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Chapter 211: Mist-Concealed Mamba

In Lin Yuan's original plan, he would not participate in the Radiance Hundred Sequence competition this year. His goal had always been to enter the Radiance Hundred Sequence next year.

In his first year, he could only compete for Sequence #90 to #100, as ten people would be eliminated yearly. Every year, only ten people could fill in the remaining positions in the Radiance Hundred Sequence.

An ambition suddenly emerged in Lin Yuan's heart. He wanted to compete in the Radiance Hundred Sequence this year for Sequence #90 to #100.

Lin Yuan had watched many Radiance Hundred Sequence members' Celestial Stairway duels from the video library during this period. Although he still could not clearly remember all their feys, he knew the overall strength of those from Sequence #90 to #100.

As long as he had a Gold/Fantasy Breed fey, even though he might not necessarily be able to get into the Radiance Hundred Sequence, he had at least the possibility of competing.

At this time, Lin Yuan suddenly thought of a very important problem. How long would it take for Morbius to condense a spirit qi crystal with the Spirit Qi Condensation ability?

The Radiance Federation was going to hold the S Tournament soon from January until the end of March, and the Radiance Hundred Sequence competition lasted from March to April. Therefore, every day from January to April was basically a party for the Radiance Federation's citizens. These four months were also known as the Tournament Season.

Morbius estimated and said to Lin Yuan, "Under normal circumstances, the Spirit Qi Condensation ability would take about ten days to condense a spirit qi crystal. With sufficient energy ores in the Spirit Lock spatial zone, it would take about seven days."

After receiving Morbius's reply, Lin Yuan became even more determined to participate in the Radiance Hundred Sequence competition. He was not short of energy ores and just needed to buy them from Zhou Jiaxin's Star Web store.

If one spirit qi crystal was produced every seven days, that meant that if he wanted to evolve the Fantasy Breed Chimey or Jasmine Lily into Gold, he would need around 72 days.

It was now the end of November, and there were still over three months before the selection of the Radiance Hundred Sequence. During this time, he could evolve Chimey from Silver I/Fantasy I into Gold I/Fantasy I.

He could use the extra spiritual power crystals to improve the source-type Acid Corrosion Queen Bee's strength. The spirit qi needed for each upgrade of a Fantasy Breed was undoubtedly much more than what ordinary feys needed. Therefore, he would most likely enhance the Acid Corrosion Queen Bee into Gold X/Legend in over three months.

Lin Yuan talked to Morbius in the Spiritual spatial zone and ran through the benefits he had gained over the past few months. At that moment, he felt someone tap on his shoulder and immediately returned to his senses. He found Liu Jie looking at him worriedly.

“Lin Yuan, how come you haven’t moved since the auction started? Did something happen?”

As Lin Yuan looked at Liu Jie’s concerned gaze, he shook his head and answered, “I’m fine. Was there anything outstanding in the auction just now?”

Lin Yuan had just learned that Morbius had awakened, so he had placed his thoughts within the Spirit Lock spatial zone. As a result, he did not pay attention to what had been auctioned.

When Liu Jie saw Lin Yuan did not look like he was uncomfortable, he was relieved and replied, “Some rare spiritual ingredients were auctioned off earlier, the most valuable of which was the Platinum dragon beast’s blood. A tube of it was sold for nearly 400,000 Radiance dollars.”

Lin Yuan nodded. Although a Platinum dragon beast’s blood was rare, it slightly circulated in the market, so one could collect it if one was sincere about it.

At that moment, Lin Yuan and Liu Jie suddenly heard many people’s cries of surprise. A member of the king-class expert five-member squad was holding a Platinum fey storage box. He summoned the fey inside the fey storage box with a shake of his hand. A lot of exclams had been due to this suddenly summoned Platinum snake fey.

Lin Yuan used True Data to check it.

[Fey Name]: Mist-Concealed Mamba

[Fey Species]: Cobra/Black Mamba

[Spirit-Lifeform Grade]: Platinum (10/10)

[Fey Type]: Poison

[Fey Quality]: Epic

Abilities:

[Mist Transformation]: Transforms body into mist and can effectively avoid physical damage, but will receive double the energy damage.

[Twin Venomous Fangs]: After the venomous fangs bite the target, the second set of fangs will quickly pop out from the upper jaw. The fangs’ venom carries a paralyzing effect.

[Fatal Entanglement]: The mist-transformed body can quickly strangle the target. When doing so, the scales on the abdomen will be raised, and snake venom can be released from it.

[Mamba Mist]: Shoots out a large amount of venomous mist that can increase its stealth. At the same time, the target who comes into contact with the venomous mist will experience various illusions.

[Mamba Disintegration]: Burns all the energy in the body, quickly secretes venom and injects out all the venom in the body in one hit.

Exclusive Skill:

[Concentrated Venom]: Stimulate the venom gland's potential so that it can produce venom with doubled venomousness.

Lin Yuan could not help but click his tongue. It seemed that the king-class five-member squad had put in their hard-earned savings in this auction. Otherwise, no matter what, they would not put such a fey up for auction.

That king-class expert who had summoned this Platinum fey carefully displayed it and said, "This snake fey is a Platinum X/Epic Mist-Concealed Mamba. A-rank spirit qi professionals can contract it directly."

Next, he carefully introduced it.

Since the squad wanted to consolidate resources, it was naturally better the higher the price that this fey was sold at. Therefore, this king-class expert explained its strong points in great detail, causing Lin Yuan to feel his teeth ache.

But there was no denying that it had rather good abilities. Mist Transformation and Fatal Entanglement could perfectly match with each other into a control-type ability. While controlling, the Twin Venomous Fangs could cause venom damage to the target.

If combined with Mamba Disintegration, as long as this Mist-Concealed Mamba could bite the target and break through the armor, it could even poison a fey with a grade higher than itself to death.

Most snake feys relied on venoms to attack, and mambas were one the most venomous snakes.

Since the Mist-Concealed Mamba's exclusive skill was Concentrated Venom, it raised its venomousness to another level. The strength of poison-type feys was always linked to the lethality of the poison. Its exclusive skill made its strength higher than its own grade.

However, even if an A-rank spirit qi professional could afford this Mist-Concealed Mamba, they would not choose to contract it. This was because they could use the resources to nurture a more suitable spirit from a lower grade.

When poison-type feys reached Gold, they would slowly become vulnerable.

Feys of the Gold grade and above had a stronger defense, and some defense-type feys could take charge of defense.

On the other hand, although the venomousness in the poison-type feys' bodies was constantly increasing alongside their grades, they were pretty much weaker in other aspects compared to feys of the same grade.

Chapter 212: Wave Halberd Killer Whale

After a poison-type fey reached Platinum, the biggest problem was how to bite the target with their venomous fangs and break through the target's body surface.

If their venomous fangs could not break through the target's defense, the poison-type feys would not have any advantage over other feys in a duel.

Poison-type feys were very powerful feys early on, but they became weak after Gold. Of course, this situation was not absolute. Many precious poison-type feys that even reached Platinum could still kill their enemies.

Some of them even comprehended the exclusive skill, Armor-Breaking Venomous Fang. However, this Mist-Concealed Mamba was excluded.

The final price was out of Lin Yuan's expectation. This Platinum X/Epic Mist-Concealed Mamba had actually been sold for 9,000,000 Radiance dollars.

Wen Yu looked at it and said, "This Mist-Concealed Mamba shouldn't be worth 9,000,000 Radiance dollars. It's only suitable for battling on Star Tower, but not for actual combat in the wild."

Wen Yu was someone from the Radiant Moon Palace, so she was not the least bit surprised to see this Mist-Concealed Mamba. On the contrary, she felt that the fey was not very good.

Lin Yuan also understood where the problem was. The Mist-Concealed Mamba's Mist Transformation had a tremendous flaw.

Feys that underwent spiritual mutation were almost always good at energy attacks, and most energy attacks caused ranged damage.

Therefore, the Mist-Concealed Mamba could give it its all and attack on the Star Tower duel and could even use Mamba Disintegration to finish off its opponent.

However, when it came to actual combat in the wild, it was not outstanding in any other aspects as a poison-type fey.

It was very likely that after Mist Transformation, under many energy attacks, before it could attack others, it would have been seriously injured.

