up the cliff pouted and shook his head. He grumbled in a low voice, ""It's normal to be so careful when approaching the northern border. If we're like this now, wouldn't every blade of grass and tree have to be carefully inspected when we reach the northern border?"

"Alright, you can stop talking!"

The other Scout, who was slightly older, shouted, ""The commander has just taken over our Scout Battalion, so he will definitely make some moves. Don't court death and be treated as a warning to others!"

These proud soldiers and valiant generals of the Royal capital's Garrison were naturally not too convinced by a commander who had been appointed out of nowhere. This was only the first day that Ling Hanxue had taken over, so it was impossible for her to make everyone submit to her.

That was why the two Scouts were complaining.

However, they had not expected that the cliff on the other side was not that far away from them. Ling Hanxue's hearing was extremely sharp, and the words they were saying drifted into her ears along with the wind.

Softly? Hehe!

However, Ling Hanxue did not have any intention of losing her temper. She looked young and was a girl. It was normal for those guys to be unconvinced. Anyway, as long as they followed orders and did not delay Zhong DA's matters, it would be fine.

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After walking around the canyon on the cliff and finding nothing unusual, Ling Hanxue went down.

After she left, two Men in Black quietly appeared on the top of the cliff at the exit of the canyon.

"Their Scouts are quite cautious. They came today to check the safety of the canyon! It seems like ambushing them won't be easy!"

One of the men in Black looked indifferently at the scout team that had gone far away, his eyes flashing with an inexplicable emotion.

"That's a good thing. It's already night time. After they've investigated, we can make some preparations and launch an attack tomorrow, right? It's precisely because they think that this place is safe that our chances of success will be higher!"

The other man in Black shrugged his shoulders, ""Their caution today will become their carelessness tomorrow. I think we have a good chance!"

"You're wrong. The leading woman is very cautious. She's seen this place today and should come back tomorrow to investigate. We can't beat the grass and alert the snake, so let's forget about this ambush point. "

"Sigh ... You're thinking too much. If she really comes, we'll just kill her. Sima Zhong da is leading the Army at full speed, how could they delay?"

"Don't say anymore. This Canyon isn't the most suitable place for an ambush. This matter is settled. Let's go!"

The leader of the Men in Black waved his hand impatiently and turned to leave the cliff. The other man in Black shrugged his shoulders and mumbled something before flying away.

Lin Yi didn't know that someone was trying to ambush his Army, and even if he did, it wouldn't matter. Sending out Ling Hanxue's Scout Camp was just a normal military model.

In the entire sub-Island, any peerless general could be ambushed, but Lin Yi's Army wouldn't because of the spirit sense!

The generals of the sub-Island didn't have any spirit sense, but Lin Yi had the strength of a complete sea-shattering realm. He could easily extend his spirit sense out and cover a few miles around all the soldiers.

Want to ambush? Just wait for death!

When Ling Hanxue brought the small scout team back to the camp, the Army had already finished setting up camp and were in the midst of cooking.

The soldiers who were resting and on guard duty were arranged in an orderly manner. The entire camp was busy but not chaotic, and it had the demeanor of a strong Army.

Lin Yi walked slowly with Wu yucao, patrolling the entire camp. When they saw their soldiers, they all saluted quietly and didn't disturb them.

"Marshal, the soldiers of this Army are all very strong and of high standards. Should we choose the most elite of them to form a sharp blade Battalion and teach them battle formations?"

Wu yucao sighed with emotion as she walked.

Any one of the soldiers here was no weaker than when they first met Lin Yi, and if they fought in small teams, Wu yucao's three-man team would probably be crushed.

So Wu yucao wanted to make better use of these elites, teaching them the battle formation skills that Lin Yi taught them was one of the most effective methods.

"The Vice commander is right. The existence of such a sharp blade Battalion can often turn the tide of a battle,"

Lin Yi nodded and thought for a moment before continuing, "My personal guard unit hasn't been formed yet, so I'll let the Vice Commander-in-Chief pick eight hundred elites to form it. I'll personally train them."

Wu yucao cupped her fists and accepted the order.

Lin Yi's personal guards unit wasn't established to protect Lin Yi-the two knew that very well. With Lin Yi's strength, why would he need their protection?

It was more like he would protect them instead.

The reason why it was set up under the name of the guards unit was more to make it easier for Lin Yi to train directly, so that he could play a bigger role in the war.

"Besides these 800 guards, the Vice Commander-in-Chief will inform all the ten-man squad leaders, five-man squad leaders, and lieutenants to come to the guards to learn the art of battle formations. They will go back and train their own soldiers."

Of course, Lin Yi couldn't teach all the soldiers himself-they were still marching, and it'd be good enough if he could find time to train a guard unit.

In the military system of Hongshang Commandery, 10 people formed a Shi, with a Shi Zhang. 100 people formed a team, with a Wu Zhang. 600 people formed a commander, with a team leader. 1200 people formed a Colonel, with a Lieutenant. Three colonels formed a Battalion, with a commander.

From the level of team leader up, there would usually be one or two people with secondary professions, but there were also exceptions.

For example, although Zhang Yiming's surveillance camp and Ling Hanxue's Scout Camp were both at the battalion level and only held the position of commander, in reality, Zhang Yiming's surveillance camp currently only had two teams. If they continued to recruit more people, they would not exceed one percent.



Ling Hanxue's Scout Battalion was about the same. At the moment, they were only slightly more than one percent full.

Li Yingjian's forward strike Battalion was still considered normal, but it was not a full Battalion. It only had 3000 people, and with the addition of Ling Hanxue's Scout Battalion, it was a full Battalion.

Lin Yi let the officers learn the way of battle in groups so that it wouldn't affect the March, and they could also improve the combat strength of the Army during the journey.

As for how much he could use in the northern battlefields, Lin Yi didn't really care. As long as the guards unit was completed, it would be of great use.

Wu yucao noted everything down and prepared to do it later. She said "vice Commander-in-Chief" but she was more like Lin Yi's second-in-command, taking care of Lin Yi's orders.

However, she didn't care. On the contrary, she was enjoying it. She even felt that it was quite good to continue like this!

As the two of them were conversing, Ling Hanxue led her small team of Scouts into the camp.

Most of the scouts who had gone out in the same batch had returned, and the rotating scout team had taken their place.

As such, there were still quite a number of people from the Scout Camp standing guard around the Army.

With a commander like Ling Hanxue, they could not let their guard down even though they were in the hinterlands of Hongshang Commandery.

"Marshal! Vice commander! We haven't found anything abnormal in front or in the surroundings!"

Ling Hanxue saw Lin Yi and Wu yucao and immediately came over to greet them.

After a slight hesitation, he continued, ""But along the way, I didn't see any traces of birds or beasts. Something doesn't seem right."

As an experienced Hunter, Ling Hanxue had an extremely sharp intuition in this area.

Usually, this kind of situation could only mean that there was a large group of people moving nearby.

The Army on his side hadn't arrived yet, and only a small team of Scouts had passed by. Such a situation shouldn't have happened.

However, Ling Hanxue was not too sure. After all, this was her first time here, and she did not know if it was always like this.

"Thank you, commander Ling. As long as we remain vigilant, there won't be any major problems!"

Lin Yi smiled and waved his hand. He didn't really need Ling Hanxue's Scouts to alert them-his own divine sense could do much better than them.

The reason why he did this was to train his soldiers.

Lin Yi knew that he couldn't stay in Hongshang Commandery forever as Sima Zhongda.

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Once he had enough power in Hongshang Commandery, he'd use all his strength to find Xinyan and leave.

At that time, Wu yucao, Ling Hanxue, and the others might not be able to bring them along.

If they could all grow into strong generals in this war, they would have enough capital to establish themselves in Hongshang Commandery even if Lin Yi left.

With mutual support, it was possible to form a new military force in Hongshang Commandery.

"Marshal, I'll go and arrange for the selection of the guards unit and the learning of the officers."

Wu yucao beckoned Ling Hanxue over and got ready to get to work.

"Alright, vice Commander-in-Chief, go do your work. This matter is indeed a little urgent. The earlier it is done, the better."

Lin Yi nodded in agreement. They didn't have much time to learn about formations on the way to the northern border, and they could squeeze out some time after they set up camp.

Today was the first day, so they set up camp earlier.

But in Lin Yi's plan, they had to speed up after today, sometimes even at night.

Speed was important in war, and while a hurried March over a long distance might consume too much of the Army's strength, it would definitely catch the enemy off guard.

Therefore, it was not easy to master the path of battle formations quickly, because there was not much time and opportunity for actual combat training.

Ling Hanxue didn't ask what was going on with the guards unit-she knew her limits in the Army and wouldn't ask about things that Lin Yi didn't say.

Lin Yi, on the other hand, took the initiative to mention it to Ling Hanxue. It wasn't a secret anyway, and the soldiers around could hear it. There was no reason not to let Ling Hanxue know.

Everything was normal on the first day of Lin Yi's expedition, and everyone was working together with their subordinates.

The only one who was a little surprised was Fei daqiang. When Lin Yi and Ling Hanxue were talking in the camp, he was having a banquet with a few big grain merchants in Cangyue city.

The guy mimicked Lin Yi's posture first-he didn't know if he managed to scare off the big grain merchants, but he felt pretty good about it.

After a round of cooperation, fighting, and coercion, Fei daqiang spent all the gold certificates in his hands.

He bought a large amount of grain from a few big grain merchants at a 25% discount on the market price.

It was enough to feed 50000 soldiers for seven to eight months!

If it was just the twenty thousand soldiers in Lin Yi's hands, it would be enough to feed them for two years. This didn't include the grain that could be collected from the other cities and the part that the capital could raise for transport.

The grain merchants didn't know if they should be happy or upset.

Because of last year's harvest in Blue Moon City, every family had surplus grain, so the grain price was already low.

Fei daqiang also bought them at a 25% discount from the market price. Although they had cleared out a large amount of grain in their storage, to be honest ... They really couldn't make much money from this price.

According to the agreement, they had to send some people to help transport the grain to the next city.

With the Army of Cangyue city accompanying them, it was not dangerous, but it was quite troublesome to mobilize so many people to help ...

Lin Yi didn't know about this yet, and it was hard to say how he'd react if he did.

With more food, there was no need to worry about the Army going hungry, but the funds for activities had been spent. What should he do when he needed money in the future?

Furthermore, with such a large amount of grain being transported, they might not be afraid of anything else, but what if the enemy came to steal their grain?

If the enemy failed to steal the grain and burned it all ... The consequences would be unimaginable!

Lin Yi's Army was light and simple, and without any food, they would probably be wiped out if Lin Yi didn't make a move!

No matter what, Lin Yi didn't even know that Fei daqiang had already decided on the food.

As for how things would develop in the future, it was still unknown.

The next morning, before the sun rose, the Army began to prepare and set out.

When the first ray of light appeared on the horizon, the scouts had already arrived at the canyon.

By the time they checked the cliff of the canyon one more time, the forward strike Battalion had already entered the canyon.

Just as Ling Hanxue had said, if the enemy had an ambush, the inspection this morning might not have been enough to warn the forward strike Battalion.

The Army passed through the canyon and advanced at full speed for more than four hours. There was nothing unusual along the way. Seeing that the sun was in the middle of the day, Lin Yi gave the order to rest.

Although the soldiers were all martial artists who trained their bodies, such a high-intensity rapid March would also consume a lot of energy. They had to rest and eat a little before they could continue the rapid March.