The king-class expert, who had organized this auction, revealed a rather satisfied expression on his face when the Mist-Concealed Mamba had been sold. Clearly, its price was also beyond his expectations.

The auction continued with a few more feys, most of which were finished products. In terms of abilities and exclusive skills, they were not that perfect.

Since their species were rather rare and everyone was bidding against each other in the auction, the price had gone relatively high.

Lin Yuan had a deeper understanding of the fey market and feys' prices thanks to this auction. He had learned that these feys were simply too expensive.

After auctioning off what he had at hand, the king-class expert cleared his throat and said, "The following item is the fourth last item for this private auction."

After saying that, he took out a Bronze fey storage box. It was obvious that the fey inside was rather rare.

When he released the fey, Lin Yuan's pupils subconsciously shrunk. This Bronze fey was actually a young whale. Despite being a young whale, it had a three-meter body length. Judging from its state, it should have just been born not too long ago.

When the king-class expert summoned this young whale, Lin Yuan saw Zhao Xiaochun stand up from her seat and said, "Senior Shadow Bat King, I heard that your teammate suffered serious injuries in the dimensional rift and is unconscious. I have a few Diamond Deep-Blue Soul-Awakening Petals. I wonder if I can use them to exchange for this Wave Halberd Killer Whale?"

Zhao Xiaochun was sitting near Lin Yuan and even winked at him as she stood up.

As a king-class expert, who all had their own titles, his title was 'Shadow Bat'. When the Shadow Bat King heard Zhao Xiaochun's words, he answered, "Sure! We'll exchange!"

After saying that, he stored the Bronze Wave Halberd Killer Whale in the Bronze fey storage box.

At that moment, Lin Yuan subconsciously used True Data to check it.

[Fey Name]: Wave Halberd Killer Whale

[Fey Species]: Cetacea/Toothed Whale

[Spirit-Lifeform Grade]: Bronze (1/10)

[Fey Type]: Water

[Fey Quality]: Flawless

Abilities:

[Halberd Strike]: Quickly charges at target, using the halberd on its back to cut the target in half.

[Resonant Whale Sound]: The high-frequency whale sound creates ripples. While it causes damage to the target, it will also cause some mental interference.

Exclusive Skill:

[Surging Tide Sad Melody]: Connects to all water beings in the water. If they are willing, it can absorb all the energy in their bodies.

Lin Yuan was shocked to see the Wave Halberd Killer Whale's exclusive skill. This Bronze fey was completely the main axis of a fey combat system. Other water-type feys could work very well with it in a battle. Its Surging Tide Sad Melody was akin to consolidating the power of all the water-type feys present.

Even though it was only at Bronze currently, if it was nurtured properly and underwent several metamorphoses, it would certainly be terrifying when it became a Fantasy Breed.

At that moment, Fang Duoduo said with a suppressed voice, "Zhao Xiaochun, Boss Long Tao said you should bid first. If you can't win it, then you can use the Diamond Deep-Blue Soul-Awakening Petals to exchange for it. Why are you keeping such a high-profile?"

Zhao Xiaochun rolled her eyes at him and replied, "This is called avoiding undue delay bringing trouble! The sea is simply a forbidden ground. Do you think it's easy to get a newborn Wave Halberd Killer Whale from there?"

Fang Duoduo could not continue and muttered, "Anyway, we're considered having completed the mission of coming to this private auction. Boss' fifth fey is settled."

Lin Yuan had not expected that Long Tao would be the one who bid the Bronze Wave Halberd Killer Whale instead of Zhao Xiaochun.

Long Tao's Sea King Chalk Mosasaurus was still fresh in Lin Yuan's mind. As Radiance Hundred Sequence #3, Long Tao's title of Overflowing Sea had come from his signature fey.

After Long Tao nurtured this Wave Halberd Killer Whale, it would become his signature fey. This fey would also become his and even the Dragon Gate Guild Club team's core axis.

After this Wave Halberd Killer Whale had been auctioned off, it was finally time for the highlight of the night, which was also the three source-type items that Lin Yuan was most looking forward to.

Shadow Bat King took over a box, slowly opened it, and said, "The third last auction and also the first source-type item of the night is in this box."

Lin Yuan saw a transparent amber crystal inside the box that was in the shape of a button.

He thought that this first source-type item really looked a bit strange, but when he used True Data to check the source-type lifeform, he had an interesting expression on his face.

Chapter 213: The Mother of Bloodbath's Request

When Lin Yuan used True Data to check this source-type item that was like an amber button-shaped crystal, he immediately decided that he was going to win the auction for this no matter what. This was a source-type item that he had been yearning for.

If he nurtured it properly, not only could it protect himself, but it could also play a controlling and attacking role. However, its contract conditions were a little too harsh, so harsh that it would make everyone flinch.

A Creation Master would appraise auctioned source-type items on the spot so that the Creation Master could judge what contract conditions it required.

Even Creation Masters of high ranks could not accurately judge a source-type lifeform's specific role and ability, as such lifeforms were simply too strange, and many of them were unique so far.

Although people would find out about the source-type lifeforms' abilities through the Radiance Federation's experiments and announcements, the contractor would still have to find out the other source-type lifeforms' strength and how to use them.

The true reason source-type items were so highly sought after was that the spirit qi professional's talents would not affect them. The source-type items were not divided into any types, so one could contract them as long as they could meet their contract conditions.

However, regardless of its strength, the primary condition for contracting one was to be able to meet those harsh conditions. Due to the harsh conditions, there should be no one willing to lay their hands on it.

The Shadow Bat King wore a smile on his face, clearly in an excellent mood.

The king-class expert squad had organized this auction to consolidate resources. This time, they had brought out almost all the spiritual ingredients and feys useless to the team members for the auction.

The prices of these spiritual ingredients and feys auctioned off had also obviously reached the Shadow Bat King's expectations.

Actually, this was not the reason for the smile on his face. It was because the Wave Halberd Killer Whale that had been auctioned off had been exchanged for the Diamond Deep-Blue Soul-Awakening Petals.

When his king-class expert squad had been exploring the Class 3 dimensional rift, one of their squad members had suffered severe mental trauma and fell into a coma. Currently, he had yet to regain consciousness. He was also the squad's healing-type spirit qi professional.

They wanted to consolidate resources this time because two of their squad members had comprehended Willpower Runes in the Class 3 dimensional rift and needed two Bronze high-quality feys. On the other hand, they wanted to save their squad's healing-type spirit qi professional.

Feys that could heal mental trauma were not really rare, just like when Lin Yuan had been unconscious.

The doctor that Auntie Zhang had found had a contracted Clear Pond Carp with abilities that could calm the mind. However, a king-class expert's mental trauma was not that easy to heal.

Even some king-class healing-type spirit qi professionals probably had no way out without their feys' abilities or exclusive skill that specialized in healing mental trauma.

They needed to spend a lot of money to find a king-class healing-type spirit qi professional specialized in healing mental trauma.

The Diamond Deep-Blue Soul-Awakening Petals could awaken the mind. Those willing to auction such a life-saving item like it were probably even rarer than a source-type item.

Exchanging a Bronze Wave Halberd Killer Whale for Diamond Deep-Blue Soul-Awakening Petals was clearly an excellent deal.

It was not because the Bronze Wave Halberd Killer Whale was not as valuable as the Diamond Soul-Awakening Deep Blue Flower Petals.

The Wave Halberd Killer Whale was even rarer than the spiritual ingredients that could heal a king-class expert's mental trauma.

After the Spirit Qi Awakening, the ocean had become a forbidden ground. The king-class expert squad that the Shadow Bat King was in had been lucky to capture it. While its mother was fighting with a school of sharks, the squad had seized the chance to capture it.

Bartering was exchanging an item or fey that one did not need for an item or fey one needed. As long as the price was comparable, both parties would benefit no matter how they exchanged it.

Just then, a middle-aged woman, who had been standing beside Shadow Bat King without speaking, walked up to him and said, "Let's display all three source-type items before allowing them to be bid separately. If we end it quickly, we can use the Deep-Blue Soul-Awakening Petals to wake up Shan Shan."