"Vice Commander-in-Chief, order the three troops to prepare themselves. Shang Wu camp and valiant camp, stay alert! Maybe someone will come to cause trouble!"

Lin Yi sat on his Black Spirit Ferghana horse, a playful light in his eyes.

Using his divine sense, he discovered that there was actually an Army of about two thousand people lying in ambush nearby!

Trying to sneak attack me?

They had underestimated the elite guards of the palace.



A mere 2000 people ambushing an Army of 20000 in broad daylight, are they iron-headed?

"Yes! Great commander!"

Wu yucao cupped his fists and quickly gave the order to the messenger before turning to Lin Yi. "Marshal, this place is not suitable for an ambush. I don't think anyone would choose this place to ambush us?"

Lin Yi's Army chose an open space beside the main road, with a stream and no hills for them to hide.

The nearest forest was six or seven li away, and it wasn't very large. It was impossible to hide enough soldiers to threaten an Army of twenty thousand.

The stream was running water, so it was basically impossible to poison it.

Even if he had to use a large amount of poison to fill the stream, Lin Yi's Army wouldn't be afraid. The soldiers took turns eating and resting, so at most, a portion of them would be poisoned, but not all of them would lose their fighting power.

Therefore, Wu yucao really couldn't tell what kind of trouble they would encounter here.

Lin Yi smiled faintly. There was definitely an ambush, but he didn't know if he was their target.

There was a large forest six or seven miles away, so hiding two thousand people would not be a problem.

As the forest was far from the main road and did not pose any threat, the Scout did not pay much attention to it and only checked outside the forest.

"It's better to be prepared, it's a habit!"

Lin Yi didn't say much. It was just two thousand people, and one whole Battalion was enough to deal with them. Lin Yi left two whole battalions on guard. Other than being cautious, he also wanted the soldiers to get used to rotating.

As he spoke, Lin Yi's spirit sense continued to lock onto the ambush in the forest.

If they didn't do anything, Lin Yi wouldn't bother with them.

No matter which side they were from, as long as they didn't provoke him, he would just pretend that he didn't notice them!

Unfortunately, these two thousand men gathered quietly after Lin Yi's Army started to reorganize. They slowly lined up between the trees and slowly moved out of the forest.

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These 2,000 people were arranged in four rows, with two people in a group. One in front and one behind, they lifted a crossbow that was quickly assembled. After pulling the string, they pressed a group of six crossbow arrows into the grooves of the crossbow.

Lin Yi's face changed slightly. He didn't know what the crossbow was called, but he could tell that it wasn't something simple!

The wind at the junction of spring and summer was slightly scorching, rustling the leaves on the treetops. The four rows of soldiers that appeared under the trees began to exude an endless killing intent.

"Shang Wu camp, valiant camp! Shield up! Towards the woods in the southeast!"

Lin Yi ordered in a low voice. It wasn't loud, but it was clear throughout the camp.

The two full battalions in charge of sentry duty were in a defensive posture for some reason, but nobody would doubt the military Order at this moment.

The shields of the guards of the king's city were two large retractable shields. Usually, the lower part was retracted to the top, and it was only half the height of a man.

When it was officially used, the buckle was removed and the half of the shield was put down. It would become a giant shield that was taller than a man.

Whether it was the Shang Wu camp or the valiant fighting camp, only one camp was equipped with such a huge shield.

After hearing Lin Yi's order, the 2400 shields lit up and quickly lined up in a tight formation, facing the forest.

As for the remaining two battalions, some of them raised their steel Spears and stuck their spearheads out from the gaps between the shields.

The originally smooth shield formation suddenly had countless sharp spikes.

Under the sunlight, it shimmered with a cold light. It was as if a steel Hedgehog had suddenly appeared.

A portion of the soldiers were hidden behind the shield formation. They drew their bows and nocked their arrows. The tips of their arrows were pointed to the sky, waiting for the subsequent orders.

As long as Lin Yi gave the order, they would draw their bows and fire a dense rain of arrows.

Lin Yi was quite satisfied with their speed and reaction. This was an elite force, and there was almost no chaos throughout the whole process.

As for the soldiers who were resting, they were not affected too much. They ate and drank as they should.

Before the order was given, they did not panic at all. At most, they placed their weapons more conveniently to ensure that they could enter combat mode at the first moment.

The two thousand soldiers in ambush saw the cold glints reflected by the shield formation and the spears, but they did not waver. They continued to march forward with firm steps.

When the four rows of soldiers had left the forest and there was no longer any cover between the two sides, a deep voice shouted, ""Stop!"

Everyone stopped in their tracks at the same time!

"Rise!" The loud shout rang out once again.

A thousand crossbows were raised slightly, and the arrows were aimed at Lin Yi at a 45-degree angle.

"Break!"

With the third shout, the one thousand crossbows let out a crisp vibration of their bowstrings almost at the same time, followed by a series of pulling and firing.

In the blink of an eye, 6000 crossbows appeared in the air. They were like a swarm of bees, flying a distance of six to seven miles before raining down on Lin Yi's Army.

The commanders of the Shang Wu camp and the valiant fighting camp were shocked. Before the arrows fell, they shouted in unison, "It's the armor-piercing crossbow! All troops, defend!"

At this time, they didn't care if they had the right to order the whole Army to defend. They were all fellow soldiers of the King's city's Garrison, and it wouldn't be good if anyone died.

They were just thinking that this commander Lin Yi was really out of line, asking for two full battalions to stand guard and even telling them to raise their shields.

If it wasn't for the fact that military orders were difficult to disobey, they wouldn't even want to bother with this commander.

It was only now that they realized how wise and farsighted their Marshal's order was.

If they were caught off guard and attacked by the armor-piercing crossbows, at least one or two thousand people would die, not counting the injured!

The soldiers who were recuperating reacted quickly. They were already mentally prepared, so they made a defense at the first moment.

The shields didn't even have time to open up, directly protecting the top.