Upon hearing that, the Shadow Bat King nodded and said to the crowd in the VIP area waiting for the auction, "There are still three lots left in tonight's auction. They're all source-type items. I've decided to show them all and let you bid on them separately."

After saying that, the Shadow Bat King took out two brocade boxes that were not that big and opened them. As he did that, Lin Yuan heard the Mother of Bloodbath's strange yet unusually pleasant voice. "Lin Yuan, help me bid the source-type lifeform in the third box. I'll owe you a favor."

Lin Yuan could hear an urgency and fervor in the Mother of Bloodbath's voice. However, it spoke with unusual solemnity.

Its urgency and fervor were for the blood-red egg-shaped object in the box that was the size of a fist, while its solemnity was a promise to itself.

As Lin Yuan's Path Protector, the Mother of Bloodbath would only protect his safety in times of peril. It was not obliged to fulfill any requests made by him, so owing him a favor proved that he could also ask a favor from it once.

The Mother of Bloodbath was a Suzerain/Myth I expert. It could be said the benefit because of it owing him a favor was valuable.

Lin Yuan used True Data to check this blood-red egg-shaped source-type item and realized it was a source-type lifeform's egg.

The egg contained majestic blood energy. In the center of the eggshell was a young lifeform whose shape could not be seen yet. It was slowly absorbing the blood energy in the egg.

Thanks to True Data, Lin Yuan discovered that it was called the Deep Sea Blood Mosquito.

He was a little curious. Why would the Mother of Bloodbath want such a source-type lifeform?

Feys could not contract a source-type lifeform like humans, and they could only rely on themselves.

The Mother of Bloodbath's eyes were now focused on that blood-red egg-shaped source-type lifeform in the third box. It might have sensed Lin Yuan's puzzled gaze, so it whispered beside his ear, "I've been stuck at Myth I for a long time. This source-type item contains majestic blood energy. If I can completely refine and absorb it, I might be able to reach Myth II. At that time, I will be able to take human form."

Chapter 214: Harsh Contract Conditions

Upon hearing the Mother of Bloodbath's words, Lin Yuan could not help but feel a little stunned.

Unlike other people who bid for source-type lifeforms to form a contract, the Mother of Bloodbath actually did it for the sake of eating it. However, its goal of doing so was the same as humans contracting source-type lifeforms. It was for the sake of getting stronger.

The law of survival of feys was the survival of the fittest, let alone the Mother of Bloodbath. Since birth, it had completely relied on itself and reached Suzerain/Myth I step by step with no contracts with a spirit qi professional.

From a young age, it had experienced countless killings to get to where it was today, so consuming a source-type lifeform to get stronger was a matter of course.

After the Shadow Bat King took out these three source-type items, he pointed at the middle-aged woman who had come forward to speak just now and said, "I'll let the Lightning Sparrow King introduce the contract conditions of these three source-type items."

She took over from the Shadow Bat King and said, "Many of the people present should know me better. Besides being a combat-class spirit qi professional, I'm also a pinnacle Class 3 Creation Master, so I shall introduce these three source-type items' contract conditions to everyone."

Lin Yuan had discovered that the middle-aged woman, who was called Lightning Sparrow King, was actually popular there.

Clearly, besides having something to do with the fact that the Lightning Sparrow King was a king-class expert, the more important reason was that she was a pinnacle Class 3 Creation Master.

Based on the status and position in the Radiance Federation, king-class experts actually had a comparable status to that of Class 3 Creation Masters.

However, pinnacle Class 3 Creation Masters had vaguely surpassed pinnacle king-class experts in terms of connections and power.

King-class experts looked up to Class 4 Creation Masters. Any Class 4 Creation Masters was a target for the king-class experts to curry favor with.

The Lightning Sparrow King picked up that source-type item that was like an amber button-shaped crystal and said, "This source-type item is an elemental source-type item."

As she said that, a clamor ensued. There were many types of source-type items, but the most precious ones were elemental source-type items. When nurtured properly, they would often be formidable. At the same time, they were comprehensive and could combine attack, control, and defense all in one.

Many people in the audience looked at this source-type item as their eyes lit up. However, the Lightning Sparrow King changed the topic and did not introduce how strong this source-type item was. Instead, she said, "This source-type item has very harsh contract conditions. It would need two Willpower Runes for a contract, and these Willpower Runes should conform with each other. When it reaches Legend, it will automatically become a Fantasy Breed."

The Lightning Sparrow King's expression somewhat twitched.

God knew how happy the king-class expert squad had been after obtaining this elemental source-type item. But then again, how speechless had they been after learning its contract conditions?

Lin Yuan had been waiting for this. However, the contract conditions that the Lightning Sparrow King had mentioned were much easier than that of this amber-button-shaped-crystal-like source-type item. It was not comprehensive enough.

Besides requiring two Willpower Runes, only after this source-type item became a Fantasy Breed would it then have an exclusive skill. Its special feature was that it had no abilities.

Instead, when it became a Fantasy Breed, it would get three exclusive skills. One of the exclusive skills was randomly generated like other feys, while the other two were related to the two Willpower Runes used in the contract. Each Willpower Rune corresponded to one exclusive skill.

Therefore, if this elemental source-type item could not reach Legend and become a Fantasy Breed, it would be like wasting two Willpower Runes and obtaining a useless amber button-shaped crystal.

Of course, Lin Yuan would not make all of these known.

Since it needed two Willpower Runes, no one would want to contract this source-type item.

As expected, the expression on those who had been eager was as disgusting as eating cat litter that had not been changed in three years. It was not acceptable, even if only one Willpower Rune was needed.

With a Willpower Rune, they could just contract a high-quality Bronze fey and evolve it into a Fantasy Breed before Gold, which was the most accurate way to use the Willpower Rune.

Only a fool would purchase a source-type lifeform and spend two Willpower Runes to contract it in most people's eyes.

The Lightning Sparrow King did not mind the bidders' reaction below. Her squad had taken out three source-type items for auction due to their harsh contract conditions and the fact that they were not of any use to her squad members.

If they had obtained a source-type item that was good to contract and nurture, the squad definitely would not have taken them out for auction.

The Lightning Sparrow King continued to introduce the second source-type. "Many of you should've heard of this source-type item. It's an insect egg with a source-type Hurricane Owlet Moth inside.

"There's information on it on the Radiance Federation's Star Web. The Hurricane Owlet Moth can use the hurricane generated by its wings to control the target, while the wind blades in the hurricane have a strong penetrating effect and can cut through thick armor.

"Its contract conditions are very simple. You only need to contract a Breeze Hibiscus."

The Lightning Sparrow King was generous with her words, unlike when she had introduced the amber-button-shaped-crystal-like source-type item.

When she introduced the Hurricane Owlet Moth, she spoke of all its advantages that she could come up with. The people sitting below waiting for the auction immediately became interested when they heard it was the Hurricane Owlet Moth. Obviously, many of them knew about the Hurricane Owlet Moth.

When the Lightning Sparrow King introduced the Hurricane Owlet Moth, Lin Yuan realized that Liu Jie was clenching his fist tightly, his lips pursed together. He was looking at the Hurricane Owlet Moth egg in the brocade box.

Lin Yuan immediately knew that he was interested in it, so he said, “Big Brother Liu, this Hurricane Owlet Moth is quite suitable with your Insect Queen’s Platinum ability.”

Liu Jie’s Insect Queen was a Platinum/Fantasy Breed source-type lifeform and should have five abilities theoretically, but it only had four.

Liu Jie had been keeping the Platinum ability slot that relied on devouring insects to replicate the template.

This Hurricane Owlet Moth fit well with his Gold/Fantasy Breed Insect Queen’s combat style. Furthermore, the Hurricane Owlet Moth had a very simple template. Producing one would not cost the Insect Queen too much energy.

Liu Jie smiled bitterly when he heard Lin Yuan’s words. He had known about the Hurricane Owlet Moth a long time ago. When his Insect Queen was at Silver, he had seen the detailed information on the Hurricane Owlet Moth and felt that it was very compatible with his Insect Queen. However, source-type lifeforms were rare, and many of them were unique. They were unlike feys that could be searched for.

When the Insect Queen had been promoted to Platinum, Liu Jie found that there were no suitable insect-species feys. It was either they were feys with compatible abilities but a complicated template, or feys with a simple template but incompatible abilities.