When seven or eight shields were put together, they could hide 20 to 30 people.

Before they could react, the first wave of arrows had arrived. Most of them had landed on the shield formation of the Shang Wu camp and the valiant fighting camp.

There were no clanking sounds, only a series of muffled plops.

The armor-piercing crossbow could be used as a weapon to attack the city wall. The huge shields of the guards of the palace could not defend against the penetration of the crossbow arrows.

Fortunately, the distance was quite far, and the other party was using a throwing shot instead of a flat shot, so the power of the crossbow arrow could not be fully exerted.

Therefore, after the arrow pierced through the giant shield, it also lost its further attack kinetic energy and could only be stuck on the giant shield.

The next few rounds of crossbow bolts were about the same. In an instant, the shield formation of the Shang Wu camp and the valiant fighting camp was filled with armor-piercing crossbows. The soldiers behind the huge shields were all still in fear.

Even the iron-blooded soldiers could not help but feel fear when they saw the crossbow arrows stuck on their shields.

If the other party had been one or two li closer, and the angle of the projectile had been smaller, or if they had simply shot at a flat angle, there would have been many casualties this time!

Most of the armor-piercing crossbows were blocked by the shield formation, but some of them were slightly higher and flew over the shield formation at the front, landing in the middle of the soldiers who were resting at the back.

Even though they had put up their defenses in time, some casualties were still inevitable.

Lin Yi scanned with his spirit sense and had an idea.

Three were dead and twelve were injured. For such a sneak attack, the losses could be said to be negligible.

If Lin Yi were to make a move, perhaps there wouldn't even be a single casualty.



However, this was war, and all soldiers should be aware that they were going to die.

Lin Yi wasn't here to babysit and ensure that no one died!

Only by making them feel the threat of death would they be able to burst out with stronger combat power!

"Guards unit! Follow this commander out of the formation!"

Lin Yi's lips curled up into a cold smile.

He didn't want to pay attention to the ambush, but since they dared to extend their claws, they had to be prepared to have their claws cut off!

It wasn't Lin Yi's style to just take a beating and not fight back!

The 800 personal guards that he had just picked out the night before immediately agreed.

Although they hadn't learned the art of battle formations yet, they were the elites of this elite army. The fire in their hearts was about to explode from being ambushed.

The commander was going to lead them to attack, but they were not afraid at all. They all silently but excitedly mounted their horses and raised their weapons.

"Vice commander! Lead the formation!"

Lin Yi told Wu yucao to stop her from attacking the enemies in the forest. He then led the eight hundred Guards unit to circle around the side and stab into the target like a sharp blade.

After shooting a set of arrows, another set was refilled in the forest. After shooting empty arrows, they began to retreat. As they retreated, they dismantled the crossbow with familiarity.

Their goal wasn't to wipe out Lin Yi's entire Army-it was two thousand against twenty thousand. Even if they used the armoring piercing crossbows, it would still be hard to do that.

#### Chapter 7797 Too Late To Leave

This time, they had fired 12000 armor-piercing crossbows empty. The original ideal target was to kill 2000 to 3000 people and injure 2000 to 3000 people, causing the garrison of the king's city to fall into chaos.

This way, they could slow down Lin Yi's Army and find an opportunity to slowly eat them up.

Perhaps in a few days, he would be able to completely defeat this elite force of the capital's Garrison.

What they did not expect was that when they walked out of the forest, what they saw was the Kingdom's Garrison, who were waiting in formation!

Twelve thousand armor-piercing crossbows ... Did not even cause one hundred casualties!

Failed!

In fact, the operation should have been canceled when they found out that the garrison of the king's city was on guard. It was just that the commander was unwilling to give up and felt that it would be unreasonable not to try.

Since the distance was quite far, they quickly finished shooting two sets of crossbow arrows and directly retreated to the forest, not afraid of the counterattack of the garrison of the king's city.

Although the forest was not big, the trees were close to each other, and the cavalry could not gallop through it.

There were also mountains on both sides, making it impossible to pass through. If the garrison of the king's city came to pursue them, the 2000 of them could shoot two more sets of crossbow arrows.

Out of the 20000 soldiers in the Royal capital's Garrison, there were only 4000 cavalymen. The armor-piercing crossbows were the true meat-grinding machines against cavalymen!

"Speed up the retreat and get into formation again after we leave the forest!"

The leader of the ambushers saw Lin Yi and the 800 guards charging out from the side, and a cruel smile appeared on his face.

A mere eight hundred people dared to come and chase two thousand crossbowmen?

He was really looking for death!

Lin Yi didn't know that the enemy had already given him a death sentence. On the contrary, the two thousand soldiers in ambush were the real dead people in Lin Yi's eyes.

The 800 personal guard units were indeed selected and established last night, but they were all elites!

There was no doubt that these people were strong, and Lin Yi had taught them a little bit of battle formations last night. He brought them out to let them practice.

The Black Spirit Ferghana horses galloped at full speed, and not long after the two thousand soldiers retreated into the forest, the eight hundred cavalymen had already swept over, and they only stopped in unison when they reached the forest.

"Dismount from your horses and pursue them. Follow the battle formation I taught you yesterday. Split up into groups of five and enter the forest. Kill all enemies you meet!"

Lin Yi ordered calmly as he raised his right hand and swung it forward!

The 800 Guards unit soldiers dismounted in unison, each forming a five-man battle formation, and scattered into the forest.

After choosing last night, Lin Yi didn't teach too many battle formations, only the simplest formation for five people. He didn't have much of a choice.

The leader's expression changed-Lin Yi's speed was beyond his expectations.

However, when he saw that there were only about 800 people, he relaxed a little.

An order quickly passed through the ambush group, and the two thousand men split into two. Half of them took the dismantled crossbows and continued to retreat, while the other half took out their handheld crossbows and hid, facing the direction of Lin Yi's personal guard Camp.