So far, Liu Jie’s Insect Queen was lacking the most in an insect template to play a control role. The source-type Hurricane Owlet Moth had unexpectedly appeared now, so the more he thought about it, the more he felt that it was very suitable for his Insect Queen.

Chapter 215: Unconventional Bidding

Liu Jie’s biggest problem was money, as he had lent all his money to Bai Hao before his Insect Queen had been injured.

Not long ago, Bai Hao had returned the money to him, but over 10,00,000 Radiance dollars was clearly insufficient for him to buy the Hurricane Night Moth.

Although Liu Jie said nothing, Lin Yuan could see his desire for this source-type lifeform through his eyes. Lin Yuan could not help but ridicule in his heart, I didn’t come to this private auction for nothing.

I need all these three source-type lifeforms—one for myself, one for Liu Jie, and the other for the Mother of Bloodbath.

The Lightning Sparrow King did not pause and continued to introduce the third source-type item. As he held the blood-red egg-shaped item in her hands, she said, “It should be the first time this source-type item is appearing, so it is unknown what exactly is its role. However, its contract condition is very simple.

“You just have to spend a large amount of spiritual energy for the contract. After the contract is successful, wait for the lifeform inside this egg to absorb all the blood energy inside until it can break through the eggshell. Only then will it appear.

“If you want to speed up the hatching, you can feed a large amount of your own blood.”

An auctioneer who was interested in this blood-red egg stood up and asked, “Lordess Lightning Sparrow King, how long does the source-type lifeform in this egg take to hatch? How much spiritual energy will it consume?”

The Lightning Sparrow King hid nothing. “The hardness of this eggshell can withstand the full force of a Diamond fey, so the fey inside needs to be able to break this eggshell first before it can hatch.

“It’ll consume around the spiritual energy needed to contract three Platinum feys. You’ll probably also need to feed your own blood for around ten years.”

The Lightning Sparrow King’s words made the onlooking Zhao Xiaochun smile.

Lin Yuan did not know what to say. Even people with very strong bodies could not feed this source-type lifeform a huge amount of their blood for ten years. They would die within a year. Ordinary people could not even survive a month.

Only A-rank spirit qi professionals could reach the spiritual energy required for three Platinum feys. However, which one of them would spend so much spiritual energy to contract an egg that would only hatch in a decade or so?

Even though the fey would at least reach Diamond when it hatched, the gains did not make up for the losses.

A-rank spirit qi professionals’ limit was feys up to pinnacle Diamond. Even if they did not have a Fantasy Breed and had been nurturing a fey, it was really not a big problem when it reached Diamond. Therefore, this source-type lifeform in this blood-red egg was incomparably weak.

However, thanks to Lin Yuan’s True Data, if the Deep Sea Blood Mosquito really hatched, it would not only just be at Diamond. Nevertheless, even if he irrigated it with a huge amount of blood daily, it would take at least 15 years or so for it to hatch.

Without blood nourishment, it could not hatch even in almost 100 years. It would take an unknown time for the Deep Sea Blood Mosquito larva to absorb the majestic blood energy in this egg.

Although it could withstand the full force of a Diamond fey, it was easy for the Mother of Bloodbath, a Suzerain/Myth I expert, to break this blood-red eggshell.

After the Lightning Sparrow King introduced the three source-type items, the bidding began, but most people focused on the second source-type lifeform in the brocade box, the Hurricane Owlet Moth.

Upon seeing this, the Lightning Sparrow King simply said, “Let’s auction the Hurricane Owlet Moth first.”

Lin Yuan did not bid right away. The price of this Hurricane Owlet Moth soared all the way to 30,000,000 Radiance dollars before slowing down. At that moment, a young man with dreadlocks stood up and said, “Senior Lightning Sparrow King, I wonder if I can exchange a Bronze/Epic Gold Devouring Rat for this Hurricane Owlet Moth.”

As soon as he spoke, the venue fell silent. A Bronze/Epic fey was currently the highest-quality Bronze fey appearing in the Radiance Federation.

Any Bronze/Epic feys had the potential to reach Legend at Gold, and those with stronger potential could even reach Legend at Silver. Therefore, any such feys was akin to a great opportunity.

Even king-class experts would be moved when they heard of such feys.

When Lin Yuan saw the hesitant look on the Lightning Sparrow King's face, he knew that he should make a move. Otherwise, it would be too late when the Lightning Sparrow King agreed.

He stood up and said, "Senior Lightning Sparrow King, I also have a Bronze/Epic fey. I would like to use it to participate in the bidding."

Upon hearing that, the Lightning Sparrow King immediately asked, "Little friend, what kind of species is your Bronze/Epic fey?"

The Lightning Sparrow King's question made Lin Yuan not know how to answer for a while. He could not say that he had whatever species she wanted or that he had any species she could not think of. Otherwise, he would undoubtedly seem like a troublemaker.

When the youth with dreadlocks noticed that Lin Yuan was bidding with him, he frowned and said, "Summon it out if you have one. We'll see which of our feys interest the Lightning Sparrow King."

The youth with dreadlocks summoned a golden rat from the Diamond fey storage box at his chest after saying that. He walked up and handed the rat to the Lightning Sparrow King before he said, "Senior, please check it. If you intend to exchange with me, I can add another 10,000,000 Radiance dollars."

He sounded very sincere, his eyes full of the determination to win the bid.

When the Lightning Sparrow King took the golden rat and had a look, she nodded in awe and answered, "It's really a Bronze/Epic Gold Devouring Rat."

Although she sounded to be in awe, she had no expression of joy on her face. Clearly, this Bronze/Epic Gold Devouring Rat did not match the Willpower Runes that the two king-class experts had comprehended.

Due to the rarity of Bronze/Epic feys, very few people could perfectly match the Willpower Rune with such feys. Those who had comprehended a Willpower Rune would first choose a Bronze/Epic fey that matched the Willpower Rune that they had comprehended, which was like winning the lottery.

If the feys were compatible with their own aptitude, they would not consider whether they matched their Willpower Rune.

For many of those who had awakened with the Willpower Rune, the choice of the Bronze/Epic feys would be secondary.

It was hard for the vast majority to find a compatible Bronze/Epic fey with their own aptitude. Despite their painstaking pursuit of it, they were still unattainable.

The youth with dreadlocks was equivalent to setting Lin Yuan on fire. If Lin Yuan could not take out a Bronze/Epic fey, he would be akin to be a troublemaker.

Many people's gazes gathered on Lin Yuan, including the Lightning Sparrow King and Shadow Bat King.

Wen Yu sensed that the youth with dreadlocks looked at Lin Yuan with a gaze full of ill will. Her expression changed, and she immediately radiated the aura of a Radiant Moon Palace's spirit attendant. Such aura came from her level and scope and not her strength.

When Lin Yuan sensed the change in Wen Yu's temperament, he shook his head at her and said to the Lightning Sparrow King in a clear voice, "Senior Lightning Sparrow King,

Chapter 216: Not Enough to Trade

When the Lightning Sparrow King heard Lin Yuan's statement, her pupils contracted, and she was stunned for some time. "Are you serious?"

Lin Yuan let out a sunshine smile and said calmly, "This junior is here to bid for the source-type lifeform. Therefore, I wouldn't deceive you, Senior. Even if I am bluffing, Senior will not allow me to take the source-type lifeform away."

Zhao Xiaochun smacked Fang Duoduo's thigh with force and excitement. She then said, "What the hell! This handsome young man is simply too handsome. Fang Duoduo, after seeing this handsome young man, I am feeling a little hungry and wish to eat some braised pork trotters with pickled tofu."

When Zhao Xiaochun smacked down on Fang Duoduo's thigh, she suddenly felt that the feeling wasn't right. Fang Duoduo had curled up like a prawn and responded with a face that was flushed red, "Zhao Xiaochun, you are too ruthless. If you are feeling infatuated, you can hit your own thigh! Why do you want to stop my Fang family from having future descendants!?"

Zhao Xiaochun looked at Fang Duoduo with apologetic eyes as she said awkwardly, "Meow."

Fang Duoduo rolled his eyes and said with teary eyes, "Bark."

The youth with the dreadlocks had a face that turned dark as he said, "All talk and no proof. You need to show some proof for your words. Since there are so many people present, I don't think my friend will try to pull a joke and intentionally seek trouble, right?"

As soon as the youth with the dreadlocks finished his words, Liu Jie had a stern expression and was preparing to stand up. Lin Yuan placed his hand on Liu Jie's shoulder and patted as an indication for Liu Jie to continue sitting.

Liu Jie had an unspeakable feeling in his heart. When Lin Yuan stood up to compete for the source-type, Hurricane Owlet Moth, Liu Jie felt a surge of warmth in his heart.

Originally, when Liu Jie saw the Hurricane Owlet Moth on auction, he had an abnormally heavy heart. It was obvious that the Hurricane Owlet Moth was very suitable for his Insect Queen, but his current savings weren't enough to bid for the Hurricane Owlet Moth.

But when Lin Yuan stood up to bid for the Hurricane Owlet Moth, Liu Jie recalled what Lin Yuan said to him. "This Hurricane Owlet Moth is suitable for your Insect Queen's Platinum ability."

At that moment, when Lin Yuan spoke, he must have already decided to bid for this Hurricane Owlet Moth for Liu Jie.

Liu Jie had already treated Lin Yuan as his own faith, but Lin Yuan's actions still made Liu Jie involuntarily moved.

Liu Jie knew that a retainer knight was actually still a servant, but Lin Yuan had never treated him as a servant before. Being saved from a crisis and being treated sincerely was something that made Liu Jie feel all sorts of feelings, but he didn't know what to say.

Saying thank you was too easy, and it felt too empty. Thus, the only thing that Liu Jie could do was to protect this youth with everything he could do.

Faith wasn't heavy as faith had always been a kind of trust. This trust had now unknowingly grown into something called undying loyalty.

Lin Yuan saw the expression on the youth with the dreadlocks and couldn't help raising his brows. Lin Yuan could see that this youth with the dreadlocks really wanted this Hurricane Owlet Moth. Furthermore, he had already brought out the Bronze/Epic Gold Devouring Rat, which was of equal value to the Hurricane Owlet Moth, and even added 10,000,000 Radiance dollars. It was already enough to see the sincerity of this youth with the dreadlocks.

However, Lin Yuan wasn't going to give in as an auction worked in this way. Anyone who could offer a higher price would win the auction. Moreover, this Hurricane Owlet Moth was very useful for Liu Jie.

Liu Jie's Insect Queen was already a Platinum/Fantasy fey, but its Platinum ability was still empty. Liu Jie's Insect Queen might already have four abilities that formed a complete battle style with a close-range attack, long-range attack, and defense. But if the Hurricane Owlet Moth could be carved into the Insect Queen's gene model and become Liu Jie's Platinum ability, he would have an additional control ability. This would allow the Insect Queen's combat style to have a qualitative leap.

The Lightning Sparrow King was a little displeased when she heard the statement from the youth with the dreadlocks. Ever since Lin Yuan had stood up, the Lightning Sparrow King had been observing Lin Yuan. He was emitting an aura that the Lightning Sparrow King admired.

It was a faint aura that made the Lightning Sparrow King feel that the youth was a little unfathomable. However, when she saw the material used for Lin Yuan's black suit, she knew that this youth wasn't going to deceive her.

As a Class 3 Creation Master, the Lightning Sparrow King's experience and knowledge were superior to regular people. She immediately recognized that the embroidery on the suit was from the web silk of a Platinum Dark Death Creepy Spider.

The Platinum fey, Dark Death Creepy Spider, wouldn't produce web silk normally and would only do so to protect itself when it was shedding its skin. Therefore, it showed how difficult it was to obtain the web silk of a Dark Death Creepy Spider.

Furthermore, the Lightning Sparrow King identified the person seated beside the youth, and it was none other than Liu Jie. He was a member of the Radiance Hundred Sequence, and no expert of the Radiance Federation wouldn't recognize Liu Jie.

Moreover, Liu Jie's heroic deed had caused a commotion in the Radiance Federation.

“Young friend, I wonder if I state a species of fey, how long will it take before I can obtain that Bronze/Epic fey of that species?”

Lin Yuan replied softly, “The species that Senior Lightning Sparrow King stated can be delivered to you by the same time tomorrow, and it will be a Bronze/Epic fey.”

Just as the Lightning Sparrow King wanted to respond, the youth with the dreadlocks spoke first. “Lightning Sparrow King, apart from this Bronze/Epic Gold-Devouring Rat, I am willing to add on another 5,000,000 Radiance dollars on top of the 10,000,000 Radiance dollars I stated earlier.”

The Lightning Sparrow King didn’t bother about the youth with the dreadlocks. To a king-class expert, 5,000,000 Radiance dollars weren’t considered important. What was most important was one’s compatibility and Willpower Rune to the Bronze/Epic fey.

It might not be a Willpower Rune comprehended by the Lightning Sparrow King herself, but members of a king-class team were intimate partners. Furthermore, the stronger one’s team members were, the more beneficial and less dangerous it would be when exploring the wilderness or dimensional rift.

When the youth with the dreadlocks saw the Lightning Sparrow King’s expression, he knew that if the black-suited youth wasn’t intentionally seeking trouble, he would not be destined to obtain the Hurricane Owlet Moth.

The Lightning Sparrow King exchanged glances with the Shadow Bat King and said, “Young friend, power offense-type/winged insect-species feys and defense-type deer-species feys. If you have either kind of fey that is at Bronze/Epic, then this Hurricane Owlet Moth is yours.”

After speaking, the Lightning Sparrow King paused for a moment and continued saying, “However, you said that I could only obtain the Bronze/Epic fey tomorrow. Therefore, you need to use something as collateral.”

Plenty of eyes were gathered on Lin Yuan as they wanted to see what Lin Yuan would use as collateral.

Since it was collateral, then the value must be comparable with the Hurricane Owlet Moth or just slightly lower. Everyone wanted to see what this youth could bring out that would have a value matching with the Hurricane Owlet Moth.

Lin Yuan didn’t expect that one of the two Bronze/Epic feys in his Diamond fey storage box would be the power offense-type/winged insect-species that the Lightning Sparrow King stated.

It was truly a coincidence. However, since the Bronze/Epic Flame Veined Dragonfly had stayed in the Spirit Lock spatial zone, which had extremely concentrated spirit qi, it had already awakened the ancestral bloodlines of the Silurian period’s tyrant, Huge Veined Dragonfly.

Lin Yuan would truly be at a loss if he used the Flame Veined Dragonfly, which was a superior Bronze/Epic fey to trade for the Hurricane Owlet Moth. However, Lin Yuan still swung his hand and summoned the Flame Veined Dragonfly, which had awakened the Huge Veined Dragonfly’s bloodline.

After summoning the Bronze/Epic Flame Veined Dragonfly, Lin Yuan reached out. The Bronze/Epic Flame Veined Dragonfly was already more than two meters in size, so it was no longer able to land on Lin Yuan's finger. It was flying and revolving around Lin Yuan's palm instead.

Lin Yuan looked at this Bronze/Epic Flame Veined Dragonfly and said, "For the power offense-type/winged insect-species fey that Senior Lightning Sparrow King mentioned, this junior just happens to have one. However, Senior should understand that the Hurricane Owlet Moth isn't enough to trade for this Bronze/Epic Flame Veined Dragonfly that has awakened the bloodline of the Silurian period's Huge Veined Dragonfly."

Chapter 217: Truly a Quick-Witted Brat

When Lin Yuan summoned the Flame Veined Dragonfly, the Lightning Sparrow King and the Shadow Bat King's eyes were fixed on the Flame Veined Dragonfly.

Green patterns covered the Flame Veined Dragonfly's fiery red body, and when it flapped its wings, it would bring about illusory shadows.

The Flame Veined Dragonfly that Lin Yuan summoned might only be at Bronze, but if one carefully observed it, they would be able to feel the violent fire and wind elemental energies within its body.

Such violent energies could only come from the awakened bloodline of the Huge Veined Dragonfly. When such bloodlines were awakened, it was the same as a fish-species fey awakening the scarce dragon-species bloodline within their bodies.