Lin Yi's spirit sense covered the entire area, and he knew where these people were. He ordered with a cold smile, "Pay attention to the enemy's crossbow ambush. All teams, continue to spread out and surround them!"

In Lin Yi's eyes, this pursuit was a real combat practice after the formation of the guards unit. This level of command and hints was enough. There was no need to tell the soldiers the enemy's position too clearly.

To be able to kill the enemy while protecting themselves was the most basic requirement for them.

The eight hundred soldiers of the guards unit did not respond loudly, but carried out the order in silence. The five-man teams spread out further, forming a net and surrounding the enemy.

Eight hundred surrounded two thousand!

The distance between the two sides quickly closed, and the remaining 1000 soldiers in ambush began to aim and shoot.

The power of a hand crossbow was far less than that of the armor-piercing crossbow, but its firing speed was extremely fast at close range. Almost as soon as it was fired, the arrow had already reached the target.

Lin Yi's body swayed slightly as he stepped on the butterfly steps, and the arrows all slid past him, not causing any threat.

The eight hundred personal guards were worthy of being the elites of the capital's Garrison. Facing the dense barrage of crossbow arrows, their expressions did not change.

They dodged, hit, or were protected by their companions, but none of them were injured.

In this process, the guards unit did not slow down at all, still charging towards the ambush!

"They are all elite experts! Draw your swords and engage in close combat!"

The remaining one thousand commanders of the hidden troops shouted and raised their hands to shoot the arrows.

He then directly threw the crossbow at the approaching Guards unit soldiers. At the same time, he pulled out a short knife from his waist and pounced on the other party.

The others reacted almost the same. The crossbows that could not be loaded in time were already useless, and they were all thrown at the guards unit soldiers as hidden weapons.

In the next moment, the short knives of the thousand soldiers met the standard weapons of the guards unit.

The other thousand soldiers who were about to retreat from the forest all looked at their commander.

At this time, they had the advantage in numbers. It was not impossible for them to fight two thousand against eight hundred.

However, if only half of them were left to cover the retreat, it would be difficult to say if the other half would be able to retreat in one piece!

The commander's eyes flickered. There were too many unexpected things today, and they had completely deviated from their original plan.

The first reason was that they did not cause any damage to the guards of the palace. The second reason was that they did not expect the pursuers to come so quickly. The third reason was that the 1000 men who covered the rear could not stop the 800 pursuers with their crossbows!

If 2,000 of them attacked together, would there be a fourth accident?

"Retreat! Hurry up!"

The commander of the ambush hesitated for a moment before making a decision. "The armoring-piercing crossbows are the most important things. We can't be entangled here. There are still nearly 20000 guards of the king's city behind us!"

The last sentence seemed to be explaining to his subordinates, but it also seemed to be convincing himself.

No matter what, he couldn't give the order for everyone to fight against Lin Yi's personal guards unit!



Just as he had said, a sharp weapon like the armor-piercing crossbow must not be taken away.

Regardless of whether the ambush was successful or not, they would have enough time to retreat. In fact, they had already prepared a retreat route outside the forest.

However, he didn't expect the pursuers to catch up to them so quickly. The commander of the ambush had no choice but to chase after them for survival. He threw out half of his troops to stop them, and the rest continued to retreat with the armor-piercing crossbows.

"You want to leave? It seems like we're too late!"

Lin Yi's cold voice suddenly sounded, and the leader saw Lin Yi walking out from the shadows of the forest, followed by scattered five-man teams.

The leader's pupils suddenly contracted as he looked at the Army that walked out of the forest in horror.

Just now, he was still hesitating whether he should stay with the other half to deal with the 800 pursuers. Now, what about the other half?

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There was no sound of weapons clashing in the forest, not even a scream. What about those who had stayed behind to cover the retreat?

The leader of the ambushers broke out in cold sweat.

He could clearly see fresh blood dripping from the armor of the pursuers!

And these drops of blood did not belong to any of them!

In other words ... The 800 pursuers had instantly killed 1000 of the ambushers without any resistance!

How did this happen?

There shouldn't be such a huge difference between the two sides 'combat strength!

The leader of the ambushers was confused. What had happened in the forest?

Lin Yi looked at the thousand soldiers in front of him carrying the disassembled armor-piercing crossbows and suddenly lost interest. These guys were so weak!

Would this have any training effect?

"Kill them!"

Lin Yi waved his hand casually and ordered the guards unit to attack. He paused for a moment before adding, "Leave a few alive for questioning!"

The eight-hundred personal guards responded in unison, and the five-man teams charged towards the enemy with high morale, who was at a loss.

Before they experienced it themselves, they would never have imagined that the five-man battle formation Lin Yi taught them would be this powerful!

The ambushing troops were indeed not as strong as them, but the difference was not too great. At least, there was no sign of them being crushed.

Under normal circumstances, 800 against 1000, it would take at least 3 to 5 minutes to determine the winner. To completely annihilate these 1000 people, the guards unit would have to pay a heavy price.

And the result?

Under the operation of the five-man battle formation, those one thousand people did not even have the ability to resist. All of them had their throats cut and beheaded, not even able to let out a single scream!

The guards unit's respect for Lin Yi had reached a whole new level, and they had completely acknowledged and obeyed Lin Yi as their leader.

At the same time, their confidence in themselves was completely off the charts!

Were the 1000 people in front of him the enemy? No! They were just a thousand lambs waiting to be slaughtered!

"Destroy the armor-piercing crossbow!"

The leader of the ambushers came back to his senses and suddenly shouted, ""Hurry, destroy it!"

The armor-piercing crossbows were powerful and not easy to make. They were the ultimate weapons when two armies faced each other. They could die as an ambush, but they couldn't leave the armor-piercing crossbows to Lin Yi!