The ascension of genetic models was a crucial transformation during the evolution of life. This Flame Veined Dragonfly had already gone through a transformation. Thus, although it might be of the same grade and quality as the Gold-Devouring Rat, the Flame Veined Dragonfly was obviously much more superior than the Gold-Devouring Rat.

Of course, these weren't the only reasons why the Lightning Sparrow King and the Shadow Bat King were paying close attention to the Bronze/Epic Flame Veined Dragonfly. The main reason was the Flame Veined Dragonfly's ability to use wind and fire. It just so happened to be compatible with their king-class teammate's talent and the Willpower Rune their teammate had comprehended.

Even if a king-class expert comprehended a Willpower Rune, when searching for a Bronze/Epic fey, they could only hope to find one that was compatible with their talent. As to finding a Bronze/Epic fey that was also suitable for the Willpower Rune that they comprehended, it was truly something akin to a fantasy.

But now, there was actually a Bronze/Epic fey that wasn't just compatible with their king-class teammate's talent, but even the Willpower Rune was suitable. In addition, this fey had awakened such a powerful bloodline.

If the youth with the dreadlocks was passionate about the source-type lifeform, Hurricane Owlet Moth, then now, the Lightning Sparrow King and the Shadow Bat King were also as passionate about the Bronze/Epic Flame Veined Dragonfly. In fact, they were more passionate.

Even as a pinnacle Class 3 Creation Master and a king-class expert, the Lightning Sparrow King couldn't help getting nervous. A single glance was enough for the Lightning Sparrow King to see how outstanding

this Flame Veined Dragonfly was. This made her even more determined to trade this Bronze/Epic Flame Veined Dragonfly for her teammate.

As for everyone present at the auction, they couldn't help but feel shocked when Lin Yuan summoned the Bronze/Epic Flame Veined Dragonfly. One of them even revealed an expression of desire. However, when that person saw the Lightning Sparrow King and the Shadow Bat King's faces, which were also filled with desire, that person could only smile bitterly and suppress the thoughts.

If the Lightning Sparrow King and the Shadow Bat King weren't the hosts of this place, this person would have stood up to compete for the Flame Veined Dragonfly. The person would definitely try to use a huge price to secure this Bronze/Epic Flame Veined Dragonfly that had awakened the Huge Veined Dragonfly's bloodline.

The Lightning Sparrow King pondered for a moment and said, "Young friend, to be honest with you, your Flame Veined Dragonfly is very compatible with one of my teammates who possesses winged insect-species feys and is also very suitable for the Willpower Rune my teammate comprehended. I wonder if we can use this Hurricane Owlet Moth and provide additional reward until you are satisfied to trade for this Bronze/Epic Flame Veined Dragonfly?"

The Lightning Sparrow King was already mentally prepared. As long as she could keep the Diamond spiritual ingredient, Deep-Blue Soul-Awakening Petals, whatever this youth wanted her to use for the trade, and if it wasn't too exaggerating, she would agree.

Lin Yuan didn't reserve himself either. He knew clearly of how outstanding and rare this Bronze/Epic Flame Veined Dragonfly was. Furthermore, a trade was something where both would benefit, and it was a contest. Lin Yuan wasn't a philanthropist and would just trade a Bronze/Epic fey just because he had an easy time enhancing feys.

It was the same when the Lightning Sparrow King wanted Lin Yuan to provide collateral at the negotiation's early stage.

Lin Yuan estimated the value of the Bronze/Epic Flame Veined Dragonfly and said clearly, "Senior Lightning Sparrow King, since the two other source-type lifeforms aren't easy to sell, as they will either use two Willpower Runes or use a massive amount of spiritual energy. As for the continuous pouring of fresh blood for ten years, it isn't something a normal person could withstand either. I wonder if Senior Lightning Sparrow King feels that it is possible to trade my Flame Veined Dragonfly, which had awakened the bloodline of the Huge Veined Dragonfly for all three source-type lifeforms?"

When speaking, Lin Yuan intentionally mentioned the awakening of the bloodline. In fact, even if Lin Yuan didn't mention it, the pinnacle Class 3 Creation Master, Lightning Sparrow King, and the rest of the people here who knew a little about the Flame Veined Dragonfly would know that if this Flame Veined Dragonfly had awakened the Huge Veined Dragonfly's bloodline. Otherwise, its size would only be around 30 centimeters, not the giant size of two meters.

When the Lightning Sparrow King heard of Lin Yuan's request, she couldn't help but hesitate and went into deep contemplation. The two other source-type lifeforms might have hard contract conditions, but they were still source-type lifeforms after all.

At the same time, these two source-type lifeforms made their appearances for the first time in the world, and no one had heard of them before. If all three source-type lifeforms were added together, their overall value should be higher than this Bronze/Epic Flame Veined Dragonfly.

Even if this Bronze/Epic Flame Veined Dragonfly had awakened the Huge Veined Dragonfly's bloodline, as compared to all three source-type lifeforms, there was still a disparity in value.

When the Lightning Sparrow King was in deep contemplation, Lin Yuan had a relaxed expression. A trade was a contest, and it was the same as a game of chess. In addition, Lin Yuan was holding the upper hand. What Lin Yuan had to contest was whether the Lightning Sparrow King would agree to his stakes. If she agreed, Lin Yuan would be at a profit, and all three source-type lifeforms would belong to him. If the Lightning Sparrow King didn't agree, then it wasn't a big problem for Lin Yuan as he simply needed to up his stakes a little.

Since the Lightning Sparrow King was already in contemplation, Lin Yuan knew that his conditions were within Lightning Sparrow King's acceptable range.

Just as the Lightning Sparrow King was in deep thought, the youth with the dreadlocks had an expression of utter despair. He knew that he was already not fated to obtain the Hurricane Owlet Moth.

The Lightning Sparrow King wasn't even considering who would buy the Hurricane Owlet Moth right now. It was whether it was worth it to use the two other source-type lifeforms to trade for the Bronze/Epic Flame Veined Dragonfly.

The youth with the dreadlocks looked at Lin Yuan with anger, but his mind suddenly opened a new door as he was fuming. He was raking his brains and putting in all the effort to purchase this Hurricane Owlet Moth because he was a support-type spirit qi professional. His compatibility range was toward support-type/plant species feys, so he had been lacking an effective attack method. Moreover, among his contracted feys, the Breeze Hibiscus fit the requirements for the Hurricane Owlet Moth.

In fact, there were other support-type plant-species feys that had attack methods, but such feys were truly rare to find. However, this youth in the black suit had mentioned to the Lightning Sparrow King that she could pick any species of fey she wanted to be Bronze/Epic.

Why am I harped on getting this Hurricane Owlet Moth? Why don't I just look for this black-suited youth and see if he could help me obtain a Bronze/Epic support-type/plant species fey with attack capabilities?

The youth with the dreadlocks, who originally had an expression of despair, suddenly revealed an expression of expectations. He couldn't help praising himself silently. I, Gao Feng, am truly a quick-witted brat!

Chapter 218: It Can Be More Expensive

Except for the youth with the dreadlocks, everyone present could not help but look at Lin Yuan with a thoughtful gaze. Those who could come to this private auction did not have simple identities.

When they looked at the youth clad in black, they felt he was very unfamiliar and had never heard of him before. Besides his aura, they were more concerned about his identity.

What kind of foundation had allowed him to say that any species of the Bronze/Epic feys could be chosen at will and take out the Bronze/Epic Flame Veined Dragonfly, which had the bloodline of the Silurian overlord, the Huge Veined Dragonfly? This was a kind of foundation.

Based on the youth's calm expression, they knew he put little attention on this fey.

The Lightning Sparrow King was silent for a moment and glanced at the Shadow Bat King. Upon seeing the Shadow Bat King hesitate for a moment and nod very firmly, the Lightning Sparrow King said, "Little friend, I agree to the deal. These three source-type items are yours."

Lin Yuan answered with a smile and nod, "Senior Lightning Sparrow King, this Bronze/Epic Flame Veined Dragonfly is now yours."

He touched the Flame Veined Dragonfly's wings, which was a farewell to this fey he had nurtured. He had wanted to find a suitable home for it. The Lightning Sparrow King's king-class squad member was clearly an excellent choice.