Upon hearing the order, the soldiers in ambush did not hesitate and prepared to destroy the armor-piercing crossbows in their hands.

Some wanted to lift them up and smash them on the ground, some wanted to use their knees to hit the crossbow parts in their hands, and some wanted to draw out their short knives to cut, perhaps thinking that they could block the attack of the guards unit after cutting them.

In short, these one thousand people didn't want to defend themselves at first, but to destroy the armor-piercing crossbows.

From this point of view, they could all be called death Warriors!

Lin Yi's lips curled up into a mocking smile-were these guys crazy?

At this time, he was still thinking about destroying the armor-piercing crossbow?

With that amount of time, it's enough for you to die two or three times!

As expected, the 800 personal guards instantly cut into the enemy formation.

And those guys were only focused on destroying the armor-piercing crossbows, not even putting up a trace of defense!

In an instant, blood splattered everywhere!

Each guard killed at least one enemy, the faster ones killed two, and a small number of them got three!

Lin Yi stood calmly outside the forest, his hands behind his back as he watched the one-sided slaughter.

These people were prepared to be killed from the moment they decided to ambush Lin Yi, weren't they?

Therefore, they were not worthy of sympathy!

War had always been a synonym for cruelty!

"Marshal! There are still three survivors here, should I interrogate them?"

The Vice commander of the guards unit brought the three soldiers who were still alive to greet Lin Yi. Their eyes were no longer as unruly as before, only respect and admiration for Lin Yi was left.

The Vice commander Wu yucao was also the commander of the newly formed Guards unit. She was left behind by Lin Yi to take charge of the central Army, so this vice commander was the actual person in charge of the guards unit.

"You go! Find out which side they're on! Send more people back to clean up the battlefield and count the spoils!"

Lin Yi nodded and ordered.

The Vice commander of the guards unit bowed and accepted the order. He immediately arranged for someone to go back and report. He also had his men bring the three captives into the forest and interrogate them.

Lin Yi, on the other hand, scanned the battlefield-it wasn't even a battlefield, it was more like a slaughterhouse.

Facing the massacre of the guards unit, the enemy was no different from sheep waiting to be slaughtered.

A portion of the guards unit soldiers were currently cleaning up the armor-piercing crossbows that were covered in blood.

These were all good things, and they would've collected them carefully even without Lin Yi's orders.

This kind of bow and crossbow was famous on the sub-Island, but the Hongshang Commandery itself did not know how to make it. It was a weapon unique to the black magic Commandery.

It was not easy for Hongshang Commandery to buy it, so there was very little equipment in the Army.

The protection of the armor-piercing crossbow in the black magic Commandery was very good, so it was not easy to seize such long-range weapons. Once they found something wrong, they would rather destroy the crossbow than leave it to the enemy, just like what had happened just now.

They didn't think that Lin Yi's guards would be this strong, not even giving them a chance to destroy, killing them all like they were chopping vegetables.

Lin Yi didn't really care about the armoring-piercing crossbow-it didn't matter.

In the war of the northern border, Hongshang Commandery was the defender of the city. Ordinary longbows and crossbows were enough. It was the same for ambushes.

Unless it was like today, a sneak attack from six or seven miles away, the crossbow would be useful, but Lin Yi didn't think he'd fight from that distance.

So after one look, Lin Yi's eyes quickly moved to a distant Hill, where there was a herd of horses like a dark cloud!

The Black Spirit Ferghana horse!

Lin Yi couldn't help but get a little excited when he saw the group of Black Spirit Ferghana horses.

Out of the 20000 people from the garrison of the king's city, only 4000 cavalymen were on the expedition. They were all black Spirit Ferghana horses, and a portion of them were ordinary horses.

However, there were a total of two thousand Black Spirit Ferghana horses in that Col!



Lin Yi couldn't help but sigh. How was this an ambush?

They were clearly reinforcements!

Just as he was thinking of commandeering more cavalymen from the cities he passed by, they sent over two thousand Black Spirit Ferghana horses. Did they have to be so considerate and generous?

After a short while, Jin Yuan Bao brought two thousand soldiers to clean up the battlefield and check the spoils.

The Vice commander of the guards unit came back to report the results of the interrogation.

"Commander, after the three were interrogated separately, one of them committed suicide and didn't give any useful information. The other two said something, but after verifying it with each other, we didn't get much information."

The Vice commander raised his head and looked at Lin Yi. He hesitated for a moment before continuing, "According to their confession, they are the spies of the seitong Commandery who have been lying in ambush in our country. They usually act as merchants, mercenaries, hunters, and so on."

Have you guys confessed to the goddess? If not, 521 can confess to the school Belle and follow the public account "Yuren22." There will be a chance to receive a custom-made folding fan from 5.21 to 5.28 every day! Just search for the public account "Yuren22" and you can join the event!

## Chapter 7799 Countless Spoils Of War

"Once there's an emergency in the selenbronze Commandery, activate them through the secret code. Only then will they gather together, such as this ambush."

"As for this operation, according to their confession, the high-level officials of our Hongshang Commandery were involved ..."

The Vice commander of the guards couldn't continue. Although he didn't get the name, this kind of thing ... Was really taboo!

Lin Yi wasn't surprised at all, only smiling coldly.

To mobilize 2000 Black Spirit Ferghana horses and equip 1000 armor-piercing crossbows in the hinterlands of Hongshang Commandery, the king of Hongshang Commandery would have been captured long ago without the cooperation of the important figures of Hongshang Commandery!

Not to mention, Lin Yi had just led the Army out, and the spies of seitong Commandery had already finished gathering and ambushing. How could they have such accurate information without someone to report it?

This matter definitely wouldn't be let go so easily. To hide such a large number of Black Spirit Ferghana horses and armor-piercing crossbows, the person behind the scenes would definitely leave some clues.

Lin Yi would send a message to Sima Yunqi later and ask him to investigate this in secret.