As soon as the Flame Veined Dragonfly was promoted from Epic to Legend, it could immediately evolve into a Fantasy Breed with a Willpower Rune.

It was very hard for feys to obtain a Willpower Rune to evolve into a Fantasy Breed after a contract with a human.

After Lin Yuan bade goodbye to the Bronze/Epic Flame Veined Dragonfly, he stored it in a Bronze fey storage box and handed it to Wen Yu.

She walked up with the fey storage box and handed it to the Lightning Sparrow King. At the same time, she also took the three brocade boxes from the Lightning Sparrow King and handed them to Lin Yuan.

Lin Yuan handed the source-type Hurricane Owlet Moth to Liu Jie and said, "Big Brother Liu, your Insect Queen's Platinum ability is supported now."

Liu Jie took it and revealed an honest smile on his face. He did not thank Lin Yuan but clenched his fists tightly.

With the Hurricane Owlet Moth, his Platinum/Fantasy I Insect Queen's combat system would also be truly perfected, and it would reach a pinnacle state.

Liu Jie did not know what to say at this point. He was going to constantly become stronger and protect this young man before him.

Wen Yu, who had witnessed all of this, looked at Lin Yuan before looking at Liu Jie and revealed a bright smile. She had never imagined such a life, which was carefree and comfortable.

There were faith and emotions. In fact, the real bridge between humans was their feelings toward each other. Be it family, love, or friendship, they were different means to the same goal. It was just a kind of emotion and responsibility.

Wen Yu had treated this present manor as a small home long ago. This feeling was just like a sense of security. This feeling of home felt superb.

At this point, the private auction was completely over. Zhao Xiaochun dragged Fang Duoduo, waiting to find Lin Yuan and Liu Jie for a sumptuous meal.

It was because of Liu Jie's return. As a Radiance Hundred Sequence member, she wanted to hold a welcoming meal for him. On the other hand, both of them wanted to get acquainted with Lin Yuan and befriend him.

However, Fang Duoduo's expression immediately changed after receiving a phone call. Fang Duoduo spoke to Zhao Xiaochun, and her expression immediately changed from being an all-smile to a serious one. She seemed like a completely different person. After Zhao Xiaochun bade farewell to Lin Yuan and Liu Jie, she dragged Fang Duoduo to leave in a hurry.

Lin Yuan, Liu Jie, and Wen Yu were not in a rush to go home. Instead, they were prepared to go to the night market next to the Rare Lifeform Pavilion to eat supper.

When they just left the Rare Lifeform Pavilion, Lin Yuan saw the youth with the dreadlocks running toward him with a smile on his face.

Liu Jie immediately took a step forward and blocked Lin Yuan's front. The youth with the dreadlocks dashed as he giggled and said to Lin Yuan ingratiatingly, "Brother, let's get to know each other. My name is Gao Feng. We might have some misunderstanding during the auction just now."

Upon hearing that, Lin Yuan smiled slightly and replied, "It was just bidding. No worries."

After saying that, he was ready to continue forward with Liu Jie and Wen Yu when he noticed Gao Feng had no intentions of leaving. At that moment, the youth with the dreadlocks asked cautiously, "Brother, I wonder if you still have other kinds of Bronze/Epic feys?"

When Lin Yuan heard this, he knew what was going on. After this youth with the dreadlocks had heard what he had said to the Lightning Sparrow King back at the auction, the youth became interested in his other species of Bronze/Epic feys.

Lin Yuan pondered for a moment and did not refuse him right away. Instead, he answered, "I have Bronze/Epic feys here, but they're not cheap. Plant feys may be a bit more expensive."

Because this youth with the dreadlocks wanted to obtain the source-type Hurricane Owlet Moth, Lin Yuan knew that he certainly could contract a Breeze Hibiscus. Therefore, it was easy to guess about his feys' compatibility.

Upon hearing Lin Yuan's answer, Gao Feng was elated, especially when he heard 'Bronze/Epic plant fey'. His eyes nearly became two big green shiny bulbs under the night.

Gao Feng exclaimed, "The price doesn't matter. My Gao family is rich. Can I have a look at what species you have? Are there any that specialize in attacks?"

Lin Yuan answered, "It won't be possible soon. Leave me your contact number, and I'll contact you when you can take a look at them."

Gao Feng immediately gave Lin Yuan his contact number and responded, "No hurry. You can summon me whenever you have time."

He waved his hand and watched Lin Yuan and the other two leave as though he was looking at the traffic light.

Wen Yu said softly to Lin Yuan, "The Gao family that Gao Feng mentioned should be the wealthiest Gao family from Wind Mist City."

Ever since Wen Yu had become Lin Yuan's assistant, she had crammed the information of the Radiance Federation's major powers, thinking that it would come in handy one day.

Information like this might be extremely rare to other people, but not for Wen Yu. She just had to browse through the Radiant Moon Palace's database. Her hard work could now be put to use.

Upon hearing that, Lin Yuan nodded. He would consider Gao Feng as his first customer for his fey store. He hoped he could exchange some interesting things with Gao Feng.

Lin Yuan was no longer short of Radiance dollars. When his fey store opened, since he would be selling high-end feys, he would not choose to trade with Radiance dollars but barter for something that interested him.

Lin Yuan, Wen Yu, and Liu Jie ate supper in the night market, and Lin Yuan and Wen Yu became fussy at this point.

The snacks in the Royal Capital's night market were not as good as the ones Liu Jie had made. As they ate, Liu Jie received their Storm Praise, at which he could not help but giggle.

It was already very late when they returned to the mansion. However, Lin Yuan was not in a hurry to sleep. He took out the amber-button-shaped-crystal-like source-type item and was ready to contract it.

Chapter 219: Source-type Item, Source Sand

Lin Yuan examined the source-type item. Thanks to True Data, he found it was called Source Sand.

It represented the sand element of elemental source-type items and was considered a mutation of the earth element.

Lin Yuan was not in a hurry to contract the Source Sand. Instead, he took the blood-red eggshell containing the Deep Sea Blood Mosquito, which he had won at the private auction, out of the Diamond leaf-shaped fey storage box on his chest.

He walked out of his room and came to a long hallway outside the mansion. The eaves at the top of the long hallway did not look special in the night, but he knew that the Mother of Bloodbath was there.

When he returned to the mansion, the Mother of Bloodbath would not follow him in. It usually stayed on the eaves and beams outside the manor as it absorbed the spirit qi of the world and comprehended the Law Rune in its body.

"Mother of Bloodbath, I've brought you the source-type item you asked for at the private auction."

Lin Yuan tossed the blood-red eggshell containing the Deep Sea Blood Mosquito toward a corner of the eaves. A red shadow flashed, and the blood-red eggshell vanished into the night. The Mother of Bloodbath's pleasant and peculiar voice sounded. "Lin Yuan, I owe you a favor. Thank you."

Then it did not utter a word anymore.

Lin Yuan knew that the Mother of Bloodbath should be preparing to absorb the majestic blood energy from the Deep Sea Blood Mosquito's egg. As his Path Protector, if it could improve its strength, he would naturally be thrilled.

Moreover, both of them had slowly developed an affection for each other after getting along in the past few months.

Although the Mother of Bloodbath hardly spoke, was not good at words, and was cold, Lin Yuan could sense its concern for him. The Mother of Bloodbath had always said that it would not help him unless his life was in peril.

However, just when the pinnacle Class 1 dimensional rift had opened outside Millstone Town, it actually did not need to take out the source-type item from the dimensional rift for him. Thanks to the Acid Corrosion Queen Bee that the Mother of Bloodbath had taken out, Lin Yuan's current strength had undergone a qualitative leap.

Otherwise, based on his two attacking units, the Silver I/Fantasy I Chimey and Bronze IV/Epic Red Thorn, Lin Yuan would not have been able to reach the Celestial Stairway promotion duels, let alone having a record of competing to the 100th floor without losing.

The night breeze blew the green jade bells hanging on the four corners of the eaves outside the mansion, producing a subtle bell sound that was clear and crisp in the night breeze and sounded especially beautiful.

Lin Yuan took a deep breath of the late autumn night's cool air and felt much more energetic. He looked at the beauty of the mansion at night and went back to his room.