A Big Shot who had secretly colluded with the selenbronze Commandery was a huge threat. It was so big that it was enough to destroy the Hongshang Commandery!

"Continue!"

Lin Yi's thoughts turned, but he maintained a calm expression and waved his hand to dispel the Vice commander's concerns. "No matter who is involved, you just have to report the truth. There is no need to hold back."

The Vice commander of the guards bowed and acknowledged, then continued, "They didn't say who was working with them in Hongshang Commandery because they didn't know either. It was a top secret. I guess only the top officials of seitong Commandery would know."

"In addition, the black magic Commandery is also involved. Those armor-piercing crossbows were sold to the seitong Commandery by the black magic Commandery. The black magic Commandery has never sold them to the outside world and they rarely sell them."

"There is no doubt that this is the proof of the Alliance between the black magic Commandery and the selenbronze Commandery. That's why those guys from the selenbronze Commandery wanted to destroy the armor-piercing crossbow. They didn't want us to use it, and they probably wanted to destroy the evidence!"

Lin Yi nodded. The black charm Commandery and the seitong Commandery working together was a guess that everyone had made in the capital. This time, it was confirmed.

In this case, the heimei Commandery was likely to launch an attack on the Hongshang Commandery when the war in the northern border was at a stalemate.

At that time, Sima Zhengxin would probably have to send Sima Yun out!

There was nothing wrong with that, but Lin Yi had to think about it.

If he and his cheapskate father Sima Yunqi went out to battle, facing the attack of two enemy countries, how many soldiers would the capital have left?

Or rather, how many troops loyal to Sima Zhengxin were left in the capital?

Could the person who was colluding with the Selenbronze Commandery be someone in the capital?

At that time, the capital would be empty. Would the Sima clan still have the ability to deal with the rebellion?

Lin Yi couldn't help but scratch his head. If the Sima family was destroyed, how would he be able to use the power of the Hongshang Commandery's royal family to find Wang Xinyan?

Therefore, he had to settle this matter for him!

How troublesome!

He would go back and warn Sima Yun Qi and Sima Zheng Xin first, in case they were not aware that they were being plotted against!

Of course, these two were not easy to deal with. If one wanted to scheme against them, there was a high possibility that they would be schemed against instead!

"Marshal, there's one more thing ... The two of them said that there are many spies like them in the entire Hongshang Commandery. Although I'm not sure about the exact number, I'm sure that there are more than 2000 of them. So, I'm afraid that we will be attacked many times before we reach the northern border battlefield!"

The Vice commander of the guards unit had a serious expression. He didn't think that he would have such a good response every time. Sneak attacks were called sneak attacks because they caught the enemy off guard!

When an Army advanced, it was impossible to make no mistakes. Who knew when they would suddenly be attacked?

"I know! It doesn't matter how many of these clowns there are, they're just your practice targets. "

Lin Yi didn't mind.

These spies who were lying in ambush in Hongshang Commandery were not strong. Unless they had an absolute advantage in numbers, they would not pose much of a threat.

The Vice commander reported some more information from the interrogation, but nothing important. Lin Yi didn't think much of it.

He then thought about the number of spies in Hongshang Commandery and had a new idea.

2,000 people, it wasn't a lot, but it wasn't a little.

If this force was not here to ambush the reinforcements, but to sneak into the three cities of the northern border, what effect would it have?

City Siege!

The confession mentioned that there were more than 2000 spies lurking in Hongshang Commandery.

Did the remaining people already go to the three cities in the northern border and prepare to attack the three cities from the inside?

As he was thinking, Jin Yuan Bao ran over happily and saluted to Lin Yi. "Marshal, we've counted the spoils of war this time. We've seized two thousand Black Spirit Ferghana horses and one thousand ordinary armor-piercing crossbows, but ten of them are slightly damaged and need to be repaired before they can be used."

The craftsmen of Hongshang Commandery could not make the armor-piercing crossbow because the black charm Commandery had installed an anti-demolition device in it. If they wanted to copy it, they had to face a pile of scattered parts.

However, some of the external damage could be repaired. These did not involve the internal structure, so it was not too difficult.

What Lin Yi was curious about was what a normal armor-piercing crossbow was.

Could it be that he had an extraordinary armor-piercing crossbow?

Jin Yuanbao saw the confusion in Lin Yi's eyes and added, ""The armor-piercing crossbow used by two people should be called a simplified version. The real one is at least five, six, seven, eight times bigger than this! It's not something that can be carried by a person, but something that has to be fixed on a base. "

"That thing is the real terrifying killing weapon. I'm afraid even the Masters of the original level wouldn't dare to take it head-on. The walls of ordinary small cities might collapse directly!"

Although Jin Yuan Bao had never seen it before, he was the young master of the gold yuan bank, so he knew about it.

"Other than these, we also seized nearly two thousand crossbows and a similar number of short knives in the forest and here. It's enough to set up a divine shooting Battalion!"

As for the losses on their side, Jin Yuan Bao did not mention them at all. The casualties in the camp were negligible compared to the spoils of war.

To be honest, Jin Yuan Bao felt that such ambushes could be repeated a few more times.

By the time they reached the northern border, perhaps the equipment of the garrison of the king's city could be upgraded and completely armed to the teeth.

Lin Yi nodded-he didn't even need Yuanbao to tell him about the rewards.

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With a sweep of his divine sense, the numbers he counted were faster and more accurate than the soldiers 'counting.

"Bury the bodies on the spot and bring the spoils back to the camp."

Lin Yi gave the order and led the guards unit through the forest and back to their resting place.



Jin Yuan Bao followed Lin Yi's orders and quickly buried the body before returning with a full harvest.

When the Army set off again, the morale of the soldiers was obviously higher, and they had a lot more recognition and respect for Lin Yi as their commander.

Lin Yi, Wu yucao, Zhang Yiming, and Jin Yuan Bao were all in the formation, surrounded by guards, but they kept a distance from the four.

"Deputy Commander-in-Chief, the main force of this ambush is from seitong Commandery. The black magic Commandery supplies armor-piercing crossbows, and some people from Hongshang Commandery provide cover. Their purpose is to deal with us!"

Lin Yi's face was calm, as if he was talking about something irrelevant. He didn't feel like he was being targeted at all. "It's just that the forest before was too small, and only two thousand men could be hidden in it. Otherwise, there would be even more ambushes this time. "

Jin Yuan Bao smacked his lips, and his chubby little face showed a regretful expression. ""That's a pity. If I had known earlier, I would have planted more trees here so that they would have more opportunities to send more people to ambush us. This way, they should be able to send more Black Spirit Ferghana horses and armor-piercing crossbows, right?"

Lin Yi couldn't help but smile-what Jin Yuanbao said didn't seem wrong!

"Should I investigate these people in tingfeng Hall?" Zhang Yiming laughed. Or are you deliberately letting them continue with the event?"

"Don't joke around!"

Wu yucao didn't think it was a funny thing. "This time, they targeted our main force. They only failed because of the Marshal. If they had targeted the forward strike Battalion or the Scout Battalion, do you think the result would be the same?"

Jin Yuan Bao and Zhang Yiming looked at each other and fell into silence.

Just as Wu yucao said, two thousand soldiers with a thousand armor-piercing crossbows would have caused thousands of casualties if it wasn't for Lin Yi.

If the appetite of this ambush was smaller and they were targeting Li Yingjian's forward strike Battalion ... The forward strike Battalion would have been completely annihilated!

As for the Scout Camp, there were too few of them. The ambushers would definitely not use the scouts to alert the enemy.

"The Vice Commander-in-Chief is right. Commander Zhang, although the tingfeng camp has just been established, you must get into character as soon as possible. The Scout Camp is not suitable for enemies who are hiding in the dark. You have a heavy responsibility!"

Lin Yi looked at Zhang Yiming.

To be honest, this request was a bit too much for the newly established surveillance camp and Zhang Yiming.

After all, the function of the surveillance camp was similar to the intelligence system of the brocade guard in ancient Huaxia. It was almost impossible to pull some people from the garrison of the king's city and put them to use.

Zhang Yiming smiled bitterly to himself, but didn't reject the offer. He cupped his fists and bowed to Lin Yi. "Yes, general. I will not fail my mission!"

"This matter is indeed a little difficult for you, but no one else can do better than you!"

Lin Yi encouraged casually before changing the topic. "The ambush this time has given me a warning. If we rush over, it may not be smooth-sailing on the way. Once we reach the northern border, we may have to face three cities that have already been attacked from both the inside and the outside."

"So I have decided that after we set up camp tonight, I will secretly take the guards unit and head to the northern border!"

"Marshal! Isn't it too dangerous to only bring 800 guards?"

"No!" Wu yucao immediately objected. "Seitong Commandery claims that they have 200000 troops in the battle of the northern border. It's meaningless to send 800 personal guards there!"

She was just short of saying "Marshal, you're bringing 800 people over. This can't even be considered as delivering food, it's only a snack before a meal!"

In a war between large corporations, individual strength didn't really have much use. Lin Yi was strong, but even if he was made of iron, how many nails could he hit?

It wasn't that Wu yucao didn't believe in Lin Yi's strength, but the problem was that he had an Army of 200000 soldiers. How many sheep could he kill alone?

"No! Vice Commander-in-Chief, you're wrong. 800 people is not a lot, but the guards unit is made up of the elites of the Army, the sharpest blades. The smaller the number, the more flexible they are, and more suitable for this operation!"

Lin Yi didn't want to explain too much, so he decided after a few sentences. "It's settled then. After I leave, vice Commander-in-Chief, find someone who looks similar to me to be my substitute."

"The few of you, help me cover this up. Don't let anyone see through my substitute's identity. Then, continue to lead the Army at our current speed and reach the northern border as soon as possible."

"Also, remember to send someone to keep in touch with Fei daqiang and tell him to pay attention to the enemy's ambush! Food is the lifeline of the Army, and we can't make any mistakes. The cavalrymen will be placed in the main unit, and the infantrymen will be placed in the rear to protect the food. "

Lin Yi didn't think that Fei daqiang would be in any trouble.

After all, Blue Moon City was only the first city they passed by, so the provisions they would be able to replenish would not be too much. The recruited soldiers were already enough to protect them.

The enemies hiding in the dark probably wouldn't attack the supply route now, because there was no point. There were still many cities behind them that could be used for supplies.

If Lin Yi knew what Fei daqiang was doing in cangyue city, he wouldn't think that way.

The amount of food that guy got in Blue Moon City was far beyond Lin Yi's imagination ...

Wu yucao and the others didn't want Lin Yi to take 800 people to risk it, but since Lin Yi had already made a decision, they had to follow it.

In the time that followed, the group discussed their plans after Lin Yi left.

As for whether or not the spies would ambush them again, Lin Yi didn't think it was possible.

The first was that they lost two thousand men, two thousand Black Spirit Ferghana horses, a thousand armoring-piercing crossbows, and short knives, but they didn't cause too many casualties to Lin Yi's men.

Therefore, the possibility of a second round was very small.

Secondly, this was the hinterlands of Hongshang Commandery. They must have paid a great price to organize such an ambush.

If the people in Hongshang Commandery who were responsible for covering him were to carry out another operation of the same scale or even larger scale, this person might be completely exposed.

It was because of such considerations that Lin Yi decided to bring the guards unit first-maybe they'd discover more!

When night fell, the Army set up camp, and Lin Yi quietly left the group with eight hundred guards. The Black Spirit Ferghana horse was a type of dark spirit beast, and it was no stranger to moving at night.

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