After he picked up the elemental source-type item, the Source Sand, and carefully examined it, he used his spiritual energy and summoned the Yin-Yang Willpower Rune and the Myriad Form Willpower Rune.

Regardless of which Willpower Rune it was, the core of their true source was about change. This was also why Lin Yuan had not fused this Myriad Form Willpower Rune to the Bronze X/Legend Genius and allowed it to become a Fantasy Breed.

For this elemental source-type Source Sand, such a change-based Willpower Rune was really more than suitable. Few people could comprehend two nature-related Willpower Runes like Lin Yuan.

Even if people could comprehend such Willpower Runes, they would not be willing to use two of them as a prerequisite for contracting a source-type item.

Lin Yuan looked at the Yin-Yang and Myriad Form Willpower Runes, and his heart was slightly moved. These two Willpower Runes shot into the Source Sand, and he contracted it and soon completed the contract.

Two Willpower Runes shot into the Source Sand without making any ripples, just like a stone sinking into the sea, and the Source Sand's shape did not change at all either.

Lin Yuan could not help but sigh that the Source Sand was really magical.

He used Morbius' True Data to check its attributes.

[Fey Name]: Source Sand

[Fey Species]: Elemental/Sand

[Fey Grade]: Normal (1/10)

[Fey Type]: Source

[Fey Quality]: Normal

Upon seeing its True Data, Lin Yuan could not help but smile and shake his head. Its data was really so simple that it was obvious at a glance that it did not even have an ability.

Actually, at the auction, when Lin Yuan had used True Data to check the Source Sand, he knew it was special. The Source Sand originally had no abilities. Only when it was promoted to Bronze would it have an exclusive skill, like other feys and source-type lifeforms.

When it reached Legend, it would directly become a Fantasy Breed without consuming a Willpower Rune. It would fuse with the two Willpower Runes at that time, giving rise to two exclusive skills that would be determined based on the two Willpower Runes' traits.

In other words, after it became a Fantasy Breed, it would be a peculiar elemental source-type item without abilities but with three exclusive skills.

Lin Yuan controlled the Source Sand, and it actually turned into a large amount of fine sand at his feet. He found that he could command it to transform into a large amount of fine sand, just like commanding his own arm as he wished.

For example, when he raised his hand, a wisp of fine sand would form a thin wall of sand in the air to block based on his intention.

At that moment, he found that a wisp of fine sand had the intention of drilling into the ground, so he hurriedly stopped its next action, as it was of high concentration.

It wanted to drill into the ground to smash the underground ores and soil to create sand. If Lin Yuan did not stop its action, he was afraid that the Source Sand would destroy this newly built mansion.

Therefore, he took it into the Spirit Lock spatial zone. What he wanted to do next was to evolve it into a Fantasy Breed and see what kind of qualitative leap there would be when it obtained three exclusive skills.

Chapter 220: Flaring Sand, Proliferation Sand, Sand Control

After entering the Spirit Lock spatial zone, Lin Yuan immediately noticed it differed from before. Previously, many low-grade energy ores, which he had bought not too long ago and piled them up on the side of the spirit pool, had been consumed.

At that moment, he found that the Gold Wind Speed Rapid Antelope, which had always been placed in the Spirit Lock spatial zone, was pushing one batch after another of low-grade energy ores into the spirit pool. He was a little surprised at this discovery.

Lin Yuan had always put up the Wind Speed Rapid Antelope on Star Web. Many people had asked about its price, but he never sold it. This was because he had been busy enhancing feys at that time and was not really short of money.

Even though the Gold/Elite Wind Speed Rapid Antelope was in Lin Yuan's Purchase With No Loss store Star Web store, he had never thought of looking at the requests about purchasing it.

Although the Wind Speed Rapid Antelope was a Gold/Elite, few Silver Sword Horn Speed Antelopes could spiritually evolve into Gold Wind Speed Rapid Antelopes. Therefore, despite the Wind Speed Rapid Antelope's low quality, it was still very much in demand.

As a Gold fey, the Wind Speed Rapid Antelope could sense the spirit qi in the Spirit Lock spatial zone gathering in one direction and decreasing.

As a fey who instinctively loved highly concentrated spirit qi, it constantly kept pushing the low-grade energy ores into the spirit pool.

Lin Yuan could not help but ponder, The Wind Speed Rapid Antelope is actually useful.

As batch after batch of low-grade energy ores was pushed into the spirit pool, they were soon broken down into pure spirit qi that constantly gathered on a new glazed stone pillar in the Spirit Lock spatial zone.

It had a small limestone bowl, and when the spirit qi gathered in it, it constantly compressed.

Lin Yuan knew that Morbius' Spirit Qi Condensation after it had been restored to its complete state was condensing the spirit qi crystal.

He had previously thought this ability would condense spirit qi crystals by consuming many energy ores, but he did not expect it would consume so many low-grade energy ores.

Morbius would need at least seven days to condense a spirit qi crystal, provided that there was sufficient spirit qi. The low-grade energy ores in the Spirit Lock spatial zone could at least last three more days.

Lin Yuan's current goal was to enhance the source-type Source Sand, so he did not immediately care about the Spirit Lock spatial zone's low-grade energy ores.

When the Gold/Elite Wind Speed Rapid Antelope saw Lin Yuan, it immediately galloped over. He rubbed its head and could not help but think, Raising this Gold/Elite Wind Speed Rapid Antelope here in the Spirit Lock spatial zone would be an excellent choice.

At the very least, the Wind Speed Rapid Antelope can constantly push the low-grade energy ores into the spirit pool, which would save me a lot of trouble.

Lin Yuan planned to take this Wind Speed Rapid Antelope down from his Purchase With No Loss Fey Store. Instead of selling it away, it would be better to let it do hard labor in the Spirit Lock spatial zone.

As Lin Yuan looked at the spirit qi constantly condensing on the limestone bowl, he looked forward to the spirit qi crystal that Morbius would condense after seven days.

After sensing the change in the Spirit Lock spatial zone, he started enhancing the source-type Source Sand. As he injected a large amount of pure spirit qi, the Source Sand's grade and quality constantly improved.

During that continuous process, its amber-button-shaped-crystal-like appearance became more and more exquisite. If it was like a roughly carved citrine button before, then it was now a finely polished artwork.

In a short while, Lin Yuan enhanced the source-type Source Sand from Normal I/Normal to Elite X/Epic. He took a deep breath and did not stop as he raised the Source Sand to Bronze. It was now very easy for Lin Yuan to enhance Elite feys to Bronze.

Since the source-type Source Sand was Elite/Epic, it had three exclusive skills when it was promoted to Bronze, which Lin Yuan was shocked to see.

What kind of luck did he have? He had actually obtained three supreme-grade exclusive skills. However, he could only keep one.

He had always been a very decisive person, but he could not help but hesitate as he looked at the three exclusive skills.

The first exclusive skill was Flaring Sand. If he chose this exclusive skill, then the Source Sand's gravel would contain burning traits. The degree of heat would increase as the Source Sand's grade improved.

The Flaring Sand would enhance the Source Sand's attacking ability, making it a very powerful exclusive skill.

The second exclusive skill was the Proliferation Sand. This exclusive skill enhanced the Source Sand's growth ability, allowing it to quickly smash the sand and ores underground to produce a huge amount of gravel.

The first exclusive skill increased its attacking ability, while the second one increased its ability in all aspects.

Although the Proliferation Sand was not as effective as the Flaring Sand, it was clearly more all-rounded in terms of defensive and control ability enhancement.

Among these two exclusive skills, Lin Yuan would choose the Proliferation Sand without hesitation. Even though the Flaring Sand was very powerful, it would clash with Red Thorn's sea of flowers. In the Flaring Sand's heat, Red Thorn's sea of flowers would have difficulty surviving, let alone battle.

As a spirit qi professional, it was a huge taboo if two feys' abilities or exclusive skills limited each other. This would undoubtedly be the same as debasing oneself in a battle.

The exclusive skill that made Lin Yuan worried was the third exclusive skill, the Sand Control. It could enhance Lin Yuan's control of the Source Sand and reduce the spiritual power consumed to command it.

He was very satisfied with such an exclusive skill, as every spirit qi professional was like a bucket in a battle. Their spiritual power was like water, and every bit of water used was akin to lesser water in the bucket.